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To : All Members of the Legislative Council

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**Amendments to Hon CHAN Yung's motion on
"Taking forward red tourism and the panda economy in Hong Kong"**

The President has given permission for three Members (Hon CHAN Yuet-ming, Hon Kenneth LEUNG and Hon Stanley NG) to move amendments to Hon CHAN Yung's motion. The terms of the original motion and the marked-up version of the amendments (LC Paper No. CB(1)1659/2024(01)) are **attached** for Members' information.

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 Kenneth LEUNG;
 - (ii) Hon Stanley NG; and
 - (iii) Hon CHAN Yuet-ming;
- (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. 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.

(Jessica CHAN)
for Clerk to the Legislative Council

Encl.

(Translation)

**Motion debate on
“Taking forward red tourism and the panda economy in Hong Kong”**

1. Hon CHAN Yung’s original motion

That the Patriotic Education Law of the People’s Republic of China points out the importance of promoting the development of red tourism; Hong Kong possesses rich resources on red tourism, and as long as the relevant resources can be consolidated, they can definitely transform into new tourism attractions in Hong Kong; on the other hand, with the gifting of two pandas by the Central Government to Hong Kong again this year, alongside the two pandas born locally earlier on, the national treasure of six pandas has now sparked off a wave of panda craze in Hong Kong and brought various business opportunities; in this connection, this Council urges the SAR Government to adopt proactive measures to take forward red tourism and the panda economy in Hong Kong, including:

- (1) developing a ‘Heritage Trail for the War of Resistance involving the Dongjiang Column’;
- (2) undertaking proper coordination and planning for the series of events in 2025 marking the 80th anniversary of victory in the War of Resistance, including expeditiously expanding the Hong Kong Museum of the War of Resistance and Coastal Defence for a full exhibition of the relevant historical materials on the War of Resistance;
- (3) constructing a museum for the history of the Communist Party of China to showcase its philosophy, founding background, history of endeavours, achievements, etc., so as to assist Hong Kong people in knowing more about the ruling party of our country and in turn gaining a more comprehensive understanding of modern Chinese and Hong Kong history;
- (4) incorporating technologies such as virtual reality, augmented reality and artificial intelligence into scenic spots and exhibition galleries to provide visitors with an immersive experience;
- (5) motivating Ocean Park to seize the opportunities presented by the pandas by shaping a unique image for the three pairs of pandas and turning them into a brand of Hong Kong to create a ‘panda celebrity’ effect, and setting up a live broadcast channel of the pandas to deepen the understanding of people and visitors about their daily life and conservation; and

- (6) encouraging various social sectors to launch more activities or products with panda as the theme, including initiating coordination for collaboration between Ocean Park and the business, cultural and creative sectors, so as to enhance Hong Kong's economic vibrancy and stimulate consumption.

2. Motion as amended by Hon Kenneth LEUNG

That *with changes in travel patterns worldwide, Hong Kong needs to develop a more diversified range of tourism items*; the Patriotic Education Law of the People's Republic of China points out the importance of promoting the development of red tourism; Hong Kong possesses rich resources on red tourism, and as long as the relevant resources can be consolidated, they can definitely transform into new tourism attractions in Hong Kong; on the other hand, with the gifting of two pandas by the Central Government to Hong Kong again this year, alongside the two pandas born locally earlier on, the national treasure of six pandas has now sparked off a wave of panda craze in Hong Kong and brought various business opportunities; in this connection, this Council urges the SAR Government to adopt proactive measures to take forward red tourism and the panda economy in Hong Kong, including:

- (1) developing a 'Heritage Trail for the War of Resistance involving the Dongjiang Column', *enhancing the ancillary tourist facilities at tourism spots along the trail, and organizing various experiential and educational activities for promotion purpose, in a bid to induce people and visitors to learn about the history of Hong Kong and our country during the War of Resistance period*;
- (2) undertaking proper coordination and planning for the series of events in 2025 marking the 80th anniversary of victory in the War of Resistance, including expeditiously expanding the Hong Kong Museum of the War of Resistance and Coastal Defence for a full exhibition of the relevant historical materials on the War of Resistance, *and in the long run, establishing a closer cooperative relationship with the relevant museums in the Mainland to open up red tourism routes with 'multi-destinations'*;
- (3) constructing a museum for the history of the Communist Party of China to showcase its philosophy, founding background, history of endeavours, achievements, etc., so as to assist Hong Kong people in knowing more about the ruling party of our country and in turn gaining a more comprehensive understanding of modern Chinese and Hong Kong history;

- (4) incorporating technologies such as virtual reality, augmented reality and artificial intelligence into scenic spots and exhibition galleries to provide visitors with an immersive experience;
- (5) motivating Ocean Park to seize the opportunities presented by the pandas by shaping a unique image for the three pairs of pandas and turning them into a brand of Hong Kong to create a ‘panda celebrity’ effect, and setting up a live broadcast channel of the pandas to deepen the understanding of people and visitors about their daily life and conservation; ~~and~~
- (6) encouraging various social sectors to launch more activities or products with panda as the theme, including initiating coordination for collaboration between Ocean Park and the business, cultural and creative sectors, so as to enhance Hong Kong’s economic vibrancy and stimulate consumption; *and*
- (7) *leveraging the important role of the three pairs of pandas in ecological conservation to enhance panda conservation research for the purpose of developing related eco-tourism, while motivating schools to adopt panda as a theme of experiential learning, so as to enhance students’ conservation awareness and understanding of our country’s efforts in safeguarding ecological security and in turn bring opportunities for Hong Kong’s development of educational tourism.*

Note: Hon Kenneth LEUNG’s amendment is marked in ***bold and italic type*** or with deletion line.

