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**Council meeting on 17, 18 and 19 February 2016**

**Amendments to the Motion of Thanks**

Further to LC Paper No. CB(3) 349/15-16 issued on 1 February 2016, seven Members (Hon Frederick FUNG, Hon WU Chi-wai, Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che, Hon LEE Cheuk-yan, Hon Cyd HO, Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG and Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung) have respectively given notice of their intention to move separate amendments to the Motion of Thanks scheduled for the Council meeting on 17, 18 and 19 February 2016. As directed by the President, the respective amendments will be printed in the terms in which they were handed in on the Agenda of the Council.

2. To assist Members in debating the above motion and the amendments, I set out below the procedure to be followed during the debate:

- (a) Hon Andrew LEUNG moves the motion;
- (b) the President proposes the question on Hon Andrew LEUNG's motion, and orders a joint debate;
- (c) the President has accepted the recommendations of the House Committee on the time limits for speeches in the debate. A Member may speak once in each of the five debate sessions, but subject to the total speaking time limit of 30 minutes. Hon Andrew LEUNG, as the mover of the motion, will have an additional 15-minute speaking time for moving the motion and making his reply. In addition, Hon Andrew LEUNG will have an extra five minutes to speak on the amendments;

- (d) Members' speeches in a session should be confined to the policy areas specified for that session. The grouping of policy areas for this debate was forwarded to Members under the preliminary Agenda issued vide LC Paper No. CB(3) 367/15-16 on 4 February 2016, and a copy of which is in **Appendix I** for Members' easy reference;
- (e) like all other Members, Hon Andrew LEUNG and the seven Members who wish to move amendments may speak in each of the five debate sessions, but no amendment is to be moved at this stage;
- (f) after Members have spoken in each session, there will be a 10-minute suspension of the meeting for the public officers for that session to co-ordinate their response to the Council. The President may exercise discretion not to suspend the meeting if the public officers consider the break not necessary;
- (g) the total speaking time limit for public officers in each debate session is as follows:
  - (i) for one or two public officers, each public officer may speak for not less than 15 minutes, subject to the total time limit of 45 minutes. Under this arrangement, where two public officers are to speak, the public officer speaking first should not speak for more than 30 minutes, leaving at least 15 minutes for the other public officer. Subject to such a restriction, it is up to the public officers to determine their actual speaking time; and
  - (ii) for three or more public officers, it will be calculated on the basis of 15-minute speaking time limit for each public officer;
- (h) at the end of a debate session and before the start of the next session, Members will be informed of the balance of their speaking time;
- (i) after all public officers for a particular debate session have spoken, the next session will begin immediately unless the time is approaching 10:00 pm;
- (j) after the public officers have spoken in the last debate session, the President gives leave to Hon Andrew LEUNG to speak on the proposed amendments for up to five minutes;

- (k) in accordance with Rule 34(5) of the Rules of Procedure, the President has decided that he will call upon the seven Members to move their respective amendments in the order set out below:
- (i) Hon Frederick FUNG;
  - (ii) Hon WU Chi-wai;
  - (iii) Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che;
  - (iv) Hon LEE Cheuk-yan;
  - (v) Hon Cyd HO;
  - (vi) Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG; and
  - (vii) Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung;
- (l) the President invites Hon Frederick FUNG to move his amendment to the motion, and forthwith proposes and puts to vote the question on Hon Frederick FUNG's amendment;
- (m) after Hon Frederick FUNG's amendment has been voted upon, the President deals with the other six amendments; and
- (n) after all amendments have been dealt with, the President calls upon Hon Andrew LEUNG to reply. Thereafter, the President puts to vote the question on Hon Andrew LEUNG's motion, or his motion as amended, as the case may be.

3. For Members' ease of reference, the terms of the original motion and of the motion, if amended, are set out in **Appendix II**.

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for Clerk to the Legislative Council

Encl.

**Grouping of Policy Areas for the Debate on the Motion of Thanks  
in respect of the Chief Executive's Policy Address delivered on 13 January 2016**

<b>Debate Session</b>	<b>Debate Themes</b>	<b>Policy Areas</b>	<b>Public Officers to Attend and Speaking Order<sup>Note</sup></b>
1	Economic Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Commerce and Industry</li> <li>- Economic Development (other than energy)</li> <li>- Belt and Road</li> <li>- Financial Affairs</li> <li>- Innovation and Technology Industries</li> <li>- Broadcasting and telecommunications</li> <li>- Maritime and Aviation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The Financial Secretary</li> <li>- Secretary for Commerce and Economic Development</li> <li>- Secretary for Innovation and Technology</li> <li>- Secretary for Financial Services and the Treasury</li> </ul>
2	Land, Housing, Transportation, Environment and Conservation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Housing</li> <li>- Development (planning, land and works)</li> <li>- Building Safety</li> <li>- Transport</li> <li>- Economic Development (energy)</li> <li>- Environmental Affairs</li> <li>- Conservation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Secretary for the Environment</li> <li>- Secretary for Transport and Housing</li> <li>- Secretary for Development</li> </ul>
3	Poverty Alleviation, Welfare and Medical Services, Elderly Care, Public Health and Population Policy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Poverty Alleviation</li> <li>- Welfare Services</li> <li>- Support for Ethnic Minorities and the Disadvantaged</li> <li>- Elderly Care</li> <li>- Health Services</li> <li>- Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene</li> <li>- Population Policy</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The Chief Secretary for Administration</li> <li>- Secretary for Labour and Welfare</li> <li>- Secretary for Food and Health</li> </ul>
4	Education, Manpower, Youth, Arts and Culture and Sports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Education</li> <li>- Manpower</li> <li>- Youth</li> <li>- Arts and Culture</li> <li>- Sports</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Secretary for Labour and Welfare</li> <li>- Secretary for Education</li> <li>- Secretary for Home Affairs</li> </ul>
5	Rule of law, Governance, Elections and District Administration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Constitutional Affairs</li> <li>- District Administration</li> <li>- Civic Education</li> <li>- Administration of Justice and Legal Services</li> <li>- Human Rights</li> <li>- Security</li> <li>- Public Service</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The Secretary for Justice</li> <li>- Secretary for Constitutional and Mainland Affairs</li> <li>- Secretary for Home Affairs</li> <li>- Secretary for Security</li> <li>- Secretary for the Civil Service</li> <li>- The Chief Secretary for Administration</li> </ul>

<sup>Note</sup> Should there be any change in the final arrangements in response to Members' speeches, the Administration will advise the President before the Public Officers speak at the relevant debate session.

