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Dear Sir,

The Global Labour Institute is seriously concerned about the prospect of "anti-subversion" legislation being introduced in Hong Kong by enacting the proposed Article 23 of the Basic Law.

We believe that this measure represents a serious threat to democracy and independent labour organizations in Hong Kong and we respectfully urge the Government of Hong Kong to withdraw this draft legislation.

Yours sincerely,
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