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Dear Ms So,

**LegCo Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene  
Follow-up to Meeting on 8 December 2015**

**Keep Clean @ Hong Kong : Our Home**

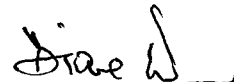
When the captioned subject was discussed at the meeting of the LegCo Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene (the Panel) on 8 December 2015, Members enquired about the breakdown of expenditure for the “Keep Clean 2015 @ Hong Kong: Our Home” campaign (the Campaign) held in August to September 2015.

The Government launched the Campaign in August and September 2015 to promote cross-sector partnership and community involvement in keeping Hong Kong clean. During the Campaign, efforts to improve environmental hygiene were stepped up, including targeted actions at clearing hygiene blackspots. Measures were also devised to tackle some long-standing environmental hygiene problems including those posed by private streets and private rear lanes, “three nil” buildings, marine refuse and construction waste. The relevant bureaux and departments made use of their existing resources and mobilised support from different sectors to cope with the relevant cleansing and publicity work, which is an integral part of their work.

Having regard to the experience in launching the Campaign in 2015, the Secretary for Food and Health has decided to meet with the Chairmen and Vice-chairmen of the Environmental Hygiene Committees of the District Councils about once every six months to keep track of the latest environmental hygiene situations on the ground and key areas requiring attention. The purpose is to allow us to review and adjust the relevant strategies in a timely manner, including how our limited resources could be best utilised to meet changing needs at the district level. The next such meeting is scheduled to take place in September 2016.

It is our plan to report to the LegCo Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene annually our work on this front.

Yours sincerely,



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for Secretary for Food and Health