

Examination of Estimates of Expenditure 2009-10
**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY TO
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Question :

Regarding the licence/registration applications processed in the past three years, i.e. 2006, 2007 and 2008, what were the respective numbers of applications for restaurants, places of public entertainment and tutorial schools in each year?

Asked by : Hon. CHEUNG Yu-yan, Tommy

Reply :

The number of licence/registration applications processed by the Licensing Unit of the Buildings Department in the past three years was as follows :

	2006	2007	2008
Restaurants	4454	5449	5865
Other food business premises	1312	1651	1980
Places of public entertainment (including temporary places of public entertainment)	860	1076	1181
Tutorial schools	988	941	901
Others	626	569	661
Total	8240	9686	10588

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Director of Buildings

17 March 2009
