

Examination of Estimates of Expenditure 2007-08
**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY TO
INITIAL WRITTEN QUESTION**

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Head : 49 Food and Environmental Hygiene Department

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Programme : (1) Food Safety and Public Health

Controlling Officer : Director of Food and Environmental Hygiene

Director of Bureau : Secretary for Health, Welfare and Food

Question :

FEHD estimates that 125 posts will be created in 2007-08 under this programme. Please list the posts to be created, highlighting the grades, relevant duties and annual staff remuneration involved. Please also indicate what services will be improved following the creation of these posts?

Asked by : Hon. CHEUNG Yu-yan, Tommy

Reply :

The grades and duties of and the salaries involved for the net 125 posts to be created in 2007-08 are listed below –

<u>Grades</u>	<u>Duties</u>	<u>Annual salary</u>
Chemist Field Officer Health Inspector Pest Control Assistant Pest Control Officer Science Laboratory Technician Scientific Officer (Medical) Veterinary Officer Administrative support staff	To perform food safety regulatory and pest control duties.	The estimated annual salary is \$37 million.

These posts are created for enhancing food safety regulatory functions and pest control services.

Signature _____

Name in block letters _____ EDDY CHAN _____

Post Title _____ Director of
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Date _____ 14.3.2007 _____