

基本法第二十三條公眾意見匯編研究組**RESEARCH TEAM ON THE COMPENDIUM OF SUBMISSIONS ON ARTICLE 23 OF THE BASIC LAW****Project Schedule**

24 September 2002	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ The government published a consultation document on “Proposals to implement Article 23 of the Basic Law” to solicit views from the public; and ✧ Beginning of the 3-month public consultation.
24 December 2002	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ End of the 3-month public consultation.
28 January 2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ The government published the “Compendium of Submissions on Proposals to Implement Article 23 of the Basic Law”.
14 February 2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ The idea to form a Research Team to study the compendium of submissions more thoroughly and scientifically was conceived.
25 February 2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ The Research Team was formed and first team meeting held to discuss terms of reference, operation of research and schedule.
26 February 2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ The National Security (Legislative Provisions) Bill introduced into the Legco.
7 March 2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ Project manager recruited; and ✧ Second team meeting held to discuss research operation and schedule.
17 March 2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ Third team meeting held to discuss results of the first batch of pilot codings and the coding scheme.
19 March 2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ Fourth team meeting held to refine the coding scheme and discuss the coding sheet.

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20 March 2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ Press release on the Research Team and its mission was issued.
25 March 2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ Fifth team meeting held to study results of the second batch of pilot codings, further refine the coding scheme and coding sheet.
28 March 2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ Briefing of the coders about the project and the coding scheme.
31 March 2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ Second meeting with the coders to do a 3-hour on site test coding, and discuss questions they encounter in the process; ✧ Coders collected some submissions for home coding; and ✧ Discussion continued via e-mail.
4 April 2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ Third meeting with the coders to further discuss their coding experience and to fine tune the coding scheme; and ✧ Coders collected more submissions for home coding.
11 April 2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ Fourth meeting with the coders to do final troubleshooting; ✧ Coders collected last batch of submissions for home coding.
16 & 17 April 2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ Briefing and training of assistants for data entry.
28 April 2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ Coding of all submissions and data entry completed; ✧ Sixth team meeting held to discuss the quality as well as limitations of the dataset, and their ramifications; and ✧ Division of labour on data checking and cleaning.
6 May 2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ Data checking and cleaning completed; and ✧ Seventh team meeting held to discuss preliminary data analyses.

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12 May 2003	✧ Eighth team meeting held to discuss additional data analyses and division of labour on the compilation of report.
20 May 2003	✧ Ninth team meeting held to discuss the draft of the report and to decide on the schedule leading to finalization of the report.
26 May 2003	✧ Tenth team meeting scheduled for contingency; and ✧ Press conference to release the report.