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Dr. the Honourable Lui Ming-wah, SBS, JP, Chairman, Legislative Council Constitutional Affairs Panel

Dear Chairman,

Further to the statement made by the Chief Executive in the Legislative Council this afternoon about the reorganization of the policy bureaux of the Government Secretariat, I am writing to put forth to you the request that a special meeting of the Constitutional Affairs Panel be convened for the Administration to explain to Members further our proposal.

We have already issued the Legislative Council Brief on this matter separately. We hope that it will be possible for the proposals to receive the Legislative Council's support for the new organization structure to be implemented by 1 July 2007.

I look forward to hearing from you and stand ready to work with Members on different aspects of these proposals.

Yours sincerely,

(Stephen Lam) Secretary for Constitutional Affairs