

Examination of Estimates of Expenditure 2010-11

**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY TO  
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Question :

On the issue of nuclear safety, please provide the number of drills for nuclear emergency in the past two years (i.e. year 2008 and year 2009), the expenditure involved and whether the expected results had been achieved?

Asked by : Hon. KAM Nai-wai

Reply :

During the past two years (2008-09 and 2009-2010), Electrical and Mechanical Services Department (EMSD) had participated in monthly drills on nuclear emergency communication. As the officers involved in the drills also handled other duties concurrently, there is no separate breakdown on the expenditure involved for participating in the drills. The drills had achieved the expected results to ensure the effectiveness of communication between EMSD and other participating parties during nuclear emergencies.

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