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Clerk to the Subcommittee
to Examine the Implementation in Hong Kong of Resolutions
of the United Nations Security Council in relation to Sanctions
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Dear Mr Lam,

**Subcommittee to Examine the Implementation in Hong Kong of
Resolutions of the United Nations Security Council in relation to Sanctions**

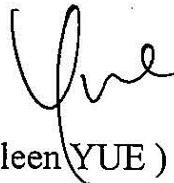
At the meeting of the Subcommittee to Examine the Implementation in Hong Kong of Resolutions of the United Nations Security Council in relation to Sanctions on 18 July 2018, the Government was requested to inform members, in relation to the United Nations Sanctions (Democratic People's Republic of Korea) Regulation (Cap. 537AE) ("the DPRK Regulation"), whether it has conducted due diligence on compliance with the provisions of section 10G – "Prohibition against certain activities in connection with immovable property" under Division 9 – "Property and Joint Ventures etc." of Part 2 of the DPRK Regulation; if so, of the details.

Bureau's Response

To ensure effective enforcement of the DPRK Regulation, the Government would consider the appropriate investigation and enforcement actions to be taken in respect of the various prohibitions, having regard to a host of factors, including the nature of the prohibitions and their relevance to the local context, the risks involved, any information indicating possible violation etc.

For the provisions of section 10G – “Prohibition against certain activities in connection with immovable property” under Division 9 – “Property and Joint Ventures etc.” of Part 2 of the DPRK Regulation, due diligence checking would involve, among other things, land records and stamp duty records.

Yours sincerely,



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for Secretary for Commerce and Economic Development