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in Hong Kong
香港英商會

The Hon. Mr Leung Chun-ying GBM, GBS, JP
Chief Executive
Office of the Chief Executive
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region
People's Republic of China
Tamar, Hong Kong

14 September 2016

Dear Chief Executive,

British Chamber of Commerce: 2017 Policy Address and Budget Submission

On behalf of the British Chamber of Commerce I attach our submission on issues for consideration for inclusion in your next Policy Address.

The central theme of our submission is that of investing in Hong Kong's future competitiveness. Hong Kong is an excellent place to do business. However it faces rapidly growing competition from other cities in the region both in traditional areas of its business strength and in key business areas of the future. We believe that Hong Kong accordingly needs to be investing in its future capabilities and assets. We set out in the paper a number of proposals in this regard, grouped in three areas:

- business, trade and finance
- people and skills
- Hong Kong's liveability

These proposals and comments are offered in a positive spirit: the Chamber and its member companies are strongly pro-Hong Kong. We are grateful for the excellent dialogue the Chamber has with your Administration and look forward to continuing this, including on the issues mentioned in our submission.

I am copying this letter and submission to the Financial Secretary.

Yours sincerely

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Chairman

cc: Mr. John Tsang GBM JP – Financial Secretary, HKSAR

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