## <u>Applications invited for Equal</u> <u>Opportunities (Sexual Orientation)</u> <u>Funding Scheme</u>

The Constitutional and Mainland Affairs Bureau (CMAB) is inviting applications under the Equal Opportunities (Sexual Orientation) Funding Scheme 2020-21 from today (February 10).

"The Government is committed to fostering the culture and values of inclusiveness, mutual respect and non-discrimination, and promoting equal opportunities for people of different sexual orientations and transgender persons. The Funding Scheme provides funding support to worthwhile community projects that aim at promoting equal opportunities on the grounds of sexual orientation or gender identity, or seek to provide support services for sexual minorities," a spokesman for the CMAB said.

Information on making applications is available at the CMAB website (<a href="www.cmab.gov.hk/en/issues/equalsdofs\_sex.htm">www.cmab.gov.hk/en/issues/equalsdofs\_sex.htm</a>). The deadline for applications is March 31, 2020.

For enquiries, please contact the Gender Identity and Sexual Orientation Unit of the CMAB at 2810 3205.