LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL BRIEF

District Councils Ordinance (Chapter 547)

DECLARATION OF CONSTITUENCIES (DISTRICT COUNCILS) ORDER 2018

INTRODUCTION

At the meeting of the Executive Council on 4 December 2018, the Council **ADVISED** and the Chief Executive ("CE") **ORDERED** that –

- (a) the recommendations in the report submitted by the Electoral Affairs Commission ("EAC") to the CE on the delineation and the names of constituencies for the District Council ("DC") Ordinary Election in 2019 ("the EAC Report") should be accepted in their entirety; and
- (b) the Declaration of Constituencies (District Councils) Order 2018, at <u>Annex A</u>, should be made under section 6 of the District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547) ("DCO").
- B 2. The main text of the EAC Report is at Annex B. The full report has been tabled at the Legislative Council ("LegCo") on 12 December 2018.

JUSTIFICATIONS

The EAC Report

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(A) Statutory Requirements

3. Under section 4(a) of the Electoral Affairs Commission Ordinance (Cap. 541) ("EACO"), one of the functions of the EAC is to consider or review the boundaries of DC constituency areas ("DCCAs") for the purpose of making recommendations on the delineation and the

names of DCCAs for a DC Ordinary Election. The EAC is required under section 18 of the EACO to submit a report to the CE on its recommendations for DCCAs not more than 36 months from the preceding DC Ordinary Election. As the last DC Ordinary Election was held on 22 November 2015, the EAC should submit its report and recommendations to the CE by 21 November 2018.

- 4. In making recommendations on the delineation of DCCAs, the EAC is bound by certain statutory provisions as set out in the EACO and the DCO. The combined effects of the relevant provisions of these two Ordinances are as follows
 - (a) there are to be 452 elected members in the 18 DCs [section 5(1) of the DCO and Part 1 of Schedule 3 to the DCO];
 - (b) each constituency is to have one elected member [section 7 of the DCO] and hence there are 452 DCCAs;
 - (c) the population in each constituency should be as near the population quota as practicable¹, and if it is not practicable to comply with this requirement, the population in that constituency should not exceed or fall short of the population quota by more than 25% [section 20(1)(c) and (d) of the EACO];
 - (d) the EAC may depart from the strict application of (c) above only if it appears that a consideration of community identities, the preservation of local ties or physical features such as the size, shape, accessibility and development of the relevant area, renders a departure necessary or desirable [section 20(3) and (5) of the EACO]; and
 - (e) the EAC must follow the existing boundaries of districts specified under the DCO [section 20(4A) of the EACO].

The relevant provisions of the EACO and the DCO are extracted at $\underline{C \& D}$ and \underline{D} respectively.

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Population quota means the total population of Hong Kong divided by the total number of elected members to be returned in the election.

5. In accordance with statutory requirement, for this delineation exercise the EAC has drawn up provisional recommendations and conducted a public consultation exercise, before making its final recommendations to the CE.

(B) Provisional Recommendations of the EAC

(a) Working principles (paragraph 2.3 of the EAC Report)

- 6. When the EAC drew up its provisional recommendations, a primary consideration was to ensure compliance with the statutory criterion of population figures. Following established practice, the EAC population figures adopted the projection provided by inter-departmental working group chaired by the Planning Department. This working group projected that the population of Hong Kong as at the end of June 2019 will be 7 502 600. Accordingly, with 452 DCCAs, the population quota is 16 599, and the population in a constituency should not exceed or fall short of the population quota by more than 25%, hence the permissible range of population for each DCCA is from 12 449 to 20 749.
- 7. When the EAC drew up its provisional recommendations, it adopted a set of working principles, which included the following
 - (a) for existing DCCAs where the population fell within the permissible range of population (i.e. 12 449 to 20 749), their boundaries would be maintained as far as possible;
 - (b) for existing DCCAs where the population fell outside the permissible range of population, if that situation was allowed for the 2015 DC Ordinary Election and there remains valid justifications to allow such situation, their boundaries would be maintained as far as possible;
 - (c) other than (b) above, for existing DCCAs where the population fell outside the permissible range of population, adjustments would be made to their boundaries (unless there are justifications for maintaining their boundaries on grounds of community identities, preservation of local ties and / or physical features) and also those of adjacent DCCAs so that their populations stay within the permissible range of population. If there was more than one way to adjust the boundaries of the DCCAs concerned, the one which affected

the least number of existing DCCAs or less population would be adopted, otherwise the one with the least departure from the population quota would be used; and

(d) factors with political implications would not be taken into consideration.

(b) Public consultation (paragraphs 3.1 to 3.7 of the EAC Report)

- 8. In accordance with section 19 of the EACO, the EAC conducted a public consultation exercise on its provisional recommendations for a period of not less than 30 days. During the consultation period from 23 July 2018 to 21 August 2018, members of the public could submit written representations to the EAC, or attend the public forums held on 1 and 3 August 2018 to express their views. The EAC received a total of 6 285 written representations, of which, five representations were withdrawn. The two forums were attended by 263 people and 65 oral representations were received. The original texts of the written representations are contained in Volume 3 of the EAC Report. Summaries of the written representations and oral representations raised at the public forums are set out in Appendix II of Volume 1 of the EAC Report.
- 9. As in past exercises, the representations received by the EAC during the public consultation period included both supporting and opposing views on the provisional recommendations, and alternative proposals. The EAC continues to adopt the relevant statutory criteria (paragraph 4 above) and working principles (paragraph 7 above) to examine the merits of the representations in a prudent manner. In examining the representations, the EAC has noted some matters and set out its observations thereon in Chapter 4 of its main text (see **Annex B**) so that the public may fully understand the factors that have been taken into considerations by the EAC. They are summarised in paragraphs 10 to 14 below.

(c) Issues raised during public consultation and the EAC's considerations (paragraphs 4.1 to 4.29 of the EAC Report)

Number of DC elected seats and DCCAs

10. The EAC mentioned that the review on number of elected seats for the 2019 DC Ordinary Election was the responsibility of the

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Government and the number was pre-set before the start of the delineation exercise, and the EAC had no authority to revise or vary it.

"Principle of equal representation" and consideration of the other statutory factors

- 11. The EAC mentioned that DCCA boundaries were adjusted after overall consideration from a macro perspective. With the "principle of equal representation" (i.e. similar number of people should have equal number of representation) as the overriding guideline, the adjustments were made on the basis of objective data of population distribution, having regard to the other statutory factors of community identities, preservation of local ties, geographical factor and accessibility, etc. Among all the statutory factors, population figures were, as a matter of principle, the EAC's primary consideration in the delineation exercise. However, having regard to the change in the actual circumstances, the relevant importance of each factor should be weighed having regard to the uniqueness of an individual DCCA and the situations of their adjacent DCCAs in each delineation exercise.
- 12. The EAC noticed that diverse representations had put forward proposals to maintain or re-delineate the existing DCCA boundaries on the grounds of community integrity and preservation of local ties. proposals included placing an entire housing estate in the same DCCA, or grouping the same housing type in the same DCCA, and urban-rural Some representations even proposed to delineate restructuring, etc. DCCAs based on the economic background of the residents. mentioned that such representations viewed the statutory criteria from a rather parochial and subjective perspective. With ongoing urban development, many areas were well-developed with comprehensive community infrastructure and ancillary transport facilities. community identities and local ties were, more often than not, no longer obvious factors justifying the keeping or re-delineation of the existing boundaries for most DCCAs. The EAC would only allow the population of a DCCA to deviate from the permissible range of population in the presence of overwhelming and incontrovertible objective facts. Only by so doing, the EAC could ensure that the delineation exercise was conducted in an objective, effective and orderly manner.

Population figures adopted in the delineation of boundaries

Some representations queried the accuracy of the projected population figures adopted for the delineation exercise. representations pointed out that the projected population figures adopted by the EAC fail to take into account future developments in the DCCAs. The EAC mentioned that, according to the EACO, the delineation exercise must be conducted on the basis of the projected populations of individual DCCAs in the year in which the election is to be held. For the 2019 DC Ordinary Election, the projected population figures as at 30 June 2019 were used for the delineation exercise in accordance with the established practice. The projected population figures were provided by an Ad Hoc Subgroup, set up specially for the purpose of the delineation exercise under the Working Group on Population Distribution Projection in the Planning Department. The population distribution projections were derived by using scientific and systematic methodology based on the up-to-date official data kept by the relevant government departments. The data were highly-accepted generally, and were the only data available for the delineation exercise. The EAC also mentioned that, for this delineation exercise, the projected population figures were as at 30 June Changes in population arising from developments thereafter would not be taken into account and be only considered in future delineation exercises.

Consultation on drawing up provisional recommendations and confidentiality on the information

Some representations queried that the advice provided to the 14. by the District Officers might be tainted with political EAC Some representations alleged that some members of the considerations. local communities had an early start of their community work in the proposed DCCAs, therefore suspecting premature leaks of the EAC's provisional recommendations. The EAC responded that, to ensure that the recommendations on the delineation of DCCA boundaries were in compliance with the statutory criteria, it was necessary for the EAC to have an understanding of the local characteristics, geographical environment and accessibility of the proposed DCCAs so that the feasibility of the various options be considered thoroughly. The District Officers had more comprehensive and in-depth knowledge on the local characteristics, geographical and transport matters of their administrative As such, the EAC had been inviting them to provide factual information of their respective districts on such matters for reference, and the important principle that political facts would not be taken into account had been emphasised. The EAC would also request other government departments (such as the Lands Department) to provide information where necessary, to enable the EAC's grasp of the local circumstances be more objective and comprehensive. The EAC also mentioned that it would not consult any members of the local community, and confidentiality was preserved throughout the whole process of drawing up the provisional recommendations. The EAC believed that all parties taking part in the exercise would abide by the principle of confidentiality. Follow-up actions would be taken seriously if the EAC received any complaint supported by substantive evidence.

(C) Final Recommendations of the EAC (Paragraphs 4.30 to 4.34 of the EAC Report)

- 15. After considering the representations received, the EAC adjusted its provisional recommendations in respect of the boundaries of 27 DCCAs and the names of two DCCAs into its final recommendations. In the final recommendations, the boundaries of 123 DCCAs were changed, as compared with 109 DCCAs in the 2015 delineation exercise. Details of the changes are set out in **Annex E**. The EAC allowed 17 DCCAs (as compared with 24 in the 2015 delineation exercise), listed at **Annex F**, to exceed the permissible range of population, mainly due to the consideration of geographical and transport factors and the need to preserve local ties.
- 16. The EAC submitted its final recommendations to the CE on 20 November 2018.

THE ORDER

17. The Order has four sections. **Section 1** provides that the Order (except for section 4) comes into operation on 1 March 2019. Section 2 defines certain terms used in the Order. **Section 3** and the Schedule declare the areas within the Districts to be DCCAs for an election to elect the members for the sixth term of office of the District Councils and give names to the DCCAs. **Section 4** will come into operation on 1 January

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² 1 March 2019 is the first Friday after the 49 day negative vetting period.

2020³ and repeal the Declaration of Constituencies (District Councils) Order 2014 (Cap. 547G).

