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Question:

Will the Government examine the possibility of introducing the museum law through legislation? If so, what are the details and estimated expenditure? If not, what are the reasons?

Asked by: Hon CHAN Tanya (Member Question No. 203)

Reply:

The Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD) is responsible for the provision and management of museums under its purview in accordance with the Public Health and Municipal Services Ordinance (Cap 132). LCSD has no plan to propose the introduction of museum law to govern museums that fall outside its purview.

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