As an IT SME company, we really need to have a credible third-party accreditation on our quality and professional competence, such as: ISO 9001 and ISO 27001. We support the proposal of establishing a credible ICT professional recognition framework in Hong Kong and believe that the framework would not only improve the overall ICT industry image, profile, and facilitate the business development of the industry. More importantly, the accreditation can applicable to our clients so that both IT company and the client have a clear understanding of the technical skill levels of the project team. In the design, implementation and maintenance of the project, we can have better cost-efficiency projects team and well management our expectations and eventually improve both parties productivity, service quality and corporate image.

We also understand that the ICT professional recognition framework would be voluntary basis at the beginning, which would give us and our clients the flexibility to different positions and market demand, and decide to employ the accredited professionals. After the recognition framework become mature, the recognition framework can be applicable to all company in Hong Kong. We expect the qualification can be mutual recognition with other software development active countries such as China, India and USA. We also hope that the recognition framework can also be extended to the recognition of software development company capability, and software product quality. Those recognitions will promote the Hong Kong base software company and align with international standard.

Today, ICT and the community are closely related. We need to promote an excellence quality services in local ICT industry, as well as to establish public confidence on local IT systems. We hope the Government will take forward the initiative as soon as possible.