

(Translation)

**Dr Hon TAN Yueheng's motion on
“Tackling population ageing and fostering an elderly-friendly economy”**

Wording of the Motion

That according to the SAR Government's projections, Hong Kong's population is expected to continue ageing, and the proportion of the elderly population aged 65 and over will reach as high as 36% of the total population by 2046; in order to better cope with the challenges brought about by ageing, this Council urges the SAR Government to adopt a multi-pronged approach to build an elderly-friendly economy, including promoting the optimization of industrial structure, facilitating the development of the elderly care industry, pension finance, silver technology, etc., and attaching importance to the development and utilization of elderly human resources, so as to strengthen the silver economy and enhance social well-being.