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To : All Members of the Legislative Council

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Medical Registration (Amendment) Bill 2016

Committee stage amendments

The Second Reading debate on the above Bill will be resumed at the Council meeting of 29 June 2016. Subject to the Bill receiving Second Reading, the President has given permission for the Secretary for Food and Health to move Committee stage amendments (“CSAs”) to the Bill.

2. As directed by the President, the CSAs are attached for Members’ consideration.

(Lilian MOK)
for Clerk to the Legislative Council

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Amendments to be moved by the Secretary for Food and Health

<u>Clause</u>	<u>Amendment Proposed</u>
4	<p>By deleting the clause and substituting—</p> <p>“4. Section 3 amended (establishment and composition of Council)</p> <p>(1) Section 3(2)—</p> <p>Repeal paragraph (g)</p> <p>Substitute</p> <p>“(g) 8 lay members appointed by the Chief Executive—</p> <p>(i) 3 of whom are elected by the organizations specified by the Permanent Secretary for Food and Health (Health) under subsection (3AA) in accordance with the guidelines issued by him or her in consultation with those organizations; and</p> <p>(ii) 1 of whom is nominated by the Consumer Council;”.</p> <p>(2) Section 3(2)(h)—</p> <p>Repeal</p> <p>everything after “practitioners”</p> <p>Substitute</p> <p>“elected by the Academy of Medicine in accordance with its regulations or procedures;”.</p> <p>(3) Section 3(3)—</p> <p>Repeal</p> <p>“, (g) or (h)”</p> <p>Substitute</p>

“or (g)”.

(4) After section 3(3)—

Add

“(3AA) The Permanent Secretary for Food and Health (Health) may, for the purposes of subsection (2)(g)(i), specify, by notice published in the Gazette, organizations that, in his or her opinion, represent the interests of patients.”.

(5) Section 3(3A)—

Repeal

“(2)(i) or”

Substitute

“(2)(h), (i) or”.

(6) Section 3(5A)—

Repeal

everything after “holding office under” and before “the member elected”

Substitute

“subsection (2)(h) or (i), the member resigns or the member’s office becomes vacant—

(a) the Academy of Medicine or the Hong Kong Medical Association (as the case requires) must, as soon as possible, conduct an election to elect a person qualified under subsection (2)(h) or (i) (as the case requires) to fill that vacancy; and

(b) ”.”.

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By adding—

“(3A) Section 20S(4)—

Repeal

everything after “a meeting,” and before “to preside at”

Substitute

“the other members present and forming a quorum must

elect a person from among themselves”.”.

10 By renumbering the clause as clause 10(3).

10 By adding—

“(1) Section 21(1)(c)—

Repeal

“; or”

Substitute a semicolon.

(2) Section 21(1)(d)—

Repeal the comma

Substitute a semicolon.”.

New By adding after clause 12—

“12A. Section 35 amended (transitional)

After section 35(9)—

Add

“(10) If, on the commencement date of section 4 of the Medical Registration (Amendment) Ordinance 2016 (of 2016), the term of office of a member of the Council referred to in section 3(2)(h) as in force immediately before that date has not yet expired, the member may continue to hold office until the member’s term of office expires.”.”.