

Mr CHAN Mo Po, Paul, GBM, GBS, MH, JP Financial Secretary 25/F, Central Government Offices, 2 Tim Mei Avenue, Tamar Hong Kong

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Dear Financial Secretary,

I am contacting you to see whether it would be possible to arrange a meeting for senior members of the Chamber with yourself and any colleagues that you would wish to attend.

As you know, we recently copied you on our Policy Address submission to the Chief Executive which contained a number of points on which a dialogue with yourself would be much appreciated, including financial support for SMEs, a review of the sources of fiscal revenues, proposals for enhancement of the financial markets, and developments in the GBA. In relation to the GBA, you may be aware that we recently hosted a full day Summit at the St Regis hotel which was kindly opened by the Chief Executive and in which a number of other members of the Government participated. This very much focused on the role of Hong Kong and I believe showcased the very clear opportunities that exist.

If acceptable, I would envisage involving 5 or 6 members of our General Committee, including myself and the Chamber's Executive Director, David Graham, who previously worked as Chief Regulatory Officer and Head of Listing at the Hong Kong Stock Exchange and whom I believe you may have met in that capacity. I would hope that this could be an opportunity for an informal exchange of views between us with the Chamber providing its perspective on the current business environment in Hong Kong, both the challenges as well as the opportunities.

We would very much welcome this opportunity and would obviously work around your schedule.

I look forward to hearing from your office.

Yours sincerely,

Peter Burnett

Chairman

The British Chamber of Commerce in Hong Kong

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