Subcommittee on Antiquities and Monuments (Declaration of Proposed Monument) (Hung Lau) Notice

Follow-up actions arising from the meeting on 31 March 2017

- 1. The Administration is requested to provide the relevant documents relating to the assessment of Hung Lau and classification of the building as a Grade 1 historical building by the Antiquities Advisory Board ("AAB") in 1981, and AAB's subsequent reviews on the grading in 1985, 1995, 2009 and 2011, including the assessment of Hung Lau in respect of each of the six criteria (i.e. historical interest, architectural merit, group value, social value and local interest, authenticity and rarity) adopted by AAB for appraising the heritage value of historical buildings.
- 2. The Administration is requested to respond to a member's view that AAB should conduct an independent assessment on Hung Lau in the coming 12 months in considering whether the building should be declared as monument for permanent protection.

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