#### Hon Martin LIAO Cheung-kong

Motion to amend paragraph 39 of the Finance Committee Procedure, paragraph 32 of the Establishment Subcommittee Procedure and paragraph 33 of the Public Works Subcommittee Procedure

### Paragraph 39 of the Finance Committee Procedure

39. A member when speaking on a proposal in the Committee may move without notice that discussion on an item or further proceedings of the Committee be now adjourned. Thereupon the Chairman shall propose the question on the motion to adjourn [Rule 40]. A member, when speaking on the question, may not speak more than once [Rule 38] and shall not make a speech for *more than three minutes or* longer than any time period as decided by the *Chairman* Committee, or where no such decision has been made, for more than three minutes. When no or no more member indicates his intention to speak on the question, the Chairman shall forthwith put the question on the motion to the Committee for its decision. No member may speak on the question after it has been put [Rule 33].

#### Paragraph 32 of the Establishment Subcommittee Procedure

32. A member when speaking on a proposal in the Subcommittee may move without notice that discussion on an item or further proceedings of the Subcommittee be now adjourned. Thereupon the Chairman shall propose the question on the motion to adjourn [Rule 40]. A member, when speaking on the question, may not speak more than once [Rule 38] and shall not make a speech for *more than three minutes or* longer than any time period as decided by the *Chairman*Subcommittee, or where no such decision has been made, for more than three minutes. When no or no more member indicates his intention to speak on the question, the Chairman shall forthwith put the question on the motion to the Subcommittee for its decision. No member may speak on the question after it has been put [Rule 33].

## Paragraph 33 of the Public Works Subcommittee Procedure

33. A member when speaking on a proposal in the Subcommittee may move without notice that discussion on an item or further proceedings of the Subcommittee be now adjourned. Thereupon the Chairman shall propose the question on the motion to adjourn [Rule 40]. A member, when speaking on the question, may not speak more than once [Rule 38] and shall not make a speech for *more than three minutes or* longer than any time period as decided by the *Chairman* Subcommittee, or where no such decision has been made, for more than three minutes. When no or no more member indicates his intention to speak on the question, the Chairman shall forthwith put the question on the motion to the Subcommittee for its decision. No member may speak on the question after it has been put [Rule 33].

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#### **Hon Martin LIAO Cheung-kong**

Motion to amend paragraph 37A of the Finance Committee Procedure, paragraph 31A of the Establishment Subcommittee Procedure and paragraph 32A of the Public Works Subcommittee Procedure

### Paragraph 37A of the Finance Committee Procedure

37A. During the deliberation of an agenda item, prior to the question on it being put to vote, a member may move a motion without notice to express a view *or views* on the agenda item if the motion is considered by the Chairman as directly related to the agenda item and *if* agreed by a majority of members that it should be proceeded forthwith. *No debate shall take place to ascertain if members will so agree. Each member may propose no more than one such motion, which is not amendable.* Any proposed motion or amendment to the motion should be presented has to be in written form and presented by a time specified by the Chairman. Members may speak on the motion and amendment to the motion, if any, in a joint debate.

### Paragraph 31A of the Establishment Subcommittee Procedure

31A. During the deliberation of an agenda item, prior to the question on it being put to vote, a member may move a motion without notice to express a view *or views* on the agenda item if the motion is considered by the Chairman as directly related to the agenda item and *if* agreed by a majority of members that it should be proceeded forthwith. *No debate shall take place to ascertain if members will so agree. Each member may propose no more than one such motion, which is not amendable.* Any proposed motion or amendment to the motion should be presented has to be in written form and presented by a time specified by the Chairman. Members may speak on the motion and amendment to the motion, if any, in a joint debate.

# Paragraph 32A of the Public Works Subcommittee Procedure

32A. During the deliberation of an agenda item, prior to the question on it being put to vote, a member may move a motion without notice to express a view *or views* on the agenda item if the motion is considered by the Chairman as directly related to the agenda item and *if* agreed by a majority of members that it should be proceeded forthwith. *No debate shall take place to ascertain if members will so agree. Each member may propose no more than one such motion, which is not amendable.* Any proposed motion-or amendment to the motion should be presented *has to be* in written form *and presented by a time specified by the Chairman*. Members may speak on the motion and amendment to the motion, if any, in a joint debate.

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