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Clerk to LegCo Finance Committee
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(Attn: Mrs Constance LI)

Dear Mrs Li,

**Legislative Council Finance Committee
Follow-up to meeting on 6 June 2008**

Rent payment for public housing tenants

At the meeting of the Legislative Council Finance Committee on 6 June, the Administration was requested to provide supplementary information on the change in the Composite Consumer Price Index (CPI) in the month when the Government paid rent for the lower income families living in the rental units of the Hong Kong Housing Authority and the Hong Kong Housing Society (HKHS), and tenants of Elderly Persons' Flats located in HKHS Group B estates. According to the calculation made by the Census and Statistics Department, the year-on-year rate of change in the Composite CPI would be lowered by about 2 percentage points in the month of implementation.

Yours sincerely,

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