Appendix Q

Personal Opinion Questionnaire

1. Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with the following statements related to the justice system in Hong Kong?

		Fully agree	Agree	Disagree	Totally disagree	No comment
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(0)
a)	If I go to court, I will get a fair hearing					
b)	Courts are an important way for ordinary people to enforce their rights					
c)	I have confidence in the independence of judges					
d)	I think many judges are out of touch with ordinary people					
e)	Lawyers' charges are reasonable for the work they do					
f)	Most people cannot afford paying for legal services even if they do not go to court					
g)	Most people cannot afford to go to court if they are not eligible for legal aid					
h)	Most people do not know what to do when faced with legal problems					
i)	There are enough channels available for most people to seek free legal advice					
j)	Most people do not know how much it will cost to use legal services to tackle a problem					
k)	It is difficult for most people to find out information on the specialisation and experience of lawyers					
1)	Most people have confidence in the ability of lawyers to help people solve their legal problems					
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