Panel on Education List of follow-up actions

(position as at 30 April 2019)

Subject	Date of meeting	Follow-up action required	Administration's response
1. Enhancement of healthcare teaching facilities of UGC-funded universities*		The Administration was requested to provide the following information before submitting the funding proposals for the construction of a teaching-research complex in Tai Po Area 39 for The Chinese University of Hong Kong (Phase 1), the campus expansion at Ho Man Tin Slope for The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, and the enhancement of facilities cum medical campus development for The University of Hong Kong to the Public Works Subcommittee ("PWSC") for consideration: (a) advise, in respect of each of the proposed short, medium and long-term capital works projects to enhance the healthcare teaching facilities of the three universities, (i) the net teaching, laboratory and research floor areas per undergraduate and postgraduate student before and after completion of the project;	Response awaited.

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		(ii) the number of additional publicly-funded hostel places to be provided by the project, if any;	
		(iii) the total estimated cost in money-of-the-day-prices, with a breakdown by phase of the project if appropriate;	
		(iv) whether part of the estimated cost of the project would be met by other sources of funding (e.g. donation), and if so, the details; and	
		(v) the schedule for submitting the funding proposal(s) to PWSC, as well as the expected project start and completion dates; and	
		(b) advise, in respect of the some 150 additional healthcare-related UGC-funded first-year-first-degree places in full-time-equivalent terms ("UGC-funded FYFD places") for the 2019-2020 to 2021-2022 triennium,	
		(i) the respective number of places to be provided by each of the three	

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		universities, with a breakdown by discipline; and	
		(ii) the respective number of non-healthcare-related UGC-funded FYFD places reduced by each of the three universities for the 2019-2020 to 2021-2022 triennium in order to maintain the total number of UGC-funded FYFD places at 15 000 per annum, with a breakdown by discipline.	
2. Planning for the provision of primary and secondary school places in the light of student population and related stabilization measures	1.2.2019	The Administration was requested to provide: (a) the number of Secondary One ("S1") places offered by each school participated in the Secondary School Places Allocation ("SSPA") System in each of the past five years;	The Administration's written response was issued to members vide LC Paper No. CB(4)823/18-19(01) on 30 April 2019.
		(b) the first three restricted school choices made by each Primary 6 student on the Secondary One Choice of Schools Form in each of the past five years;	
		(c) the number of public sector S1 places and S1 students by district in the 2018-2019 school year;	

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		(d) the projected number of public sector S1 places and S1 students by district after implementing the across-the-board "place reinstating" by one school place for SSPA 2019;	
		(e) the number of students in each special school and each school for social development in the 2018-2019 school year;	
		(f) the projected number of students in each special school and each school for social development in each of the coming five years; and	
		(g) written responses to the four motions passed by the Panel.	
3. New resources to further support the research conducted by the higher education sector and the funding policy of the Research Grants Council	1.3.2019	The Administration was requested to provide: (a) measures taken/to be taken by the Research Grants Council to ensure fair assessment of research proposals in science disciplines and arts disciplines (such as humanities and social sciences disciplines) and equitable distribution of research funding among different disciplines; and	No. CB(4)731/18-19(01) on 8 April 2019.

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		(b) written responses to the three motions passed by the Panel.	
4. Review of Self-financing Post-secondary Education	1.3.2019	The Administration was requested to provide: (a) information on the arrangements for admitting non-local students from the Greater Bay Area to local self-financing post-secondary institutions; and (b) written responses to the four motions passed by the Panel	
5. Review of the directorate manpower and organizational structure of the Education Bureau	29.3.2019	The Administration was requested to provide written response to the three motions passed by the Panel.	_

^{*} The item has been separately included in the list of follow-up actions of the Panel on Health Services.

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