

Examination of Estimates of Expenditure 2008-09
**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY TO
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Question :

What are the expenditure and specific plans for introducing new types of vocational training by the Correctional Services Department in 2008-09?

Asked by : Hon. NG Margaret

Reply :

In 2008-09, the Correctional Services Department plans to introduce a number of new or enhanced market-oriented vocational training courses for adult offenders. These courses cover booth setting, cleaning skills & pest control, domestic help, gardening, removal services, furniture packing, laundry, environmental hygiene & sterilisation, etc. The estimated expenditure for the new courses in 2008-09 is \$1.1 million.

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