

**Reply to initial written question raised by Finance Committee Members
in examining the Estimates of Expenditure 2021-22**

**Director of Bureau: Secretary for Security
Head : 121 Independent Police Complaints Council
Programme : Police Complaints Administration**

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<u>SB194</u>	2051	Hon LAU Ip-keung, Kenneth

CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY

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Controlling Officer: Secretary-General (Acting), Independent Police Complaints Council
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Director of Bureau: Secretary for Security

Question:

How many cases of police complaints were handled in the 2020-21 fiscal year and what was the staff establishment in that regard? What is the average time for handling a general case, a complicated case and a reviewed case, respectively?

Asked by: Hon LAU Ip-keung, Kenneth (LegCo internal reference no.: 33)

Reply:

The Independent Police Complaints Council (IPCC) currently has a staff establishment of 74. In the 2020-21 financial year (as at 28 February 2021), the IPCC vetted and endorsed the investigation results of 1 240 reportable complaints which involved 2 081 allegations. The average processing time for a case is 172 days. The IPCC has not compiled a breakdown on the processing time for different categories of cases.

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