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Clerk to Panel on Education Legislative Council Legislative Council Building 8 Jackson Road Central Hong Kong (Attn: Miss Flora TAI)

Dear Miss TAI,

Employment Situation of the Graduates of the Hong Kong Institute of Education

At the meeting of 15 November 1999, the Panel requested the Administration to provide statistics on the employment situation of the graduates of the Hong Kong Institute of Education (HKIEd) in 1999.

According to HKIEd's Graduates Employment Survey, the employment situation (as at 31 December 1999) of HKIEd's 1999 graduates is set out below -

(a)	No. of graduates of HKIEd's full-time programmes in 1999	1,348
(b)	No. of responded graduates	1,021
(c)	No. of (b) engaged in full-time employment (%)	756 (74%)
(d)	No. of (b) who pursued further studies (%)	126 (12%)
(e)	No. of (b) engaged in part-time employment (%)	85 (8%)
(f)	No. of (b) who were unemployed	52

(g)	Unemployment rate [i.e. $(f)/\{(c)+(e)+(f)\}$]	5.8%
(h)	No. of (c) employed as teachers (%)	746
		(99%)

Yours sincerely,

(Ms Michelle LI) for Secretary for Education and Manpower