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## Legislative Council Secretariat

### 新聞稿 Press Release

The Legislative Council Subcommittee on Poverty Alleviation arrived Seoul to continue its duty visit

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The following is issued on behalf of the Legislative Council Secretariat:

The Legislative Council Subcommittee on Poverty Alleviation continued its duty visit in Seoul today (July 23) to understand the formulation and implementation of poverty alleviation strategies and measures.

The delegation met with the officials from Health and Welfare Bureau of Seoul Metropolitan Government to discuss the poverty alleviation measures implemented in the city and exchanged views on the formulation, implementation and monitoring of anti-poverty measures. Members of the delegation then attended a luncheon hosted by the Chairman of Korea-China Parliamentarians' Friendship Association. In the afternoon, the delegation met with Social Enterprise Division in the Ministry of Labour and received a briefing from Employment Policy Office and Local Employment and Social Service Division on the support measures provided for the development of social enterprises. The delegation also visited the Work Together Foundation to understand their work on the promotion and delivery of social enterprise projects.

The delegation left Taipei and departed for Seoul last night. Before leaving Taipei, they visited Huashan Social Welfare Foundation and the National Association of Small and Medium Enterprises and attended a discussion forum on poverty alleviation. The delegation will meet with Health, Welfare and Family Affairs in Seoul to discuss the poverty alleviation policy and visit the Beautiful Store Foundation tomorrow.

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