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**Hon CHAN Hoi-yan's motion on
“Comprehensively reforming the complaints handling and disciplinary
inquiry mechanism of the Medical Council of Hong Kong”**

Wording of the Motion

That in order to enhance the efficiency and credibility of the Medical Council of Hong Kong ('MCHK') in handling complaints, with a view to protecting more comprehensively the rights and interests of patients and doctors, this Council urges the Government to comprehensively reform the complaints handling and disciplinary inquiry mechanism of MCHK; the proposals include:

- (1) establishing dedicated investigation teams responsible for conducting initial investigations on complaint cases received and making follow-up recommendations to the Preliminary Investigation Committee ('PIC');
- (2) setting up an independent tribunal to conduct disciplinary inquiries and submit the decisions to MCHK for confirmation;
- (3) introducing a review mechanism with the scope of review covering the decisions made by PIC and the decisions made in respect of disciplinary inquiries; and
- (4) restructuring MCHK, including increasing the number of lay members.