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Clerk to Public Accounts Committee
(Attn.: Ms Miranda Hon)
Legislative Council
Legislative Council Building
8 Jackson Road
Central, Hong Kong

Dear Ms Hon,

**The Director of Audit's Report on the
results of value for money audits (Report No. 46)**

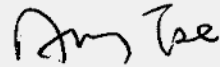
Chapter 7 – RTHK: financial control and resource management

I refer to the letter ref. (4) in RTHK/CR 12/38 IV dated 8 June 2006 from the Director of Broadcasting (D of B) to the Public Accounts Committee (PAC), reporting progress on various actions set out in the Action Plan drawn up by the System Review Unit of RTHK. Regarding the item “handover of inventories kept by TSA”, D of B reported that “memo sent to FSTB to seek their advice on compensation of the disputed items” and “reply is being awaited”.

We would like to supplement that the Financial Services and the Treasury Bureau issued a memo to D of B on 29 May 2006, seeking information and advice on, amongst others, the loss of their TSA inventories and Director of Audit's recommendation on the assessment of indemnity. We are indeed

awaiting the reply from D of B. Subject to the advice from D of B, we will work out with RTHK, and in consultation with relevant departments, an appropriate basis for assessing the indemnity. Members of the PAC may wish to note the updated position of the action taken by the Administration in this regard.

Yours sincerely,



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for Secretary for Financial Services and the Treasury

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