

CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY**FHB(FE)215****(Question Serial No. 2779)**Head: (49) Food and Environmental Hygiene DepartmentSubhead (No. & title): (-) Not specifiedProgramme: (2) Environmental Hygiene and Related ServicesControlling Officer: Director of Food and Environmental Hygiene (Miss Vivian LAU)Director of Bureau: Secretary for Food and HealthQuestion:

- (i) Please advise on the contract sums and types of outsourced service contracts awarded by the Food and Environmental Hygiene Department in each of the past 5 years.
- (ii) Please advise on the number of outsourced workers employed by the Department through open tender in the past 5 years, with a breakdown by the service category of street, market, public toilet and refuse collection point, and set out the profile of workers by age, sex, qualification, job category and wage level.

Asked by: Hon WAN Siu-kin, Andrew (Member Question No. (LegCo use): 311)Reply:

The information sought is provided as follows –

	2013-14 (as at 31.3.2014)	2014-15 (as at 31.3.2015)	2015-16 (as at 31.3.2016)	2016-17 (as at 31.3.2017)	2017-18 (Revised estimate as at 31.3.2018)
(1) Total amount paid to outsourced service providers	\$1,639.4 million	\$1,766.2 million	\$1,867.1 million	\$1,919.7 million	\$2,152.8 million
(2) Street cleansing services, including refuse collection point and public toilet services					
(a) No. of Staff					
No. of Cleansing Workmen	5 754	5 713	5 630	5 580	5 873

No. of Toilet Attendants	998	960	856	855	909
(b) Monthly Salary Range (\$)					
Cleansing Workmen	7,440 – 7,800	7,440 – 7,936	8,060 – 8,432	8,060 – 8,556	8,556 – 8,928
Toilet Attendants	8,370 – 8,704	8,370 – 9,207	9,067.5 – 9,486	9,067.5 – 9,625.5	9,625.5 – 10,044
(3) Cleansing, management and security guard services for public markets including hawker bazaars					
(a) No. of Staff					
Cleansing Workmen	1 087	1 041	1 031	1 020	1 004
Security Guard	176	153	167	135	159
(b) Monthly Salary Range (\$)					
Cleansing Workmen	7,440 – 7,936	7,440 – 7,936	8,060 – 8,432	8,060 – 8,680	8,556 – 8,850
Security Guard	7,440 – 8,060	7,936 – 8,184	8,184 – 8,680	8,556 – 8,928	8,680 – 9,176

The Food and Environmental Hygiene Department does not keep the other information sought.

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