### Murder and suicide in Sheung Shui

Police are investigating a murder and suicide case in Sheung Shui today (December 20) in which a woman and a boy died.

At 5.49pm, Police received a report that a woman and a boy were found lying outside Ping Ching House, Tai Ping Estate. They were suspected to have fallen from height.

Police officers sped to the scene. The 47-year-old woman and the oneyear-old boy were certified dead at scene. Initial investigation revealed that they were suspected to have fallen from a corridor at the above location. No will note was found at scene.

Post-mortem examinations will be conducted later to ascertain the cause of death of the deceased.

Active investigation by the District Crime Squad of Tai Po District is underway. Police appeal to anyone who has information related to the case to contact the investigating officers on 3661 3543.

## <u>Speech by CE at Wah Yan College,</u> <u>Kowloon Centenary Gala Dinner (with</u> <u>video)</u>

Following is the video speech by the Chief Executive, Mr John Lee, at the Wah Yan College, Kowloon Centenary Gala Dinner today (December 20):

Cardinal Stephen Chow (Catholic Bishop of Hong Kong), Father Stephen Tong (Provincial of the Chinese Province of the Society of Jesus), Dr So Ying-lun (Supervisor of Wah Yan College, Kowloon), Ms Cecilia Chow (Principal of Wah Yan College, Kowloon), teachers and staff of Wah Yan College, Kowloon, fellow Wahyanites, young and old, distinguished guests, ladies and gentlemen,

Good evening. I am very delighted to share the joy, with all of you, of the centenary of our alma mater. To all of us Wahyanites, Wah Yan College, Kowloon is way more than just a school. It is where students grow, and thrive, in a nurturing and caring environment. I would like to take this opportunity to wish Wah Yan College, Kowloon a very Happy Birthday.

Founded in 1924, Wah Yan College, Kowloon has stood tall in Hong Kong's education sector for a century, dedicated to bringing out the unique talent and goodness in every student, with a diverse variety of learning experiences. The College nurtures not only students' knowledge, but also their pursuit of the four values of human excellence: competence, commitment, conscience and compassion.

Over the past century of history, Wah Yan, Kowloon has been upholding the philosophy of "Men for and with others". What defines Wahyanites is not their academic capability, or their athletic might — well, although we are very good at both. What defines Wahyanites is their great humility in serving others, and in giving back to society with their excellence in academic, athletic, or other noble pursuits.

Although I have left the beautiful campus of Wah Yan, Kowloon, at 56 Waterloo Road, almost half a century ago, I have always taken pride in being a Wahyanite. I am eternally grateful to the guidance of Father Deignan and all my teachers, as well as the spirit of magis, of the betterment of the self and our pursuits. It has enabled me to brave the challenges that come our way, and remain committed to serving the community, throughout different stages of my career.

Wah Yan, Kowloon gives students the freedom to pursue their developments. I still recall, with relish, the many activities I took part in and outside of the classroom. I learnt to strike a balance between conflicting priorities, and better my decision-making skills. What I have learnt in Wah Yan, Kowloon has been invaluable in my public service, and in my daily work as Chief Executive.

My alma mater has indeed bestowed upon me many lifelong gifts. But what I cherished the most is the excellent tradition among Wahyanites – Wahyanites' fraternity and sense of cohesion. Wahyanites, speaking as both your fellow and as the Chief Executive of Hong Kong, I wish to appeal to all of you to treasure unity and collaboration, for they are essential to creating a better future for Hong Kong, our home. Let's all spread the Wahyanesque spirit of care and selflessness, and bring a positive impact to society.

I would like to end with my favourite line from our school hymn — "To champion, though so lowly, Nor ever fail nor pause, When trials throng and press". Wahyanites, whatever challenges that may come your way, know that you are "men for and with others". Know that you can always be the best of yourself.

On that note, I wish Wah Yan, Kowloon another century of success. I wish you all the best of health. Thank you very much.

# Legislative Council Secretariat launches a new initiative: "Policy Pulse"

The following is issued on behalf of the Legislative Council Secretariat:

The Legislative Council (LegCo) Secretariat launches a new initiative today (December 20) – the regular publication of "Policy Pulse" on specific topics that are of concern to various sectors of society and are closely related to the public. "Policy Pulse" not only provides a concise overview of the topics, but also summarizes LegCo's relevant work and the views of LegCo Members.

The features of "Policy Pulse" include:

#### Specific topics

Each issue of "Policy Pulse" focuses on specific topics of public concern, offering readers a comprehensive overview of related policy developments and discussions in LegCo, all within one informative article.

#### Concise analyses

"Policy Pulse" aims to provide a clear and concise overview of the Government's major policy initiatives, along with the latest developments and data, to keep readers promptly informed of key information.

#### Timely updates

As individual topics evolve, the Secretariat will update the "Policy Pulse" in a timely manner, ensuring that readers stay abreast of the most upto-date developments of the topics.

The first two issues of "Policy Pulse", titled "Protection of computer systems of critical infrastructures" and "Hong Kong's transportation and transport infrastructure network" have been published. Members of the public are welcome to view the issues of the "<u>Policy Pulse</u>", which are available in Chinese and English, on the LegCo Website.

### **Fraudulent websites and internet**

## banking login screens related to Nanyang Commercial Bank, Limited

The following is issued on behalf of the Hong Kong Monetary Authority:

The Hong Kong Monetary Authority (HKMA) wishes to alert members of the public to a press release issued by Nanyang Commercial Bank, Limited relating to fraudulent websites and internet banking login screens, which have been reported to the HKMA. A hyperlink to the press release is available on the <u>HKMA website</u>.

The HKMA wishes to remind the public that banks will not send SMS or emails with embedded hyperlinks which direct them to the banks' websites to carry out transactions. They will not ask customers for sensitive personal information, such as login passwords or one-time password, by phone, email or SMS (including via embedded hyperlinks).

Anyone who has provided his or her personal information, or who has conducted any financial transactions, through or in response to the websites or login screens concerned, should contact the bank using the contact information provided in the press release, and report the matter to the Police by contacting the Crime Wing Information Centre of the Hong Kong Police Force at 2860 5012.

# <u>Fraudulent website and social media</u> <u>accounts related to Bank of Singapore</u> <u>Limited</u>

The following is issued on behalf of the Hong Kong Monetary Authority:

The Hong Kong Monetary Authority (HKMA) wishes to alert members of the public to a press release issued by Bank of Singapore Limited relating to a fraudulent website and social media accounts, which have been reported to the HKMA. A hyperlink to the press release is available on the <u>HKMA website</u>.

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