

**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY TO
INITIAL WRITTEN QUESTION**

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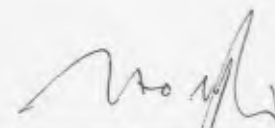
Question: In 2008-09, the Administration will provide expert and technical advice on the liquefied natural gas terminal proposed by CLP Power Hong Kong Limited and Castle Peak Power Company Limited. What are the details of the relevant work and the expenditure involved?

Asked by: Hon. CHAN Wai-yip, Albert

Reply:

The expert and technical advice provided by the Electrical and Mechanical Services Department (EMSD) is related to the gas safety of the liquefied natural gas supply infrastructure in accordance with the requirements of the Gas Safety Ordinance. EMSD will redeploy existing resources for the work and there is no separate breakdown on the expenditure involved.

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