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Revocation of the decision to prorogue the sixth term of the Legislative Council

Further to LC paper No. CB(3) 525/19-20 issued on 10 June 2020 and LC paper No. CB(3) 668/19-20 issued on 11 August 2020, Members are invited to note the Government's announcement in today's Gazette that in exercise of the powers conferred by section 46 of the Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance (Cap. 1), the Chief Executive has revoked the decision to prorogue the sixth term of the Legislative Council ("LegCo") made under section 6(3) and (4) of the Legislative Council Ordinance (Cap. 542) with effect from 14 August 2020. The Government Notice which specified 18 July 2020 as the date from which the sixth term of LegCo shall stand prorogued is also revoked.

2. Meanwhile, the Decision of the Standing Committee of the National People's Congress on the Continuing Discharge of Duties by the Sixth Term Legislative Council of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region is also published in today's Gazette.

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