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Question:

Please list out the following information about the Museum Advisory Committee:

- a. The number of meetings held in the past year and the attendance rate of each member.
- b. The number of visits, local and overseas conferences, seminars and consultation sessions attended or organised by its members in their capacity of such in the past year, and the expenditure items involved.
- c. The number and particulars of recommendations proposed by the committee to the Government in the past year.

Asked by: Hon CHAN Tanya (LegCo internal reference no.: 282)

Reply:

- a. A total of 8 meetings of the Museum Advisory Committee (MAC) and its sub-committees were held in 2018-19. The attendance rate is set out below.

Attendance rate	Number of members
100%	6
75%	6
50%	7
25%	4

- b. Members of the MAC had not organised or attended any study tours, local or overseas conferences, seminars or consultation meetings in their capacity of the MAC in 2018-19.
- c. The MAC and its sub-committees advise the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD) on strategies for development, promotion and management of the

public museums and related offices under the purview of the LCSD. Matters discussed include the business plans, collection policies, branding and positioning, projects and measures to enhance the hardware and software of museums, use of technology, educational and extension activities, etc.

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