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**Council meeting of 7 November 2007**

**Motion on  
“Enhancing co-operation with Macao in developing the tourism industry”**

Hon James TIEN Pei-chun has given notice to move the attached motion on “Enhancing co-operation with Macao in developing the tourism industry” at the Council meeting of 7 November 2007. The President has directed that “it be printed in the terms in which it was handed in” on the Agenda of the Council.

( Mrs Justina LAM )  
for Clerk to the Legislative Council

Encl.

(Translation)

**Motion on  
“Enhancing co-operation with Macao  
in developing the tourism industry”  
to be moved by Hon James TIEN Pei-chun  
at the Legislative Council meeting  
of Wednesday, 7 November 2007**

**Wording of the Motion**

“That, in view of the rapid development of the tourism industry in Hong Kong and Macao in recent years, indicating that there is immense room for co-operation between the two places, this Council urges the Government to expeditiously adopt measures to enhance the co-operation with Macao on the tourism front, with a view to fostering the long-term development of Hong Kong’s tourism industry and achieving a win-win situation with Macao; such measures should include:

- (a) appealing to the Central Government for the issuance of a single exit endorsement for visiting Hong Kong and Macao under the Individual Visit Scheme, so as to facilitate Mainland travellers in visiting the two places on the same trip;
- (b) using an automated clearance system to shorten the immigration clearance time for Hong Kong people at the Macao control point, so as to make available more space to facilitate immigration clearance of other travellers; and
- (c) collaborating with the relevant authorities in Macao and Guangdong Province in training middle and senior management professionals for the hotel and tourism sectors.”