

**LCQ1**

- (1) Number of cases undergone pre-preliminary investigation stage and handled by the Preliminary Investigation Committee (PIC)

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
(i) Number of cases undergone pre-preliminary investigation stage and considered frivolous or groundless, and dismissed by the chairman and the deputy chairman of PIC in consultation with a lay member of PIC <sup>Note 1</sup>	114	104	146	130	149
Number of cases handled at PIC meetings <sup>Note 2</sup> [(i)+(ii)+(iii)+(iv)]	99	95	89	95	129
(i) Cases referred to the Medical Council of Hong Kong (MCHK) for inquiry	33	21	32	48	57
(ii) Cases considered minor offences, and MCHK accepted the recommendation of PIC that no inquiries were needed	26	48	26	20	35
(iii) Cases referred to the Health Committee for hearing	-	-	-	-	1
(iv) Cases dismissed	40	26	31	27	36

Note 1: including cases received in the respective year only

Note 2: including cases received in the respective year or before

- (2) Disciplinary inquiry cases handled by MCHK <sup>Note</sup>

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Disciplinary inquiry cases handled by MCHK	21	16	30	23	21

Note: including disciplinary inquiry cases referred to MCHK by PIC in the respective year or before