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Clerk to Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene
Legislative Council Complex
1 Legislative Council Road
Central
Hong Kong
(Attention: Ms Wendy LO)

Dear Ms LO,

**Government's Response to Motion Passed at
Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene**

Thank you for your letter regarding the captioned matter on 11 November 2017. With respect to the motion passed at the Policy Briefing on 31 October 2017 on public markets, our response is as follows:

As announced in the Policy Address this year, the Government has completed the studies on site selection of new public markets, and proposed a market with brand new design to be built on the section of Tin Fook Road outside Tin Shui Wai MTR Station, and another one to be

provided in Tung Chung Town Centre on the lower floors of a commercial building in Area 6 adjacent to Tung Chung MTR Station. We are now consulting the local communities on the abovementioned sites and market design, and will further explore the mode of operation of the new markets. Meanwhile, we are identifying sites for public markets in Tseung Kwan O and Kwu Tung North New Development Area so as to provide more choices to the public in purchasing fresh food.

[signed]

(Irene CHEUNG)

for Secretary for Food and Health