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Introduction

The 2000 Legislative Council (LegCo) elections will be held on 10 September. Of the 60 members of the new term LegCo, 6 will be returned by an Election Committee (EC) through election. We hope that this leaflet can help you better understand the composition of the EC and the EC subsector elections to be held on 9 July.

$$24 \text{ Geographical Constituency Seats} + 30 \text{ Functional Constituency Seats} + 6 \text{ Election Committee Seats} = 60 \text{ Seats in Legislative Council}$$

Composition of the Election Committee

- The EC is to be representative of the following 4 sectors, each with 200 members:
 - Industrial, commercial and financial sectors
 - The professions
 - Labour, social services, religious and other sectors
 - Members of the LegCo, representatives of district-based organisations, Hong Kong deputies to the National People's Congress (NPC), and representatives of Hong Kong members of the National Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference (CPPCC)
- The above 4 sectors can be further divided into 38 subsectors. The number of members representing each subsector is as follows:

First Sector	
Subsector	Number of members
1. Catering	11
2. Commercial (first)	12
3. Commercial (second)	12
4. Employers' Federation of Hong Kong	11
5. Finance	12
6. Financial services	12
7. Hong Kong Chinese Enterprises Association	11
8. Hotel	11
9. Import and export	12
10. Industrial (first)	12
11. Industrial (second)	12
12. Insurance	12
13. Real estate and construction	12
14. Textiles and garment	12
15. Tourism	12
16. Transport	12
17. Wholesale and retail	12

Second Sector

<i>Subsector</i>	<i>Number of members</i>
1. Accountancy	20
2. Architectural, surveying and planning	20
3. Chinese medicine	20
4. Education	20
5. Engineering	20
6. Health services	20
7. Higher education	20
8. Information technology	20
9. Legal	20
10. Medical	20

Third Sector

<i>Subsector</i>	<i>Number of members</i>
1. Agriculture and fisheries	40
2. Labour	40
3. Religious	40
4. Social welfare	40
5. Sports, performing arts, culture and publication	40

Fourth Sector

<i>Subsector</i>	<i>Number of members</i>
1. NPC	36
2. LegCo	60
3. CPPCC	41
4. Heung Yee Kuk	21
5. Hong Kong and Kowloon District Councils	21
6. New Territories District Councils	21

EC Subsector Elections

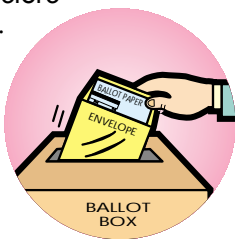
- With the exception of the *ex officio* members (LegCo members and Hong Kong deputies to the NPC), and nominees from the religious subsector, the EC members from the remaining 35 subsectors will be returned by elections. The subsector elections will be held on Sunday, 9 July.
- Any geographical constituency elector aged 18 or above, who is registered as a subsector voter or has a substantial connection with the subsector, is eligible to be nominated as a candidate for the subsector elections. The nomination period runs from 31 May till 7 June.



- About 179,000 registered subsector voters are eligible to vote in the subsector elections. We will set up about 100 polling stations throughout the territory, which will be open between 7:30am and 10:30pm on the polling day. The Registration and Electoral Office (REO) will send out poll cards in end June to notify registered voters of the polling stations assigned to them.



- The subsector elections will adopt the "first past the post" voting system. A voter is required to shade the ovals against the names of the candidates of his/her choice with a pen provided by polling staff, insert the ballot paper into an envelope before putting them into the ballot box. A voter may choose as many candidates as the number of members allocated to his/her subsector. For example, if you are a voter for the Catering subsector, you can choose up to 11 candidates.



Enquiries

- If you have any questions concerning the EC subsector elections on 9 July, please call the LegCo elections hotline of the REO at 2891 1001. For more information, you can also visit the website of the 2000 LegCo elections at <http://www.elections.gov.hk>. In addition, we have produced another leaflet on the overall electoral arrangements for the 2000 LegCo elections. Such leaflets are now available free of charge at all District Offices.

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