

## **Report of the Standing Committee on Pupillage and Limited Practice**

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

During the 12-month period from 1 December 2018 to 30 November 2019, a total of 83 pupils commenced their pupillage (as compared to 108 in the previous reporting period). The total number of pupils who either have completed or are serving pupillage amounted to 188 (as compared to 206 in the previous reporting period). 122 (as compared to 121 in the previous reporting period) of them have been admitted as barristers, of which 98 was admitted in the current reporting period (as compared to 108 in the previous reporting period).

The Standing Committee has processed a total of 628 applications (as compared to 725 in the previous reporting period) which were received in different stages of the pupils' training.

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### Membership:

Michael Liu (Chairman)  
Edwin Choy, SC (resigned on 9 Oct 2019)  
Jennifer Tsui  
Tony Li  
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