

CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY**DEVB(PL)404****(Question Serial No. 6910)**

Head: (91) Lands Department

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Programme: (1) Land Administration

Controlling Officer: Director of Lands (Ms Bernadette LINN)

Director of Bureau: Secretary for Development

Question:

Please advise this Committee on the numbers of small house applications and approved cases within the "Village Type Development" zone or the environs of a recognised village in the past five years.

Asked by: Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG Chiu-hung (Member Question No. 478)

Reply:

The number of small house applications received and approved by the Lands Department (Lands D) in the past five years (2011 to 2015) is set out below:

	Number of small house applications received	Number of small house applications approved
5-year period from 2011 to 2015	12 699	5 276

Lands D does not have readily available statistics on the land status (in terms of land use zoning and location within or outside the village environs) in respect of the applications received.

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