<u>Assistant housing manager of Housing</u> <u>Department tests positive for COVID-19</u>

The Housing Department today (January 21) learned that an assistant housing manager has tested positive for coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19). She is staying at a hospital for treatment.

She worked at the Housing Department Kowloon West and Sai Kung (10) District Tenancy Management Office (DTMO) on the ground floor of Kin Hei House, Kin Ming Estate, Tseung Kwan O. She last worked in the office on January 14.

The DTMO has been open to the public. Nonetheless, the assistant housing manager did not have contact with members of the public recently while performing duties. She had been wearing masks and following relevant disease prevention measures at work.

The DTMO has been fully cleaned and sterilised in accordance with the guidelines of the Centre for Health Protection (CHP). It has already been closed and will reopen for public service on January 25.

The Housing Department will continue to maintain close liaison with the CHP and co-operate with its disease prevention measures and quarantine work.