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24 June 2002

Hon Mrs Selina CHOW LIANG Shuk-yee, JP  
Chairman of the House Committee

Dear Mrs CHOW,

The principal officials under the accountability system will assume office on 1 July. Members belonging to the Democratic Party are of the view that these principal officials should be accountable to Members of the Legislative Council, and suggest that all Directors of Bureau should attend meetings of the respective relevant Panels, so that members of different Panels will have the opportunity to know about their policy proposals and thinking behind. I should be grateful if you would convey to the Chief Secretary for Administration the above views and request him to urge all Directors of Bureau to take the initiative to attend meetings of Panels. The Democratic Party also hopes that the matter will be discussed at the House Committee meeting on 28 June. Your permission would be much appreciated.

Convenor for LegCo Caucus of  
the Democratic Party

(Signed)  
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c.c. Mr Donald TSANG Yam-kuen, Chief Secretary for Administration  
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