# 2018 ELECTION OF LAY MEMBERS OF THE MEDICAL COUNCIL OF HONG KONG

## **POLLING NOTICE**

It is hereby notified that a poll is to be conducted to elect 3 lay members of the Medical Council of Hong Kong (Medical Council) under section 3(2)(ga) of the Medical Registration Ordinance (Cap. 161) from **9 November to 6 December 2018**. Pursuant to section 22 of the Medical Council (Election and Appointment of Lay Members) Regulation (Cap. 161F) (the Regulation), a ballot paper and a declaration form (with serial number) are issued with this polling notice to every elector for casting of votes.

## Validly nominated candidates

2. The validly nominated candidates are as follows —

Candidate Number	Name of Candidate	Name of Elector Subscribed to the Nomination
1	LI SIU HUNG	<ul> <li>HONG KONG CORNEA CONCERN ASSOCIATION</li> <li>HONG KONG GLAUCOMA PATIENTS' ASSOCIATION</li> <li>KIN LOK CLUB</li> <li>HONG KONG ALLIANCE OF PATIENTS' ORGANIZATIONS LIMITED</li> <li>BRAINCARE</li> <li>EASTERN RENAL SUPPORT ASSOCIATION</li> </ul>
2	CHAN WING KAI	<ul> <li>HONG KONG LUPUS ASSOCIATION</li> <li>THE HONG KONG ASTHMA SOCIETY</li> <li>THE HONG KONG STROKE ASSOCIATION</li> <li>HONG KONG PARKINSON'S DISEASE ASSOCIATION</li> <li>HONG KONG ANKYLOSING SPONDYLITIS ASSOCIATION</li> <li>HONG KONG PSORIATIC ARTHRITIS ASSOCIATION</li> <li>WINDWARD ASSOCIATION FOR THE HANDICAPPED</li> <li>HONG KONG SPINOCEREBELLAR ATAXIA ASSOCIATION</li> <li>SELF HELP GROUP FOR THE BRAIN DAMAGED</li> </ul>
3	LEE CHI YUNG	<ul> <li>DIRECTION ASSOCIATION FOR THE HANDICAPPED</li> <li>RENAL MUTUAL HELP ASSOCIATION</li> <li>RENAL COMPANION ASSOCIATION</li> <li>JELLY BEAN SOCIETY LIMITED</li> <li>HONG KONG NEURO-MUSCULAR DISEASE ASSOCIATION LIMITED</li> <li>CONCORD MUTUAL-AID CLUB ALLIANCE</li> </ul>

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4	LAU KAR WAH	<ul> <li>HONG KONG PATIENTS' RIGHTS ASSOCIATION</li> <li>1ST STEP ASSOCIATION LIMITED</li> <li>FAMILY NETWORK</li> <li>HONG KONG NEUROFIBROMATOSIS ASSOCIATION</li> <li>ALLIANCE FOR RENAL PATIENTS MUTUAL HELP ASSOCIATION</li> <li>HONG KONG ASSOCIATION FOR CLEFT LIP AND PALATE</li> <li>B27 ASSOCIATION</li> <li>REHABILITATION ALLIANCE HONG KONG</li> </ul>
5	MUI CHEUK NANG KENNY	<ul> <li>MUTUAL-SUPPORT SOCIETY FOR TUNG WAH RENAL PATIENTS</li> <li>HONG LING RENAL CLUB</li> <li>PNEUMOCONIOSIS MUTUAL AID ASSOCIATION</li> <li>CARE FOR YOUR HEART</li> <li>NEURO UNITED</li> <li>THE PAEDIATRIC LIVER TRANSPLANTATION SUPPORT GROUP OF HONG KONG</li> </ul>
6	LAM CHI YAU	<ul> <li>TUBEROUS SCLEROSIS COMPLEX ASSOCIATION OF HONG KONG</li> <li>THE HONG KONG BONE MARROW TRANSPLANT PATIENTS' ASSOCIATION LIMITED</li> <li>HONG KONG PATIENTS' VOICES</li> <li>THE HONG KONG LIVER TRANSPLANT PATIENTS' ASSOCIATION</li> <li>HONG KONG SARS MUTUAL HELP ASSOCIATION</li> </ul>

### Votes to be casted by postal ballot

- 3. The completed ballot paper must be put into the Ballot Return Envelope, and be sent together with the completed declaration form by post in the pre-addressed return envelope to the Secretary of the Medical Council (the Secretary) at P.O. Box No. 24391, Aberdeen Post Office, Hong Kong within the polling period from 9 November to 6 December 2018 (both days inclusive). The date of the relevant post mark is taken to be the date on which the ballot paper is sent. Ballot paper which is sent after the end of the polling period or in other manner will be rejected.
- 4. A ballot paper is valid for casting a vote only if it meets the requirements under section 23 of the Regulation. The Secretary may reject any ballot paper for the reasons set out in section 26 of the Regulation. An elector should carefully read the relevant Guidance Notes before completing the ballot paper and the declaration form.

#### **Result of election**

5. The counting of votes is scheduled for <u>13 December 2018</u>. When the result of the election is ascertained, the Secretary will publish the notice of result of the election in the Gazette and issue the notice to every elector. The elected lay members will hold office for 3 years from the date specified in the notice.