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Cleaning of toilets in sports facilities monitored

I REFER to the letter by Mr Chan Kah Fatt, "Cleanliness lacking in sports facilities" (ST, Feb 11).

The Singapore Sports Council (SSC) engages the services of cleaning companies to upkeep the cleanliness of sports facilities, including Clementi and Delta sports halls. Our centre management works closely with these service providers to ensure cleanliness and hygiene of facilities.

The toilets in sports halls are cleaned frequently. During high usage times such as on weekends, frequency of toilet checks and cleaning is increased.

At Clementi Sports Hall, the soap dispensers are in working condition. However, we note that some of the push lids may have been damaged due to improper use and we will have them replaced immediately.

To ensure the highest standards of hygiene and cleanliness in all sports facilities, we will continue to monitor closely the frequency of cleaning to make sure it meets usage demands. SSC assures Mr Chan and the public that maintaining the cleanliness and hygiene of sports facilities continues to be one of our top priorities.

We thank Mr Chan for his feedback.

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