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Clerk to LegCo Panel on Housing
Legislative Council Secretariat
Legislative Council Building
8 Jackson Road, Central
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(Attn: Miss Becky Yu)

Dear Miss Yu,

**Legislative Council Panel on Housing
Follow-up to Meeting on 5 January 2006**

At Panel meeting on 5 January, during discussion on sale of surplus Home Ownership Scheme (HOS) flats, Members requested information on the number of unused HOS sites which have not yet been returned to the Government.

Since 2001, the land use of 48 HOS and Private Sector Participation Scheme sites has been changed. Of these, 36 sites have been used for the development of public rental housing and nine were returned to the Government for other beneficial uses. Three HOS sites, including Eastern Harbour Crossing Phase 2, Shek Kip Mei Flatted Factory Estate and the cleared North Point Estate site, are still in the Housing Authority's possession pending return to the Government.

Yours sincerely,

(Miss Joey LAM)
for Secretary for Housing, Planning and Lands