

# A BILL

# To

Amend the City University of Hong Kong Ordinance.

Enacted by the Legislative Council.

## 1. Short title and commencement

(1) This Ordinance may be cited as the City University of Hong Kong (Amendment) Ordinance 2006.

(2) This Ordinance shall come into operation on 1 January 2007.

## 2. Interpretation

(1) Section 2 of the City University of Hong Kong Ordinance (Cap. 1132) is amended, in the English text, in the definition of “University”, by repealing the semicolon and substituting a full stop.

(2) Section 2 is amended by repealing the definition of “Vice-President”.

## 3. Membership of the Council

(1) Section 10(1)(c), (d) and (e) is repealed.

(2) Section 10(1)(f) is repealed and the following substituted—

“(f) not more than 15 members who are not students or employees of the University of whom—

(i) not more than 8 are appointed by the Chief Executive on the recommendation of the Council; and

(ii) 7 are appointed by the Chief Executive;”.

(3) Section 10(1)(h) is repealed and the following substituted—

“(h) 1 member of staff elected from among their number and appointed by the Council; and”.

- (4) Section 10(1)(i) is repealed.
- (5) Section 10(1)(j) is repealed and the following substituted—  
“(j) 1 student elected from among students and appointed by the Council.”.
- (6) Section 10(3) is repealed.
- (7) Section 10(3B) is amended by repealing “subsection (1)(g) or (h)” and substituting “subsection (1)(g), (h) or (j)”.

#### **4. Transitional provisions relating to certain existing Council members**

(1) A person who was a member of the Council under section 10(1)(f)(ii) of the principal Ordinance immediately before the commencement of this Ordinance shall, on and from the commencement of this Ordinance, continue to be a member for the unexpired portion of his term of appointment and be deemed to have been appointed under section 10(1)(f)(i) of the principal Ordinance as amended by this Ordinance.

(2) A person who was a member of the Council under section 10(1)(f)(iii) of the principal Ordinance immediately before the commencement of this Ordinance shall, on and from the commencement of this Ordinance, continue to be a member for the unexpired portion of his term of appointment and be deemed to have been appointed under section 10(1)(f)(ii) of the principal Ordinance as amended by this Ordinance.

(3) In this section, “principal Ordinance” (主體條例) means the City University of Hong Kong Ordinance (Cap. 1132) as in force immediately before the commencement of this Ordinance.

#### **Explanatory Memorandum**

The purpose of this Bill is to amend the City University of Hong Kong Ordinance (Cap. 1132) to change the structure of the Council of the City University of Hong Kong, to reduce the total number of Council members, to make consequential amendments and to provide for transitional matters.