## <u>Security Bureau responds to media</u> <u>enquiries</u>

In response to media enquiries, a spokesman for the Security Bureau today (August 24) gave the following reply:

The legal representative of the spokesman of the Hong Kong National Party wrote to the Security Bureau earlier, requesting an extension of the deadline for making written representations in accordance with section 8(3) of the Societies Ordinance. Having considered the matter, the Secretary for Security has decided to extend the period for representation. The Hong Kong National Party may make representations to the Secretary for Security on or before September 11. The Security Bureau has informed the Hong Kong National Party of the decision.