LEGISLATIVE TIMETABLE

18. The legislative timetable will be:

Publication in the Gazette

14 December 2018

Tabling the Order at LegCo for negative 9 January 2019 vetting

IMPLICATIONS OF THE PROPOSAL

- 19. The proposal is in conformity with the Basic Law, including the provisions concerning human rights. It has no financial, civil service, economic, productivity, environmental, sustainability, or family implications. The proposed amendments will not affect the current binding effect of the relevant Ordinances or subsidiary legislation. For implementation of the proposed delineation of DCCAs, sufficient provisions have already been/would be included in the Estimates/draft Estimates of the relevant financial years of the Registration and Electoral Office.
- 20. The United Nations Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women, Article 7 requires that "State Parties shall take all appropriate measures to eliminate discrimination against women in the political and public life of the country and in particular, shall ensure to women, on equal terms with men, the right: a) To vote in all elections and public referenda and to be eligible for election to all publicly elected bodies..." In the electoral system of Hong Kong, as safeguarded by the Basic Law, women have equal rights as men to vote and to stand for election in accordance with law. In this context, this proposal does not have gender implications.

³ 1 January 2020 is the date on which the sixth term of DCs commences.

PUBLIC CONSULTATION

21. The EAC conducted a public consultation exercise for a period of not less than 30 days on its provisional recommendations, as set out in paragraph 8 above.

PUBLICITY

22. A press release is issued on 12 December 2018. A spokesperson is available for answering media enquiries, if any.

ENQUIRY

23. Any enquiry on this brief can be addressed to Ms Cherie Yeung, Principal Assistant Secretary for Constitutional and Mainland Affairs, at 2810 2908.

Constitutional and Mainland Affairs Bureau 12 December 2018

Annex A

Declaration of Constituencies (District Councils) Order 2018

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 6 of the District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547))

1. Commencement

Section 1

- (1) Subject to subsection (2), this Order comes into operation on 1 March 2019.
- (2) Section 4 comes into operation on 1 January 2020.

2. Interpretation

In this Order—

approved map (獲批准地圖) means a map approved by the Chief Executive in Council on 4 December 2018 that, in relation to a District, is the map or any of the maps specified for the District in column 3 of the Schedule:

constituency boundary (選區分界), in relation to an area declared to be a constituency in this Order, means—

- (a) the boundary-
 - (i) represented in the relevant approved map by unbroken edging coloured red delineating, or partially delineating, the area; and
 - (ii) described as "Constituency Boundary" in the legend of the map; or
- (b) if any boundary partially delineating the area as described in paragraph (a)(i) joins any part of a district boundary partially delineating the area—
 - (i) that part of the district boundary; and

(ii) the boundary partially delineating the area as so described;

district boundary (地方行政區分界), in relation to a District, means the boundary of the area declared to be that District under section 3(1) of the Ordinance that is—

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- (a) represented in the relevant approved map by broken edging coloured red; and
- (b) described as "District Boundary" in the legend of the map.

3. Declaration of District Councils constituencies

- (1) Each area delineated and marked on an approved map as described in column 3 of the Schedule is declared to be a constituency for an election to elect the members for the sixth term of office of the District Council established for the District specified for that area in column 2 of the Schedule.
- (2) The name of the constituency is specified opposite that area in column 4 of the Schedule.

4. Declaration of Constituencies (District Councils) Order 2014 repealed

The Declaration of Constituencies (District Councils) Order 2014 (Cap. 547 sub. leg. G) is repealed.

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Schedule

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Constituencies of Districts

Column 1	Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
Item	Name of District		Delineation of Area	Name of Constituency
1.	Central and Western District	(1)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/A and marked with the code A01.	Chung Wan
		(2)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code A02.	Mid Levels East
		(3)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code A03.	Castle Road
		(4)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	Peak

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			code A04.	
		(5)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code A05.	University
		(6)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code A06.	Kwun Lung
		(7)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code A07.	Kennedy Town & Mount Davis
		(8)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code A08.	Sai Wan

(9) That area delineated by the

relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the

(10) That area delineated by the

code A09.

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		relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code A10.	Tsui
		(11) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code A11.	_
		(12) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code A12.	Sheung Wan
		(13) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code A13.	Tung Wah
		(14) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code A14.	Centre Street
		(15) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Water Street

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			map and marked with the code A15.	
2.	Wan Chai District	(1)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/B and marked with the code B01.	Hennessy
		(2)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code B02.	Oi Kwan
		(3)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code B03.	Canal Road
		(4)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code B04.	Causeway Bay
		(5)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Victoria Park

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(10) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the

code C02.

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Tin Hau			(11)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code B11.	Stubbs Road
Tai Hang			(12)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code B12.	Southorn
Jardine's Lookout			(13)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code B13.	Tai Fat Hau
Broadwood	3.	Eastern District	(1)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/C and marked with the code C01.	Tai Koo Shing West
Happy Valley			(2)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	Tai Koo Shing East

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		(3)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Lei King Wan				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C08.	
			map and marked with the code C03.				(9)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Tsui Wan
		(4)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Sai Wan Ho				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C09.	
			map and marked with the code C04.				(10)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Yan Lam
		(5)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Aldrich Bay				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C10.	
			map and marked with the code C05.				(11)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Siu Sai Wan
		(6)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Shaukeiwan				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C11.	
			map and marked with the code C06.				(12)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	King Yee
		(7)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	A Kung Ngam				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C12.	
			map and marked with the code C07.				(13)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Wan Tsui
		(8)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Heng Fa Chuen				boundary on that approved map and marked with the	

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		(14)	code C13. That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Fei Tsui				relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C19.	
			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C14.				(20)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Fort Street
		(15)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Mount Parker				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C20.	
			map and marked with the code C15.				(21)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Kam Ping
		(16)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Braemar Hill				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C21.	
			map and marked with the code C16.				(22)	relevant constituency	Tanner
		(17)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Fortress Hill				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C22.	
			map and marked with the code C17.				(23)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Healthy Village
		(18)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	City Garden				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C23.	
			map and marked with the code C18.				(24)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Quarry Bay
		(19)	That area delineated by the	Provident				boundary on that approved	

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			map and marked with the code C24.				(30) That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Upper Yiu Tung
		(25)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Nam Fung			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C30.	
			map and marked with the code C25.				(31) That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Hing Man
		(26)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Kornhill			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C31.	
			map and marked with the code C26.				(32) That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Lok Hong
		(27)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Kornhill Garden			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C32.	
			map and marked with the code C27.				(33) That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Tsui Tak
		(28)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Hing Tung			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C33.	
			map and marked with the code C28.				(34) That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Yue Wan
		(29)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Lower Yiu Tung			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C34.	
			map and marked with the code C29.				(35) That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Kai Hiu

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			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code C35.	
4.	Southern District	(1)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/D1 and marked with the code D01.	Aberdeen
		(2)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code D02.	Ap Lei Chau Estate
		(3)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code D03.	Ap Lei Chau North
		(4)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code D04.	Lei Tung I
		(5)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Lei Tung II

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			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code D05.	
		(6)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code D06.	South Horizons East
		(7)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code D07.	South Horizons West
		(8)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code D08.	Wah Kwai
		(9)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code D09.	Wah Fu South
		(10)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	Wah Fu North

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			code D10.						relevant constituency	
			That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code D11.	Pokfulam					boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/D1 and DCCA/R/2019/D2 and marked with the code D16 on both maps.	
		(12)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code D12.	Chi Fu				(17)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No.	Stanley & Shek O
		(13)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Tin Wan					DCCA/R/2019/D2 and marked with the code D17.	
			map and marked with the code D13.			5.	Yau Tsim Mong District	(1)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved	Tsim Sha Tsui West
·		(14)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Shek Yue			District		map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/E and marked with the code E01.	
			map and marked with the code D14.					(2)	That area delineated by the	Kowloon Station
		(15)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Wong Chuk Hang					relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code E02.	Station
			map and marked with the code D15.					(3)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Jordan West
		(16)	That area delineated by the	Bays Area					boundary on that approved	

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		(4)	map and marked with the code E03. That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Yau Ma Tei South			(9)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code E09.	Cherry
			map and marked with the code E04.				(10)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Tai Kok Tsui South
		(5)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Charming				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code E10.	
			map and marked with the code E05.				(11)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Tai Kok Tsui North
		(6)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Mong Kok West				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code E11.	
			map and marked with the code E06.				(12)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Tai Nan
		(7)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Fu Pak				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code E12.	
			map and marked with the code E07.				(13) That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Mong Kok North	
		(8)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Olympic				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code E13.	
			map and marked with the code E08.				(14)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Mong Kok East

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			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code E14.	
		(15)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code E15.	Mong Kok South
		(16)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code E16.	Yau Ma Tei North
		(17)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code E17.	East Tsim Sha Tsui & King's Park
		(18)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code E18.	Jordan North
		(19)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	Jordan South

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			code E19.	
		(20)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code E20.	Tsim Sha Tsui Central
6.	Sham Shui Po District	(1)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/F and marked with the code F01.	Po Lai
		(2)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code F02.	Cheung Sha Wan
		(3)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code F03.	Nam Cheong North
		(4)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Shek Kip Mei

boundary on that approved map and marked with the

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		(5)	code F04. That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Nam Cheong East				relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code F10.	
			map and marked with the code F05.				(11)	relevant constituency	Fortune
		(6)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Nam Cheong South				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code F11.	
			map and marked with the code F06.				rel	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Pik Wui
		(7)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Nam Cheong Central				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code F12.	
			map and marked with the code F07.				(13)	relevant constituency	Lai Chi Kok Central
		(8)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Nam Cheong West				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code F13.	
			map and marked with the code F08.				(14) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code F14.(15) That area delineated by the relevant constituency	relevant constituency	Lai Chi Kok South
		(9)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Fu Cheong				map and marked with the	
			map and marked with the code F09.					Mei Foo South	
		(10)	That area delineated by the	Lai Kok			boundary on that approv		

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			map and marked with the code F15.				(21)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Lei Cheng Uk
		(16)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Mei Foo Central				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code F21.	
			map and marked with the code F16.				(22)	relevant constituency	Lung Ping & Sheung Pak
		(17)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Mei Foo North				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code F22.	Tin
			map and marked with the code F17.				(23) T	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Ha Pak Tin
		(18)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Lai Chi Kok North				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code F23.	
			map and marked with the code F18.				(24)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Yau Yat Tsuen
		(19)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Un Chau				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code F24.	
			map and marked with the code F19.				(25)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Nam Shan, Tai Hang
	(20	(20)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	So Uk				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code F25.	Tung & Tai Hang Sai
			map and marked with the code F20.		7.	Kowloon	(1)	That area delineated by the	Ma Tau Wai

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	City District		relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No.						boundary on that approved map and marked with the code G06.	
			DCCA/R/2019/G and marked with the code G01.					(7)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Ho Man Tin
		(2)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Sung Wong Toi					boundary on that approved map and marked with the code G07.	
			map and marked with the code G02.					(8)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Kadoorie
		(3)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Ma Hang Chung					boundary on that approved map and marked with the code G08.	
			map and marked with the code G03.					(9)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code G09.	Prince
		(4)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Ma Tau Kok						
			map and marked with the code G04.					(10)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Kowloon Tong
		(5)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Lok Man					boundary on that approved map and marked with the code G10.	70.16
			map and marked with the code G05.					(11)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Lung Shing
		(6)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Sheung Lok					boundary on that approved map and marked with the	

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			code G11.	
		(12)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code G12.	Kai Tak North
		(13)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code G13.	Kai Tak East
		(14)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/G and DCCA/R/2019/INDEX and marked with the code G14 on both maps.	Kai Tak Central & South
		(15)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/G and marked with the code G15.	Hoi Sham
		(16)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	To Kwa Wan North

