

Accommodation Arrangements for the Chief Executive's Duty Visits Outside Hong Kong

(Period: January to March 2019)

Period	Place and purpose of visit	Size of CE's entourage	Expenses for CE and the entourage(\$)				Remarks <i>(e.g. whether the accommodation is sponsored)</i>
			<i>Hotel accommodation</i> (A)	<i>Passage</i> (B)	<i>Other expenses*</i> (C)	<i>Total+</i> (A)+(B)+(C)	
15 January 2019	Guangzhou To meet with the Secretary of the CPC Guangdong Provincial Committee, Mr Li Xi, and the Governor of Guangdong Province, Mr Ma Xingrui, to discuss collaboration between Hong Kong and Guangdong in relation to the development of the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area.	5	0.00	0.00	4,675.70	4,675.70	Local transportation for CE and 1 member of her entourage were sponsored.

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21 – 25 January 2019	Zurich and Davos, Switzerland To meet with local government officials and members of the business sector in Zurich to update them on the latest developments of Hong Kong; to attend the World Economic Forum (WEF) Annual Meeting in Davos; to meet with leaders of various economies, the WEF and the business sector in Davos; and to address the third Belt and Road Davos Forum co-organised by Tsinghua University and the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (HKSAR) Government and the Hong Kong Night co-organised by the HKSAR Government and the Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited.	4	86,099.97	271,288.00	26,792.33	384,180.30	Nil

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27 – 28 February 2019	Bangkok, Thailand To officiate at the opening ceremony of the Hong Kong Economic and Trade Office in Bangkok; to meet with senior government officials of Thailand; to attend a business seminar as well as the opening ceremony of cultural collaboration activities between Hong Kong and Thailand.	3	0.00	40,950.00	5,805.00	46,755.00	1 night of accommodation and local transportation for CE were sponsored.
1 – 7 March 2019	Beijing To attend the second plenary meeting of the Leading Group for the Development of the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area, the signing ceremony for the donation by Ng Teng Fong Charitable Foundation to the Palace Museum, and the opening ceremony of the second session of the 13th National People's Congress; to call on various central ministries and other organisations.	5	31,069.48	33,638.00	37,622.72	102,330.20	Local transportation for the full delegation, 7 nights of accommodation for CE and 1 member of her entourage, as well as 6 nights of accommodation for 1 member of CE's entourage were sponsored.

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22 – 23 March 2019	Conghua, Guangzhou To attend the Exhibition Raceday at the Hong Kong Jockey Club Conghua Racecourse.	2	8,782.69	0.00	5,069.30	13,851.99	Nil
24 – 25 March 2019	Beijing To attend the 20th China Development Forum.	3	7,248.98	35,949.00	6,749.40	49,947.38	Local transportation for the full delegation, 2 nights of accommodation for CE and 1 member of her entourage were sponsored.
27 – 29 March 2019	Hainan To attend the Boao Forum for Asia Annual Conference 2019 and meet with other senior officials attending the Conference.	4	5,132.82	18,461.00	6,302.76	29,896.58	Local transportation for the full delegation, 2 nights of accommodation for CE and 3 members of her entourage were sponsored.

* Other expenses include subsistence allowance for officers on duty visit outside Hong Kong, and other sundry expenses, etc.

+ Does not include sponsored expenses (if any).