

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

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Programme : (3) Market Management and Hawker Control

Controlling Officer : Director of Food and Environmental Hygiene

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Question :

The Administration will continue the market improvement works in 2007-08. Please advise on the details and the estimated expenditure involved.

Asked by : Hon. LEONG Kah-kit, Alan

Reply :

In 2007-08, the Department will continue the general improvement works in 10 markets, the estimated total cost of which amounts to \$103 million. In addition, the Department is working on plans to carry out general improvement works in another 12 markets and 2 cooked food centres. These market improvement works include mainly upgrading of drainage, lighting, ventilation, signage and fire services provisions.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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