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Dear Miss Tai,

**Panel on Administration of Justice and Legal Services  
Follow-up to meeting on 21 December 2010**

I refer to your letter of 23 December 2010 to the Director which has been passed to me for reply.

Regarding your enquiry, the Department did receive applications from litigants for legal aid to prosecute appeals in higher courts in the past. However, I regret to inform you that we do not keep any record on the number and outcome of legal aid applications involving applicants who applied for legal aid to lodge an appeal after *having represented themselves in person* and lost their cases in the lower courts in our computer system. Accordingly, we are unable to provide the Panel with the requisite statistics.

Yours sincerely,

(Alice Chung)

for Director of Legal Aid

cc Secretary for Home Affairs (Attn: Ms Christine Chow)