

**Legislative Council Q5**

Table 1

**Number of TB cases by different age groups (2002 – 2004)**

| <b>Group</b>                           | <b>2002</b> | <b>2003</b> | <b>* 2004</b> |
|--|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| Children and adolescent<br>(aged 0-19) | 279         | 265         | 221           |
| Adults<br>(aged 20-59)                 | 3404        | 3210        | 3276          |
| The Elderly<br>(60 or above)           | 2919        | 2549        | 2798          |
| <b>Total</b>                           | <b>6602</b> | <b>6024</b> | <b>6295</b>   |

*\*These are provisional figures. They are being verified by DH for the purpose of formal publication.*