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			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code G16.	
		(17)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code G17.	To Kwa Wan South
		(18)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code G18.	Hok Yuen Laguna Verde
		(19)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/G and DCCA/R/2019/INDEX and marked with the code G19 on both maps.	Whampoa East
		(20)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/G and marked with the code G20.	Whampoa West

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		(21)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code G21.	Hung Hom Bay		Sin District		relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/H and marked with the code H01.	
		(22)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code G22.	Hung Hom			(2)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H02.	Lung Ha
		(23)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code G23.	Ka Wai			(3)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H03.	Lung Sheung
		(24)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code G24.	Oi Man			(4)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H04.	Fung Wong
		(25)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code G25.	Oi Chun			(5)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H05.	Fung Tak
8.	Wong Tai	(1)	That area delineated by the	Lung Tsui			(6)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Lung Sing

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		code H11.	
		(12) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H12.	Tin Keung
		(13) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H13.	Tsui Chuk & Pang Ching
		(14) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H14.	Chuk Yuen South
		(15) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H15.	Chuk Yuen North
		(16) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H16.	Tsz Wan West
		(17) That area delineated by the	Ching Oi

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			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H06.	
		(7)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H07.	San Po Kong
		(8)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H08.	Tung Tau
		(9)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H09.	Tung Mei
		(10)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H10.	Lok Fu
		(11)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	Wang Tau Hom

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			relevant constituency boundary on that approved					map and marked with the code H22.	
			map and marked with the code H17.				(23)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Choi Wan West
		(18)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Ching On				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H23.	
			map and marked with the code H18.				(24)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Chi Choi
		(19)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Tsz Wan East				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H24.	
			map and marked with the code H19.				(25)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Choi Hung
		(20)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	King Fu				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H25.	
		(0.1)	code H20.	or twi	9.	Kwun Tong District	(1)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Kwun Tong Central
		(21)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code H21.	Choi Wan East		District		boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/J and marked with the code J01.	Central
		(22)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Choi Wan South			(2)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Kowloon Bay

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		(3)	map and marked with the code J02. That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Kai Yip			(8)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J08.	Shun Tin
			map and marked with the code J03.				(9)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Sheung Shun
		(4)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Lai Ching				map and marked with the code J09.	
		(5)	map and marked with the code J04. That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Ping Shek			(10)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J10.	On Lee
			map and marked with the code J05.				(11)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Kwun Tong On Tai
		(6)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Choi Tak				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J11.	
			map and marked with the code J06.				(12)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Sau Mau Ping North
		(7)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Jordan Valley				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J12.	
			map and marked with the code J07.				(13)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Sau Mau Ping Central

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			boundary on that approved				code J18.	
			map and marked with the code J13.				(19) That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Lam Tin
		(14)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	On Tat			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J19.	
			map and marked with the code J14.				(20) That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Ping Tin
		(15)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Sau Mau Ping South			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J20.	
			map and marked with the code J15.				(21) That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Pak Nga
		(16)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Po Tat			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J21.	
			map and marked with the code J16.			•	(22) That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Chun Cheung
		(17)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Kwong Tak			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J22.	
			map and marked with the code J17.				(23) That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Yau Tong East
		(18)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Hing Tìn			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J23.	
			map and marked with the				(24) That area delineated by the	Yau Chui

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		(25)	relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J24. That area delineated by the	Yau Lai			code J28. (29) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	
		(26)	relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J25. That area delineated by the	Yau Tong			code J29. (30) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	
		(-0)	relevant constituency boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/J and DCCA/R/2019/INDEX and marked with the code J26 on	West			code J30. (31) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J31.	
		(27)	both maps. That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/J and marked	Laguna City			(32) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J32.	
		(28)	with the code J27. That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	King Tin			(33) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J33. (34) That area delineated by the	
			-				(34) That area delineated by the	Lok Wah

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			relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J34.	South	
		(35)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J35.	Lok Wah North	10.
		(36)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J36.	Hong Lok	
		(37)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J37.	Ting On	
		(38)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J38.	Upper Ngau Tau Kok Estate	
		(39)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Lower Ngau Tau Kok	

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			map and marked with the code J39.	
		(40)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code J40.	To Tai
10.	Tsuen Wan District	(1)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/K and marked with the code K01.	Tak Wah
		(2)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code K02.	Yeung Uk Road
		(3)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code K03.	Tsuen Wan South
		(4)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Hoi Bun

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			map and marked with the code K04.					(10)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Luk Yeung
		(5)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Tsuen Wan West					boundary on that approved map and marked with the code K10.	
			map and marked with the code K05.					(11)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Ma Wan
		(6)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Clague Garden					boundary on that approved map and marked with the code K11.	
			map and marked with the code K06.					(12)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Tsuen Wan Rural
		(7)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Tsuen Wan Centre					boundary on that approved map and marked with the code K12.	
•			map and marked with the code K07.					That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Ting Sham	
		(8)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Discovery Park					boundary on that approved map and marked with the code K13.	
			map and marked with the code K08.					(14)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Lai To
		(9)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Fuk Loi					boundary on that approved map and marked with the code K14.	
			map and marked with the code K09.					(15)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Allway

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			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code K15.					map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/L and marked with the code L01.	
		(16)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code K16.	Cheung Shek			(2)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L02.	Siu Chi
		(17)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code K17.	Shek Wai Kok			(3)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L03.	On Ting
		(18)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code K18.	Lei Muk Shue West			(4)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L04.	Siu Tsui
		(19)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code K19.	Lei Muk Shue East			(5)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L05.	Yau Oi South
11.	Tuen Mun District	(1)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved	Tuen Mun Town Centre			(6)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	Yau Oi North

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			code L06.	
		(7)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L07.	Tsui Hing
		(8)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L08.	Shan King
		(9)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L09.	King Hing
		(10)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L10.	Hing Tsak
		(11)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L11.	San Hui
		(12)	That area delineated by the	So Kwun

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			relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L12.	Wat
		(13)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L13.	Sam Shing
		(14)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L14.	Hanford
		(15)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L15.	Yuet Wu
		(16)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L16.	Siu Hei
		(17)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Wu King

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			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L17.	
		(18)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L18.	Butterfly
		(19)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L19.	Fu Sun
		(20)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L20.	Lok Tsui
		(21)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L21.	Lung Mun
		(22)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	San King

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			code L22.	
		(23)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L23.	Leung King
		(24)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L24.	Tin King
		(25)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L25.	Po Tin
		(26)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L26.	Kin Sang
		(27)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L27.	Siu Hong
		(28)	That area delineated by the	Yan Tin

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			relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L28.					relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M02.	Centre
		(29)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L29.	Tuen Mun Rural			(3)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M03.	Fung Cheung
		(30)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L30.	Fu Tai			(4)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M04.	Yuen Lung
		(31)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code L31.	Prime View			(5)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M05.	Shap Pat Heung Central
12.	Yuen Long District	(1)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/M and marked	Fung Nin			(6)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M06.	Shui Pin
		(2)	with the code M01. That area delineated by the	Yuen Long			(7)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Nam Ping

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		(8)	map and marked with the code M07. That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Pek Long			(13)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	Ping Shan South
			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M08.				(14)	code M13. That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Hung Fuk
		(9)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Yuen Long Tung Tau				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M14.	
			map and marked with the code M09.				(15)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Ha Tsuen
			(10)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M10.	Shap Pat Heung North	V			boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/M and DCCA/R/2019/INDEX and marked with the code M15 on
		(11)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M11.	Shap Pat Heung East			(16)	both maps. That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No.	Ping Shan Central
		(12)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Shap Pat Heung West				DCCA/R/2019/M and marked with the code M16.	
					boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M12.	110015 11 001			(17)

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			map and marked with the code M17.				(23)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Shui Oi
		(18)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Tin Shing				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M23.	
			map and marked with the code M18.				(24)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Shui Wah
		(19)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Tin Yiu				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M24.	
			map and marked with the code M19.				(25)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Chung Wah
		(20)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Yiu Yau				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M25.	
			map and marked with the code M20.				(26)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Chung Pak
		(21)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Tsz Yau				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M26.	
			map and marked with the code M21.				(27)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Kingswood North
		(22)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Kingswood South				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M27.	
			map and marked with the code M22.				(28)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Yuet Yan

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	•		boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M28.		
		(29)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M29.	Ching King	
		(30)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M30.	Fu Yan	
		(31)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M31.	Yat Chak	
		(32)	That area delineated by the	Tin Heng	

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(33) That area delineated by the

relevant constituency boundary on that approved

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both maps.

(35) That area delineated by the Fairview relevant constituency Park boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/M and marked with the code M35.

marked with the code M34 on

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- (36) That area delineated by the San Tin relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M36.
- (37) That area delineated by the Kam Tin relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M37.
- (38) That area delineated by the Pat Heung relevant constituency North

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ltem	Name of District		Delineation of Area	Name of Constituency	Item	Name of District		Delineation of Area	Name of Constituency
			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M38.					boundary on that approved map and marked with the code N04.	
		(39)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code M39.	Pat Heung South			(5)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code N05.	Wah Ming
	North District	(1)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/N1 and	Luen Wo Hui			(6)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code N06.	Yan Shing
		(2)	marked with the code N01. That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Fanling Town			(7)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code N07.	Fanling South
		(3)	map and marked with the code N02. That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Cheung Wah			(8)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code N08.	Shing Fuk
		(4)	map and marked with the code N03. That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Wah Do			(9)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	Ching Ho

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		code N09.	
		(10) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code N10.	Yu Tai
		(11) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code N11.	Sheung Shui Rural
		(12) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code N12.	Choi Yuen
		(13) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code N13.	Shek Wu Hui
		(14) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code N14.	Tin Ping West

(15) That area delineated by the

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			relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code N15.		
		(16)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/N1 and DCCA/R/2019/N2 and marked with the code N16 on both maps.	Sha Ta	
		(17)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/N1 and marked with the code N17.	Tin Ping East	
		(18)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code N18.	Queen's Hill	
14.	Tai Po District	(1)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No.	Tai Po Hui	

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			DCCA/R/2019/P1 and marked with the code P01.	
		(2)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code P02.	Chung Ting
		(3)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code P03.	Tai Po Central
		(4)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code P04.	Tai Yuen
		(5)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code P05.	Fu Heng
		(6)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code P06.	Yee Fu

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		(7)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code P07.	Fu Ming Sun
		(8)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code P08.	Kwong Fuk & Plover Cove
		(9)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code P09.	Wang Fuk
		(10)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code P10.	Tai Po Kau
		(11)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code P11.	Wan Tau Tong
		(12)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	San Fu

