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To: Holders of Amusement Game Centre (AGC) Licence; and Person-in-Charge of Electronic Sports (E-Sports) Venue

Dear Sir/Madam,

Prevention and Control of Disease (Requirements and Directions) (Business and Premises) Regulation (Cap. 599F)

To tackle the worsening situation of the novel coronavirus infection in Hong Kong, the Government made the Prevention and Control of Disease (Requirements and Directions) (Business and Premises) Regulation (Cap. 599F) ("Regulation"). The Regulation takes effect from 28 March 2020.

2. According to section 8(1) of the above Regulation, the Secretary for Food and Health has issued a direction to close certain premises including amusement game centres. Please follow the direction and close your amusement game centre/e-sports venue for a period of 14 days beginning at 6:00 p.m. on 28 March 2020. According to section 9(2), a manager who, without reasonable excuse, contravenes the relevant direction commits an offence and is liable on conviction to a fine at level 5 and to imprisonment for 6 months.

3. The Office of the Licensing Authority of the Home Affairs Department will conduct inspections to ascertain the compliance to the direction. Thank you for your support.

Yours faithfully,

(Signed) (TANG Hoi-kwan, Edwin) Chief Officer (Licensing Authority) Office of the Licensing Authority