

# Q&A – Legislative Council Building

1. The Legislative Council was established in:

- A) 1843
- B) 1843
- C) 1985
- D) 1997

Correct answer: (a)

The Legislative Council was established by Hong Kong's first governor, Sir Henry Pottinger, in 1843.

2. A statue of Themis, Goddess of Justice, stands atop the Legislative Council Building. It is because:

- A) The Legislative Council is responsible for judiciary matters
- B) The building was previously occupied by the Supreme Court, for which the statue was made
- C) The statue is there for decoration
- D) The building took the design of another building, which had the statue

Correct answer: (b)

The Legislative Council Building was originally built for the Supreme Court, which put up the statue as a representation of impartiality.

3. Which of the following is not a function of the Legislative Council?

- A) Enactment of laws
- B) Control of public expenditure
- C) Monitor the work of the Government
- D) Judiciary

Correct answer: (d)

The Department of Justice is responsible for judiciary matters in Hong Kong.