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List of follow-up actions required of the Administration arising from the discussion at the meeting on 19 January 2021

The Administration was requested to:

(a) provide a summary of the premarket review mechanism of the Food and Drug Administration of the United States ("FDA") for new tobacco products seeking an FDA marketing order, and explain what constituted a product being authorized by FDA to market under a modified risk tobacco product order which could be in the form of a "risk modification" order and/or an "exposure modification" order;

(b) provide a comparison of the regulatory measures implemented by FDA and those by the European Union for electronic cigarettes and heated tobacco products; and

(c) provide information on the estimated selling prices per pack of the most sold brands of illicit cigarettes in Hong Kong.

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