

Examination of Estimates of Expenditure 2008-09  
**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY TO  
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Head : 49 Food and Environmental Hygiene Department

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Programme : (2) Environmental Hygiene and Related Services

Controlling Officer : Director of Food and Environmental Hygiene

Director of Bureau : Secretary for Food and Health

Question :

Under this programme, there will be a net decrease of 15 posts in 2008-09. Please advise on the rank, emoluments and duties of the posts to be deleted.

Asked by : Hon. LEONG Kah-kit, Alan

Reply :

The posts to be deleted are vacant posts at the Artisan, Ganger and Workman II rank. Their main duties are to provide environmental hygiene services. Deletion of the vacant posts will not result in reduction in salary expenditure.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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Post Title \_\_\_\_\_ **Director of  
Food and Environmental Hygiene** \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ **20.3.2008** \_\_\_\_\_