<u>Annex</u>

Exit-pathways of Special Schools Secondary Six Students in the Year of Graduation ^(Note 1) (2019/20 to 2023/24 school years)

| School Year | Number of Students (Note 2) | | | | | |
|----------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------------|
| | Open Employment | Further Studies (Note 3) | Vocational Training (Note 4) | Vocational Rehabilitation (Note 5) | Other Post- School Pathways (Note 6) | Number of Secondary 6 Graduates |
| 2019/20 | 28 | 15 | 159 | 229 | 128 | 559 |
| 2020/21 | 30 | 17 | 180 | 217 | 140 | 584 |
| 2021/22 | 14 | 11 | 164 | 160 | 164 | 513 |
| 2022/23 | 25 | 16 | 136 | 212 | 159 | 548 |
| 2023/24 | 38 | 13 | 149 | 236 | 136 | 572 |

Notes:

- 1. Including schools for children with intellectual disability, schools for children with physical disability, schools for children with visual impairment, a school for children with hearing impairment and schools for social development.
- 2. Figures are based on information collected from special schools up to September of the subsequent school year.
- 3. Further Studies include Diploma Yi Jin/Diploma of Applied Education, local tertiary institution and further studies on the Mainland/ overseas.
- 4. Operators of vocational training include Shine Skills Centre, Hong Kong Institution of Vocational Education, Youth College, Youth Employment and Training Programme, construction industry/clothing industry training, Hong Kong Design Institute, other vocational trainings, etc.
- 5. Vocational rehabilitation services include vocational rehabilitation/ day training services, vocational rehabilitation/day training services cum hostel. Operators of vocational rehabilitation/day training services include Day Activity Centres, Sheltered Workshops, Integrated Vocational Rehabilitation Services Centre, etc.
- 6. Other exit-pathways include District Support Centre for Persons with Disabilities, Hostel for Severely Physically Handicapped Persons, Care and Attention Home for Severely Disabled Persons, infirmary care, hospitalised, waiting for related post-school services, etc.