

Examination of Estimates of Expenditure 2010-11

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Question:

In the section on “Matters requiring special attention in 2010-11”, the Electrical and Mechanical Services Department will step up inspection and enforcement actions of lifts and escalators. What is the estimated expenditure?

Asked by: Hon. EU Yuet-mee, Audrey

Reply:

To step up inspection and enforcement actions of lifts and escalators, we need to set up a team comprising an engineer and seven inspectors to conduct additional inspection and enforcement work. The estimated expenditure required for this in 2010-11 is about \$4.5 million.

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