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Hon. Martin Liao Cheung-kong
Chairman for the Panel on Administration of Justice and Legal Services

Room 703
Legislative Council Complex
1 Legislative Council Road
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Dear Chairman,

Re: Common Entrance Examination proposed by the Law Society

I refer to the press release issued by the Law Society titled "Common Entrance Examination" on 6 January 2016 (the "Press Release"). In the Press Release, the Law Society notified the legal profession and the public about their unilateral decision to introduce a Common Entrance Examination (the "CEE") in 2021.

The Law Society has not released any detail about the operation of the proposed CEE. The proposed CEE is also of public concern and will have enormous implication to the legal profession, particularly the number of qualified solicitors and the standard of the profession. I therefore request that the Panel on Administration of Justice and Legal Services hold a discussion on the subject matter as soon as possible and invite representatives of the Law Society to attend the meeting.

Yours faithfully,

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