

CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY

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Head: (49) Food and Environmental Hygiene Department

Subhead (No. & title): (-) Not Specified

Programme: (3) Market Management and Hawker Control

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

Director of Bureau: Secretary for Food and Health

Question:

Given that the revised estimate for 2014-15 is 1% higher than the year's original estimate, please advise on the reason(s) and whether the increase involved manpower and expenditure.

Asked by: Hon KWOK Ka-ki (Member Question No. 372)

Reply:

The revised estimate for 2014-15 of \$1,688.3 million in this programme is 1% higher than the original estimate mainly due to salary increment and the increased capital expenses for market management and hawker control. There is no change in the number of posts.

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