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**Basic Law of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region
of the People's Republic of China**

Resolution

(Under Article 75 of the Basic Law of the Hong Kong Special
Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China)

**Rules of Procedure of the Legislative Council of the
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region**

Resolved that the Rules of Procedure of the Legislative Council of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region be amended as set out in the Schedule.

Schedule

Amendments to Rules of Procedure of the Legislative Council of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region

1. Rule 3 amended (presiding in Council and in committee of the whole Council)

After Rule 3(1) —

Add

“(1A) The duties of the President require the balancing of the rights and interests of the majority and minority in the Council and that the interests of all parts of the Council are advocated and protected against the use of arbitrary authority.”.

2. Rule 7 amended (Counsel to the Legislature)

After Rule 7(2) —

Add

“(3) The Deputy Counsel shall assist the Counsel to the Legislature in discharge of his duties under subrules (1) and (2).”.