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Question:

On the minor works control system, what is the estimated amount of resources required and what is the timetable for implementation of the system?

Asked by: Hon. TO Kun-sun, James

Reply:

An annual provision of about \$15.1 million involving 32 staff has been earmarked for the preparation for and implementation of the minor works control system which is scheduled to be implemented by phases from late 2009 / early 2010. The subsidiary legislation detailing the modus operandi of the minor works control system will be tabled at the Legislative Council shortly.

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