3. Motion as amended by Hon Stanley NG

That *in order to strengthen patriotic education in the new era, and inherit and promote the spirit of patriotism*, the Patriotic Education Law of the People’s Republic of China points out the importance of promoting the development of red tourism *and stipulates the need to strengthen the protection, administration, and utilization of red resources and explore red resources with historical value and commemorative significance*; Hong Kong possesses rich resources on red tourism, and as long as the relevant resources can be consolidated, they can definitely transform into new tourism attractions in Hong Kong; on the other hand, with the gifting of two pandas by the Central Government to Hong Kong again this year, alongside the two pandas born locally earlier on, the national treasure of six pandas has now sparked off a wave of panda craze in Hong Kong and brought various business opportunities; in this connection, this Council urges

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- (6) encouraging various social sectors to launch more activities or products with panda as the theme, including initiating coordination for collaboration between Ocean Park and the business, cultural and creative sectors, so as to enhance Hong Kong’s economic vibrancy and stimulate consumption;
- (7) *developing a ‘Heritage Trail for Patriotic Labour Movements’ to promote the history of patriotic labour movements in Hong Kong;*
- (8) *encouraging various social sectors through policies to launch more study tours and learning activities with local patriotic history and figures as the theme, so as to develop Hong Kong into a learning base for red tourism; and*

- (9) *organizing scale model exhibitions on our country's armaments and selecting sites to exhibit scale models of our country's major armaments as a means of developing new patriotic military attractions.*

Note: Hon Stanley NG's amendment is marked in *bold and italic type* or with deletion line.

4. Motion as amended by Hon CHAN Yuet-ming

That the Patriotic Education Law of the People's Republic of China points out the importance of promoting the development of red tourism; Hong Kong possesses rich resources on red tourism, and as long as the relevant resources can be consolidated, they can definitely transform into new tourism attractions in Hong Kong; on the other hand, with the gifting of two pandas by the Central Government to Hong Kong again this year, alongside the two pandas born locally earlier on, the national treasure of six pandas has now sparked off a wave of panda craze in Hong Kong and brought various business opportunities; in this connection, this Council urges the SAR Government to adopt proactive measures to take forward red tourism and the panda economy in Hong Kong, including:

- (1) *with possible reference from the landscape design concept of the riverfront project for Liantang River in Shenzhen, developing a 'Heritage Trail for the War of Resistance involving the Dongjiang Column', so that people and visitors may visit those facilities in commemoration of the War of Resistance and its historical relics along the trail such as the Law Uk and the Cenotaph for Martyrs in Wu Kau Tang and learn about the footprints and achievements of the Dongjiang Column in the War of Resistance against the Japanese Aggression in Hong Kong;*
- (2) *improving the ancillary transport facilities for red tourism attractions, including the provision of additional parking spaces for coaches;*
- (3) undertaking proper coordination and planning for the series of events in 2025 marking the 80th anniversary of victory in the War of Resistance, including expeditiously expanding the Hong Kong Museum of the War of Resistance and Coastal Defence for a full exhibition of the relevant historical materials on the War of Resistance;
- ~~(3)~~(4) constructing a museum for the history of the Communist Party of China to showcase its philosophy, founding background, history of endeavours, achievements, etc., so as to assist Hong Kong people in knowing more about the ruling party of our country and in turn gaining a more

comprehensive understanding of modern Chinese and Hong Kong history;

- ~~(4)~~(5) incorporating technologies such as virtual reality, augmented reality and artificial intelligence into scenic spots and exhibition galleries to provide visitors with an immersive experience;
- ~~(5)~~(6) motivating Ocean Park to seize the opportunities presented by the pandas by shaping a unique image for the three pairs of pandas and turning them into a brand of Hong Kong to create a ‘panda celebrity’ effect, and setting up a live broadcast channel of the pandas to deepen the understanding of people and visitors about their daily life and conservation; and
- ~~(6)~~(7) encouraging various social sectors to launch more activities or products with panda as the theme, including initiating coordination for collaboration between Ocean Park and the business, cultural and creative sectors, so as to enhance Hong Kong’s economic vibrancy and stimulate consumption.

Note: Hon CHAN Yuet-ming’s amendment is marked in ***bold and italic type*** or with deletion line.