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		boundary on that approved					code P17.	
		map and marked with the code P12.				(18)		Shuen Wan
	(13)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code P13.	Lam Tsuen Valley				boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/P1, DCCA/R/2019/P2 and DCCA/R/2019/INDEX and	
	(14)	•	Po Nga					
		boundary on that approved map and marked with the code P14.				(19)	<u>.</u>	Sai Kung North
	(15)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code P15.	Tai Wo				maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/P2 and DCCA/R/2019/INDEX and marked with the code P19 on both maps.	
	(16)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code P16.	Old Market & Serenity	15.	Sai Kung District	(1)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No.	Sai Kung Central
	(17)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	Hong Lok Yuen			(2)	marked with the code Q01. That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Pak Sha Wan
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		map and marked with the code Q02.					boundary on that approved map and marked with the	
	(3)	relevant constituency boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/Q1, DCCA/R/2019/Q2 and	Sai Kung Islands			(7)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code Q07.	Kin Ming
	(4)	marked with the code Q03 on those maps. That area delineated by the	Hang Hau			(8)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	Do Shin
		boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/Q2 and DCCA/R/2019/INDEX and marked with the code Q04 on	East			(9)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code Q09.	Wai King
	(5)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No.	Hang Hau West			(10)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code Q10.	Hoi Chun
	(6)	marked with the code Q05. That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Choi Kin			(11)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	Po Yee
	Name of	Name of District (3)	Name of District Delineation of Area map and marked with the code Q02. (3) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/Q1, DCCA/R/2019/Q2 and DCCA/R/2019/INDEX and marked with the code Q03 on those maps. (4) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/Q2 and DCCA/R/2019/Q2 and DCCA/R/2019/INDEX and marked with the code Q04 on both maps. (5) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/Q2 and marked with the code Q05. (6) That area delineated by the	Name of District Delineation of Area	Column 2 Column 3 Column 4 Column 1 Name of District Delineation of Area Constituency map and marked with the code Q02. (3) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/Q1, DCCA/R/2019/NDEX and marked with the code Q03 on those maps. (4) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/Q2 and DCCA/R/2019/NDEX and marked with the code Q04 on both maps. (5) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/NDEX and marked with the code Q04 on both maps. (6) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/Q2 and marked with the code Q05. (6) That area delineated by the Choi Kin	Column 2 Column 3 Column 4 Column 1 Column 2 Name of District Delineation of Area Name of Constituency Bayer Constituency Bayer Constituency Bayer Constituency Constituency Bayer Column 1 Column 2 Name of Constituency Bayer Constituency Sai Kung Balands Hang Hau East Hang Hau East Fast Fas	Column 2 Column 3 Column 4 Column 1 Column 2 Name of District Delineation of Area Constituency Item District map and marked with the code Q02. (3) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/Q1, DCCA/R/2019/RDEX and marked with the code Q03 on those maps. (4) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/RDEX and marked with the code Q04 on both maps. (5) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/Q2 and DCCA/R/2019/Q2 and marked with the code Q05. (6) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/Q2 and marked with the code Q05. (6) That area delineated by the choice in the code Q05. (6) That area delineated by the code Q05.	Name of District Delineation of Area Name of District Delineation of Area

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		code Q11.			
		(12) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code Q12.	Fu Kwan		
		(13) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code Q13.	O Tong		
		(14) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code Q14.	Sheung Tak		
		(15) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code Q15.	Kwong Ming		

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relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the Hong King

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		relevant constituency boundary on that appro map and marked with the code Q17.	
		(18) That area delineated by relevant constituency boundary on that appromap and marked with the code Q18.	ved
		(19) That area delineated by relevant constituency boundary on that appromap and marked with the code Q19.	ved
		(20) That area delineated by relevant constituency boundary on that appromap and marked with the code Q20.	ved
		(21) That area delineated by relevant constituency boundary on that appromap and marked with the code Q21.	ved
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		map and marked with the code Q22.	
	(23)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code Q23.	Hau Tak
	(24)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code Q24.	Fu Nam
	(25)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code Q25.	Tak Ming
	(26)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code Q26.	Nam On
	(27)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code Q27.	Kwan Po
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		(28)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code Q28.	Wan Po North
		(29)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code Q29.	Wan Po South
16.	Sha Tin District	(1)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/R and marked with the code R01.	Sha Tin Town Centre
		(2)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R02.	Lek Yuen
		(3)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R03.	Wo Che Estate

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		(4)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R04.	City One
		(5)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R05.	Yue Shing
		(6)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R06.	Wong Uk
		(7)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R07.	Sha Kok
		(8)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Pok Hong

map and marked with the

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(9) That area delineated by the

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			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R09.	
		(10)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R10.	Jat Chuen
		(11)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R11.	Chun Fung
		(12)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R12.	Sun Tìn Wai
		(13)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R13.	Chui Tin
		(14)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	Hin Ka

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			code R14.	
		(15)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R15.	Lower Shing Mun
		(16)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R16.	Wan Shing
		(17)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R17.	Keng Hau
		(18)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R18.	Tin Sum
		(19)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	Chui Ka

code R19.

(20) That area delineated by the

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		relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R20.	
		(21) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R21.	Chung Tin
		(22) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R22.	Sui Wo
		(23) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R23.	Fo Tan
		(24) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R24.	Chun Ma
		(25) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Hoi Nam

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			map and marked with the code R25.	
		(26)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R26.	Chung On
		(27)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R27.	Kam To
		(28)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R28.	Ma On Shan Town Centre
		(29)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R29.	Wu Kai Sha
		(30)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R30.	Lee On

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		(31) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approve map and marked with the code R31.	ed
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		(33) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approve map and marked with the code R33.	d
		(34) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approve map and marked with the code R34.	d
		(35) That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approve map and marked with the code R35.	Hang d
		(36) That area delineated by the relevant constituency	ne On Tai

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			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R36.		17.	V.v.ai Taina	(1)	code R41.	Marri III a
		(37)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R37.	Yu Yan	17.	Kwai Tsing District	(1)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/S and marked with the code S01.	Kwai Hing
		(38)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R38.	Di Yee			(2)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code S02.	Kwai Luen
		(39)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R39.	Bik Woo			(3)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code S03.	Kwai Shing East Estate
		(40)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code R40.	Kwong Hong			(4)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code S04.	Upper Tai Wo Hau
		(41)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	Kwong Yuen			(5)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the	Lower Tai Wo Hau

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			code S05.					relevant constituency	
		(6)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Kwai Chung Estate South				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code S11.	
			map and marked with the code S06.				(12)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Shek Lei North
		(7)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Kwai Chung Estate North				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code S12.	
	map and marked with the code S07. (8) That area delineated by the Shek Yam relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code S08.		map and marked with the				(13)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Shek Lei South
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					(14)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Kwai Fong		
		 (9) That area delineated by the Tai Pak Tin relevant constituency boundary on that approved 					boundary on that approved map and marked with the code S14.		
			map and marked with the code S09.				(15)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Hing Fong
		(10)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Tai Pak Tin East				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code S15.	
			map and marked with the code S10.				(16)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Wah Lai
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			map and marked with the code S16.				(22)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Wai Ying
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			map and marked with the code S19.					That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Cheung Ching
		(20)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Kwai Shing West Estate			boundary on that a map and marked v code S25.		
	*	map and marked with the code S20.				(26)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Cheung Hong	
		(21)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	On Ho				boundary on that approved map and marked with the code S26.	
			map and marked with the code S21.				(27)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency	Shing Hong

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			boundary on that approved map and marked with the code S27.	
		(28)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/S and DCCA/R/2019/INDEX and marked with the code S28 on both maps.	Tsing Yi South
		(29)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved map identified as Plan No. DCCA/R/2019/S and marked with the code S29.	Cheung Hang
		(30)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code S30.	Ching Fat
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		(3)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code T03.	Yat Tung Estate North
		(4)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code T04.	Tung Chung South
		(5)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved	Tung Chung Central

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		(8)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on that approved map and marked with the code T08.	Peng Chau & Hei Ling Chau
		(9)	That area delineated by the relevant constituency boundary on the approved maps identified as Plan Nos. DCCA/R/2019/T and DCCA/R/2019/INDEX and marked with the code T09 on both maps.	Lamma & Po Toi
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Explanatory Note

This Order-

- (a) declares the areas within the Districts specified in Schedule 1 to the District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547) to be constituencies; and
- (b) gives names to those constituencies.
- 2. The declaration is made for an election to elect the members for the sixth term of office of the District Councils established for those Districts.

CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

Section 1 : The Responsibility of the Electoral Affairs Commission

- 1.1 Under section 4(a) of the Electoral Affairs Commission Ordinance (Chapter 541) ("EACO"), one of the functions of the Electoral Affairs Commission ("EAC") is to consider or review the boundaries of District Council ("DC") constituencies for the purpose of making recommendations on the boundaries and names of constituencies for a DC ordinary election.
- The EAC is required under section 18 of the EACO to submit a report to the Chief Executive ("CE") of its recommendations on the boundaries and names of District Council Constituency Areas ("DCCAs") at an interval of not more than 36 months from the preceding DC ordinary election. As the last DC ordinary election was held on 22 November 2015, the EAC has to submit the report on the boundaries and names of the DCCAs for the 2019 DC Ordinary Election to the CE by 21 November 2018.
- 1.3 Under section 21 of the EACO, the CE-in-Council shall consider the EAC's report as soon as practicable after the receipt of it. Subject to the CE-in-Council's approval on the boundaries and names as recommended by the EAC, the CE-in-Council, having regard to the EAC's final recommendations, will make and table at the Legislative

Council ("LegCo") the relevant Order according to section 6(1) of the District Councils Ordinance (Chapter 547) ("DCO"). After the completion of the negative vetting procedure of the LegCo, the boundaries and names of the DCCAs will come into effect for the sixth-term DC ordinary election to be held in November 2019.

Section 2: Increase in the number of elected seats

- Delineation of the DCCAs is based on the total number of elected seats for the next DC ordinary election. After undertaking an overall review on the number of elected seats for each of the 18 administrative districts having regard to the projected population of Hong Kong in mid-2019, the Government proposed to increase 21 elected seats in 10 DCs for the sixth-term DCs as follows:
 - (a) one additional seat for each DC in Kowloon City, Yau
 Tsim Mong and Tsuen Wan;
 - (b) two additional seats for each DC in Sham Shui Po, Kwai Ching, Tuen Mun and Sai Kung;
 - (c) three additional seats for each DC in Kwun Tong and Sha Tin; and
 - (d) four additional seats for the Yuen Long DC.

- On 17 July 2017, the Government consulted the LegCo Panel on Constitutional Affairs on the proposed addition of 21 elected seats for the 2019 DC Ordinary Election. A motion was moved at the LegCo meeting on 17 January 2018 for the approval of the District Councils Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 3) Order 2017 to implement this proposal. The Order was approved by the LegCo on the same day and published in the Gazette on 19 January 2018.
- 1.6 Pursuant to LegCo's approval for the abovementioned Order, the total number of elected seats for the 2019 DC Ordinary Election was increased by 21 from 431 to 452. Correspondingly, the total number of DCCAs to be delineated by the EAC was increased to 452 as one DC member is to be elected from each DCCA. The number of DCCAs to be delineated by administrative districts is set out in **Appendix I**.

Section 3 : Scope of the Report

1.7 The scope and content of this report is based on the requirements stipulated under section 18 of the EACO. The report is published in three volumes. **Volume 1** mainly describes how the proposed delineation of the boundaries of DCCAs was worked out and sets out the EAC's recommendations on the boundaries and the names of the DCCAs with the reasons for those recommendations. **Volume 2** contains the maps of all the administrative districts and the boundary descriptions of relevant DCCAs. The boundaries and names of each DCCA are shown on the maps. **Volume 3** records all the written representations.

