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24 February 2005

Mr T T CHEUNG
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Dear Mr CHEUNG,

Subcommittee on West Kowloon Cultural District Development

Meeting on 16 March 2005

On behalf of Hon Alan LEONG, Chairman of the Subcommittee, I write to invite your organization to attend the next Subcommittee meeting scheduled to be held on Wednesday, 16 March 2005, from 8:30 am to 10:30 am in the Chamber of the Legislative Council Building. The agenda for the meeting is enclosed.

As you may aware, the Subcommittee is a dedicated committee formed under the House Committee to follow up on matters relating to the development of the West Kowloon Cultural District (WKCD). Members have noted the submission your organization presented to the Panel on Planning, Lands and Works on 31 January 2005 which highlights the importance of adhering to the guidelines for undertaking Public Private Partnerships in the development of WKCD. The Subcommittee would like to invite your organization to elaborate on those views at the meeting on 16 March 2005. You may wish to note that representatives of the Administration and the Efficiency Unit have also been invited to join the discussion.

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If your organization is interested in attending the meeting, please complete and return the attached reply slip by 11 March 2005. Please limit the number of your representatives to two. If your organization wishes to address the Subcommittee in Putonghua, please notify us in advance so that necessary arrangements can be made. If you would like to make further submission to the Subcommittee, please furnish the same to us by 11 March 2005. The submission should preferably be in both Chinese and English and with a softcopy as well.

In line with our usual practice, the meeting will be held in public and written submission received will be made available to the media and the public, and uploaded onto the website of the Legislative Council, unless you have advised otherwise. You may also wish to note that when addressing the Subcommittee, your representatives are not covered by the protection and immunity provided under the Legislative Council (Powers and Privileges) Ordinance (Cap. 382). Your written submission is also not covered by the Ordinance.

On the date of the meeting, representatives are requested to arrive 10 minutes before the scheduled meeting time. On arrival at the Legislative Council Building, they are required to obtain entry passes at the Security Control Post at the entrance beside the carpark before proceeding to the Ante-Chamber on the first floor. They will be invited to join the meeting when members are ready. Please note that representatives are required to wear the entry passes at all times while in the Building and return them to the Security Control Post before leaving the Building.

Should you require further information, please feel free to contact the undersigned or Mr Anthony CHU at 2869 9212.

Yours sincerely,

(Ms Alice AU) for Clerk to Subcommittee

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e.c. Hon Alan LEONG Kah-kit, SC (Chairman)

Subcommittee on West Kowloon Cultural District Development

Third meeting on Wednesday, 16 March 2005, at 8:30 am in the Chamber of the Legislative Council Building

Agenda

- J Confirmation of minutes (8:30 am 8:35 am)
- II Meeting with the Administration and deputations (8:35 am 10:25 am)
 - (a) To study the principles adopted by the Government for its Public Private Partnerships (PPP) projects
 - (b) To identify deviations, if any, in the approach adopted for the West Kowloon Cultural District (WKCD) development from standing practices and general principles
 - (c) To examine the appropriateness of using PPP for developing WKCD
- III Any other business (10:25 am 10:30 am)

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