<u>Appeal for information on missing maning Tseung Kwan O (with photo)</u>

Police today (January 4) appealed to the public for information on a man who went missing in Tseung Kwan 0.

Heung Man-ki, aged 28, went missing after he left his residence at Ming Tak Estate on January 2 morning. His family made a report to Police yesterday (January 3).

He is about 1.5 metres tall, 45 kilograms in weight and of thin build. He has a long face with yellow complexion and short black hair. He was last seen wearing a blue jacket, blue short-sleeve T-shirt, dark colour trousers and black sports shoes.

Anyone who knows the whereabouts of the missing man or may have seen him is urged to contact the Regional Missing Person Unit of Kowloon East on 3661 0316 or email to rmpu-ke-2@police.gov.hk, or contact any police station.



Mr Andrew Leung elected as President of the Seventh LegCo

The following is issued on behalf of the Legislative Council Secretariat:

The nomination period for the office of the President of the Seventh Legislative Council (LegCo) closed at 5pm today (January 4).

As there is only one valid nomination, the Clerk to LegCo declares Mr Andrew Leung Kwan-yuen elected as the President of the Seventh LegCo.

WhatsApp sticker design and photo competitions celebrating HKSAR's 25th anniversary open for enrolment

In celebration of the 25th Anniversary of the Establishment of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (HKSAR) in 2022, primary and secondary school students and the public are now invited to take part in the WhatsApp sticker design and four-frame photo competitions organised by the Information Services Department (ISD) to send their blessings and share their aspirations for the future of Hong Kong in a creative way.

Under the theme of "Blessings for HKSAR 25th Birthday", the WhatsApp sticker design competition welcomes primary school pupils to unleash their creativity and design a series of fun, lively and useful stickers to send their birthday blessings for Hong Kong.

The four-frame photo competition, with the theme of "New Era with a Bright Future", comes in two categories — one for secondary school students and the other open to the public. Participants can take photos of the diverse facets of Hong Kong — its cityscapes and its people — to create a four-frame visual story, expressing their hope and confidence in the bright future of the city. Participants must enrol as an individual in either one of the categories and submit only one entry. The open category welcomes residents of all ages to join.

The competitions are organised by the ISD and supported by the Education Bureau, with Ming Pao as a co-organiser. Interested students of primary and secondary schools, and members of the public can download the enrolment form from the dedicated website (www.hksar25contests.com). Entries can also be submitted online via the website. The enrolment deadline is March 11.

Each category of the WhatsApp sticker design competition (primary school category) and the four-frame photo competition (secondary school and open categories) will have one champion, a first runner-up, a second runner-up and five merit awards. To encourage participation of more students, a top participating school award will be given out to three schools each in the primary and secondary school categories.

Scholarships or cash prizes ranging from \$1,000 to \$8,000 and trophies will be awarded to winners while winning schools will be awarded book vouchers and trophies. Winning entries may be displayed at a roving

exhibition to celebrate the HKSAR 25th anniversary and other venues. The winning sticker designs will be made available online for the public to download.

For more details, please visit www.hksar25contests.com or call 2595 3029 (Ming Pao).

Effective Exchange Rate Index

The effective exchange rate index for the Hong Kong dollar on Tuesday, January 4, 2022 is 95.5 (up 0.4 against yesterday's index).

Judicial appointment

The following is issued on behalf of the Judiciary:

The Judiciary today (January 4) announced the appointment of Ms Yvonne Cheng Wai-sum, SC, as Judge of the Court of First Instance of the High Court. The appointment will take effect on January 5, 2022.

The appointment is made by the Chief Executive on the recommendation of the Judicial Officers Recommendation Commission.

Ms Cheng, who now holds office as Recorder of the Court of First Instance of the High Court, will cease to be Recorder with effect from the same date.

The biographical note of Ms Cheng is as follows:

Ms Yvonne Cheng Wai-sum, SC, was born in 1973 in Hong Kong. She obtained a Bachelor of Arts (Jurisprudence) degree from Magdalen College, University of Oxford, United Kingdom, in 1995. She completed the Bar Finals Examination of the General Council of the Bar of England and Wales in 1996. She was called to the Bar of England and Wales (Gray's Inn) and to the Hong Kong Bar both in 1996. She has been in private practice since 1998. She was appointed as Senior Counsel in 2013. She was appointed as Deputy Judge of the Court of First Instance of the High Court for periods in 2014 and 2015. She has been appointed as Recorder of the Court of First Instance of the High Court since 2018.