CHAPTER 2

THE DELINEATION EXERCISE

Section 1 : Statutory Criteria for Delineation

- 2.1 The EAC has drawn up its recommendations in accordance with the criteria stipulated under section 20 of the EACO. These criteria are summarised as below:
 - (a) the EAC shall ensure that the population in each proposed DCCA is as near the population quota as practicable. Population quota means the figure arrived at by dividing the total population of Hong Kong by the total number of elected members to be returned in the DC ordinary election;
 - (b) where it is not practicable to comply with (a) above in any proposed DCCA, the EAC shall ensure that the population in that DCCA does not exceed or fall short of the population quota by more than 25%;
 - (c) the EAC shall have regard to the community identities, preservation of local ties and the physical features (such as the size, shape, accessibility and development) of the relevant area;
 - (d) the EAC may depart from strict application of (a) and (b)

above only where it appears that one or more of the considerations in (c) above renders such a departure necessary or desirable; and

- (e) the EAC must follow the existing boundaries of the administrative districts and the number of elected members to be returned to a DC as specified in Schedules 1 and 3 of the DCO respectively.
- 2.2 The population quota is the quotient in dividing the projected population of Hong Kong by the total number of elected seats in Hong Kong. It is the statutory requirement that delineation of DCCAs should be conducted on the basis of the projected population in the year in which the relevant election would be held. In respect of the 2019 DC Ordinary Election, the projected population of Hong Kong is 7 502 600, which being divided by the total number of 452 elected seats results in the population quota of 16 599. Since the statutory criteria allow the population of a DCCA to exceed or fall short of the population quota by not more than 25%, the statutory permissible range is between 12 449 and 20 749.

Section 2 : Working Principles

- 2.3 The EAC has also adopted the following set of working principles for the delineation exercise:
 - (a) for existing DCCAs where the population falls within the

permissible range (i.e. between 12 449 and 20 749 for the 2019 DC Ordinary Election), their boundaries will be maintained as far as possible;

- (b) for existing DCCAs where the population falls outside the permissible range, if that situation was allowed for the last DC ordinary election and there remain valid justifications to allow such situation, their boundaries will be maintained as far as possible;
- (c) other than (b) above, for existing DCCAs where the population falls outside the permissible range, adjustments will be made to their boundaries (unless there are justifications for maintaining their boundaries on grounds of community identities, preservation of local ties and/or physical features) and also those of the adjacent DCCAs so that their populations stay within the permissible range. Where there is more than one way to adjust the boundaries of the DCCAs concerned, the one which affects the least number of existing DCCAs or less population will be adopted, otherwise the one with the least departure from the population quota will be used;
- (d) factors with political implications will not be taken into consideration;
- (e) the names of the new DCCAs to be formed are proposed by reference to major features, roads or residential settlements in

the DCCAs after consultation with the relevant District Officers ("DOs") of the Home Affairs Department ("HAD");

the EAC's provisional recommendations on the code (f) references of administrative districts and DCCAs are that the administrative districts should be given the alphabetical reference from "A" onwards, with the omission of "I" and "O" to prevent confusion, starting from the Central and Western District and other administrative districts on Hong Kong Island, followed by the administrative districts in Kowloon and the New Territories. The numbering of DCCAs in an administrative district is to be prefixed by the alphabetical reference for the administrative district and starts from the first numeral. The number "01" should be allocated to the most densely populated DCCA, or the one traditionally considered most important or prominent or the centre of the administrative district, and the number be proceeded consecutively in a clockwise direction so that as far as possible, two consecutive numbers should be found in two DCCAs contiguous to each other. The code reference does not have any bearing on the delineation of DCCA boundaries, but the EAC hopes that by adopting this system, anyone who consults the maps would find it easier to understand them and locate the DCCAs. These methods have been adopted since 1994 and the public should be generally familiar with them; and

(g) where the DCCA boundaries have to continue into the sea to align with the administrative district boundary, the DCCA boundary lines are, as far as possible, drawn perpendicular to the administrative district boundary lines on the sea.

Section 3: Working Partners

- 2.4 The EAC Secretariat, staffed by designated personnel of the Registration and Electoral Office ("REO"), assisted the EAC in carrying out the exercise.
- 2.5 As in the past, the necessary projected population figures are provided by an Ad Hoc Subgroup ("AHSG"), set up specially for the purpose of the delineation exercise under the Working Group on Population Distribution Projections in the Planning Department These population projection figures are the most essential ("PlanD"). information required for conducting the delineation exercise. The AHSG was chaired by an Assistant Director of PlanD and comprised of representatives from the Constitutional and Mainland Affairs Bureau ("CMAB"), Census and Statistics Department ("C&SD"), Housing Department ("HD"), Lands Department ("LandsD"), Rating and Valuation Department, HAD and REO. These professional departments in the AHSG have all along been responsible for carrying out territory-wide population censuses and projections on population distribution. To ensure that the projections can cater for the 2019 DC Ordinary Election, the AHSG was requested to project the population distribution figures as at a date as close to the election date as practicable.

For this reason, the AHSG followed the practice in past delineation exercises and provided the EAC with the projected population figures as at 30 June 2019, presuming that the DC ordinary election would be held in November 2019.

- 2.6 The LandsD also rendered assistance in producing maps showing the projected population, administrative district and DCCA boundaries, and the boundary descriptions for use by the EAC in the delineation exercise. It also provided the EAC with information related to land administration where necessary.
- According to the statutory criteria, the EAC is required to have regard to the community identities, preservation of local ties, and the physical features (such as the size, shape, accessibility and development) of the relevant area when drawing up its recommendations on the boundaries of DCCAs. Having regard to the fact that the DOs, being officers responsible for district administration, having more in-depth knowledge of the local characteristics, geographical and transport matters of their administrative districts, the EAC has followed the established practice to invite the DOs to provide factual information of their respective districts on such matters for reference so as to have a better understanding of the feasibility of different delineation proposals. Moreover, the EAC, where necessary, has requested other government departments (e.g. LandsD) to provide information.
- 2.8 The Information Services Department ("ISD") has given expert advice in drawing up the strategy and ideas for the publicity

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programme and materials for the consultation exercise.

Section 4 : The Work Process

Commencement of work

2.9 The AHSG held its first meeting in June 2017 to work out the

method to be adopted for compiling the data and set out the work

schedule. The projected population figures were made available in

January 2018, on which basis the LandsD prepared the maps. When

these maps were ready, the EAC Secretariat proceeded to work on the

preliminary proposals for delineation of DCCA boundaries.

Site visits

2.10 Physical features such as the size, shape, accessibility and

development of an area are important considerations in the delineation

work. Therefore, the local geographical situations would impact on the

delineation of DCCA boundaries. In order to obtain first-hand

information on the relevant DCCAs, where necessary, the staff of the

EAC Secretariat would conduct site visits to inspect the unique physical

features, transport facilities and accessibility of the DCCAs concerned.

The information and topographical features so gathered were analysed

and taken into account in drawing up the preliminary proposals.

Meetings to deliberate and formulate proposals

After the staff of the EAC Secretariat had finalised their preliminary recommendations on the boundaries and names of the DCCAs, the EAC convened meetings to consider the preliminary proposals. The EAC Secretariat presented the proposals to the EAC with the aid of maps and photographs to facilitate better understanding of the local features and the environment of the DCCAs concerned. Information gathered from site visits and the factual information provided by the DOs were also submitted to the EAC for reference.

Provisional recommendations

- In the EAC's provisional recommendations, the boundaries of 128 DCCAs had to be changed and six DCCAs were renamed. The EAC allowed 12 DCCAs to exceed the permissible range of the population quota for one reason or the other. The proposed boundaries and names of the DCCAs requiring adjustments and those allowed to exceed the permissible range with the relevant considerations by the EAC were set out in the consultation documents.
- After the EAC had drawn up the provisional recommendations on the DCCA boundaries, the EAC Secretariat prepared for the launch of the public consultation exercise. The public consultation exercise ran from 23 July 2018 to 21 August 2018. Details of the provisional recommendations were set out in the two volumes document published for the public consultation.

CHAPTER 3

PUBLIC CONSULTATION

Section 1 : The Consultation Period and Public Forums

- Pursuant to the provision of section 19 of the EACO, the EAC conducted a public consultation exercise on its provisional recommendations from 23 July 2018 to 21 August 2018. During this period, members of the public could send their written representations to the EAC to express their views on the EAC's provisional recommendations on the boundaries and names of the DCCAs.
- 3.2 The public consultation exercise was widely publicised by the EAC through Announcements in the Public Interest on radio and TV, press releases, newspaper advertisements, posters, the EAC's website and Government Gazette.
- 3.3 On the first day of the consultation period (i.e. 23 July 2018), the EAC held a press conference to launch the exercise, and invited the public to give their views on the EAC's provisional recommendations. In order to ensure that its final recommendations can fully take into account the public opinions, the EAC appealed to the public to actively participate in the consultation and express their views, no matter whether for or against the provisional recommendations.

- In the preparation for the public forums in the last delineation exercise, the EAC has increased the number of forums from two in the past to three. However, according to the record, the forum held on Hong Kong Island was attended only by 10-odd persons. And among them, only six expressed their views and only one was about the DCCAs of Hong Kong Island. By comparison, there were more people attending the other two forums held in Kowloon and the New Territories. For the better use of resources, no forum was arranged on Hong Kong Island this time but the time of the forums held in Kowloon and the New Territories was extended from 7:00 p.m. 9:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. 9:30 p.m. so that sufficient time was allowed for the public to express their views.
- The two public forums were conducted at the Lai Chi Kok Community Hall on 1 August 2018 and the Sha Tin Lung Hang Estate Community Centre on 3 August 2018 respectively, where members of the public could attend and express their views to the EAC directly. Audio-visual aids showing the maps were used to facilitate the participants to better understand the content of the provisional recommendations.

Section 2 : Number of Representations Received

3.6 During the consultation period, the EAC has received a total of 6 285 written representations, of which, five representations were withdrawn. Besides, a total of 263 persons attended the forums conducted at the Lai Chi Kok Community Hall (130 persons) and the Lung Hang Estate Community Centre (133 persons). A total of 65 oral

representations were received in the two forums.

- 3.7 Certain representations expressed views on the arrangements of public forums. These views were noted by the EAC for reference in the future review on the relevant arrangements. Besides, there were views in some representations that were not related to the delineation of boundaries or names of the DCCAs but to matters such as boundaries of the administrative districts, allocation of the elected seats and arrangements for polling stations, etc. For the representations related to boundaries of the administrative districts and allocation of the elected seats, the EAC has referred the relevant representations to the Government. As for views relating to polling stations, the EAC has referred them to the REO.
- 3.8 All the written representations as arranged according to the administrative districts are reproduced in **Volume 3** of this report. Summaries of the written and oral representations are shown in **Appendix II** of this volume.

CHAPTER 4

WORK AFTER THE PUBLIC CONSULTATION

Section 1 : Deliberations and Observations

- 4.1 After the public consultation period has ended, the EAC has looked into each of the written and oral representations to consider whether they should be accepted.
- 4.2 First of all, there were representations pointing out that the EAC had not consulted the public before drawing up the provisional recommendations. The EACO stipulates that the EAC is responsible for drawing up the provisional recommendations and to consult the public thereafter. In this delineation exercise, the EAC has received a large number of representations during the public consultation period, including both supporting and opposing views on the provisional recommendations, and alternative proposals. When deliberating on the representations, the EAC has adopted the same set of statutory criteria and working principles adopted in drawing up the provisional recommendations (see Chapter 2), and to compare the population figures afresh and to consider the other statutory factors in order to examine the merits of both sides in a prudent manner. As in the past, the EAC will accept the proposals received during the public consultation period if those proposals better comply with the statutory criteria and working delineation principles for the exercise than the provisional recommendations.

