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LegCo Delegation visits Parliament of Denmark (with photos)

The delegation of the Legislative Council ("LegCo") proceeded to the visit programme in Denmark yesterday (19 September), the last stop of its parliamentary visit in Northern Europe.

In the morning, the delegation visited the State of Green, a public-private partnership founded by the Danish Government and the Confederation of Danish Industry aiming at promoting green economic growth in Denmark and making Denmark as the first country in the world free from fossil fuel. Delegation members received a briefing on the work of the State of Green and participated in a guided tour of the facilities.

The delegation then attended a meeting with Ms Susanne HYLDELUND, Ambassador for the Trade Council of the Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs. A wide range of issues were discussed at the meeting, covering trade, creative industries and food safety.

In the afternoon, the delegation visited the Folketing, the Parliament of Denmark, to meet with Mr Bertel HAARDER, First Deputy Speaker of the Presidium of the Danish Parliament. Mr HAARDER gave an introduction of the work of the Presidium of the Folketing and shared his views on the political landscape

of the Danish Parliament and its relationship with the Danish Administration, as well as the powers and functions of the Presidium.

At the Folketing, the delegation also met with Mr Jesper THINGHUUS, Committee Secretary in the Committee Secretariat, and Mr Flemming Kordt HANSEN, International Adviser in the International Secretariat. Delegation members took the opportunity to learn about the committee system of the Danish Parliament and the work of the International Secretariat of the Folketing.

After the meetings, delegation members participated in a guided tour of the Folketing.

The delegation will visit the Danish Design Center and the local food manufacturer today (20 September) and then depart for Hong Kong.

Ends/Saturday, 20 September 2014

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The LegCo delegation visits the State of Green.



The LegCo delegation receives a briefing from Ms Susanne HYLDELUND (first right), Ambassador for the Trade Council of the Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs.



The LegCo delegation presents a souvenir to Mr Bertel HAARDER (fifth left), First Deputy Speaker of the Presidium of the Folketing, the Parliament of Denmark.



The LegCo delegation meets with Mr Jesper THINGHUUS (first left), Committee Secretary in the Committee Secretariat, and Mr Flemming Kordt HANSEN (second left), International Adviser in the International Secretariat of the Folketing, the Parliament of Denmark.



Members of the LegCo delegation pose for a group photo during the guided tour of the Folketing, the Parliament of Denmark.