

Examination of Estimates of Expenditure 2008-09
**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY TO
INITIAL WRITTEN QUESTION**

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Head : 49 Food and Environmental Hygiene Department

Subhead (No. & title) :

Programme : (1) Food Safety and Public Health

Controlling Officer : Director of Food and Environmental Hygiene

Director of Bureau : Secretary for Food and Health

Question :

The actual number of mosquito breeding places eliminated by the Department in 2007 is 68 605. Among these cases, how many of them were handled by contractors engaged by the Department?

Asked by : Hon. CHEUNG Hok-ming

Reply :

Of the 68 605 mosquito breeding places eliminated in 2007, 54 875 (or 80%) were handled by contractors engaged by the Department.

Signature _____

Name in block letters _____ **W H CHEUK** _____

Post Title _____ Director of
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Date _____ 20.3.2008 _____