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Dear Prof. LEE,

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Our College welcomes the Government to introduce measures to regulate medical devices and believes that such regulations are long overdue given the fact that they already have been implemented in most developed countries to protect the public's interest. However, we do feel various issues with the current proposal should be addressed:

- 1) In terms of translational listing system, the proposed 5-year listing is far too long and should be considered to shorten to a 3-year period.
- 2) This proposed regulation does not specify user control and therefore we do believe that this area should be addressed in future.

We would like our opinions to be shared with the public.

Yours Sincerely,

Dr. Sze-kee LEUNG, President, Hong Kong College of Dermatologists