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**Islands District Council
Tourism, Agriculture, Fisheries, Environmental Hygiene and
Climate Change Committee
Paper TAFEHCCC 16/2021**

**Question on villagers burning weeds and miscellaneous objects in
Nim Shue Wan**

Ms Amy YUNG notified this Council that she would raise the following enquiry at the Tourism, Agriculture, Fisheries, Environmental Hygiene and Climate Change Committee meeting to be held on 29 March 2021:

“ The majority of land in Nim Shue Wan beside Discovery Bay (DB) is used for agriculture, with some cleared for development of licensed structures. The villagers burnt weeds and miscellaneous objects there from time to time, releasing large amounts of fumes, some making their way to La Serene and Vista Avenue in DB hillside (see photo attached). The residents lodged complaints to the Hong Kong Fire Services Department (FSD) and the Police for follow up but little improvement is seen.

In this connection, I would like FSD and Hong Kong Police Force to arrange representatives to attend the meeting to provide details of actions taken to prohibit villagers from burning weeds and miscellaneous objects. ”

Islands District Council Secretariat

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