

**Legal Aid Services Council
Minutes of the Meeting held on
Tuesday, 12 April 2022 at 5:00 p.m.**

PRESENT

Prof. William LEUNG, SBS, JP	Chairman
Mr Nicholas CHAN, MH, JP	Member
Ms Karen LAM	“
Mrs Ayesha LAU, BBS, JP	“
Ms Serena LAU, JP	“
Ms Rosita LEE	“
Miss Iris WAN	“
Mr Chris CHONG, JP	Director of Legal Aid
Mr Patrick WONG	Secretary

IN ATTENDANCE

Mr Steve WONG, JP	Deputy Director of Legal Aid (Policy & Administration)
Mr Henry CHAN	EO/LASC

ABSENT WITH APOLOGIES

Mr Timothy PARKER	Member
Mr Randy SHEK	“



Item

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(I) INTRODUCTION

1.1 The Chairman welcomed Members to the meeting and congratulated Mr Chris CHONG on his appointment as the Director of Legal Aid (DLA) and also welcomed Mr Steve WONG who was the new Deputy Director of Legal Aid.

1.2 The Chairman said that if Members did not raise any concern over the legitimacy of the meeting to be conducted by telephone conference in view of the current epidemic situation, it would be taken as a formal meeting and all decisions made at the meeting would be considered valid. Members confirmed their support to the arrangement.

(II) CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 15 FEBRUARY 2022

2. The minutes were confirmed without amendment.

(III) PAPERS FOR INFORMATION/COMMENT

(C) Monthly Statement of Income and Expenditure of LASC for the Months of January and February 2022 - Paper No. LASC I/P 07/22

5.1 The Chairman said that the expenditure for the months of January and February 2022 for the Council was controlled within budget.

5.2 Members noted the two monthly statements.

(VI) DATE OF NEXT MEETING

9. There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:20 p.m. The next Council Meeting would be held on Tuesday, 7 June 2022.