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**Hon Steven HO's motion on
“Empowering the development of agriculture and fisheries industries with
new quality productive forces”**

Wording of the Motion

That the HKSAR Government officially published in late 2023 the Blueprint for the Sustainable Development of Agriculture and Fisheries (‘the Blueprint’), the contents of which involve eight major areas, including application of technology, trade organizations, diversification of industries, and so on; the State Council also proposed in the Report on the Work of the Government 2024 to develop new quality productive forces at a faster pace; in order to achieve the goals of promoting economic growth and sustainable social development, this Council urges the HKSAR Government to, while implementing the Blueprint, continue to enhance its contents, including consummating the trade and service systems relating to agricultural and fishery foods; leveraging the advantage of ‘one country, two systems’ to assist Mainland’s quality agricultural and fishery foods to ‘go global’ and international quality foods to ‘come in’; and at the same time promoting local agricultural and fishery products and building an international agricultural and fishery foods trading platform, so as to help Hong Kong’s agriculture and fisheries industries break away from the homogeneous pattern of economic growth in the past, and create new economic growth points.