# Legal Aid Services Council Minutes of the Meeting held on Tuesday, 8 August 2023 at 5:00 p.m. in the Council Office

# <u>PRESENT</u>

Prof. William LEUNG, GBS, JP Chairman

Mr Bosco CHENG Member

Mr Robin EGERTON "

Ms Serena LAU, MH, JP

Ms Rosita LEE "

Mr Ronald SUM, JP

Mr Chris CHONG, JP Director of Legal Aid

Mr Patrick WONG Secretary

# IN ATTENDANCE

Mr Steve WONG Deputy Director of Legal Aid (Policy & Administration)

Mr Henry CHAN EO/LASC

# **ABSENT WITH APOLOGIES**

Mr Tom FU Member
Miss Iris WAN "
Ms Yvonne YEUNG "

<u>Item</u> <u>Action By</u>

#### (I) INTRODUCTION

The Chairman welcomed Members and Mr Steve WONG of the Legal Aid Department (LAD) to the meeting.

# (II) CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 24 MAY 2023

2. The minutes were confirmed without amendment.

#### (III) PAPERS FOR INFORMATION/COMMENT

- (D) Quarterly Report of Income and Expenditure of LASC for the First Quarter of Financial Year 2023-24 Paper No. LASC I/P 20/23
- 6.1 The Chairman said that this quarterly report summarised the income and expenditure of the Council in the first quarter of financial year 2023-24 covering 1 April to 30 June 2023. The overall spending position as at the end of June arrived at 23% of the approved budget which was well controlled.
- 6.2 Members took note of the quarterly report.

# (VI) DATE OF NEXT MEETING

11. There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 5:35 p.m. The next Council Meeting would be held on Tuesday, 14 November 2023.

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