

**FIFTEENTH PARLIAMENT OF SINGAPORE  
(FIRST SESSION)**

**ORDER PAPER  
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**QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWER\***

- \*1. Assoc Prof Kenneth Goh:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance (a) whether the Ministry differentiates between wealth held in owner-occupied public housing and privately-owned housing in measuring household wealth inequality, given the differences in liquidity and ease of deployment arising from resale conditions and use-of-proceeds rules; and (b) if so, how this is taken into account in assessing households' economic resilience and in the computation of wealth Gini coefficient.
- \*2. Ms Mariam Jaafar:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance in respect of the Ministry's Occasional Paper on income growth, inequality and social mobility trends which indicated that three in four children born into the bottom 20 percent of households in the late 1970s and 1980s moved to higher income tiers as adults, what measures are in place to sustain or improve these upward mobility rates for today's and future cohorts.
- \*3. Mr Gabriel Lam:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development (a) whether the Ministry is concerned that 75% of surveyed rough sleepers in its 2025 survey on rough sleepers reported being unreceptive to staying in a shelter; and (b) how is the Ministry redesigning shelter models to better meet the needs of rough sleepers who avoid existing options.
- \*4. Mr Gabriel Lam:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development (a) how does the Ministry interpret the finding that 95% of respondents in the 2025 survey on rough sleepers sleep rough consistently in the same location; (b) whether this reflects unmet place-based needs; and (c) how does this finding inform the Ministry's outreach strategies to be better tailored for individuals reluctant to relocate to shelters.
- \*5. Ms Jessica Tan Soon Neo:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) whether URA has assessed the fire safety and evacuation risks arising from the temporary relaxation of the occupancy cap for private residences; and (b) what safeguards are in place to address higher turnover and foot traffic arising from the increased occupancy cap.
- \*6. Mr Victor Lye:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry over the next decade (a) what strategic role Singapore intends to play in the global space economy beyond domestic launch capability and how it will leverage Singapore's comparative advantages; (b) what specific space-related activities Singapore expects to develop as core growth areas; and (c) what are the expected economic value-add and skilled jobs for Singaporeans.
- \*7. Mr Victor Lye:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry what steps will be taken to develop a local talent pipeline for the space sector, including university programmes, mid-career pathways, and opportunities for Singaporeans to gain hands-on experience in space systems and satellite operations.

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- \*8. **Mr Victor Lye:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry how Singapore intends to position itself in international and ASEAN space cooperation, including whether Singapore aims to play a role as a neutral convenor for space data sharing, standards-setting, or dispute resolution.
- \*9. **Mr Gerald Giam Yeap Song:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development (a) how many preschools currently offer extended care services beyond 7pm on weekdays and whether this number has increased compared to five years ago; and (b) what specific alternative care arrangements are available for parents who do not have flexible work arrangements, live-in domestic helpers or familial support to pick up their children by 7pm.
- \*10. **Dr Choo Pei Ling:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information (a) what measures are in place to secure Singapore's space-based critical information infrastructure dependent on satellite and space systems; (b) whether the Government has established or plans to establish cybersecurity and resilience standards required of satellite operators; and (c) what contingency plans are in place in the event of disruptions to these satellite operators.
- \*11. **Dr Hamid Razak:** To ask the Acting Minister-in-charge of Muslim Affairs (a) what governance and oversight mechanisms are in place to ensure wakaf assets are managed faithfully in accordance with donors' intentions while remaining financially sustainable; and (b) how has wakaf management evolved in recent years to address challenges such as fragmented assets, rising maintenance costs, and redevelopment constraints in land-scarce Singapore.
- \*12. **Dr Charlene Chen:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry (a) whether the Ministry is working with digital platforms such as e-commerce and property listing sites to detect and remove AI-generated content that misrepresents products and services; and (b) if so, how.
- \*13. **Dr Charlene Chen:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry (a) whether the Competition and Consumer Commission of Singapore detects and identifies advertisements making misleading and false claims and portrayals using AI-generated images; and (b) if so, how.
- \*14. **Mr Cai Yinzhou:** To ask the Minister for Education (a) whether the Ministry is exploring a collaboration with the Singapore Armed Forces (SAF) or its contracted food service providers to leverage their large-scale central kitchen and cookhouse expertise for providing school meals; and (b) whether the Ministry will consider adopting SAF's "Design, Equip and Operate" kitchen model to increase meal capacity in schools facing canteen vendor shortages.
- \*15. **Mr Fadli Fawzi:** To ask the Minister for Foreign Affairs what is Singapore's position on the recognition of Somaliland as an independent and sovereign state.
- \*16. **Ms Diana Pang Li Yen:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information (a) how prevalent is the continued use of fax communications between law firms and agencies such as HDB, CPF Board, Singapore Land Authority (SLA), and banks; (b) whether there are plans or timelines to phase out fax in favour of secure digital communications; and (c) and how such changes will be implemented to safeguard data security and operational continuity.
- \*17. **Mr Chua Kheng Wee Louis:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) in each year over the past five years, what is the number of offences committed for each of (i) dangerous driving and (ii) careless driving; and (b) in view of the Government's zero tolerance for road traffic fatality rates, what additional measures are being taken to address dangerous and careless driving.

