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## Question on development of organic waste treatment facilities in Siu Ho Wan for food waste recycling

Ms Amy YUNG notified this Council that she would raise the following enquiry at the Islands District Council meeting to be held on 23 April this year:

- "The Government mentioned that the organic waste treatment facilities situated in Siu Ho Wan would come into full operation in late 2017. In this connection, I would like the Environment Bureau to arrange a representative to attend the meeting to respond to the following:
  - 1. How do the waste treatment facilities operate at present? Are 200 tonnes of food waste handled per day as originally anticipated?
  - 2. How many businesses and government departments have joined the food waste recycling scheme? Where do these businesses come from? Does the Government have any policy in place to encourage participation from businesses in remote areas?
  - 3. Seventy percent of Hong Kong's total food waste was generated by households but the organic waste treatment facilities only handled food waste from industry and commercial operations. Does the Government have any policy in place to increase the domestic food waste recovery?

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