## CAD holds youth activity in celebration of National Day (with photos)

To celebrate the 75th Anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China and enhance young people's understanding of the aviation development in Hong Kong, the Civil Aviation Department (CAD) today (October 5) held an aviation-themed youth activity at its headquarters.

The CAD has all along been committed to enhancing young people's understanding of Hong Kong aviation industry and inspiring young people's interests in the industry through organising youth activities, with the aim of nurturing young talents for the industry and hence contributing to the development of our country.

More than 140 participants from seven youth groups, namely the Scout Association of Hong Kong, the Hong Kong Girl Guides Association, the Hong Kong Air Cadet Corps, the Hong Kong Youth Aviation Academy, the Hong Kong Aerospace Leaders Association, the Hong Kong Road Safety Patrol and the Hong Kong Army Cadets Association, participated in the event today. Besides, nearly 30 participants from the Strive and Rise Programme joined the event today. The event offered a variety of activities, including thematic talks on aviation development in Hong Kong, career talks on CAD grades, demonstrations of air traffic control tower simulator and the Aviation Education Path guided tours.

â€< The Director-General of Civil Aviation, Mr Victor Liu, at the opening ceremony, said that he was very pleased to share the joy of the 75th Anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China with the young people at the event. He encouraged members of the youth groups to enhance knowledge on local aviation industry and equip themselves to uphold Hong Kong's status as an international aviation hub. Mr Liu added that the CAD Aviation Education Path will set up new exhibition galleries with the themes on the "uprising of the two airlines" and the civil aviation development of China (including the development of home-grown aircraft), which will be open to the public upon completion.