- \*18. **Mr Fadli Fawzi:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment (a) whether any firms inside or outside Singapore will be investigated under the Transboundary Haze Pollution Act 2014 in relation to the recent peat fires in Johor that have caused Singapore to be impacted by haze; and (b) if not, why not.
- \*19. **Mr Fadli Fawzi:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment (a) whether Singapore has received any request from the Johor State government or Malaysia Federal government for assistance to put out the recent peat fires in Johor; (b) whether Singapore has offered assistance to Johor or Malaysia to put out the fires, and (c) if not, why not.
- \*20. **Ms Jessica Tan Soon Neo:** To ask the Minister for Manpower whether more graduated or proportional arrangements for foreign manpower and levy thresholds can be considered for hawkers and small food and beverage operators to meet their essential kitchen and service staffing needs while still ensuring fair wages and protections for all workers.
- \*21. **Mr Kenneth Tiong Boon Kiat:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) what criteria do Police use to decide whether to investigate a voluntarily causing hurt report or refer the victim to a Magistrate's Complaint; (b) whether these criteria account for repeated assaults by the same perpetrator; and (c) in the last three years, how many such reports resulted in (i) police investigation and (ii) referral to Magistrate's Complaints.
- \*22. **Mr Dennis Tan Lip Fong:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information in view of the UNC3886 cyberattacks, how is the Government working with technology vendors to ensure that zero-day vulnerabilities exploited by such actors are patched or mitigated across all sensitive public sector systems.
- \*23. **Ms Elysa Chen:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry regarding changes to the Government's annual household income trends report (a) whether disaggregated market income statistics can be provided by households with retirees, disabled persons, single-parent households and different housing categories; (b) whether the widened scope of analysis to cover all resident households will lead to vulnerable groups being statistically obscured; and (c) if so, what safeguards are there to prevent this.
- \*24. **Ms Diana Pang Li Yen:** To ask the Minister for Law (a) how many legally aided persons have been ordered by the courts to pay costs in the past five years; and (b) whether procedures have been tightened to prevent unmeritorious cases from continuing to receive legal aid.
- \*25. **Assoc Prof Kenneth Goh:** To ask the Minister for Education in respect of Ministry of Finance's Occasional Paper on Income Growth, Inequality and Social Mobility which indicated students from lower socio-economic status (SES) backgrounds perform strongly in PISA 2022 relative to OECD peers (a) whether the Ministry monitors differences in PISA performance across socio-economic groups in Singapore; (b) whether the differences are statistically significant; and (c) how the SES-performance gaps evolved over time.
- \*26. **Dr Choo Pei Ling:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health in light of recent reports of Nipah virus infections overseas (a) what operational protocols are in place to safeguard healthcare workers if a suspected or confirmed case arises in Singapore; (b) whether public hospitals have sufficient isolation capacity and protective equipment; and (c) how workforce training, deployment, and service continuity plans are being strengthened to ensure staff safety during a potential outbreak.

