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Ms Sophie LAU
Clerk to Panel on Administration
of Justice and Legal Services
Legislative Council Complex
1 Legislative Council Road
Central, Hong Kong

Dear Ms Lau,

**Panel on Administration of Justice and Legal Services
Meeting on 24 April 2017**

**Agenda Item IV: Review of the Civil Jurisdictional Limits
of the District Court and the Small Claims Tribunal**

At the above meeting, Members requested the Judiciary to provide statistics on the number of claims filed with the Small Claims Tribunal, with breakdown for the claim amount. The requested statistics in the past five years¹ is provided in the table below for Members' reference –

¹ The Judiciary only maintains the requested statistics on a calendar year basis.

Claim Amount (HK\$)	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
≤10,000	29 261	28 003	27 547	26 409	26 059
>10,000 - ≤ 20,000	6 164	5 506	5 945	5 561	5 925
>20,000 - ≤ 30,000	3 796	3 994	4 144	4 249	4 521
>30,000 - ≤ 40,000	2 801	2 695	2 960	3 139	3 234
>40,000 - < 50,000	2 853	3 312	3 405	3 508	4 066
= \$50,000	3 326	5 472	6 082	6 909	5 364
Total	48 201	48 982	50 083	49 775	49 169

Yours sincerely,



(David Lau)
for Judiciary Administrator