

Examination of Estimates of Expenditure 2007-08
**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY TO
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Question :

What are the details of measures to improve the ancillary facilities of penal institutions in 2007-08 and what is the estimated expenditure in this respect?

Asked by : Hon. LAU Kong-wah

Reply :

In 2007-08, the Department will carry out works to improve the ancillary facilities in a number of penal institutions. These works include installation of CCTV and electronic security systems, upgrading of electricity supply systems, replacement of telephone systems, improvement to workshop facilities, and procurement of narcotics and explosives detection and identification system. The estimated expenditure in 2007-08 is \$35 million.

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