- \*27. **Ms Yeo Wan Ling:** To ask the Minister for Manpower in light of a finding in the recent Work Happiness Index that only 56% of Singaporean respondents are happy in the workplace, whether the Ministry is considering any steps to empower employers and upskill employees to make the Singaporean workplace a happier place.
- \*28. **Ms Elysa Chen:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance (a) whether and how the shift to reporting household market income, including non-employment income and households with no employed persons, will affect the design and targeting of major social transfers such as ComCare, Silver Support, Workfare and the Assurance Package; and (b) whether any scheme parameters will be reviewed.
- \*29. **Mr Abdul Muhaimin Abdul Malik:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs since the launch of the Dadah Itu Haram campaign in 2017 (a) whether the Ministry has commissioned perception studies or longitudinal research to assess changes in attitudes towards recreational drug use among Malay Muslim youth; (b) if so; whether the findings can be made available; and (c) if not, whether the Ministry will consider undertaking such study to measure the campaign's effectiveness.
- \*30. **Mr Abdul Muhaimin Abdul Malik:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) how does the Ministry ensure that the Dadah Itu Haram campaign effectively reaches at-risk youths within the Malay Muslim community; and (b) what metrics are used to assess the resonance and behavioural impact of the campaign's messaging among vulnerable subgroups within the community.
- \*31. **Mr Darryl David:** To ask the Minister for Education (a) when the last review of the International Baccalaureate (IB) programme in mainstream schools has been conducted; (b) what have been the findings of this review; and (c) whether there are plans to extend the IB programme to more mainstream schools in the future.
- \*32. **Ms Yeo Wan Ling:** To ask the Minister for Manpower (a) how many cases relating to the Tripartite Guidelines on Flexible Work Arrangement Requests (TG-FWAR) have been referred to the Tripartite Alliance for Dispute Management (TADM) and Tripartite Alliance for Fair and Progressive Employment Practices (TAFEP) for mediation; and (b) what were the top three reasons for commencing mediation.
- \*33. **Ms Yeo Wan Ling:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development how SG Enable can support ITE graduates with disabilities to access suitable hosts companies under the Work-Study Diploma program.
- \*34. **Mr Yip Hon Weng:** To ask the Minister for National Development in light of destructive activity by otters in private residential areas (a) what direct population control measures are currently being assessed or implemented; and (b) whether the Ministry will implement a comprehensive management strategy that relieves residents of the financial and logistical burden of implementing their own defensive measures.
- \*35. **Ms Hazlina Abdul Halim:** To ask the Minister for Manpower whether sector-level data indicates that the Employment Pass (EP) qualifying salary and other foreign workforce policies have narrowed skills gaps or supported wage growth.

- \*36. **Mr Yip Hon Weng:** To ask the Minister for Manpower (a) how does the Ministry encourage Singaporeans to pursue longer overseas postings exceeding three years for career development; (b) whether Government offices abroad provide dedicated support to help individuals settle; and (c) how the Ministry balances local talent retention with the strategic necessity of developing a global Singaporean leadership pipeline.
- \*37. **Mr Gerald Giam Yeap Song:** To ask the Minister for Manpower (a) whether the placement of 350 fresh graduates under the Graduate Industry Traineeships (GRIT) scheme as of February 2026 is in line with the Government's original projections; (b) when all 800 available places are expected to be filled; and (c) what percentage of these 350 placements are with small and medium enterprises.
- \*38. **Ms Hazlina Abdul Halim:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development what specialised support services are accessible to social workers supporting children in residential homes under Family Guidance Orders, where such children suffer from vape and etomidate-laced vape addiction.
- \*39. **Assoc Prof Kenneth Goh:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information what are the Ministry's plans to develop and sustain a strong pipeline of cybersecurity talent and capabilities to address the increasing prevalence and sophistication of cyberattacks, including measures to build expertise not only within Government but across critical infrastructure operators, private enterprises, and the wider workforce.
- \*40. **Ms Elysa Chen:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) what is the current stock of unselected Sale of Balance Flats (SBF) by (i) flat type and (ii) estate, including flats rolled over from previous SBF exercises; and (b) whether the Ministry has observed a quarter-on-quarter increase in this stock over the last two years.
- \*41. **Mr Cai Yinzhou:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information (a) whether IMDA will mandate content filters and digital watermarking for high-risk AI tools, following the blocking of Grok in Indonesia and Malaysia; and (b) how the Ministry intends to audit AI models accessible in Singapore for compliance with the Model AI Governance Framework.
- \*42. **Mr Mark Lee:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry in light of the 2025 Economic Survey which shows that aggregate cost indicators moderated but reveals sectoral divergence with unit labour costs rising in labour-intensive domestic sectors and uneven productivity gains in outward-facing industries such as general manufacturing where many SMEs operate, how the Government assesses the risk of a widening two-track economy and its implications for cost competitiveness.
- \*43. **Ms Valerie Lee:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry whether the Ministry can provide, for end-2022 and for the most recent data, a comparison of the percentage share within REIT-owned malls of (i) total Gross Floor Area and (ii) number of units, respectively, which are occupied by retail brands, grouped by country of origin for the brand, regardless of local ownership, franchise, or partnership structures under which tenants operate the brands.
- \*44. **Mr Christopher de Souza:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Public Services and Minister for Defence in light of the fake bomb threat incident at Paya Lebar Air Base (a) how will the Ministry maintain base and camp security such as to take a strong strategic position against perpetrators who seek to harm our assets; and (b) how does the Ministry aim to maintain security and mindset readiness amongst personnel to address such incidents and manage their aftermath.

