

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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Subhead (No. & title) :

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 :

There is no expenditure for "population-based food consumption survey" under this subhead in 2006-07. Please advise on the progress of the survey and whether it can be completed in 2007-08 as scheduled.

Asked by : Hon. LEE Kok-long, Joseph

Reply :

A financial provision of \$4.2 million has been earmarked under Head 49 subhead 700 for the "population-based food consumption survey". The survey is expected to be completed in late 2007 and the results will be released in 2008.

Signature _____

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Date _____ 15.3.2007 _____