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Ir Hon CHAN Siu-hung's motion on "Promoting the development of green transport"

Wording of the Motion

That transport is the second largest source of carbon emissions in Hong Kong, accounting for about 20% of the total carbon emissions; in this connection, this Council urges the Government to formulate more proactive decarbonization strategies to reduce carbon emissions from transport and step up efforts to promote the development of green transport; specific measures include: enhancing the transport layout and building green transport infrastructure; improving the legislation and the regulatory regime to support the application and research of green transport equipment and facilities; further promoting the popularization of electric vehicles, and expediting the use of hydrogen fuel cell vehicles and other zero-carbon vehicles to achieve low-carbon transport; strengthening talent training to meet the trend and manpower needs of green transport development; and enhancing publicity and education to encourage green travel, with a view to striving for early realization of the vision of zero-carbon transport and achieving the target of carbon neutrality by 2050.