

CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY**DEVB(PL)290****(Question Serial No. 6412)**

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Question:

In connection with the “Relocation Allowance for Residents of Illegal Domestic Premises in Industrial Buildings who Have to Move out as a result of the Buildings Department’s Enforcement Action” under the Community Care Fund, please provide a breakdown by the 18 District Council districts of the numbers of applicants, the age distribution of beneficiaries (in ten-year bands), the disbursements in the past three years, and the estimated total number of eligible applicants in the community.

Asked by: Hon SHIU Ka-chun (LegCo internal reference no.: 361)

Reply:

Statistics on the geographical distribution of applications received and disbursements made under the “Relocation Allowance for Residents of Illegal Domestic Premises in Industrial Buildings who Have to Move out as a result of the Buildings Department’s Enforcement Action” in the past three years are tabulated below –

District	Number of applicants	Disbursement (HK\$)
Wong Tai Sin	2	16,657
Kwun Tong	5	14,600
Sham Shui Po	4	19,700
Tsuen Wan	10	31,609
Tuen Mun	8	23,903
Kwai Tsing	10	41,273
Total	39	147,742

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The Buildings Department does not compile statistics on the age distribution of beneficiaries and is unable to estimate the total number of eligible applicants in the community.

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