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Dear Chairman  
of Bills Committee to Study the Waste Disposal  
(Charging for Municipal Solid Waste) (Amendment) Bill 2018

This is an individual submission supporting the charging for municipal solid waste (MSW) in Hong Kong.

Without charging for MSW we have seen that our rate for waste disposal is increasing and the rates for recycling are dropping.

I have seen a charge for waste system work very effectively in Ontario, Canada where households must pay for rubbish bag tags that seal the top of each rubbish bag. These bags are collected by the municipal waste disposal teams.

Therefore I support the Legislative Council's efforts to pass the Waste Disposal (Charging for Municipal Solid Waste) (Amendment) Bill before the end of the 2020/21 Legislative year.

Regards

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