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Subject: URGENT - Pledge Municipal Solid Waste Scheme (G Lam)

Dear Honorable Legislative Members:

I'm writing to support the quick passing of the Municipal Solid Waste Scheme.

Hong Kong needs to improve it's current situation and we need cleaner environment. There are plastics bottles, bags, rubbish and even big furniture everywhere on the streets. There are not enough recycle bins and they are badly designed. There are more street rats in HK than before due to this massive problem. We need to have a better recycle system. Also we are running out of landfill areas and we simply cannot keep dumping rubbish into the ocean as this affects people's health and sea lives.

We need to change the current policy as it is not working. There should be stricter laws to make companies, citizens and all individual be more cautious in order to encourage reduction of waste and separation of food and recyclables.

With the recent Typhoon Mangkut, we had an unbelievable aftermath with plastics and other disgusting rubbish washed up to the land everywhere. Today 60% of the local fish have microplastic in their stomachs already. This will be worse in 10 years time and it is unfair to the next few generation.

My toddler is only 5 years old and I hate to think by the time he is older, the problems he will have to deal with. I implore your support to pass this bill.

Yours faithfully

Best Regards

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