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Dear Mr LIANG,

Employment (Amendment) Bill 2022 (“Bill”)

Further to our letter of 28 March 2022, we note that the Prevention and Control of Disease (Amendment) Regulation 2022 (L.N. 35 of 2022) was gazetted on 29 March 2022 and came into operation on 31 March 2022.

L.N. 35 of 2022 amends or repeals various provisions of the Prevention and Control of Disease Regulation (Cap. 599A), including sections 22, 23, 25 and 29 under which restrictions on movement could be imposed (see sections 3, 4, 6 and 10 of L.N. 35 of 2022). In view of the amendments made to Cap. 599A by L.N. 35 of 2022, please clarify whether amendment(s) would be made to clause 13 of the Bill in relation to Part 1 of the proposed new Schedule 11 to the Employment Ordinance (Cap. 57) for the purposes of the proposed new definition of “Cap. 599 requirement”.

We would be grateful if you could let us have the Administration's reply in both English and Chinese by 6 April 2022.

Yours sincerely,



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