

# DISABILITY DISCRIMINATION ORDINANCE

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## **RESOLUTION**

(Under section 87(2) of the Disability Discrimination Ordinance (Cap. 487))

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RESOLVED that the Disability Discrimination Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 5) Notice 2009, made by the Chief Executive in Council on 6 October 2009, be approved.

## **DISABILITY DISCRIMINATION ORDINANCE (AMENDMENT OF SCHEDULE 5) NOTICE 2009**

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 87(2) of the  
Disability Discrimination Ordinance (Cap. 487) subject to the  
approval of the Legislative Council)

### **1. Further exceptions to this Ordinance**

Schedule 5 to the Disability Discrimination Ordinance (Cap. 487) is amended by adding –

- “1. Parts IV and V MTR Corporation Limited providing fare concessions to persons –
- (a) who –
    - (i) receive assistance under the Comprehensive Social Security Assistance Scheme administered by the Director of Social Welfare; and
    - (ii) are medically certified under the Scheme to be 100% disabled for the purposes of the Scheme; or
  - (b) who receive an allowance described as Disability Allowance under the Social Security Allowance Scheme administered by the Director of Social Welfare.”.

Clerk to the Executive Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER

6 October 2009

### **Explanatory Note**

This Notice amends Schedule 5 to the Disability Discrimination Ordinance (Cap. 487) (“the Ordinance”). It provides that the provision of fare concessions to certain persons with a disability by MTR Corporation Limited is a further exception to Parts IV and V of the Ordinance, so that section 60 of the Ordinance applies and the discrimination is not rendered unlawful by those Parts.