- 4.3 Some representations suggested that the provisional recommendations had not taken into account the geographical and transport situations of individual areas, and had tendered alternative proposals and justifications. In order to better understand and assess the reasons advanced, where necessary, the staff of the EAC Secretariat would conduct site visits again to explore the feasibility of the alternative To enable the EAC to have an overall view of the proposals. representations and arrive at fair and balanced recommendations, the EAC Secretariat presented the information gathered from the site visits together with its analysis and observations to the EAC with the aid of maps and photographs to show the relevant physical features.
- 4.4 In drawing up the provisional recommendations and deliberating on the representations, the EAC has adopted basically the same principles as in previous delineation exercises. Regarding the views expressed in the representations, the EAC has noted the following matters and set out its observations so that the public may fully understand the factors that have been taken into consideration by the EAC.

(a) Number of DC elected seats and DCCAs

4.5 Section 20 of the EACO provides that in drawing up the provisional recommendations on the boundaries of the DCCAs in the administrative districts, the EAC must follow the number of elected members to be returned for each DC as specified in Schedule 3 of the DCO. Regarding the sixth-term DC commencing on 1 January 2020,

based on the population growth, the Government had conducted a review in 2017 on the number of elected seats for each DC in the 18 administrative districts, and the relevant subsidiary legislation was passed by LegCo in January 2018 for the increase of a total of 21 elected seats in 10 DCs. Accordingly, the EAC is required to delineate the same number of DCCAs corresponding to the 452 elected seats.

- 4.6 There were representations touching on the number of elected seats for the 2019 DC Ordinary Election. For instance, some argued that based on the current projected population in 2019, the number of elected seats for certain administrative districts should be more than those stipulated in the subsidiary legislation. Therefore, they suggested the Government or EAC to further increase the number of elected seats in the administrative districts concerned. Others suggested that the number of elected seats among the administrative districts should be adjusted flexibly. It must be pointed out that the number of new DCCAs to be created is a statutory pre-set for the EAC, to which the EAC has no authority to revise or vary.
- On the issue of the projected population figures as at mid-2019, the Government has used the then available figures on the projected population when reviewing the number of DC seats in 2017, whereas the EAC is required to adopt the latest population projection in reviewing the boundaries of the DCCAs for the DC delineation exercise this year. Hence, the revision of the projected population is an inherent feature of this mechanism. As there was a time gap between the compilation of the two sets of population figures (in particular there was

an update on the population figures in line with the latest by-census results in between), there is bound to be a difference between the number of seats that should be provided for a certain administrative district if one were to use the latest projected population available for the EAC in delineating the DCCA boundaries and the numbers of seats as passed by the LegCo earlier, having regard to the fact that there was a certain degree of increase or decrease of population in some administrative districts during the period. Notwithstanding the above, the EAC must delineate the DCCA boundaries according to the number of seats stipulated for each DC under the DCO.

- As stated in paragraph 4.5 above, the review on the number of elected seats was the responsibility of the Government, which was a pre-set before the start of the delineation exercise. The matter does not fall under the purview of the EAC. In drawing up the provisional recommendations, the EAC must strictly adhere to the statutory criteria under the EACO, among which is to adhere to the number of elected seats stipulated for each DC under the DCO, and to delineate the new DCCAs in the administrative districts as provided for. The EAC has no power to increase or reduce the number of elected seats/DCCAs in any administrative districts. Similarly, the EAC may not transfer the new seats/DCCAs approved for a certain administrative district to another administrative district.
- 4.9 One of the statutory criteria under the EACO is that the projected population of a DCCA should not exceed or fall short of the population quota by more than 25%. Hence, the EAC may suitably

arrange a DCCA to absorb the excessive population of an adjacent DCCA, or to transfer population to a DCCA in shortfall, as the case may be, in order to ensure that the DCCA concerned can meet the requirement of the statutory permissible range. However, the situation may be different in those administrative districts which are subject to severe geographical and accessibility constraints, for instance, the Islands District, in which the population distribution is considerably uneven, and there is no direct transport link between some islands. Under such circumstances, even though the populations of some DCCAs do deviate from the statutory permissible range, owing to geographical and accessibility constraints, the EAC cannot redistribute their populations through adjustment of their boundaries with adjacent DCCAs, or to merge some of the islands in order to free up a DCCA to deal with the problem of other DCCAs with populations exceeding the statutory permissible upper limit. event, the EAC has adjusted the DCCA boundaries in all administrative districts in accordance with the statutory criteria as far as practicable, in order to improve the situation of departing from the permissible range in some DCCAs as far as possible.

4.10 As the views and proposals on the number of elected seats are related to the enactment of the primary legislation which does not fall under the purview of the EAC, the EAC has referred the relevant views to the CMAB for consideration.

(b) "Principle of equal representation" and consideration of the other statutory factors

- 4.11 The EACO sets out the statutory criteria (see paragraph 2.1 above) for delineating DCCA boundaries and the EAC shall ensure that the population in each proposed DCCA is as near the population quota as practicable. However, given that the majority of the population in Hong Kong live in high-rise buildings, it is not practicable for the population of each DCCA to strictly achieve a single population quota (i.e. 16 599). Hence, the statutory criteria allow the population of a DCCA to exceed or fall short of the population quota by not more than 25%, i.e. between the lower and upper limits of 12 449 and 20 749. The concept behind the relevant criterion is the "principle of equal representation" (i.e. similar number of people should have equal number of representation). This principle is all along the primary consideration in the delineation exercise.
- Moreover, to strictly adhere to the requirement of a single population quota in every DCCA in each delineation exercise is impracticable to do so as mentioned above. It would also need to re-delineate the existing boundaries of a large number of DCCAs, giving rise to unnecessary controversies. Therefore, according to the established working principles of the EAC, for existing DCCAs where the projected populations do fall within the permissible range, the EAC will in principle maintain their existing boundaries.
- 4.13 The population of Hong Kong is ever-increasing with completion of new buildings continuously and urban renewal projects.

Population movements among different DCCAs are quite substantial. The EAC must, according to the statutory requirement, delineate new DCCAs and adjust the boundaries of the DCCAs where the projected populations deviate from the permissible range. In so doing, it will inevitably lead to a knock-on effect on the adjacent DCCAs, necessitating corresponding adjustments to their boundaries even though their projected populations within the remain permissible range. Nevertheless, the EAC will follow the principle of affecting the least number of DCCAs or less population in adjusting the DCCA boundaries so as to minimise any possible impact on the electors.

4.14 The statutory criterion of allowing the population of a DCCA to exceed or fall short of the population quota by not more than 25% is already a rather liberal range. Be that as it may, the EAC may under special circumstances, having regard to the community identities, traditionally close local ties or unique geographical environment of individual DCCAs, consider it necessary to depart from strict adherence to the requirement of the statutory permissible range and allow the populations of the DCCAs concerned to deviate from the statutory permissible range in accordance with the statutory criteria. As for those DCCAs which have been allowed to deviate from the statutory permissible range in the past, the EAC will review their boundaries during each delineation exercise. If there are changes in the objective circumstances of those DCCAs allowed to depart from the permissible range in the past, such as the addition of new seats within the administrative districts or there is room for adjustment in the adjacent DCCAs, the EAC will appropriately adjust their boundaries in light of the

actual situations. Nevertheless, for some DCCAs, due to their unique situations, such as geographical separation from their adjacent DCCAs or problems of population distribution, there may be still valid justifications for maintaining their existing boundaries unchanged, the EAC will then propose to allow the populations of those DCCAs to depart from the permissible range.

- 4.15 Since the last delineation exercise, the overall population of Hong Kong has increased by around 200 000. There have also been changes in the distribution of population, and the projected populations of 80 existing DCCAs exceeded the statutory permissible upper or lower The EAC is required under the legislation to appropriately limits. delineate the new DCCAs and adjust the boundaries of DCCAs in accordance with the statutory criteria so that the projected populations of the DCCAs concerned do fall within the statutory permissible range. The EAC noticed that some representations wished that allowance be given to keep the boundaries of the DCCAs unchanged with population falling outside the permissible range more widely and liberally. However, to do so is not only against the requirement of the statutory criteria, let alone the creation of the new DCCAs in accordance with the number of new seats stipulated in the subsidiary legislation. Therefore, due to the population growth and movement, the re-delineation of the boundaries of the DCCAs is inevitable and the impact on the composition of existing DCCAs is also unavoidable.
- 4.16 Quite a number of representations objected to the EAC's provisional recommendations on the grounds that they are used to the

community services provided by their existing DC members. wished the existing boundaries of the DCCAs to which they belong be maintained notwithstanding that the populations of the DCCAs do exceed the statutory permissible upper limits. There are also representations arguing that the provision of community services would be hampered by the co-existence of different types of housing or residents with different economic background in a DCCA after the re-delineation because service needs and issues of concern are different. The EAC appreciates the views that the residents do not want changes to the community services they are used to, but taking into account the provision of community services by DC members will unavoidably attract the allegation of involvement of political inclinations. Not only is this neither a statutory criterion for delineation, nor should it be the approach by the EAC as an independent, impartial and apolitical body. Besides, in view of the reality of housing development and population distribution in Hong Kong, it is very common that a community is composed of residents having The EAC's different backgrounds or aspirations. provisional recommendations are based on objective data of population distribution, so as to comply with the "principle of equal representation" in delineation of DCCA boundaries as stated in paragraph 4.11. Although this will inevitably have impacts on community services, in any event, public services and community facilities (e.g. medical and health services, amenities, etc.) provided by education, the Government non-government organisations will absolutely not be affected by the delineation exercise. Members of the public may continue to enjoy the said services and facilities.

- 4.17 Besides, there are representations alleging that the provisional recommendations have failed to take into consideration the community integrity and local ties in some DCCAs, by dividing certain public housing estates into different DCCAs. The EAC hopes the public will appreciate the fact that due to the scale of public housing in Hong Kong at present, the population of one housing estate will have exceeded the statutory permissible upper limit (i.e. exceeding 20 749) laid down in the legislation on delineation. In accordance with the statutory criteria, it is simply impossible for the EAC to put an entire housing estate with population exceeding the statutory permissible upper limit within one DCCA, otherwise it will fail to comply with the requirement of statutory permissible range, and violating the "principle of equal representation". As a matter of fact, all along large-scale public or private housing estates have normally been delineated into more than one DCCA, or even more than two DCCAs. Moreover, as mentioned in paragraph 4.13 above, in view of the dense population and high-rise buildings in Hong Kong, most adjacent DCCAs are indeed not far away from each other. dividing a housing estate into different DCCAs would not bring about great impact on local ties.
- In sum, the EAC noticed that divers representations have put forward proposals to maintain or re-delineate the existing DCCA boundaries on the grounds of community integrity and preservation of local ties. Such proposals include placing an entire housing estate in the same DCCA, or grouping the same housing type in the same DCCA, and urban-rural restructuring, etc. Some representations even proposed to delineate DCCAs based on the economic background of the residents.

