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Controlling Officer: Director of Food and Environmental Hygiene (Miss Vivian LAU)

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Question:

Please advise on the estimated number of unlicensed hawkers in each of the past ten years, with a breakdown by district.

Asked by: Hon CHEUNG Chiu-hung, Fernando (Member Question No. 712)

Reply:

The information sought is provided at Annex.

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Estimated number of unlicensed hawkers broken down by district in the past ten years

District	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Central/Western	206	205	201	198	182	161	165	158	148	148
Wan Chai	124	120	173	164	180	182	173	140	36	27
Eastern	204	201	187	179	163	140	125	128	131	130
Southern	110	107	103	83	60	58	39	28	44	41
Islands	33	34	37	32	33	34	30	29	20	15
Yau Tsim	300	299	232	257	267	263	259	243	136	213
Mong Kok	258	107	170	134	100	105	125	112	120	89
Sham Shui Po	161	121	116	168	323	249	286	279	248	281
Kowloon City	215	116	99	89	77	74	59	61	62	63
Wong Tai Sin	160	143	124	122	121	121	126	23	21	36
Kwun Tong	121	97	103	109	95	126	144	131	119	56
Kwai Tsing	109	106	108	91	97	92	91	87	75	69
Tsuen Wan	31	30	23	18	22	19	22	21	18	9
Tuen Mun	136	89	107	81	54	65	52	51	50	54
Yuen Long	132	109	102	100	51	25	32	33	27	40
Northern	81	85	77	81	73	70	77	79	78	79
Tai Po	85	45	41	12	5	6	27	22	20	33
Shatin	177	156	81	75	61	75	59	24	57	47
Sai Kung	12	14	16	14	15	11	13	24	13	10
Inside Housing Estates*	153	61	78	54	31	20	17	18	40	40
Total	2 808	2 245	2 178	2 061	2 010	1 896	1 921	1 691	1 463	1 480

*Note : Figures provided by Housing Department. No further breakdown is available.