



Establish the Innovation and Technology Bureau

Jefferson Wat

to: f\_c

28/01/2015 10:39

Sent by:

Hide Details

From: Jefferson Wat

To: f\_c@legco.gov.hk

Sent by:

Honourable Chairperson & Fellow Council Members,

I am a veteran IT person who have worked in the industry for over 35 years. I am not speaking of the IT industry only as Innovation & Technology has a wider scope. I am trying to speak for the youngsters in HK including my two sons - one in IT industry & the other studying Politics & Policies in a university in HK.

Everyone in the HK society says that we cannot rely only on two areas - Finance & Real Estate, we NEED more industries in HK to survive & sustain. How? By using technologies to support innovations! Why we need an independent bureau to do so. It is because it is a Change Agent. HK Society including the government do not know how to make good use of technologies to support innovations, Hence, the Innovation & Technology Bureau is going to be the Leader to create an ecosystem to nurture talents in this aspect. The Bureau has to establish a Vision & various Missions for the whole society including the government to follow, to learn, and to move on to the new arena.

We do not think that the legco should hinder its establishment, thus the up flow of the HK youngsters. It is because, for the elderly like us, we have already set up our own safety net. Whereas the youngsters see that there is no more room for them to grow. Innovation with technologies is the ONLY way for them to pave their way, build their wealth, and achieve their success. Even for us, in order to sustain prosperity, we have to learn new technologies to cope with the new lifestyle. A good example is to use iPhone & iPad to communicate with the new generation & even among ourselves. We NEED an independent Innovation & Technology Bureau to make things happen.

Best Regards,

Jefferson WAT

Tel:

Fax:

<http://www.asiasoln.com> & <http://www.isia.org.hk> & <http://www.smeglobal.org>

Founding & existing Vice Chairman of ISIA

Executive Vice President of SME Global Alliance +

Chairman of IT, Retail & Entrepreneur Committees

HKCERT Advisory Committee Member

EMB Student Finance Joint Committee exMember

Life Fellow of HK Computer Society

Fellow of IT Accountants Association

ICT Sector Specialist of HK Council of Academic Accreditation