## Subcommittee on Emergency (Date of General Election) (Seventh Term of the Legislative Council) Regulation

## List of follow-up actions arising from the discussion at the meeting on 30 October 2020

The Administration was requested to provide a written response to the following issues raised by members:

- (a) the constitutional and legal implications involved (including the effect of the gazette notices, including G.N. 3115 of 2020, G.N. 3116 of 2020, G.N. 3276 of 2020, G.N. 3277of 2020 and G.N. (E.) 110 of 2020, previously published) and what response actions would be taken by the Administration (in particular, whether an alternative decision by the National People's Congress Standing Committee will be sought regarding the continuing operation of the sixth term of office of the Legislative Council ("LegCo")) in the following scenarios:
  - (i) in case the new date (i.e. 5 September 2021) for holding the LegCo General Election as specified in the Emergency (Date of General Election) (Seventh Term of the Legislative Council) Regulation ("the Regulation") is amended by LegCo (e.g. advanced to an earlier date, if and when the COVID-19 epidemic subsides); and
  - (ii) in case the Regulation is repealed by LegCo. (As Hon LAM Cheuk-ting has proposed to move a motion seeking the Subcommittee's support to repeal the Regulation (see Appendix), the Administration is also requested to provide a response to Mr LAM's proposed motion); and
- (b) the scope of coverage for "declared election expenses" as provided for in section 9 of the Regulation; and the reasons why certain, but not all, sitting Members belonging to the Civic Party were disqualified from running in the 2020 LegCo General Election, resulting in the difference in their eligibility for Government's payment in respect of declared election expenses.

Council Business Division 2 Legislative Council Secretariat 6 November 2020

附錄 Appendix

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## 《緊急情況(換屆選舉日期)(第七屆立法會)規例》小組委員會 2020 年 10 月 30 日

議決本小組委員會支持立法會廢除《緊急情況(換屆選舉日期)(第七屆立法會) 規例》。

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