

CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY

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(Question Serial No. 1166)

Head: (49) Food and Environmental Hygiene Department

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

Programme: (2) Environmental Hygiene and Related Services

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

Director of Bureau: Secretary for Food and Health

Question:

A) Please provide information on the different types of food licences issued at present:

Type of licence	Number of existing licences	Total number of staff of the related food premises or restaurants	Years in operation			
			Under 2 years	2-5 years	5-10 years	Over 10 years
General Restaurant Licence						
Light Refreshment Restaurant Licence						
Marine Restaurant Licence						
Food Factory Licence						
Bakery Licence						
Factory Canteen Licence						
Frozen Confection Factory Licence						
Fresh Provision Shop Licence						
Milk Factory Licence						
Siu Mei and Lo Mei Shop Licence						

Cold Store Licence						
Composite Food Shop Licence						
Approval for outside seating accommodation						

Asked by: Hon LAM Kin-fung, Jeffrey (LegCo internal reference no.: 27)

Reply:

The information sought is provided as follows:

Type of licence	Number of existing licences/approval (as at 31 December 2019)
General Restaurant Licence	12 106
Light Refreshment Restaurant Licence	4 173
Marine Restaurant Licence	5
Food Factory Licence	9 053
Bakery Licence	585
Factory Canteen Licence	486
Frozen Confection Factory Licence	542
Fresh Provision Shop Licence	2 700
Milk Factory Licence	8
Siu Mei and Lo Mei Shop Licence	392
Cold Store Licence	64
Composite Food Shop Licence	3
Approval for outside seating accommodation	350

The Food and Environmental Hygiene Department does not keep statistics on food premises or restaurants in respect of the total number of staff and years in operation.

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