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#### Council meeting of 19 January 2005

## Motion on "Introducing a fair competition law for the oil industries"

Hon Mrs Selina CHOW LIANG Shuk-yee has given notice to move the attached motion on "Introducing a fair competition law for the oil industries" at the Council meeting of 19 January 2005. The President has directed that "it be printed in the terms in which it was handed in" on the Agenda of the Council.

(Ray CHAN) for Clerk to the Legislative Council

Encl.

### 2005年1月19日(星期三) 立法會會議席上 周梁淑怡議員就 "在石油行業引入公平競爭法" 提出的議案

#### 議案措辭

"鑒於本地的石油產品價格經常加快減慢及各油商調整價格的步伐趨於一致,而 石油產品零售價格往往又未能真確地反映入口成本價,本會促請政府積極考慮在 石油行業引入公平競爭法及其他有效措施,包括要求競爭政策諮詢委員會關注本 港石油市場可能出現的不公平競爭模式,並委託該委員會就有關情況作出監察和 研究,以增加石油行業的競爭性和提高產品價格的透明度,從而避免寡頭壟斷, 促進公平競爭和保障商戶及市民免受高油價之苦。"

#### (Translation)

# Motion on "Introducing a fair competition law for the oil industries" to be moved by Hon Mrs Selina CHOW LIANG Shuk-yee at the Legislative Council meeting of Wednesday, 19 January 2005

#### **Wording of the Motion**

"That, as the adjustments of local oil product prices are always quick in going up but slow in coming down and the pace of price adjustments by various oil companies tends to be synchronized, while oil product pump prices often fail to truly reflect import costs, this Council urges the Government to actively consider introducing a fair competition law and other effective measures for the oil industries, including requesting the Competition Policy Advisory Group to take heed of any unfair mode of competition that may emerge in the local oil market, and entrusting the Group to monitor and study the situation, with a view to increasing competition in the oil industries and enhancing the transparency of product prices, thereby avoiding oligopoly, promoting fair competition and safeguarding commercial clients and the public against high oil prices."