

(Translation)

**Hon Rock CHEN's motion on
“Integrating associations of Chinese fellow townsmen into the
district governance systems”**

Wording of the Motion

That, as the key supporters of ‘loving the country and Hong Kong’, associations of Chinese fellow townsmen have long been serving clansmen and residents in districts and playing a role in fostering cohesion and unity in the community; in this connection, this Council urges the SAR Government to support integrating associations of Chinese fellow townsmen into the district governance systems, appoint outstanding individuals from the associations to district consultative bodies, promote better liaison and cooperation between District Offices and the associations, appropriately allocate resources to encourage the associations to launch district services, and support volunteers from the associations to participate in District Services and Community Care Teams, so that the associations can provide appropriate and targeted services to clansmen.