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Legislative Council Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 5) Order 2020

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 83A of the Legislative Council Ordinance (Cap. 542))

1. Commencement

This Order comes into operation on 1 May 2020.

2. Legislative Council Ordinance amended

The Legislative Council Ordinance (Cap. 542) is amended as set out in section 3.

3. Schedule 5 amended (financial assistance: specified rate)

Schedule 5—

Repeal

everything after "Part 6A"

Substitute

"is—

- (a) for an election for the sixth term of office of the Legislative Council that commenced on 1 October 2016—\$14: or
- (b) for an election for any subsequent term of office of the Legislative Council—\$15.".

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Wendy LEUNG Clerk to the Executive Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER

11 February 2020

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Explanatory Note

Schedule 5 to the Legislative Council Ordinance (Cap. 542) specifies the rate of financial assistance paid to candidates and lists of candidates at Legislative Council elections under Part 6A of the Ordinance. The purpose of this Order is to amend that Schedule to increase the rate from \$14 (for each valid vote gained) to \$15 for elections for the seventh term (i.e. the next term) of office of the Legislative Council and any subsequent term of office. The rate for elections for the sixth term of office of the Legislative Council (i.e. the current term of office) remains at \$14.