Examination of Estimates of Expenditure 2019-20

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Head: (62) Housing Department

Subhead (No. & title): (-) Not Specified

<u>Programme</u>: (-) Not Specified

<u>Controlling Officer</u>: Permanent Secretary for Transport and Housing (Housing)

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Ouestion:

Over the past 5 years, has the Housing Department detected any cases during inspections or received any complaints concerning outsourced service providers suspected of breaching the requirements of service contracts or the terms and conditions of employment contracts? If yes, please provide the numbers of cases detected and complaints received, with a breakdown by category, and the follow-up actions taken. Please also advise on the number of complaints substantiated and the penalties imposed.

Asked by: Hon CHEUNG Chiu-hung, Fernando (LegCo internal reference no.: 7004)

Reply:

In 2018-19, the Housing Department has 10 contracts under Head 62 for engaging outsourced service providers. Over the past 5 years, there were no cases detected during inspections or complaints received concerning outsourced service providers suspected of breaching the requirements of service contracts or the terms and conditions of employment contracts.