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Dear Mr Lam,

Legislative Council Panel on Commerce and Industry

Follow-up to meeting on 16 March 2021

In response to the Members' request at the meeting on 16 March 2021 for the number of applications and funding amount approved for legal services sector under the Dedicated Fund on Branding, Upgrading and Domestic Sales, the SME Export Marketing Fund and the Professional Services Advancement Support Scheme, the Government provides the relevant information at <u>Enclosure</u>.

(Bill Wong) for Secretary for Commerce and Economic Development

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The number of applications and funding amount approved for the legal services sector under the Dedicated Fund on Branding, Upgrading and Domestic Sales (BUD Fund), the SME Export Marketing Fund (EMF) and the Professional Services Advancement Support Scheme (PASS) (As at end March 2021)

	BUD Fund Note	EMF Note	PASS
Numberofapplications approved	52	2 351	9
Total funding amount approved	\$28,680,000	\$26,440,000	\$7,127,000

Note: Only the figures on the applications approved for the professional services sector (including the legal services sector) are kept for the BUD Fund and the EMF. There is no breakdown for the legal services sector.