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Dear Miss Lo,

**Re: Electronic Transactions Bill**

I refer to your letter dated 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 1999.

In relation to Section 28 of Cap. 159, the deposit of documentary evidence as required under the section seems to suggest that the documents would be expected to be in writing. Furthermore, the admission of a barrister is a matter related to court proceedings, and the section ought to be exempted from the operation of the Bill.

We agree with the initial responses of the ITBB in relation to the remaining provisions.

We hope this is of assistance.

Yours sincerely,

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Chairman