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Dear Mrs WONG,

### Education (Amendment) Bill 2013

Thank you for your reply of 9 April 2013.

According to paragraph 4 of the LegCo Brief, the intended scope of protection under the Education Ordinance (Cap. 279) is "consistent" with that provided under the Mandatory Provident Fund Schemes Ordinance (Cap. 485). Based on your reply as to why the protection is extended to benefits "accruing" and "to be accrued", please clarify whether the protection afforded to teachers in grant or subsidized schools as proposed in the Bill could be greater than that afforded to MPF contributors under Cap. 485, because the protection afforded to the latter covers only "accrued" benefits, which as defined do not seem to include benefits "accruing" and "to be accrued". Please let me have the Administration's further reply in both languages by 10 April 2013.

Yours sincerely,

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