- \*45. **Mr Kenneth Tiong Boon Kiat:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) how does the Long-Term Visit Pass (LTVP) application policy for foreign spouses of lower-income elderly Singaporeans avoid a catch-22 where incomes are insufficient and yet spouses cannot work without LTVPs; (b) whether ICA has modelled fiscal benefits of conditional LTVPs tied to employment versus long-term costs of institutional care from rejection; and (c) how does this support stable family formation for seniors.
- \*46. **Mr Abdul Muhaimin Abdul Malik:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) whether the Ministry has conducted any study into the effectiveness and user experience of the new barrier-free parking system in HDB carparks; and (b) how will the system be improved to better serve future carpark users, particularly for those who may be unaware of the new parking arrangements.
- \*47. **Ms Nadia Ahmad Samdin:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment (a) what is the average length of time for completing food product recalls for notices issued in the past three years; and (b) what enforcement action has been taken against retailers and importers in those cases.
- \*48. **Mr Ng Shi Xuan:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health (a) whether the Ministry and the Expert Committee on Immunisation have considered the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's recommendation that infants six to eleven months old should receive one dose of the Measles-Mumps-Rubella (MMR) vaccine before travel; and (b) what are the reasons why the Government has decided not to adopt this recommendation.
- \*49. **Mr Kenneth Tiong Boon Kiat:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health given that fewer than 20 lung transplants have been carried out since 2000 under the Lung Transplant Programme (a) what were the outcomes of each lung transplant performed since 2020; (b) whether such volume is sufficient to maintain competence in such specialisation; and (c) whether solutions, such as treating subsidised ASEAN patients, have been explored to arrest any skills erosion.
- \*50. **Ms Valerie Lee:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) whether an update can be provided on the Courier Hub Scheme; (b) how many applications has been received since the start of the scheme; (c) how effective has the scheme been; and (d) whether the Ministry will consider making it mandatory for all parcel sorting activities within HDB estates islandwide to be governed by this scheme.
- \*51. **Ms Mariam Jaafar:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry in respect of the EDB Year 2025 in Review which indicated that fixed asset investments increased but job creation fell in 2025 (a) whether the Government assess that Singapore is experiencing a structural shift towards capital-intensive, technology-driven industries; and (b) how its industrial strategy is adapting to ensure continued broad-based employment opportunities for Singaporeans.
- \*52. **Ms Mariam Jaafar:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry in respect of the EDB Year 2025 in Review which is indicative of fewer jobs created per dollar of investment, whether the Government will publish additional metrics on the quality of jobs created, including (i) wage levels (ii) skill requirements and (iii) career progression pathways to better reflect the impact of investments on the livelihoods of Singaporeans.
- \*53. **Mr Gerald Giam Yean Song:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry (a) whether the Ministry assesses the current trend of declining job creation per dollar of investment to persist over the next five years; (b) if so, why or if not, why not; and (c) whether the Ministry can provide a breakdown of how many of the 15,700 jobs expected over the next five years are entry-level roles versus senior management roles.

