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Clerk to Panel
(Attn: Ms Anita SIT)
Panel on Planning, Lands and Works
Legislative Council
Legislative Council Building
8 Jackson Road
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Hong Kong

Dear Ms SIT,

Panel on Planning, Lands and Works
Meeting on 24 July 2007
Item VI Construction Industry Council
Follow up actions on matters raised by Members

During the discussion at the last meeting of the LegCo Panel on Planning, Lands and Works on the above item, Members raised a few matters which we undertook to follow up.

On the enquiry concerning the number of CITA staff departed since 2007, a total of 15 CITA staff members left during the half year period from January to June 2007. These included eight who tendered resignations, six left upon the end of contracts and one retired in the first half of 2007. Comparing with 2006, a total of 27 CITA staff departed during the same period. There is no indication that these departure cases were directly related to the amalgamation.

As regards the Hon Albert Chan's suggestion that a single registration card be issued to construction workers practicing different trades for the various registrations and licences concerned, we have considered his suggestion carefully in the context of the implementation of the construction workers registration system and would reply direct to him very soon.

Yours sincerely,

for Secretary for Development