General Revenue Account

LOSSES OF CASH AND VALUABLES DUE TO THEFT, FRAUD OR NEGLIGENCE ^(Note) AS AT 31 MARCH 2017

(Expressed in Hong Kong dollars, unless otherwise stated)

Bureau/Department	Description		Remark
(A) Cases brought forward from previous years			
Department of Health	Embezzlement by staff	\$13,710,000.00	Recovery action being taken
Home Affairs Bureau	Embezzlement by staff	\$324,502.40	Recovery action being taken
Hong Kong Police Force	Embezzlement of bail money and case property by staff	\$286,110.00 US\$1,040.00	Approval for write-off given on 17 August 2017
Legal Aid Department	Overpayment to a legally aided person	\$418,397.69	Approval for write-off being sought
Leisure and Cultural Services Department	Overpayment of housing allowances	\$869,818.89	Approval for write-off being sought
(B) Cases in 2016-17			
Hong Kong Police Force	Embezzlement of bail money by staff	\$1,070,000.00	Recovery action being taken

Note:

Small-value cases of loss (i.e. those less than \$1,000 each) are excluded from this statement. For fraud or negligence, they refer to cases of fraud or negligence by public officers.