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Question:

Please list the number of talks on climate change expected to be organised by the Hong Kong Observatory and the estimated expenditure involved in 2020-2021.

Asked by: Hon CHAN Tanya (LegCo internal reference no.: 203)

Reply:

In 2020-21, the Hong Kong Observatory (HKO) plans to organise around 40 talks on climate change. These activities are part of HKO's day-to-day work. As the expenditure required has been subsumed under the regular provision for HKO, it is difficult to quantify the amount separately.