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To : All Members of the Legislative Council

#### **Council meeting of 19 March 2025**

# Amendments to Hon Kenneth LAU's motion on "Making good use of Hong Kong's island and coastline resources to promote the development of marine tourism"

The President has given permission for five Members (Hon Elizabeth QUAT, Hon YIM Kong, Dr Hon SO Cheung-wing, Hon KWOK Wai-keung and Dr Hon Hoey Simon LEE) to move amendments to Hon Kenneth LAU's motion. The terms of the original motion and the marked-up version of the amendments (LC Paper No. CB(1)392/2025(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 Elizabeth QUAT;
    - (ii) Hon KWOK Wai-keung;
    - (iii) Hon YIM Kong;
    - (iv) Dr Hon Hoey Simon LEE; and
    - (v) Dr Hon SO Cheung-wing;

- (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 "Making good use of Hong Kong's island and coastline resources to promote the development of marine tourism"

#### 1. Hon Kenneth LAU's original motion

That this Council urges the SAR Government to make good use of the rich resources of Hong Kong's 1 180 km of coastline and 263 islands, as well as Hong Kong's unique advantage of having the country's important natural deep-water port, to proactively promote the development of marine eco-tourism, island tourism, yacht tourism and vacation tourism, with policy as the guide and resources as the support, so as to develop Hong Kong into a world-class marine tourism city.

#### 2. Motion as amended by Hon Elizabeth QUAT

That Hong Kong has abundant and high-quality coastline, island and marine resources; this Council urges the SAR Government to make good use of the rich resources of Hong Kong's 1 180 km of coastline and 263 islands, as well as Hong Kong's unique advantage of having the country's important natural deep-water port, to proactively promote the development of marine eco-tourism, island tourism, yacht tourism and vacation tourism, with policy as the guide and resources as the support; the SAR Government should also facilitate and encourage the use of low-altitude resources and technologies by the tourism industry, and combine the low-altitude economy with marine tourism in order to develop more diversified tourism products and enhance tourists' travel experience, so as to develop Hong Kong into a world-class marine tourism city.

Note: Hon Elizabeth QUAT's amendment is marked in *bold and italic type*.

## 3. Motion as amended by Hon KWOK Wai-keung

That marine tourism is an important component of Hong Kong's diversified tourism development; this Council urges the SAR Government to make good use of the rich resources of Hong Kong's 1 180 km of coastline and 263 islands, as well as Hong Kong's unique advantage of having the country's important natural deep-water port, to proactively promote the development of marine eco-tourism, island tourism, yacht tourism and vacation tourism, with policy as the guide and resources as the support, so as to develop Hong Kong into a world-class marine tourism city; in order to enhance the development of marine tourism, the SAR

Government should improve the supporting infrastructure on famous islands (e.g. Tung Ping Chau, Po Toi Island, etc.), including the installation of water and electricity supply systems that use new energy (e.g. hydrogen energy, solar energy, wind energy, etc.) and base stations for telecommunications networks; as well as deepen the integration of Hong Kong's fisheries industry with the dining culture by planning and constructing multi-functional fisherman's wharves at famous bays (e.g. Castle Peak Bay, Aberdeen, Lei Yue Mun, etc.) to link the rich variety of business formats including seafood restaurants at typhoon shelters, seafood markets and yacht berthing areas for joint development.

Note: Hon KWOK Wai-keung's amendment is marked in **bold and italic type**.

#### 4. Motion as amended by Hon YIM Kong

That this Council urges the SAR Government to make good use of the rich resources of Hong Kong's 1 180 km of coastline and 263 islands, as well as Hong Kong's unique advantage of having the country's important natural deep-water port, to dovetail with the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area ('GBA')'s integrated development strategy and innovative mechanism and join hands with the partner cities in GBA to jointly develop more diversified marine tourism and vacation itineraries across a broader area, and to proactively promote the development of marine eco-tourism, island tourism, yacht tourism and vacation tourism, with policy as the guide and resources as the support, so as to develop Hong Kong into a world-class marine tourism city.

Note: Hon YIM Kong's amendment is marked in **bold and italic type**.

# 5. Motion as amended by Dr Hon Hoey Simon LEE

That this Council urges the SAR Government to make good use of the rich resources of Hong Kong's 1 180 km of coastline and 263 islands, as well as Hong Kong's unique advantage of having the country's important natural deep-water port, to proactively promote the development of marine eco-tourism, island tourism, yacht tourism and, vacation tourism and deep-sea popular science tourism, with policy as the guide and resources as the support, so as to develop Hong Kong into a world-class marine tourism city.

Note: Dr Hon Hoey Simon LEE's amendment is marked in *bold and italic type* or with deletion line.

### 6. Motion as amended by Dr Hon SO Cheung-wing

That this Council urges the SAR Government to make good use of the rich resources of Hong Kong's 1 180 km of coastline and 263 islands, as well as Hong Kong's unique advantage of having the country's important natural deep-water port, to proactively promote the development of marine eco-tourism, island tourism, yacht tourism and vacation tourism, with policy as the guide and resources as the support, so as to develop Hong Kong into a world-class marine tourism city; this Council also urges the SAR Government to focus its efforts on enhancing the comprehensive benefits of the development, utilization and protection of the island and coastline resources, and to conduct systematic planning for the area-wide development of coastal tourism scenarios and the enrichment of coastal industries, so as to enhance the characteristics of Hong Kong's marine tourism and high-quality consumer experience.

Note: Dr Hon SO Cheung-wing's amendment is marked in *bold and italic type*.