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Mrs. Percy Ma
Clerk to Panel
Legislative Council Building,
8 Jackson Road, Central
Hong Kong

Dear Mrs. Ma,

**Re: LegCo Panel on Administration of Justice and Legal Services
Meeting on 14 March 2002
Civil Justice Reform – Interim Report and Consultation**

I refer to your letter dated 30 January 2002 addressed to Mr. Patrick Moss and I have asked to send a reply on his behalf.

The Law Society's Working Party is still finalising its report for the Law Society Council. It is considered inappropriate to discuss the Working Party's report with the Panel before the Law Society Council has considered it.

Th Law Society re-iterates offer to send the LegCo Panel a copy of its finalised report *after* the Law Society Council has approved it. The Law Society remains willing to discuss its views with Panel members at a later Panel meeting.

Yours sincerely,

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