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## Amendments to Hon Jimmy NG's motion on "Fully implementing policies for attracting enterprises and investment"

Further to the email (LC Paper No. CB(3)188/2023) issued on 16 March 2023, the President has given permission for three Members (Hon SHANG Hailong, Hon Edmund WONG and Ir Hon LEE Chun-keung) to move amendments to Hon Jimmy NG's motion, and has directed that the amendments be printed in the terms in which they were handed in on the Agenda of the Council.

- 2. The President will order a joint debate on the above motion and the amendments. I set out below the relevant proceedings in which the President will:
  - (a) call upon the motion mover to speak and move the motion;
  - (b) propose the question on the motion;
  - (c) call upon the Members who wish to move amendments to the motion to speak in the following order, but no amendment is to be moved at this stage:
    - (i) Hon Edmund WONG;
    - (ii) Hon SHANG Hailong; and
    - (iii) Ir Hon LEE Chun-keung;
  - (d) call upon the public officer(s) to speak;

- (e) invite other Members to speak;
- (f) call upon the motion mover to speak on the amendments;
- (g) call upon the public officer(s) to speak again;
- (h) deal with the amendments in the order set out in paragraph (c) above, i.e. first invite the mover of the first amendment to move the amendment and forthwith propose and put to vote the question on the amendment, and thereafter proceed to deal with the remaining amendment(s); and
- (i) after all amendments have been dealt with, call upon the motion mover to reply, and then put to vote the question on the motion, or the motion as amended, as the case may be.
- 3. The terms of the original motion and the marked-up version of the amendments (LC Paper No. CB(3)213/2023(01)) are attached for Members' easy reference. The amendments are also accessible via the hyperlink below: <a href="https://www.legco.gov.hk/yr2023/english/counmtg/motion/cm20230329m-nwk.htm">https://www.legco.gov.hk/yr2023/english/counmtg/motion/cm20230329m-nwk.htm</a>.
- 4. Members are reminded that in accordance with Appendix IIIA to the House Rules, the **maximum duration of this joint debate (including voting) is four hours**. The motion mover will have a total of 10 minutes to make introductory speech and reply (paragraph 2(a) and (i) above refers), and another five minutes to speak on the amendment(s) (paragraph 2(f) above refers). The mover(s) of the amendment(s) and other Members may each speak once up to a maximum of five minutes.
- 5. For enquiries, please contact **Miss Mandy NG at tel. no. 3919 3307**.

(Miranda HON) for Clerk to the Legislative Council

Encl.

(Translation)

# Motion debate on "Fully implementing policies for attracting enterprises and investment"

#### 1. Hon Jimmy NG's original motion

That, to embrace and implement the spirit of the 20th National Congress and respond to the important policies for attracting enterprises and investment proposed at the 'Two sessions' of the country, the current-term SAR Government has set up the Office for Attracting Strategic Enterprises and the Dedicated Teams for Attracting Businesses and Talents, which are tasked with attracting world-class and high-potential strategic enterprises, particularly those from industries of strategic importance, such as life and health technology, artificial intelligence and data science, financial technology, and advanced manufacturing and new energy technology, to establish a presence in Hong Kong; in this connection, this Council urges the SAR Government to fully implement policies for attracting enterprises and investment, and launch special facilitation measures covering aspects such as land, tax, financing and education, thereby strengthening the impetus for growth and long-term competitiveness of Hong Kong's industries.

### 2. Motion as amended by Hon Edmund WONG

That, as Hong Kong has entered a new phase of advancing from stability to prosperity, to embrace and implement the spirit of the 20th National Congress and respond to the important policies for attracting enterprises and investment proposed at the 'Two sessions' of the country, the current-term SAR Government has set up the Office for Attracting Strategic Enterprises and the Dedicated Teams for Attracting Businesses and Talents, which are tasked with attracting world-class and high-potential strategic enterprises, particularly those from industries of strategic importance, such as life and health technology, artificial intelligence and data science, financial technology, and advanced manufacturing and new energy technology, to establish a presence in Hong Kong; in this connection, this Council urges the SAR Government to instruct and coordinate all policy bureaux and departments to actively participate in the work of attracting enterprises and investment, and avoid fragmented administration, so as to fully implement policies for attracting enterprises and investment, and launch special facilitation measures covering aspects such as land, tax, financing and education, thereby strengthening the impetus for growth and long-term competitiveness of Hong Kong's industries.

Note: Hon Edmund WONG's amendment is marked in bold and italic type.

### 3. Motion as amended by Hon SHANG Hailong

That, to embrace and implement the spirit of the 20th National Congress, *support* the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region ('SAR') in better integrating into the overall development of the country and respond to the important policies for attracting enterprises and investment proposed at the 'Two sessions' of the country, the current-term SAR Government has set up the Office for Attracting Strategic Enterprises and the Dedicated Teams for Attracting Businesses and Talents, which are tasked with attracting world-class and high-potential strategic enterprises, particularly those from industries of strategic importance, such as life and health technology, artificial intelligence and data science, financial technology, and advanced manufacturing and new energy technology, to establish a presence in Hong Kong; in this connection, this Council urges the SAR Government to fully implement policies for attracting enterprises and investment, and launch special facilitation measures covering aspects such as land, tax, financing and education, thereby strengthening the impetus for growth and long-term competitiveness of Hong Kong's industries; specific policies are as follows:

- (1) launching a 'special policy package' for attracting enterprises and investment to bring in strategic enterprises and talents, and exploring support measures to facilitate flow of scientific research resources, capital, immigration, etc., thereby strengthening the advantages of local innovation and technology ('1&T') industries;
- (2) coordinating and planning long-term policies for talent development, and nurturing and retaining talents in the four directions of 'selection, retention, cultivation and deployment', thereby achieving the dual development of 'nurturing local talents and attracting talents from abroad', so as to address the structural problems in nurturing talents for local I&T industries; and
- (3) leveraging Hong Kong's advantages as an international financial centre to build an international I&T hub and promote a 'dual circulation' between the financial centre and the I&T hub.

Note: Hon SHANG Hailong's amendment is marked in bold and italic type.

#### 4. Motion as amended by Ir Hon LEE Chun-keung

That, to embrace and implement the spirit of the 20th National Congress and respond to the important policies for attracting enterprises and investment proposed at the 'Two sessions' of the country, the current-term SAR Government has set up the Office for Attracting Strategic Enterprises and the Dedicated Teams for Attracting Businesses and Talents to proactively and aggressively 'compete for enterprises' and 'compete for talents', which are tasked with attracting world-class and high-potential strategic enterprises, particularly those from industries of strategic importance, such as life and health technology, artificial intelligence and data science, financial technology, and advanced manufacturing and new energy technology, to establish a presence in Hong Kong; in this connection, this Council urges the SAR Government to fully implement policies for attracting enterprises and investment, and launch special facilitation measures covering aspects such as land, tax, financing and education, thereby strengthening the impetus for growth and long-term competitiveness of Hong Kong's industries; this Council also urges the SAR Government to, while attracting strategic enterprises from the Mainland and overseas, take into account supporting the development of local micro-, small- and medium-sized enterprises and preserve room for their survival, and properly divide the responsibilities with the various cities in the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area in order to make concerted efforts to promote the flow of people, goods, capital and information, thus avoiding vicious competition among them.

<u>Note</u>: Ir Hon LEE Chun-keung's amendment is marked in *bold and italic type*.