Such representations view the statutory criteria from a rather parochial and subjective perspective. With ongoing urban development, many areas are well-developed with comprehensive community infrastructure and ancillary transport facilities. Hence, community identities and local ties are, more often than not, no longer obvious factors justifying the keeping or re-delineation of the existing boundaries for most DCCAs. As for the delineation of urban and rural areas, there are representations arguing that the EAC should not put the rural areas and housing estates in the New Territories in the same DCCA. As a matter of fact, urban and rural co-existence is very common in Hong Kong, and such delineation have been undertaken in many past delineation exercises. The EAC will only allow the population of a DCCA to deviate from the statutory permissible range in the presence of overwhelming and incontrovertible objective facts, such as the preservation of traditional ties between villages or retaining unique communities with historical elements. Only by so doing, the EAC can ensure that the delineation exercise is conducted in an objective, effective and orderly manner.

4.19 The EAC would like to reiterate that DCCA boundaries are adjusted after overall consideration from a macro perspective. With the "principle of equal representation" as the overriding guideline, the adjustments are made on the basis of objective data of population distribution, having regard to the other statutory factors of community identities, preservation of local ties, geographical factor and accessibility, etc. The EAC cannot give special emphasis to any particular DCCA, and will definitely not consider any political factors or factors not relevant to the statutory criteria. Among all the statutory factors,

population figures are, as a matter of principle, the EAC's primary consideration in the delineation exercise. As for the other statutory factors, having regard to the change in the actual circumstances, the relevant importance of each factor will vary in each delineation exercise. The EAC has to weigh the individual factors having regard to the uniqueness of an individual DCCA and the situations of their adjacent DCCAs. As stated in paragraph 4.2 above, if the proposals in the representations made by the public could better comply with the statutory criteria and working principles, they will be accepted by the EAC. As to the representations received during the present public consultation exercise, the EAC has, after taking into account geographical factors or preservation of traditional ties between the villages, has accepted certain proposals in the representations and revised some of the provisional recommendations accordingly to allow the populations of the DCCAs concerned to exceed the statutory permissible upper limit.

(c) Population figures adopted in the delineation of boundaries

- 4.20 Some representations queried the accuracy of the projected population figures adopted for the delineation exercise. They adopted current population figures of some buildings obtained from their own sources and/or outdated figures based on their own estimation, which are different from the projected population figures adopted by the EAC.
- 4.21 According to the EACO, the delineation exercise must be conducted on the basis of the projected populations of individual DCCAs in the year in which the election is to be held. All along, for DC

ordinary elections, the latest projected population figures as at 30 June of the election year are adopted for the delineation exercise in accordance with the established practice. Accordingly, the projected population figures as at 30 June 2019 are used for the delineation exercise for the 2019 DC Ordinary Election. As in the past and mentioned in paragraph 2.5 above, the projected population figures are provided by the AHSG, set up specially for the purpose of the delineation exercise under the Working Group on Population Distribution Projection in the PlanD. The current population distribution projections are derived by using scientific and systematic methodology based on the results of the 2016 population by-census carried out by the C&SD as well as the up-to-date official data kept by the relevant government departments. Members of the AHSG are all professional departments which all along have been responsible for population census territory-wide and projections on population distribution. They possess the most up-to-date information on the population and land and housing development, and the data are The EAC has all along relied on the highly-accepted generally. statistical figures provided by the AHSG, which are the only data available for the delineation exercise.

4.22 However, regarding the discrepancy due to the time gap in compilation between the projected population figures adopted by the Government in reviewing the number of seats and those used by the EAC in delineating the DCCA boundaries, the EAC hopes that the AHSG could in the light of the experience this time examine the feasibility of adopting some weighted algorithm to narrow down as far as possible the discrepancy between the two sets of figures for the consideration of the

relevant authorities.

Besides, some representations pointed out that the projected population figures adopted by the EAC fail to take into account future developments in the DCCAs. According to the statutory requirements as mentioned in paragraph 4.21 above, the EAC must conduct the delineation exercise on the basis of the projected populations of individual DCCAs in the year in which the election is to be held. For this delineation exercise, the projected population figures are as at 30 June 2019. Changes in population arising from developments thereafter would not be taken into account and be only considered in future delineation exercises.

(d) Consultation on drawing up provisional recommendations and confidentiality on the information

A.24 Some representations queried the practice of consulting the DOs' views in the course of drawing up the provisional recommendations, feeling that the advice provided to the EAC by the DOs was tainted with political considerations which go against the EAC's principles of being independent, fair and non-political. Besides, some representations alleged that some members of the local communities already had information about the provisional recommendations before they were made public, enabling them to have an early start of their community work in the proposed DCCAs. There were queries suspecting premature leaks of the EAC's provisional recommendations.

- 4.25 According to the statutory criteria, the EAC must have regard to the community identities and the preservation of local ties as well as physical features (such as size, shape, accessibility and development) of the relevant areas in making recommendations on the delineation of To ensure that the recommendations are in DCCA boundaries. compliance with the statutory criteria, it is necessary for the EAC to have an understanding of the local characteristics, geographical environment and accessibility of the proposed DCCAs so that the feasibility of the various options be considered thoroughly. The DOs, being officers responsible for district administration, do have more comprehensive and in-depth knowledge on the local characteristics, geographical and transport matters of their administrative districts. As such, the EAC invited the DOs to provide factual information of their respective administrative districts on such matters for reference. It has been a long standing practice for the EAC to invite DOs to give their views in the delineation exercise. The EAC considers it necessary to keep this arrangement lest it may overlook some relevant local situations.
- 4.26 One of the EAC's working principles in the delineation exercise is that political factors will not be taken into consideration. When the DOs are invited to provide information, the EAC has specified that only information of objective facts on local characteristics, geographical and transport matters is sought. The important principle that political facts will be not taken into account has been emphasised. The advice provided by the DOs is only a part of the variety of reference materials when the delineation recommendations were drawn up by the EAC. The EAC has given all round consideration to all statutory

requirements, in particular the population figures affected, before making the recommendations. In any event, according to the established procedure, even if the EAC has considered the information provided by the DOs when drawing up its provisional recommendations, it is still required by the legislation to conduct public consultation on the provisional recommendations. During the consultation period, if representations of members of the public put forward materials different from those provided by the DOs, the EAC would adopt the same set of statutory criteria and working principles to carefully examine the justifications provided in the representations. The EAC will accept the public's proposals if they do better comply with the statutory criteria and working principles for the delineation exercise as compared with the provisional recommendations. After considering the representations received during the present public consultation, the EAC has accepted some proposals made in the representations and adjusted the boundaries of the DCCAs concerned in its provisional recommendations.

Apart from the DOs, the EAC will also request other government departments (such as LandsD) to provide information where necessary. This enables the EAC's grasp of the local circumstances be more objective and comprehensive. However, in drawing up the provisional recommendations, the EAC has never consulted or considered the opinion of the DCs. Of course, individual DC members could indeed make representations during the public consultation period. The EAC will carefully examine their reasons in the same manner as the representations made by members of the public.

- 4.28 Throughout the whole process of drawing up the provisional recommendations, confidentiality is preserved, including the consultation with the DOs and communication with other working partners. Before the provisional recommendations are made public, the EAC would not consult any members of the local community, nor would it disclose any details of the delineation to any organisations or individuals beyond its working partners. The EAC believes that all parties taking part in the exercise will abide by the principle of confidentiality and will not divulge the information to any other parties. Follow-up actions would be taken seriously if the EAC receives any complaint supported by substantive evidence.
- 4.29 The above are some observations gathered from the experience of the present and past delineation exercises, with the purpose of illustrating some factors normally taken into consideration in delineation. The EAC believes the making of such observations will be helpful to the public in understanding the working principles adopted by the EAC in applying the statutory criteria. They are, however, only general observations, and they should be read in a holistic manner and in context of the specific cases.

Section 2 : The Recommendations

4.30 At its meetings held on 19 September and 24 October 2018, the EAC considered the representations received and information on geographical environment and projected population figures gathered from site visits and other government departments concerned and made its final

recommendations. The EAC's views on the representations are set out in the last column of **Appendix II**.

- 4.31 The EAC adjusted the boundaries of 27 DCCAs and the names of two DCCAs in its provisional recommendations. Details of the revisions and changes are set out in **Appendices III** and **IV** respectively.
- In its final recommendations, the EAC has adjusted the boundaries of a total of 123 DCCAs, and allowed the projected population in 17 DCCAs to deviate from the permissible range of the population quota, with the reasons specified in **Appendix V**.
- 4.33 As compared with the changes made in the last delineation exercise (i.e. 109 DCCAs), a greater number of DCCAs were required to change their boundaries this time.
- 4.34 A summary of the EAC's final recommendations is shown in **Appendix VI** of this Volume. The boundary maps and descriptions of the final recommendations are in **Volume 2**.

CHAPTER 5

A CONCLUDING NOTE

Section 1 : Acknowledgements

- would like to express its gratitude towards the following government departments for their contributions: the AHSG for its provision of the population projections; the DOs of the 18 districts for providing the factual information regarding the local characteristics, geographical and transport situations of their respective districts; the LandsD for its production of the various maps and boundary descriptions for the conduct of the consultation exercise and production of the report; the ISD for its contribution to the publicity programme relating to the consultation exercise; the Government Logistics Department for the printing of the consultation materials and this report, and the HAD for the provision of venues for holding the two public forums and its assistance to distribute the consultation documents and publicity posters.
- 5.2 The EAC is particularly thankful to the EAC Secretariat for their dedicated and concerted efforts in the preparation and support for the delineation exercise.
- 5.3 Last but not least, the EAC is most grateful to those members of the public for their representations, put forth in writing or orally in the public forums.

Section 2 : Conclusion

- As in previous delineation exercises, the EAC has adopted a pragmatic approach in conducting the delineation exercise. The EAC has made every effort to observe the requirements of the population quota and permissible range as far as practicable. At the same time, the EAC will accept the suggestions from members of the public on grounds of community identities, local ties or geographical factors if the suggestions are supported by overwhelming reasons and do better comply with the statutory criteria and working principles for the delineation exercise as compared with the provisional recommendations. As always, the EAC has paid no regard to any suggestions with political implications or those which are not relevant to the statutory requirements.
- DC ordinary election. The EAC is committed to conducting each and every election under its supervision in an open, fair and honest manner. The EAC has all the time held on to this important principle in this delineation exercise.

Electoral Affairs Commission Ordinance

01/04/2015

4. Functions of Commission

The functions of the Commission are—

- (a) to consider or review the boundaries of geographical constituencies or District Council constituencies, as the case may be, for the purpose of making recommendations under Part 5; (Amended 8 of 1999 s. 89)
- (b) to be responsible for the conduct and supervision of elections;
- (c) to be responsible for the conduct and supervision of the process for the formation of, and for filling vacancies in the membership of, the Election Committee; (Amended 21 of 2001 s. 56)
- (d) without limiting of generality of paragraphs (b) and (c), to—
 - (i) supervise the registration of electors;
 - (ii) regulate the procedure at an election; and
 - (iii) conduct or supervise promotional activities relating to registration of electors;
- (e) to keep under review the matters referred to in paragraphs (b), (c) and (d);
- (f) to report to the Chief Executive on any matter relating to elections and any process for the formation of, and for filling vacancies in the membership of, the Election Committee; (Amended 21 of 2001 s. 56)
- (g) to perform any other function it may perform or is required to perform under this or any other Ordinance; and
- (h) to generally make arrangements, take such steps or do such other things as it considers appropriate for the purpose of ensuring that elections and any process referred to in paragraph (c) are conducted openly, honestly and fairly.

