

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES

No. 4

**Minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 30 October 2019 at 11:00 am
and Thursday 31 October 2019 at 9:00 am**

Attendance

The attendance of Members, public officers and Clerks is in the Official Record of Proceedings.

Papers to be laid on the Table of the Council

Eight items of subsidiary legislation/instruments and 10 other papers laid on the Table of the Council under Rule 21(2) of the Rules of Procedure (“RoP”) were in the **Appendix**.

Questions

Six oral questions set out on the Agenda (i.e. Questions 1 to 6) were put by the Members and oral replies given by the public officers.

Written replies to Questions 7 to 20 set out on the Agenda were supplied to Members.

Request for moving an adjournment motion under RoP 16(2)

Hon HUI Chi-fung rose to seek the President's permission for him to move an adjournment motion under RoP 16(2). The President suspended the meeting to consider Mr HUI's request. After consideration, the President did not accede to the request and explained his decision to the Council.

Government Bills

First Reading and Second Reading (debate to be adjourned)

- Supplementary Appropriation (2018-2019) : Secretary for Financial Services
Bill and the Treasury
- Pharmacy and Poisons (Amendment) Bill : Secretary for Food and Health
2019

After the Bills were read the first time and ordered to be set down for Second Reading under RoP 53(3), the public officers moved the Second Reading of the Bills respectively. The questions on the Second Reading of the Bills were proposed respectively and the debates were adjourned. The Bills were referred to the House Committee in accordance with RoP 54(4).

Consideration by committee of the whole Council

- Inland Revenue (Amendment) : Secretary for Financial Services
(Tax Concessions) Bill 2019 and the Treasury

The Council became committee of the whole Council to continue the consideration of the Bill. The provisions of the Bill and amendments thereto as set out on the Agenda were debated in accordance with the relevant debate arrangement and the relevant provisions of RoP.

Next meeting

The Council resumed. The President declared that the next Council meeting would be held on 6 November 2019 at 11:00 am.

The Council was adjourned at 5:56 pm on 31 October 2019.



(Andrew LEUNG Kwan-yuen)

President

Legislative Council

Chamber

Legislative Council Complex, Hong Kong

25 November 2019

Council meeting of 30 October 2019

Papers laid on the Table of the Council

Subsidiary legislation/instruments	No.
1. Conservation of Antarctic Marine Living Resources (Toothfish Catch Documentation Scheme) Regulation (gazetted on 25 October 2019)	Legal Notice 150 of 2019
2. Conservation of Antarctic Marine Living Resources (Port Inspection and Control) Regulation (gazetted on 25 October 2019)	Legal Notice 151 of 2019
3. Administrative Appeals Board Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule) (No. 2) Order 2019 (gazetted on 25 October 2019)	Legal Notice 152 of 2019
4. Conservation of Antarctic Marine Living Resources Ordinance (Commencement) Notice (gazetted on 25 October 2019)	Legal Notice 153 of 2019
5. Merchant Shipping (Local Vessels) (Safety and Survey) (Amendment) Regulation 2019 (gazetted on 25 October 2019)	Legal Notice 154 of 2019
6. Merchant Shipping (Local Vessels) (General) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulation 2019 (gazetted on 25 October 2019)	Legal Notice 155 of 2019
7. Antiquities and Monuments (Declaration of Monuments and Historical Buildings) (Consolidation) (Amendment) Notice 2019 (gazetted on 25 October 2019)	Legal Notice 156 of 2019
8. Eighth Technical Memorandum for Allocation of Emission Allowances in Respect of Specified Licences (gazetted on 25 October 2019)	Special Supplement No. 5 to Gazette No. 43/2019

Other papers

9. The Land Registry Trading Fund Hong Kong
Annual Report 2018-19 (including Certified Financial Statements and Report of the Director of Audit)
(published on 24 October 2019)
10. Electrical and Mechanical Services Trading Fund
Report 2018/19 (including Financial Report and Report of the Director of Audit)
(published on 24 October 2019)
11. Property Management Services Authority
Annual Report 2018-19 (including Independent Auditor's Report and Financial Statements)
(published on 24 October 2019)
12. Fish Marketing Organization
Financial Statements and Independent Auditor's Report for the year ended 31 March 2019
(published on 25 October 2019)
13. Vegetable Marketing Organization
Financial Statements and Independent Auditor's Report for the year ended 31 March 2019
(published on 25 October 2019)
14. Marine Fish Scholarship Fund
Report, Financial Statements and Independent Auditor's Report for the period from 1 April 2018 to 31 March 2019
(published on 25 October 2019)
15. Agricultural Products Scholarship Fund
Report, Financial Statements and Independent Auditor's Report for the period from 1 April 2018 to 31 March 2019
(published on 25 October 2019)
16. Consumer Council
Annual Report 2018-19 (including Financial Statements and Independent Auditor's Report)
(published on 25 October 2019)
17. West Kowloon Cultural District Authority
Annual Report 2018/19
(published on 25 October 2019)
18. Urban Renewal Authority
Annual Report 2018-19 (including Independent Auditor's Report and Financial Statements)
(published on 25 October 2019)