

**Summary of Oral Representations made to
the Commission at the Public Forum**

Item No.	Comments	No. of Representations containing the comments	REO's Observations
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The EAC's provisional recommendation was a fair one. Population should be the main consideration, rather than the area covered by the GC. • Enquired the rationale for determining the range of population deviation at $\pm 15\%$. • Enquired if the number of polling stations would be adequate and accessible to voters. 	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supporting views noted. • The $\pm 15\%$ range is provided under s20 (1)(b) of EAC Ordinance. • Enquiry only, no specific view was put forward. • The subject was not relevant to this consultation.
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proposed to implement compulsory voting in Hong Kong. 	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The subject was not relevant to this consultation.
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The number of GCs should be increased from 5 to 6 or more because independent candidates could have better chance to be elected in small GCs. 	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The subject is outside EAC's jurisdiction and not relevant to this consultation.

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4	• Given the constraints governed by the legislation, i.e., there were to be 5 GCs each having 4 to 6 seats, there was little room for the Commission to maneuver in the demarcation exercise.	1	• Comment noted.