(Translation)

**Motion of Thanks**  
to be held at the Council meeting on 17, 18 and 19 February 2016

**1. Hon Andrew LEUNG's original motion**

That this Council thanks the Chief Executive for his address.

**2. Motion as amended by Hon Frederick FUNG**

That this Council thanks the Chief Executive for his address, *but the address fails to deal with the current core problems of Hong Kong, including disregarding the serious erosion of 'one country, two systems' and the deepening of China-Hong Kong conflicts, and showing no intention to improve the poor relationship between the Executive and the Legislature, coupled with the Chief Executive's incompetence in governance, his wanton instigation of social conflicts, and his refusal to reflect on the blunders in policy implementation and identify inadequacies, etc., causing the public to feel extremely disappointed and angry; in addition, this Council expresses deep regret that on the issues of implementing a universal retirement protection system, enacting legislation on standard working hours, and reducing the Mandatory Provident Fund offsetting proportion, etc., the Chief Executive keeps procrastinating with interminable discussion and consultation, completely renegeing on the pledges made by him during his election campaign.*

Note: Hon Frederick FUNG's amendment is marked in *bold and italic type*.

**3. Motion as amended by Hon WU Chi-wai**

That this Council thanks the Chief Executive for his address, *but expresses deep regret that the Chief Executive LEUNG Chun-ying has put the focus of the address on 'One Belt One Road' to curry favour with the Central Government in return for its support for his re-election, while failing to honour his election pledges, which include enacting legislation on standard working hours, abolishing the Mandatory Provident Fund offsetting mechanism, safeguarding academic freedom and the autonomy of educational institutions, allowing declaration of income and assets on a personal basis for the Comprehensive Social Security Assistance Scheme for the elderly, allowing*

*people with loss of one limb to apply for Disability Allowance, defending ‘one country, two systems’, developing a democratic political system, resolving social conflicts and improving people’s livelihood.*

Note: Hon WU Chi-wai’s amendment is marked in *bold and italic type*.

#### **4. Motion as amended by Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che**

That this Council thanks the Chief Executive for his address, *so as to follow the convention of the Legislative Council; but expresses deep regret that the address has not made any undertaking to implement a universal retirement protection scheme, and requests the Government to devise a proposal for the universal retirement protection scheme under the principles of sustainability, robustness, replacement ratio and affordability, expeditiously draw up an implementation timetable and earmark \$100 billion as a seed fund for the scheme.*

Note: Hon CHEUNG Kwok-che’s amendment is marked in *bold and italic type*.

#### **5. Motion as amended by Hon LEE Cheuk-yan**

That this Council thanks the Chief Executive for his address, *but expresses deep regret that the Chief Executive fails to honour his undertaking to ‘adopt measures to progressively reduce the proportion of accrued benefits attributed to employer’s contribution in the MPF account that can be applied by the employer to offset long-service or severance payments’ as set out in his election manifesto, and continually procrastinates the legislative work on standard working hours.*

Note: Hon LEE Cheuk-yan’s amendment is marked in *bold and italic type*.

#### **6. Motion as amended by Hon Cyd HO**

That this Council thanks the Chief Executive for his address, *so as to follow the convention of the Legislative Council; given that in the address, the Chief Executive has reneged on all his promises in the aspects of constitutional development and people’s livelihood, focusing merely on currying favour with the Central Authorities while disregarding the interests of Hong Kong people, this Council hopes that this is the last time that Mr LEUNG Chun-ying delivered his address in the capacity as the Chief Executive, and that he will announce not to seek re-election, so that the SAR Government can return to*

*the right track and rekindle hope of Hong Kong people, thereby enabling Hong Kong to have a fresh start.*

Note: Hon Cyd HO's amendment is marked in *bold and italic type*.

#### **7. Motion as amended by Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG**

That this Council thanks the Chief Executive for his address, *but expresses deep regret that the Government insists on taking forward various major infrastructure projects and the extension of new towns, and quite a number of such infrastructure projects are 'white elephant projects', disregarding people's livelihood and wasting public money; and that the Government has 'jumped the queue' by arbitrarily giving priority to these infrastructure projects over livelihood-related projects in an attempt to coerce Members into approving the relevant funding applications.*

Note: Dr Hon Fernando CHEUNG's amendment is marked in *bold and italic type*.

#### **8. Motion as amended by Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung**

That this Council thanks the Chief Executive for his address, *but as the address fails to implement a universal retirement protection system, improve work and livelihood security for employees (including failing to legislate standard working hours and introduce overtime limits), and increase the number of subsidized places for programmes of post-secondary colleges and provide interest-free loans for students enrolled in such programmes, thus hindering young people's opportunities for studying in post-secondary colleges and enhancing their knowledge, this Council expresses deep regret and requests the Government to make improvements expeditiously.*

Note: Hon LEUNG Yiu-chung's amendment is marked in *bold and italic type*.