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Mr Daniel SIN
Clerk, Legislative Council Panel on
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1 Legislative Council Road
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Dear Mr SIN,

**Inappropriate Wording Used in News Reports
of Radio Television Hong Kong**

Thank you for relaying the views of a member of the public regarding the issues on Radio Television Hong Kong (RTHK) to the Commerce and Economic Development Bureau (CEDB) on 3 May. CEDB has forwarded the letter to RTHK, and our reply is as follows:

As a public service broadcaster, RTHK abides by the Charter of RTHK and has always been striving to promote understanding of our community, our nation and the world through accurate and impartial news. RTHK News uses appropriate wording that has always adhered to the "One China" principle.

The wording in the news reports mentioned in the letter from the public is in fact quite commonly used in the Hong Kong press. Other media organisations in Hong Kong, especially the mainstream electronic media, also handle the relevant reports in a similar way. RTHK will continue to uphold the highest professional standards in journalism.

Thank you.



(YIP Koon-lam)
for Director of Broadcasting

c.c. Secretary for Commerce and Economic Development
(Attn.: Mr Keith GIANG)