Bills Committee on Competition Bill

List of follow-up actions arising from the discussion at the meeting on 28 February 2012

At the meeting on 28 February 2012, the Administration was requested to take the following actions –

- (1) provide a consolidated written response to the views, whether in written or verbal form, expressed by deputations and members at the meeting;
- (2) ensure that the Hong Kong Trade Development Council (TDC) would provide to the Bills Committee a written response to the accusation made in paragraph 3 of the submission from Hong Kong Small and Medium Enterprises Association (tabled at the meeting and subsequently issued vide LC Paper No. CB(1) 1202/11-12(02));
- (3) provide a response to Mr WONG Ting-kwong's request for the Administration to play a co-ordinating role between TDC and other exhibition organizers such as Global Sources, so as to promote co-operation instead of unhealthy competition among them; and
- (4) respond to Mrs Regina IP's concern that the currently proposed general and broad exemption of statutory bodies would, as pointed out in the submission from the Law Society of Hong Kong (LC Paper No. CB(1)1219/10-11(02)), create an uneven playing field between the government and the private sector.

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