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Proposed amendments to motion on "Constitutional reform"

Further to LC Paper No. CB(3) 738/09-10 issued on 27 May 2010, Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung and Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung have respectively given notice of their intention to move separate amendments to Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah's motion on "Constitutional reform" scheduled for the Council meeting of 9 June 2010. As directed by the President, Hon Jeffrey LAM's and Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung's amendments will be printed in the terms in which they were handed in on the Agenda of the Council.

- 2. The President will order a joint debate on the above motion and the two amendments. To assist Members in debating the motion and amendments, I set out below the procedure to be followed during the debate:
 - (a) the President calls upon Hon Ronny TONG to speak and move his motion;
 - (b) the President proposes the question on Hon Ronny TONG's motion;
 - (c) the President calls upon the two Members, who intend to move amendments, to speak in the following order, but no amendment is to be moved at this stage:
 - (i) Hon Jeffrey LAM; and
 - (ii) Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung;

- (d) the President calls upon the designated public officer(s) to speak;
- (e) the President invites other Members to speak;
- (f) the President gives leave to Hon Ronny TONG to speak for the second time on the two amendments;
- (g) the President calls upon the designated public officer(s) again to speak;
- (h) in accordance with Rule 34(5) of the Rules of Procedure, the President has decided that he will call upon the two Members to move their respective amendments in the order set out in paragraph (c) above. The President invites Hon Jeffrey LAM to move his amendment to the motion, and forthwith proposes and puts to vote the question on the amendment;
- (i) after Hon Jeffrey LAM's amendment has been voted upon, the President deals with Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung's amendment to the motion; and
- (j) after Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung's amendment has been dealt with, the President calls upon Hon Ronny TONG to reply. Thereafter, the President puts to vote the question on Hon Ronny TONG's motion, or his motion as amended, as the case may be.
- 3. For Members' ease of reference, the terms of the original motion and of the motion, if amended, are set out in the **Appendix**.

(Mrs Justina LAM) for Clerk to the Legislative Council

Encl.

(Translation)

Motion debate on "Constitutional reform" to be held at the Legislative Council meeting of Wednesday, 9 June 2010

1. Hon Ronny TONG Ka-wah's original motion

That, as the SAR Government and the Chief Secretary for Administration have repeatedly stated in public that the existing functional constituency elections do not comply with the principle of 'universality' and 'equality', and as universal suffrage models should comply with this fundamental principle and Hong Kong people also hope that discussions on universal suffrage models can commence as soon as possible, this Council urges the Government to proactively motivate various sectors to engage in extensive and in-depth discussions and studies on the selection of the Chief Executive by universal suffrage upon nomination in accordance with 'democratic procedures' as provided under Article 45 of the Basic Law and on the way to deal with the issue of functional constituencies, so as to forge consensus on universal suffrage models and implement dual universal suffrage as early as possible.

2. Motion as amended by Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung

That, as the SAR the HKSAR Government and the Chief Secretary for Administration have repeatedly stated in public that the existing functional constituency elections do not comply with the principle of 'universality' and 'equality', and as universal suffrage models should comply with this fundamental principle and Hong Kong people also hope that discussions on universal suffrage models can commence as soon as possible; this Council urges the various political parties and Members of the Legislative Council to support the passage of the 2012 constitutional reform proposals, so as to pave the way for implementing universal suffrage for the Chief Executive in 2017 and subsequently for the Legislative Council; on this basis, this Council proposes that the Government to proactively motivate various sectors to engage in extensive and in-depth discussions and studies on the selection of the Chief Executive by universal suffrage upon nomination in accordance with 'democratic procedures' as provided under Article 45 of the Basic Law and on the way to deal with the issue of functional constituencies, so as to forge consensus on universal suffrage models and implement dual universal suffrage as early as possible.

Note: Hon Jeffrey LAM Kin-fung's amendment is marked in *bold and italic type* or with deletion line.

3. Motion as amended by Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung

That, as the SAR Government and the Chief Secretary for Administration have repeatedly stated in public that the existing functional constituency elections do not comply with the principle of 'universality' and 'equality', and as universal suffrage models should comply with this fundamental principle and Hong Kong people also hope that discussions on universal suffrage models can commence as soon as possible, this Council urges *that* the Government to proactively motivate various sectors to engage in extensive and in-depth discussions and studies on the selection of the Chief Executive by universal suffrage upon nomination in accordance with 'democratic procedures' as provided under Article 45 of the Basic Law and on the way to deal with the issue of functional constituencies, so as to forge consensus on universal suffrage models and implement dual universal suffrage as early as possible must, in respect of the electoral system for the Chief Executive, abolish the existing Election Committee system, so that any eligible person who is nominated (with signatures) by a certain number of registered electors (e.g. 50 000) can stand for the election of the Chief Executive on a one-person-one-vote basis, so as to comply with the principle of all persons having the right to elect and to be elected by universal and equal suffrage; in respect of the electoral system for the Legislative Council, ensure that seats must be returned by universal suffrage while the existing functional constituencies must be abolished and dual universal suffrage be implemented in 2012.

Note: Hon LEUNG Kwok-hung's amendment is marked in **bold and italic type** or with deletion line.