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Select Committed Question dated 26/3/2004

To provide the following information in relation to three index patients of Ward 12A of the United Christian Hospital during the Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome outbreak:

- (1) Whether they were residents from the Amoy Gardens, or in any way related to the Amoy Gardens; and**

One index patient was a resident of Amoy Gardens. The other index patients were not residents of Amoy Gardens, although one of them has a daughter who resided in Amoy Gardens.

- (2) Whether the 69-year-old index patient with a diagnosis of Ca lung and chest infection had fever upon admission.**

The index patient with a diagnosis of terminal Ca lung had no fever on admission.