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Clerk to LegCo Panel on Housing Legislative Council Secretariat Legislative Council Building 8 Jackson Road Central Hong Kong (Attn: Ms Sarah Yuen)

Dear

Legislative Council Panel on Housing Follow-up to meeting on 7 June 2004

At the Panel meeting on 7 June, Members asked whether there would be commercial premises on the ground floor of the Home Ownership Scheme developments identified for conversion.

Members may wish to note that there are no commercial premises on the ground floor of the Home Ownership Scheme blocks to be sold to the Government for use as departmental quarters. In fact, in designing the Home Ownership Scheme developments, sufficient commercial facilities have been planned to meet future residents' retailing needs. For instance, Yau Mei Court actually sits on a large-scale commercial centre designed to serve residents living in the vicinity, including those in Ko Cheung Court. For Kwai Chung Phase 7, a commercial centre is being built for use by residents in different phases of the development. In the case of Kwai Yung Court, there are commercial premises in the nearby public housing estate. There should be no shortage of commercial facilities in the four Home Ownership Scheme developments in question.

Yours sincerely,

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