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The Secretariat,  
Constructional Development Task Force,  
Constitutional Affairs Bureau,  
3/F., Main Wing, Central Government Offices,  
Lower Albert Road,  
Hong Kong.

Dear Sirs,

**The Fourth Report of the Constitutional Development Task Force**

As regard the questions raised in the Fourth Report on the forming of the Legislative Council in 2008, our view are as follows.

1. The number of seats should be increased to enhance the representativeness of the Legislative Council.
2. The Functional Constituency should be retained and the number of seats should be increased accordingly. The criteria for a Functional Constituency seat should be based on the contribution of the industry to the society and the economy.
3. We strongly request that the **construction industry** should have its individual seat in the Functional Constituencies. Our view is based on the following reasons:
  - a) Construction industry is the main pillar of the HK's economy and represents 5% HK's GPD with the value of construction work at construction sites around 60 billions last year.
  - b) The industry employs 300,000 people. It is estimated that the construction industry has a direct impact on over hundred thousands' families with more than a million population, i.e. about 6% of the total population.
4. Corporate voting arrangement should be retained for the Functional Constituency Seats. In the case of our industry, many of our corporate voters are professionals and in senior managerial positions. They believe in partnership and team spirit, which are the core values of Hong Kong, and they will continue put them into practice.

Yours faithfully,

~~For and on behalf of~~  
FOOK LEE CONSTRUCTION CO., LTD.

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