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Report No. 10/18-19 of the House Committee on Consideration of Subsidiary Legislation and Other Instruments

Purpose

This report gives the outcome of the consideration of the House Committee on subsidiary legislation the period for amendment of which will expire at the Council meeting of 30 January 2019.

Subsidiary legislation considered

2. The House Committee has considered the following items of subsidiary legislation:

<u>Item</u> <u>Number</u>	<u>Title of</u> Subsidiary Legislation	Date of House Committee meeting(s)
(1)	Private Healthcare Facilities Ordinance (Specification of Date for Section 135(1)(a)) Notice (L.N. 261/2018)	14 December 2018 18 January 2019
(2)	Private Healthcare Facilities Ordinance (Specification of Date for Section 136(1)(a)) Notice (L.N. 262/2018)	14 December 2018 18 January 2019
(3)	Declaration of Constituencies (District Councils) Order 2018 (L.N. 263/2018)	4 January 2019
(4)	Exemption from Profits Tax (People's Bank of China Debt Instrument) Order (L.N. 267/2018)	4 January 2019
(5)	Dutiable Commodities (Amendment) Regulation 2019 (L.N. 1/2019)	11 January 2019

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(6)	Merchant Shipping (Safety) (Passenger Ship Construction) (Ships Built Before 1 September 1984) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulation 2018 (Amendment) Regulation 2019 (L.N. 2/2019)	11 January 2019
(7)	Pharmacy and Poisons (Amendment) Regulation 2019 (L.N. 3/2019)	11 January 2019
(8)	Public Health and Municipal Services Ordinance (Public Pleasure Grounds) (Amendment of Fourth Schedule) Order 2019 (L.N. 4/2019)	18 January 2019

3. The House Committee formed a subcommittee to study items (1) and (2) in detail at its meeting on 14 December 2018. The Subcommittee made a verbal report at the House Committee meeting on 18 January 2019, and provided Members with a written report vide LC Paper No. CB(2)675/18-19 on 23 January 2019.

4. A subcommittee was proposed to be formed to study item (4) in detail at the House Committee meeting on 4 January 2019. Since only two Members have signified to join the proposed subcommittee by the deadline for signification of membership, it cannot be formed by virtue of House Rules 21(b) and 26(f).

5. Regarding items (3) and (5) to (8), the House Committee considered it not necessary to form any subcommittee to study these five items of subsidiary legislation.

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