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Dear Ms Kwei,

Invitation to Comment on IASB Exposure Draft ED/2020/4 Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback (Proposed amendment to IFRS 16)

I refer to your letter dated 21 December 2020 to the Permanent Secretary for Financial Services and the Treasury (Financial Services).

We welcome HKICPA's efforts in launching local consultation on the captioned Exposure Draft. We understand that it is your established practice to consult all relevant stakeholders and regulators on such proposals.

We trust that you will continue to engage your members and relevant stakeholders so that they are kept informed of the latest developments and can offer their comments.

Yours sincerely,

(Miss Gillian Chan)

for Secretary for Financial Services and the Treasury