Subcommittee on Financial Institutions (Resolution) (Loss-absorbing Capacity Requirements - Banking Sector) Rules

List of follow-up actions arising from the discussion at the meeting on 23 November 2018

- 1. The Administration and the Hong Kong Monetary Authority ("HKMA") are requested to:
 - (a) provide a comparison of the coverage of the loss-absorbing capacity ("LAC") rules of under the Hong Kong resolution regime with other major international financial markets, including whether an entity which is neither a global systemically important bank ("G-SIB") nor a domestic systemically important bank ("D-SIB") will be subject to LAC requirements;
 - (b) consider some members' suggestion that the Financial Institutions (Resolution) (Loss-absorbing Capacity Requirements Banking Sector) Rules ("the Rules") should provide that only G-SIBs and D-SIBs will be subject to LAC requirements; and
 - (c) provide written responses on views raised and submissions made by deputations.
- 2. The Administration and HKMA are requested to consider some members' suggestion that the following matters should be prescribed in the Rules instead of in a Code of Practice on the LAC requirements developed by HKMA:
 - (a) the asset threshold for authorized institutions ("AIs") to be covered under the Rules and hence required to meet the LAC requirements;
 - (b) the factors to be considered by the Monetary Authority ("MA") in deciding the classification of an AI as a resolution entity or a material subsidiary (i.e. an in-scope AI"); and
 - (c) the timeline for in-scope AIs to comply with the LAC requirements, and the mechanism for MA to defer the implementation schedule of a particular in-scope AI.

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