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2 March 2016 if extended by resolution)

Employees Retraining Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 2) Notice 2016

(L.N. 1)

Schedule 2 to the Employees Retraining Ordinance (Cap. 423) specifies a list of training bodies (the list) that may provide or conduct retraining courses for the purposes of Cap. 423. These training bodies are eligible for payments from the Employees Retraining Fund for retraining courses attended by trainees eligible to receive retraining allowances.

- 2. L.N. 1, made by the Employees Retraining Board under section 31(2) of Cap. 423, amends Schedule 2 to Cap. 423 by adding one training body (i.e. The Free Methodist Church of Hong Kong) to, and deleting five training bodies from, the list.
- 3. L.N. 1 came into operation on the day of its publication in the Gazette (i.e. 8 January 2016).
- 4. Members may refer to the Legislative Council Brief (File Ref: QA/TBM/09 Part 4) issued by the Employees Retraining Board Executive Office dated 5 January 2016 for background information.
- 5. As advised by the Clerk to the Panel on Manpower, the Panel has not been consulted on L.N. 1.

6. No difficulties have been identified in relation to the legal and drafting aspects of L.N. 1.

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