

## **Special Committee on Pupillage and Limited Practice**

The Special Committee on Pupillage and Limited Practice is responsible for processing applications and answering enquiries about the rules, practice and procedure in respect of pupillage and admission.

The Bar continues to see a steady growth in 2006. The number of pupils who either have completed or are serving pupillage amounted to 191\*. 120\* of them have been admitted as barristers, of which 78\* were admitted in 2006. The Special Committee has processed a total of 626 applications which were received at different stages of the pupils' training. As a result of continuous growth, the number of our practicing member has exceeded 1000 in November 2006.

To cope with the workload which comes with the continuing increase in the number of pupils and the related applications, membership of the Special Committee has been increased from three to four in the year of 2006.

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### Membership

Michael Liu (Chairman)

Selwyn Yu

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*\*as at the end of November 2006*