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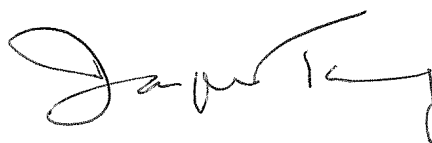
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Dear Mr WONG,

I refer to your letter dated 22 October 2013.

As President, I will not hesitate to exercise my powers to ensure the orderly, fair and proper conduct of meetings of the Council. Under the Rules of Procedure, the Chief Executive may address this Council and answer questions from Members on the work of the Government. I regard the use of offensive and insulting language by Members about the Chief Executive, who is the Head of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region, to be unparliamentary, and as such, an abuse of Members' freedom of speech and immunity from legal proceedings, which offends the dignity of the Council.

Yours sincerely



(Jasper TSANG Yok-sing)  
President  
Legislative Council

c.c. All Members of the Legislative Council