

**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY****FHB(FE)152****(Question Serial No. 2523)**Head: (49) Food and Environmental Hygiene DepartmentSubhead (No. & title): (-) Not specifiedProgramme: (3) Market Management and Hawker ControlControlling Officer: Director of Food and Environmental Hygiene (Miss Vivian LAU)Director of Bureau: Secretary for Food and HealthQuestion:

Regarding the work to “continue to plan new public market facilities at suitable locations”,

- a. please set out in the table below the population, as well as the number of markets (with a breakdown by operator), supermarkets and fresh provision shops, in Tin Shui Wai, Tung Chung, Ma On Shan and Tseung Kwan O.

District	Population	No. of markets				No. of supermarkets	No. of fresh provision shops
		FEHD	Link REIT	Housing Authority	Private developer(s)		
Tin Shui Wai							
Tung Chung							
Ma On Shan							
Tseung Kwan O							

- b. please set out in the table below the population, as well as the number of markets (with a breakdown by operator), supermarkets and fresh provision shops, in each of the districts.

District	Population	No. of markets				No. of supermarkets	No. of fresh provision shops
		FEHD	Link REIT	Housing Authority	Private developer(s)		
Central and Western							
Eastern							
Southern							
Wan Chai							
Kowloon City							
Kwun Tong							
Wong Tai							

Sin							
Sham Shui Po							
Mong Kok							
Yau Tsim							
Sha Tin							
Tai Po							
North							
Kwai Tsing							
Tsuen Wan							
Tuen Mun							
Yuen Long							
Sai Kung							
Islands							
Total							

Asked by: Hon HO Kai-ming (LegCo internal reference no.: 66)

Reply:

The information sought is provided at Annexes I and II respectively.

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District	Population <sup>1</sup>	No. of markets				No. of supermarkets <sup>4</sup>	No. of licensed fresh provision shops <sup>5</sup>
		FEHD	Link REIT <sup>2</sup>	Housing Authority <sup>3</sup>	Private developer(s)		
Tin Shui Wai	286 232	-	4	1	-	13	83
Tung Chung <sup>6</sup>	86 392	-	2	1	-	9	38
Ma On Shan	209 714	-	3	-	3	17	81
Tseung Kwan O	398 479	-	5	-	5	24	129

<sup>1</sup> Based on 2016 Population By-Census data provided by the Census and Statistics Department (C&SD).

<sup>2</sup> According to the information on the website of the Link REIT.

<sup>3</sup> According to the information on the website of the Housing Authority (HA).

<sup>4</sup> Based on the information provided by C&SD.

<sup>5</sup> Selling fresh, chilled or frozen beef, mutton, pork, reptiles, fish or poultry.

<sup>6</sup> There is no official geographical demarcation for "Tung Chung" in population censuses/by-censuses conducted by C&SD. The figure refers to population in new town of North Lantau.

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		FEHD <sup>2</sup>	Link REIT <sup>3</sup>	Housing Authority <sup>4</sup>	Private developer(s)		
Central and Western	243 266	5	-	-	-	59	118
Eastern	555 034	8	2	-	2	76	183
Southern	274 994	5	2	2	1	37	89
Wan Chai	180 123	6	-	-	-	31	89
Kowloon City	418 732	4	2	1	-	51	144
Kwun Tong	648 541	4	8	1	4	63	273
Wong Tai Sin	425 235	4	6	2	-	37	139
Sham Shui Po	405 869	4	-	3	1	44	145
Mong Kok	342 970	2	-	-	1	38	139
Yau Tsim		3	-	-	-	39	79
Sha Tin	659 794	2	12	2	7	68	250
Tai Po	303 926	2	5	-	-	33	104
North	315 270	4	3	-	2	33	58
Kwai Tsing	520 572	3	1	5	9	55	169
Tsuen Wan	318 916	4	-	2	2	44	98
Tuen Mun	489 299	3	8	2	3	43	175
Yuen Long	614 178	5	5	2	1	55	205
Sai Kung	461 864	2	5	-	5	41	154
Islands	156 801	4	2	1	-	16	58
Total	7 335 384	74	61	23	38	863	2 669

<sup>1</sup> Based on 2016 Population By-Census data provided by C&SD.

<sup>2</sup> The figures include markets managed by the Food and Environmental Hygiene Department with wet market facilities. Standalone cooked food markets are excluded.

<sup>3</sup> According to the information on the website of the Link REIT.

<sup>4</sup> According to the information on the website of HA.

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