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From: Clerk to the Legislative Council

To : All Members of the Legislative Council

## Council meeting of 9 March 2005

# Motion on "Shortcomings of functional constituencies"

Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah has given notice to move the attached motion on "Shortcomings of functional constituencies" at the Council meeting of 9 March 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3月9日(星期三) 立法會會議席上 湯家驊議員就"功能界別的弊端" 提出的議案

## 議案措辭

"本會認為任何涉及增加立法會功能界別議席及選舉委員會中代表功能界別的委員數目的政制改革方案,皆違背《基本法》第四十五條及第六十八條所訂定,按照'循序漸進'及'實際情況'的原則以達至普選的目標;並要求政府在政制發展專責小組第五號報告中明確表明,將來提出的任何所謂'主流方案',都不會包括增加立法會功能界別議席及選舉委員會中代表功能界別的委員數目的建議。"

#### (Translation)

Motion on "Shortcomings of functional constituencies" to be moved by Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah at the Legislative Council meeting of Wednesday, 9 March 2005

### **Wording of the Motion**

"That this Council considers that any constitutional reform proposal which involves an increase in the numbers of functional constituency seats in the Legislative Council and of the members representing functional constituencies in the Election Committee violates Articles 45 and 68 of the Basic Law, which stipulate that the principles of 'gradual and orderly progress' and 'actual situation' should be followed in achieving the aim of universal suffrage; and requests the Government to state clearly in the Fifth Report of the Constitutional Development Task Force that any so-called 'mainstream proposal' which will be put forward in the future will not include proposals to increase the numbers of functional constituency seats in the Legislative Council and of the members representing functional constituencies in the Election Committee."