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Clerk to Panel
LegCo Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene
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Dear Miss Ma,

LegCo Panel on Food Safety and Environmental Hygiene Regular Meeting on 14 February 2006

At the captioned meeting, the Panel requested the Administration to indicate the timetable for introducing legislation for the "one licence for one shop" proposal. Our response is as follows please –

"Should no complicated legal issues arise during the drafting stage, the Amendment Regulation for putting in place the requirement of "one licence for one shop" could be ready for introduction to the Legislative Council around mid-2006."

Yours sincerely,

(Ms Shirley Kwan) for Secretary for Health, Welfare and Food

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