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Dear Ms LAU,

## <u>Fare Increase Application of The Kowloon Motor Bus</u> Company (1933) Limited ("KMB")

Thank you for your letter of 4 December to our bureau regarding the request from the Hon TANG Ka-piu to discuss KMB's fare increase application. The Transport Department received the said application on 29 November. In keeping with past practice, we will process the application in accordance with the established fare adjustment arrangement for franchised buses, taking into account various relevant factors including public acceptability and affordability in assessing it. Same as before, we shall consult the Panel on Transport of the Legislative Council and the Transport Advisory Committee at a suitable juncture, before putting a recommendation to the Executive Council for consideration in due course.

Yours sincerely,

(Ronald LEUNG) for Secretary for Transport and Housing

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Commissioner for Transport (Attn.: Ms Macella LEE)