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**Amendments to Hon YIU Pak-leung's motion on
“Reinforcing Hong Kong's role as an international tourism hub and
consolidating its position as a world-class premier tourism destination”**

The President has given permission for three Members (Hon CHAN Yuet-ming, Hon Elizabeth QUAT and Hon Joephy CHAN) to move amendments to Hon YIU Pak-leung's motion. The terms of the original motion and the marked-up version of the amendments (LC Paper No. CB(1)782/2025(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 CHAN Yuet-ming;
 - (ii) Hon Elizabeth QUAT; and
 - (iii) Hon Joephy CHAN;
- (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
“Reinforcing Hong Kong’s role as an international tourism hub and consolidating its position as a world-class premier tourism destination”

1. Hon YIU Pak-leung’s original motion

That the Development Blueprint for Hong Kong’s Tourism Industry 2.0 sets out the vision of consolidating Hong Kong’s position as a world-class premier tourism destination, while the Outline Development Plan for the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area (‘GBA’) supports Hong Kong in developing into an international tourism hub and a core demonstration zone for multi-destination tourism, and that the two are complementary; in this connection, this Council urges the SAR Government to, on the one hand, improve Hong Kong’s ancillary transport facilities to strengthen its transit function and, through the multi-destination model, connect the GBA and international resources and strengthen cooperation with Mainland and overseas cities to promote complementarity of advantages and provide support for the tourism industry to ‘bring in and go global’, so as to reinforce Hong Kong’s core role as an international tourism hub; and, on the other hand, develop diversified tourism experiences, improve tourism-support facilities, promote the upgrading of the industry, develop ‘+Tourism’ by combining elements of culture, sports, ecology and mega events, encourage the industry to innovate tourism products and services, conduct targeted external publicity, create a hospitable environment and continue to introduce measures to enhance Hong Kong’s attractiveness, thereby consolidating Hong Kong’s position as a world-class premier tourism destination.

2. Motion as amended by Hon CHAN Yuet-ming

That *the 2024 Policy Address proposes to make better use of our rich and unique resources to revitalize Hong Kong’s tourism industry*; the Development Blueprint for Hong Kong’s Tourism Industry 2.0 sets out the vision of consolidating Hong Kong’s position as a world-class premier tourism destination, while the Outline Development Plan for the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area (‘GBA’) supports Hong Kong in developing into an international tourism hub and a core demonstration zone for multi-destination tourism, and that the two are complementary; in this connection, this Council urges the SAR Government to, on the one hand, improve Hong Kong’s ancillary transport facilities to strengthen its transit function and, through the multi-destination model, connect the GBA and international resources and strengthen cooperation with Mainland and overseas cities, *and change the mindset of maintaining a single customs clearance function at land boundary control*

points by drawing on the concept of Airport City to promote complementarity of advantages and provide support for the tourism industry to ‘bring in and go global’, so as to reinforce Hong Kong’s core role as an international tourism hub; and, on the other hand, develop diversified tourism experiences, improve tourism-support facilities, promote the upgrading of the industry, develop ‘+Tourism’ by combining elements of culture, sports, ecology and mega events, ***capitalize on the advantages of the cross-border integration of culture, sports and tourism to make comprehensive software and hardware planning and arrangements for cross-border mega events by tapping the opportunity of the tourism planning in the eastern and western parts of the Northern Metropolis***, encourage the industry to innovate tourism products and services, conduct targeted external publicity, create a hospitable environment and continue to introduce measures to enhance Hong Kong’s attractiveness, thereby consolidating Hong Kong’s position as a world-class premier tourism destination.

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

3. Motion as amended by Hon Elizabeth QUAT

That *the tourism industry is one of Hong Kong’s economic pillars*; the Development Blueprint for Hong Kong’s Tourism Industry 2.0 sets out the vision of consolidating Hong Kong’s position as a world-class premier tourism destination, while the Outline Development Plan for the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area (‘GBA’) supports Hong Kong in developing into an international tourism hub and a core demonstration zone for multi-destination tourism, and that the two are complementary; in this connection, this Council urges the SAR Government to, on the one hand, improve Hong Kong’s ancillary transport facilities to strengthen its transit function and, through the multi-destination model, connect the GBA and international resources and strengthen cooperation with Mainland and overseas cities to promote complementarity of advantages and provide support for the tourism industry to ‘bring in and go global’, so as to reinforce Hong Kong’s core role as an international tourism hub; and, on the other hand, develop diversified tourism experiences, improve tourism-support facilities, promote the upgrading of the industry, develop ‘+Tourism’ by combining elements of culture, sports, ecology and mega events, encourage the industry to innovate tourism products and services, conduct targeted external publicity, create a hospitable environment and continue to introduce measures to enhance Hong Kong’s attractiveness, thereby consolidating Hong Kong’s position as a world-class premier tourism destination; ***the SAR Government should also actively explore the integration of tourism with the low-altitude economy, so as to further promote ‘+Tourism’ and enhance the attractiveness of Hong Kong’s tourism.***

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

4. Motion as amended by Hon Joephy CHAN

That *in 2023, the State Council issued Several Measures for Unlocking the Potential of Tourism Consumption and Promoting the High-Quality Development of Tourism, which calls for promoting the thoroughly integrated development of culture and tourism and puts forward the concept of ‘+Tourism’; at the end of last year, the SAR Government released the Development Blueprint for Hong Kong’s Tourism Industry 2.0, which* sets out the vision of consolidating Hong Kong’s position as a world-class premier tourism destination, while the Outline Development Plan for the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area (‘GBA’) supports Hong Kong in developing into an international tourism hub and a core demonstration zone for multi-destination tourism, and that the two are complementary; in this connection, this Council urges the SAR Government to, on the one hand, improve Hong Kong’s ancillary transport facilities to strengthen its transit function and, through the multi-destination model, connect the GBA and international resources and strengthen cooperation with Mainland and overseas cities to promote complementarity of advantages and provide support for the tourism industry to ‘bring in and go global’, so as to reinforce Hong Kong’s core role as an international tourism hub; and, on the other hand, develop diversified tourism experiences, improve tourism-support facilities, promote the upgrading of the industry, develop ‘+Tourism’ by combining elements of culture, sports, ecology and mega events, encourage the industry to innovate tourism products and services, conduct targeted external publicity, create a hospitable environment and continue to introduce measures to enhance Hong Kong’s attractiveness; *the SAR Government should also strengthen training for practitioners of the tourism industry, including deepening their understanding of the languages and cultures of visitors from different backgrounds, and promoting professional docent training for local diversified and in-depth tours, as well as providing training allowances for the practitioners, so as to accelerate the improvement of tourism service quality*, thereby consolidating Hong Kong’s position as a world-class premier tourism destination.

Note: Hon Joephy CHAN’s amendment is marked in *bold and italic type*.