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Clerk to Bills Committee Legislative Council Secretariat 3rd Floor Citibank Tower 3 Garden Road Central, Hong Kong Date: 20 June 2003

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Attn: Mr. S.C. TSANG

Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: Bills Committee on Copyright (Amendment) Bill 2001 and Copyright(Amendment) Bill 2003 ("2003 Bill")

We thank you for your letter of 22 May 2003 inviting our views on the 2003 Bill.

We have no objection to your making permanent the suspension arrangements under the Copyright (Suspension of Amendments) Ordinance 2001, though we have reservation as to the categories of copyright works set out therein, in particular "television drama" which in our view is too narrow and shall include all other types of non-dramatic programmes.

Yours faithfully,

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