- \*54. **Mr Yip Hon Weng:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) when does Traffic Police conduct audits on speed enforcement cameras after the maintenance by contractors; (b) how are contractors penalised for lapses resulting in erroneous issuing of traffic summons; (c) what avenues are available for the public to dispute speeding summons; and (d) whether camera settings are verified following disputes to prevent recurrence or errors.
- \*55. **Mr Cai Yinzhou:** To ask the Minister for Education (a) what data the Ministry has on students' AI usage and its correlation with cognitive skill decline; (b) whether baseline assessments will be introduced to monitor these impacts; (c) how teachers are trained to detect AI-induced cognitive atrophy; and (d) what interventions, such as device-limited classes, are planned to prevent over-reliance and ensure students first master foundational concepts.
- \*56. **Ms Nadia Ahmad Samdin:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment (a) whether the Ministry requires importers to maintain product traceability systems capable of identifying product distribution down to specific retail outlets during recalls; and (b) how does the Government ensure that recall notices will reach small retailers as well as the broader public.
- \*57. **Ms Valerie Lee:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health in light of the rise in cancer rates among people aged under 40, what comprehensive cross-sector measures is the Government implementing to address prevention, early detection, research into causes, environmental risk factors, lifestyle interventions and timely access to treatment to reverse this concerning trend.

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## ORDER OF THE DAY

### 1. BUDGET STATEMENT:

*Resumption of Debate on Question (12 February 2026) (2<sup>nd</sup> Allotted Day) –*

“That Parliament approves the financial policy of the Government for the financial year 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2027.”. – (Prime Minister and Minister for Finance).

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## QUESTIONS FOR WRITTEN ANSWER

1. **Mr Kenneth Tiong Boon Kiat:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance (a) what metrics does the Government use to measure success of collaborations between national R&D institutions and private sector partners; (b) how the Government differentiates success as a 'project manager' coordinating vendors versus a 'knowledge leader' developing in-house capability; and (c) what steps prevent hollowing-out of Singapore-based expertise in the national R&D institutions due to over-reliance on subcontracting.
2. **Mr Cai Yinzhou:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance whether an assessment has been conducted on the impact of the Baby Bonus and parental leave enhancements which were implement in 2023 and 2025, respectively, on the fertility rate.

3. **Ms He Ting Ru:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry (a) what is the Ministry doing to help Singapore-based firms navigate US technological and transshipment restrictions and China's rare earth export controls; (b) how will the Ministry seek to review and update these support measures; and (c) how does the Ministry work with firms that face challenges from these regulations.
4. **Ms He Ting Ru:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry with Singapore exceeding its 2GWp 2030 domestic solar installation target based on planned installations as of Q2 2025 (a) how does the Ministry intend to review and enhance more ambitious 2030 solar targets; and (b) what is the planned pathway towards transitioning away from new fossil fuel-based electricity generation.
5. **Ms He Ting Ru:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry (a) when are the six Indonesian projects with Conditional Licenses for 3GW of low-carbon electricity imports expected to turn commercially operational; and (b) what is the assessed impact on future household electricity prices as a result of this.
6. **Mr Ng Shi Xuan:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs whether the Ministry has any statistics on the prevalence of the use of e-vaporisers among drug abusers, in particular new drug abusers arrested.
7. **Miss Rachel Ong:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) whether any drivers have their licenses suspended due to the inclusion of demerit points from the 1,523 speeding tickets erroneously issued; (b) if so, how many of these are taxi or private hire vehicle (PHC) drivers; and (c) what recourse or financial restitution is available to these vocational drivers for the loss of livelihood during their suspension.
8. **Mr Alex Yeo:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) what is the implementation status of the step-up measures that Carousell committed to by 31 January 2026 under the E-Commerce Code of the Online Criminal Harms Act 2023, given the increasing misuse of Singpass-verified Carousell accounts for e-commerce scams; and (b) whether the Ministry intends to implement any further measures to protect consumers from similar e-commerce scams.
9. **Mr Yip Hon Weng:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health whether the Ministry plans to expand the national genetic testing programme beyond single-gene disorders to include common multifactorial conditions, such as Type II diabetes to facilitate early preventive interventions.
10. **Mr Fadli Fawzi:** To ask the Minister for Foreign Affairs (a) whether any Singaporeans in the United States of America have sought consular assistance following detention by the United States (i) Customs and Border Protection or (ii) Immigration and Customs Enforcement in 2024 and 2025, respectively; and (b) if so, how many.
11. **Mr Dennis Tan Lip Fong:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment (a) how the Ministry ensures that the Prior Informed Consent from the state of import or transit required under the Basel Convention has been obtained before waste are exported from Singapore; and (b) what percentage of such waste have been rejected or returned by destination countries in 2024 and 2025.

