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Dear Ms Tai

HKRMA submission to the Legco Panel on Food Safety & Environmental Hygiene Subcommittee on the Food Business Regulation Amendment (2006)

The Hong Kong Retail Management Association supports the Amendment (2006) to the Food Business Regulations (“Regulations”).

The Regulations achieve the desired objectives of enhancing consumer protection and preserving consumer choice.

In particular, we believe that:

- (a) there are appropriate provisions in the Regulations to ensure the proper segregation of fresh and chilled meat in retail outlets; and
- (b) the labelling of pre-packaged chilled meat with the name and address of the slaughterhouse and the slaughtering date provides more information for consumers.

Our Association is of the opinion that no further amendment to the Regulations is required.

Yours sincerely,



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