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Question:

Please inform this Committee of the area of land granted by way of short term tenancy by the Lands Department by 18 districts in 2013-16.

Asked by: Hon WU Chi-wai (Member Question No. 157)

Reply:

The area of land covered by short term tenancies (STTs) issued in 2013, 2014 and 2015 by district is tabulated below:

	Area of land granted by STTs (hectares (ha))		
	2013	2014	2015
Hong Kong East	1.27	0.88	0.28
Hong Kong West & South	4.25	4.08	0.59
Kowloon East	13.13	7.29	8.85
Kowloon West	12.40	7.92	4.51
Islands	6.42	5.00	1.14
North	6.32	3.64	1.99
Sai Kung	4.84	3.27	2.24
Sha Tin	4.66	17.51	2.14
Tuen Mun	6.13	1.07	4.66
Tai Po	4.17	0.88	3.00
Tsuen Wan & Kwai Tsing	10.19	7.28	4.31
Yuen Long	1.12	5.01	4.19
Sites for railway development projects	0.04	0.17	0.01
Total	74.94	64.00	37.91

It is estimated that 69.1 ha of land will be granted by STTs in 2016. As this is only an estimate, detailed breakdown by district is not available.

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