# **Business Facilitation Advisory Committee Task Force on Business Liaison Groups**

## An Update of the Progress of Business Liaison Groups

#### Purpose

This paper provides an update of the overall work progress of the ten Business Liaison Groups (BLGs) reported since the last meeting of the Task Force on Business Liaison Groups (BLGTF) on 19 June 2019.

## **Progress**

- 2. From 19 June to 4 November 2019, three BLG meetings were held and a total of 30 issues were satisfactorily resolved or clarified. At these meetings, seven information dissemination sessions on business facilitation / new regulatory requirements were conducted by the departments concerned. A breakdown of these figures by the BLGs is shown at *Appendix*. Two items on business facilitation measures related to the BLGs are set out in BLGTF Papers 107 and 109.
- 3. The Secretariat will continue to provide advance notice to members once the meeting schedule for the future BLG meetings is available so that members can attend the BLG meetings as observers.

### Way Forward

4. Members are invited to note the content of this paper and offer comments, if any.

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Appendix
A Breakdown of the Work of the Ten Business Liaison Groups from 19 June 2019 to 4 November 2019

BLG	No. of Meetings	No. of Issues Resolved / Clarified	No. of Information Dissemination Sessions	No. of Consultation Sessions
Food business (restaurant)	0	0	0	0
Food business (non-restaurant)	0	0	0	0
Billiard establishments, public bowling-alleys and public skating rinks	0	0	0	0
Cinemas	1	11	0	0
Theme parks and attractions	0	0	0	0
Family amusement centres	0	0	0	0
Hotels	1	10	5	0
Recreational clubs	0	0	0	0
Karaoke establishments, night clubs, bars and other entertainment clubs	0	0	0	0
Guesthouses, holiday camps and holiday flats	1	9	2	0
Total:	3	30	7	0