

CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY

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Head: (95) Leisure and Cultural Services Department

Subhead (No. & title): (000) Operational Expenses

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Controlling Officer: Director of Leisure and Cultural Services (Ms Michelle LI)

Director of Bureau: Secretary for Home Affairs

Question:

The number of non-directorate posts in the Leisure and Cultural Services Department will increase by 271 posts to 9 660 posts as at 31 March 2017 as compared with the previous year. Please provide a breakdown of these new posts by post title, salary band and area of work.

Asked by: Hon POON Siu-ping (Member Question No. 25)

Reply:

The Leisure and Cultural Services Department plans to create 271 non-directorate posts in 2016-17 for (a) the management of new or re-provisioned facilities including a sports centre cum swimming pool at Tsing Yi, a sports centre and a central reserve stack at Yuen Long, the second phase of Kennedy Town Swimming Pool at Central and Western District, and the public open space at North Point; (b) the enhancement of leisure, cultural, tree management and support services; and (c) the replacement of some non-civil service contract positions which have long-term service needs.

A breakdown of the 271 posts by salary band and rank is as follows –

Salary band	Rank	No. of posts
Maximum pay point at or below Master Pay Scale (MPS) 33 (i.e. monthly salary of \$62,235)	Amenities Assistant I, Amenities Assistant II, Amenities Assistant III, Artisan, Assistant Clerical Officer, Assistant Curator I, Assistant Curator II, Assistant Manager (Cultural Services), Assistant Leisure Services Manager I, Assistant Leisure Services Manager II, Assistant Librarian, Assistant Supplies Officer, Clerical Assistant, Clerical Officer, Clerk of Works, Cultural Services Assistant I,	245

Salary band	Rank	No. of posts
	Cultural Services Assistant II, Executive Officer I, Executive Officer II, Librarian, Manager (Cultural Services), Music Officer, Senior Amenities Assistant, Senior Artisan, Senior Cultural Services Assistant, Special Driver, Technical Officer (Cultural Services) I, Technical Officer (Cultural Services) II, Workman II, Works Supervisor I	
Maximum pay point above MPS 33	Architect, Chief Manager (Cultural Services), Chief Music Officer, Chief Supplies Officer, Curator, Leisure Services Manager, Senior Architect, Senior Executive Officer, Senior Leisure Services Manager, Senior Manager (Cultural Services), Senior Music Officer	26
	Total	271

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