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Mr. Arthur Cheung Assistant Legal Advisor Legislative Council Building 8 Jackson Road Central, Hong Kong

Dear Mr. Cheung,

RE: SMALL CLAIMS TRIBUNAL (AMENDMENT) BILL 1999

The Law Society's Civil Litigation Committee has reviewed the Bill and note that it does not contain any provision for an automatic review of the jurisdiction of the Small Claims Tribunal. It is recommended that provision be inserted for a bi-annual review of the jurisdiction without the necessity of introducing amending legislation each time a review is necessary.

Yours sincerely,

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