

Examination of Estimates of Expenditure 2007-08  
**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY TO  
SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTION**

**Reply Serial No.**

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Head : 91    Lands Department

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Controlling Officer : Director of Lands

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Question: Regarding the Question Serial No.1611 (Reply Serial No. HPLB(PL)081), please list out the increase in the number of additional new posts and their respective ranks of the Land Inspector grade in 2007-08 and the establishment number of respective ranks after the increase.

Asked by: Hon. LI Fung-ying

Reply:

The projected establishment changes of the Land Inspector grade in 2007-08 are as follows:

	<u>Land Inspector I</u>	<u>Land Inspector II</u>	<u>Total</u>
Existing establishment	305	225	530
<i>Time-limited posts to be deleted at end March 2007</i>	- 3	- 1	- 4
<i>Proposed new posts in 2007-08*</i>	+ 22	+ 4	+ 26
Projected establishment after the above changes	324	228	552

\* *These posts were originally included in the 2006-07 Estimates for creation in early 2007 but due to the time taken to finalise the staffing structure and to carry out the recruitment work, the Department now aims to create these posts in early 2007-08.*

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