<u>Appointments to Committee on Venue</u> <u>Partnership</u>

The Culture, Sports and Tourism Bureau announced today (November 1) appointments to the Committee on Venue Partnership (CVP) with the appointment of Mr Chris Ip Ngo-tung as Chairperson. The appointments are for a two-year term up to October 31, 2024.

Established in 2006, the CVP comprises members of different backgrounds with a great wealth of professional expertise and experience in various aspects. The CVP advises the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD) on the formulation of monitoring and evaluation mechanism for the Venue Partnership Scheme.

A spokesman for the Culture, Sports and Tourism Bureau thanked Ms Lillian Hau Cheuk-ki, the outgoing CVP member, for her ardent support and invaluable contribution in the past years, and looks forward to receiving the valuable advice of the new CVP on the development of LCSD performance venues.

â€<The membership list and terms of reference of the CVP are as follows:

Chairperson Mr Chris Ip Ngo-tung

Members

Mr Arnold Chan Kwan-yeung

Mr Anthony Cheung Chun-yue

Ms Vicky Fung Wing-ki

Mr Frank Lee King-ting

Dr Edmund Lee Tak-yue

Dr Leung Chi-hin

Ms Candice Leung Wai-yee

Ms Samantha Liu Ling-ling

Mr Ryan Wong Man-yeung

Mr Tam Wing-pong (Ex-officio Member, Chairperson of Programme and Development Committee)

Terms of Reference

To advise the Director of Leisure and Cultural Services on the Venue Partnership Scheme on:

• The formulation of a monitoring and evaluation mechanism for the venue partners at LCSD performance venues in enhancing the artistic image and character of the venue and its partner; enlarging the audience base; optimising usage of facilities; developing venue-based marketing strategies; and encouraging community involvement in the development and promotion of the arts in the community through partnership and

collaboration;

- The review of the venue booking policy to enhance the long-term development of LCSD performance venues;
- The implementation and review of the Venue Partnership Scheme at all relevant LCSD performance venues; and
- The interface with the Programme and Development Committee.