12. **Mr Edward Chia Bing Hui:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment (a) whether the Ministry's assessments of residents' exposure to second-hand cigarette smoke include open-to-sky common areas where smoking is permitted; and (b) whether the Ministry will consider additional buffer zones, distance requirements, or other measures to better protect residents, especially those in ground-floor and low-level units, from second-hand cigarette smoke exposure from such common areas.
13. **Mr Christopher de Souza:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development whether the Government will (i) expand Day Activity Centre capacity and subsidies for young adults with moderate to severe autism and (ii) introduce additional healthcare, transport and financial support to ease long-term caregiving burdens for families facing pro-long waiting times.
14. **Mr Abdul Muhaimin Abdul Malik:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development for each year since 2023 (a) what is the (i) application rate and (ii) success rate of Special Approval applications for Additional subsidy for infant and child care by non-working main applicants; (b) what are the common reasons cited in Special Approval applications for Additional subsidy.
15. **Mr Kenneth Tiong Boon Kiat:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information regarding AI Singapore's AI Apprenticeship Programme's (AIAP) asserting a graduate placement rate of over 90% (a) for each cohort in the last three years, what percentage of graduates were hired by AI Singapore or its affiliated entities; (b) what percentage of permanent staff are themselves AIAP alumni; and (c) what measures ensure these statistics reflect genuine market absorption, not internal re-hiring.
16. **Ms Elysa Chen:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information (a) whether the Ministry has data on the total number and load capacity of data centres in Singapore currently; and (b) if so, what are they.
17. **Ms Elysa Chen:** To ask the Minister for Education (a) how does the Ministry support students from lower-income families to overcome barriers such as (i) access to training (ii) preparation and (iii) exposure opportunities when applying through the Direct School Admission scheme, so that talent identification does not depend disproportionately on family resources.
18. **Ms He Ting Ru:** To ask the Minister for Manpower since the launch of the Graduate Industry Traineeships (GRIT) scheme in October 2025 (a) what factors contributed to fewer than 50% of the 800 places being taken up; (b) whether these factors include any employer participation or scheme design constraints; and (c) how many trainees have secured full-time employment with their sponsor companies upon completion.
19. **Mr Abdul Muhaimin Abdul Malik:** To ask the Minister for National Development since the implementation of restrictions on the strata subdivision of commercial properties in central area in 2022 (a) whether the Ministry has observed any significant changes in the prices or transaction volumes of strata-titled commercial units; and (b) what measures are being considered to ensure that small and medium-sized enterprises have access to affordable commercial spaces for ownership in central area.
20. **Ms Valerie Lee:** To ask the Minister for National Development in 2025 (a) how many appeals were received by HDB dwellers who faced difficulties selling their flats due to the Ethnic Integration Policy; (b) what were the success rates of such appeals; and (c) what percentage of such cases went through the buyback assistance by the Government.

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21. **Ms Valerie Lee:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) what has been the trend from 2021 to 2025 of the number of official disputes lodged with the Strata Titles Board and the Commissioner of Buildings for residential private estates; and (b) how does the Government plan to better support Management Corporation Strata Title councils in financial prudence, estate management and community dispute resolution.
  22. **Ms He Ting Ru:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) what is the cost and funding source for the free daily Gek Poh shuttle bus service; (b) what is the bus utilisation rate since its inception in September 2025; and (c) whether any preliminary studies or learning points from Marine Parade shuttle service have been considered before commencing the shuttle service in Gek Poh.
  23. **Mr Fadli Fawzi:** To ask the Acting Minister-in-charge of Muslim Affairs (a) whether the non-Muslim members of the Board of Governors and Steering Committee will recuse themselves from decisions relating to the Islamic curriculum of the Singapore College of Islamic Studies (SCSI); and (b) if not, why not.
  24. **Mr Yip Hon Weng:** To ask the Acting Minister for Transport in respect of the construction noise from the North-South Corridor project (a) whether a cumulative noise cap can be implemented for residential estates facing concurrent projects; and (b) whether the Ministry will review the 70-metre distance rule for noise barriers where residents face over five years of infrastructure noise, specifically at Nuovo and Castle Green condominiums.
  25. **Mr Cai Yinzhou:** To ask the Acting Minister for Transport as of 2026 (a) what proportion of public buses still lack integrated next-stop visual displays and audio announcements; (b) how the Ministry ensures accessibility for visually impaired and deaf commuters on these older buses; (c) whether the Ministry will mandate retrofitting for the remaining fleet rather than waiting for natural replacement; and (d) what is the projected completion timeline.
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