

**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY**

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Question:

1. In the past 5 years, how many verbal warnings, written warnings, default notices, deduction of monthly service fee notices and demerit points were issued by the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD) to non-skilled cleansing service contractors due to violation of the Occupational Safety and Health Ordinance, "Standard Employment Contract", Employment Ordinance, requirements for provision of equipment to workers under service contracts and arrears of severance payments and wages?
2. In the past 5 years, how many cases in which non-skilled outsourced service contractors were penalised and demerit points issued by the LCSD due to violation of the "Standard Employment Contract" and Employment Ordinance were there and what were the penalties imposed?

Asked by: Hon CHEUNG Chiu-hung, Fernando (Member Question No. (LegCo use): 2546)

Reply:

1. In the past 5 years, the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD) issued 3 default notices to a non-skilled cleansing service contractor involving wage issue in 2016. The contractor concerned took immediate follow-up actions to deal with the issue. Apart from that, no verbal warnings, written warnings, default notices, deduction of monthly service fee notices and demerit points were issued by the LCSD to non-skilled cleansing service contractors due to violation of the Occupational Safety and Health Ordinance, "Standard Employment Contract", Employment Ordinance, requirements for provision of equipment to workers under service contracts and arrears of severance payments.
2. In the past 5 years, there was no violation of "Standard Employment Contract" and Employment Ordinance committed by outsourced service contractors of the LCSD.