(Translation)

Hon Adrian HO's motion on "Maximizing the effectiveness of the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge and promoting the synergistic development of Guangdong, Hong Kong and Macao"

Wording of the Motion

That, since the resumption of normal travel with the Mainland early this year, Hong Kong has resumed normalcy in full, and the usage rate of the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge ('HZMB') on holidays has increased substantially, driving the interaction among the three places of Guangdong, Hong Kong and Macao; in this connection, this Council urges the Government to further give play to the important role of HZMB in injecting impetus into Hong Kong's economy and the synergistic development of Guangdong, Hong Kong and Macao, including fostering the development of the cross-regional logistics industry and the flow of people through achieving the connectivity of commercial and civilian vehicles in the three places; building an inbound car park at the Hong Kong Port and enhancing the local public transport services to and from the Hong Kong Port to facilitate visits to Hong Kong by self-drive mode; expeditiously increasing the daily quota for applications under the Quota-free Scheme for Hong Kong Private Cars Travelling to Guangdong via the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge ('the Scheme') and introducing additional one-off quotas for Hong Kong vehicles entering Macao; enhancing the publicity and education work on cross-boundary driving to boost drivers' confidence in participating in the Scheme; and improving the traffic management arrangements for the Hong Kong Port and roads in its vicinity to effectively divert traffic flow.