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Clerk to Panel on Health Services  
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Dear Ms NG,

**Panel on Health Services  
Follow-up to the meeting on 5 February 2021**

Further to the joint panel meeting on 5 February 2021, the requested supplementary information is provided at **Enclosure**.

Yours sincerely,

(Mr Ricky WU)

for Secretary for Food and Health

**Follow-up action arising from  
Panel on Health Services on 5 February 2021**

The Administration was requested to provide information relevant to limited registration of medical practitioners under section 14A of the Medical Registration Ordinance (Cap. 161), including the number of such registration, the number of renewal application upon expiry of the registration after three years and the types of employment engaged by these persons in each of the past three years.

The number of doctors with limited registration under the General Register of the Medical Council of Hong Kong (“MCHK”), with breakdown by types of employment, for the past three years is set out in the following table –

<b>Promulgation</b>	<b>Number of Registered Doctors under Limited Registration (as at 31 December)</b>		
	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>
<b>No. 2</b>	92	125	102
- University of Hong Kong	(30)	(41)	(25)
- The Chinese University of Hong Kong	(50)	(57)	(38)
- Hospital Authority	(12)	(24)	(33)
- Department of Health	(0)	(3)	(6)
<b>No. 3</b>			
- Clinics exempted from the provisions of section 7 of the Medical Clinics Ordinance	22	21	20
<b>No. 4</b>			
- Clinics registered under the Medical Clinics Ordinance	9	8	6
<b>No. 10</b>			
- A firm of solicitors registered by the Law Society of Hong Kong	1	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>128</b>

Upon the enactment of the Medical Registration (Amendment) Ordinance 2018, the validity period and renewal period of limited registration for doctors have been extended from not exceeding one year to not exceeding three years. Since limited registration with a validity period of three years was first granted in July 2018 and will expire no sooner than July 2021, no application for renewal has been received so far.