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Clerk to the Bills Committee on Hong Kong Tourist Association (Amendment) Bill 2001 Legislative Council 3/F Citibank Tower 3 Garden Road Hong Kong

Dear Sirs

Bills Committee on Hong Kong Tourist Association (Amendment) Bill 2001

Thank you for your letter of 14th February inviting views of Travel Industry Council of HK on the captioned bill.

I am writing on behalf on TIC to express our support for the passing of this bill. On examing the principles of the bill, I believe that the Association will increase the contribution of tourism to Hong Kong. TIC will continue to collaborate with the Association to promote Hong Kong as a world class tourist destination.

Yours sincerely TRAVEL INDUSTRY COUNCIL OF HONG KONG

Ronnie Yuen Chairman