(Amended E.R. 2 of 2012)

18. Report on boundaries

- (1) The Commission shall submit to the Chief Executive, in accordance with this section, in relation to—
 - (a) a general election, a report containing recommendations for the delineation of geographical constituencies and the name proposed by the Commission for each constituency; and
 - (b) an ordinary election, a report containing recommendations as to the delineation of District Council constituencies and the name proposed by the Commission for each constituency. (Replaced 8 of 1999 s. 89)
 - (1A) A report under subsection (1) must contain—
 - (a) the reasons for the recommendations: and

- (b) without limiting the generality of paragraph (a), where the Commission departs from the strict application of section 20(1)(b) or (d) pursuant to section 20(5), an explanation relating to such departure; and
- (c) where the Commission receives representations under section 19(4), the representations, or a summary of them, as the Commission considers appropriate in each case. (Added 8 of 1999 s. 89)
- (2) The recommendations under subsection (1) shall be made with reference to a map or maps—
 - (a) showing the demarcation of the boundaries of each proposed geographical constituency or District Council constituency, as the case may be; (Amended 8 of 1999 s. 89)
 - (b) supplemented, where the Commission considers it appropriate, by a description, whether by reference to the map or maps, or otherwise of any boundary shown on such map or maps,

which shall be submitted with the report.

- (3) A report referred to in subsection (1) shall be submitted—
 - (a) in respect of—
 - (i) the general election for the second term of office of the Legislative Council, not later than 31 October 1999; and
 - (ii) subsequent general elections, at intervals of not more than 36 months from the preceding general election; and (Replaced 48 of 1999 s. 52)
 - (b) in respect of—
 - (i) the first ordinary election to be held under the District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547), not later than 31 May 1999; and
 - (ii) subsequent ordinary elections, at intervals of not more than 36 months from the preceding ordinary election. (Replaced 8 of 1999 s. 89)
- (4) The Chief Executive may extend the period referred to in subsection (3)(a)(i) or (b)(i), or in any particular case, the period referred to in subsection (3)(a)(ii) or (b)(ii). (Amended 8 of 1999 s. 89; 48 of 1999 s. 52)

20. Criteria for making recommendations

- (1) In making recommendations for the purposes of this Part, the Commission shall—
 - (a) ensure that the extent of each proposed geographical constituency is such that the population in that constituency is as near as is practicable to the number which results (*the resulting number*) when the population quota is multiplied by the number of members to be returned to the Legislative Council by that geographical constituency pursuant to any electoral law;
 - (b) where it is not practicable to comply with paragraph (a) in respect of a proposed geographical constituency, ensure that the extent of the constituency is such that the population in that constituency does not exceed or fall short of the resulting number applicable to that constituency, by more than 15% thereof;

- (c) ensure that the extent of each proposed District Council constituency is such that the population in that constituency is as near the population quota as practicable; (Added 8 of 1999 s. 89)
- (d) where it is not practicable to comply with paragraph (c) in respect of a proposed District Council constituency, ensure that the extent of the proposed constituency is such that the population in that constituency does not exceed or fall short of the population quota, by more than 25% thereof. (Added 8 of 1999 s. 89)
- (2) In making such recommendations the Commission shall ensure that each proposed geographical constituency is constituted by 2 or more contiguous whole District Council constituencies.
- (3) In making such recommendations the Commission shall have regard to—
 - (a) community identities and the preservation of local ties; and
 - (b) physical features such as size, shape, accessibility and development of the relevant area or any part thereof.
- (4) In making such recommendations in relation to a general election the Commission shall have regard to—
 - (a) existing boundaries of Districts; and
 - (b) existing boundaries of geographical constituencies. (Replaced 78 of 1999 s. 7)
- (4A) Subject to subsection (4B), in making such recommendations in relation to an ordinary election, the Commission must follow the existing boundaries of Districts and the existing number of members to be elected to a District Council as specified in or under the District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547). (Added 8 of 1999 s. 89)
- (4B) If the Chief Executive in Council makes any order under section 8 of the District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547)—
 - (a) not later than 12 months before the deadline for submitting a report for the ordinary election to which the recommendations relate; and
 - (b) which is applicable in relation to that ordinary election;
 - (c) for the purpose of declaring Districts or specifying the number of members to be elected to a District Council,

the Commission must, in making such recommendations in relation to that ordinary election, follow the boundaries of the Districts as declared in the relevant order and the number of members to be elected as specified in the relevant order. (Added 8 of 1999 s. 89)

- (5) The Commission may depart from the strict application of subsection (1) only where it appears that a consideration referred to in subsection (3) renders such a departure necessary or desirable.
- (6) The Commission shall, for the purposes of subsection (1)—
 - (a) endeavour to estimate the total population of Hong Kong or any proposed constituency, as the case may be, in the year in which the election to which the recommendations relate, is to be held; and

- (b) if it is not practicable to comply with paragraph (a), estimate the population of Hong Kong, the geographical constituency or the District Council constituency, as the case may be, having regard to the available information which is the best possible in the circumstances for the purpose of making recommendations.
- (7) In this section—

District (地方行政區) has the meaning assigned to it by the District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547). (Replaced 8 of 1999 s. 89)

(Amended 8 of 1999 s. 89; 78 of 1999 s. 7)

19/01/2018

5. Number of members to be elected to a District Council

(Amended 3 of 2013 s. 5)

- (1) The number specified in column 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 3 in relation to a District Council specified in column 2 of that Part is the number of members to be elected to that Council.
- (2) (Repealed 3 of 2013 s. 5)

(Amended E.R. 1 of 2012)

6. Declaration of constituencies

- (1) The Chief Executive in Council may, by order published in the Gazette—
 - (a) declare any area within a District to be a constituency for the purposes of an election to elect the members of the District Council established for that District; and
 - (b) give names to those constituencies.
- (2) When making an order under subsection (1), the Chief Executive in Council must have regard to the recommendations made by the Electoral Affairs Commission in the last report of the Commission submitted in accordance with section 18 of the Electoral Affairs Commission Ordinance (Cap. 541) for the purposes of the election to which the order relates.
- (3) If an order under this section refers to a map that defines the area of a constituency—
 - (a) the Electoral Registration Officer must ensure that at least one copy of the map is kept at that Officer's office and is made available for inspection by members of the public during ordinary business hours of that office; and
 - (b) the Designated Officer must ensure that at least one copy of the map is kept at that Officer's office and is made available for inspection by members of the public during ordinary business hours of that office.
- (4) No charge is payable by a member of the public who wishes to inspect a copy of the map.
- (5) A map certified by the Electoral Registration Officer as a true copy of a map that defines the area of a constituency is conclusive evidence of the area of the constituency.

7. Number of elected members to be returned for each constituency

The number of elected members to be returned for each constituency is one.

Schedule 3

[ss. 5, 8 & 9] (Amended 3 of 2013 s. 13) (Format changes—E.R. 1 of 2012)

Part 1

Number of Elected Members

(Amended 3 of 2013 s. 13)

Ī	District Council	Number of elected		
Item	District Council	members		
1.	Central and Western District Council	15		
2.	Eastern District Council	35		
3.	Kowloon City District Council	24 [25]*		
4.	Kwun Tong District Council	37 [40]*		
5.	Sham Shui Po District Council	23 [25]*		
6.	Southern District Council	17		
7.	Wan Chai District Council	13		
8.	Wong Tai Sin District Council	25		
9.	Yau Tsim Mong District Council	19 <i>[20]</i> *		
10.	Islands District Council	10		
11.	Kwai Tsing District Council	29 [31]*		
12.	North District Council	18		
13.	Sai Kung District Council	27 [29]*		
14.	Sha Tin District Council	38 [41]*		
15.	Tai Po District Council	19		
16.	Tsuen Wan District Council	18 <i>[19]</i> *		
17.	Tuen Mun District Council	29 [31]*		
18.	Yuen Long District Council	35 [39]*		
(Amended 33 of 2002 s. 10; L.N. 139 of 2006; L.N. 161 of 2010; 3 of 2013 s.				
13; L.N. 181 of 2013; L.N. 12 of 2014; L.N. 8 of 2018)				

Editorial Note:

- (a) item 3 is amended by repealing "24" and substituting "25";
- (b) item 4 is amended by repealing "37" and substituting "40";
- (c) item 5 is amended by repealing "23" and substituting "25";
- (d) item 9 is amended by repealing "19" and substituting "20";
- (e) item 11 is amended by repealing "29" and substituting "31";
- (f) item 13 is amended by repealing "27" and substituting "29";
- (g) item 14 is amended by repealing "38" and substituting "41";
- (h) item 16 is amended by repealing "18" and substituting "19";
- (i) item 17 is amended by repealing "29" and substituting "31";
- (j) item 18 is amended by repealing "35" and substituting "39".

According to section 1 of the Amendment Order, the above amendments—

(i) for all purposes relating to the District Council ordinary election in 2019 —come into operation on 19 January 2018; and

^{*} According to section 3 of the District Councils Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 3) Order 2017 (L.N. 8 of 2018) (the Amendment Order)—

Cap. 547 District Councils Ordinance

(ii) in so far as they have not come into operation under paragraph (i)—come into operation on 1 January 2020.

District Council Constituency Areas with Boundaries Changed in the Final Recommendations of the EAC

Breakdown by District Councils

	Name of <u>District Council</u>	No. of constituencies	No. of constituencies with boundaries <u>changed</u>
1.	Central & Western	15	2
2.	Wan Chai	13	5
3.	Eastern	35	6
4.	Southern	17	4
5.	Yau Tsim Mong	20	7
6.	Sham Shui Po	25	11
7.	Kowloon City	25	7
8.	Wong Tai Sin	25	4
9.	Kwun Tong	40	12
10.	Tsuen Wan	19	5
11.	Tuen Mun	31	5
12.	Yuen Long	39	14
13.	North	18	7
14.	Tai Po	19	6
15.	Sai Kung	29	6
16.	Sha Tin	41	10
17.	Kwai Tsing	31	5
18.	Islands	10	7
Total		452	123

Annex F

List of the 17 Constituencies with Population Deviating from the Population Quota By More Than 25%

	Name of Constituency	Name of District Council	Percentage of Deviation
1.	Lamma & Po Toi	Islands	- 60.83%
2.	Peng Chau & Hei Ling Chau	Islands	- 60.11%
3.	Yat Tung Estate North	Islands	+ 49.24%
4.	Laguna City	Kwun Tong	+ 49.15%
5.	Lantau	Islands	+ 48.71%
6.	Mun Yat	Islands	+ 41.42%
7.	Ching On	Wong Tai Sin	+ 35.23%
8.	Sai Kung Central	Sai Kung	- 34.33%
9.	Kingswood North	Yuen Long	+ 32.75%
10.	Kwai Chung Estate South	Kwai Tsing	+ 31.51%
11.	Cheung Chau	Islands	+ 31.04%
12.	Tung Chung South	Islands	+ 27.80%
13.	Ap Lei Chau Estate	Southern	- 27.33%
14.	Whampoa West	Kowloon City	+ 25.90%
15.	Kam Tin	Yuen Long	+ 25.26%
16.	Sheung Shui Rural	North	+ 25.05%
17.	Luen Wo Hui	North	+ 25.03%