Gist of the First Meeting of

Curriculum Development Council Committee on Gifted Education (2017/19)

Date: 4 December 2017 (Monday)

Time: 9:30 am – 12:00 nn

Venue: Rm E306, 3/F, East Block, EDB Kowloon Tong Education Services Centre

Notes:

1. To welcome committee members

The Vice-Chairperson welcomed all members to join the Curriculum Development Council Committee on Gifted Education (CDCC(GE)) and invited members to introduce themselves.

- 2. To brief on the terms of reference, roles and functions of the Committee, and declaration of interest, confidentiality and publicity of individual members The Secretary introduced the terms of reference, roles and functions of the Committee with reference to the CDC Handbook which had been dispatched to all members.
- **3.** To elect the Chairperson of the Committee for the term of office 2017-2019 Prof Poon Wai-yin, Isabella was elected the Chairperson.
- **4.** To nominate co-opted members The Committee recommended Mr Li Chi-man and Mr Cheung Shi as co-opted members.
- To note the minutes of the last meeting held on 29 August 2017
 The minutes of the last meeting were noted by members and no further amendments were suggested.
- 6. To follow up on matters arising from the last meeting

The Gifted Education (GE) Section had earlier contacted one of the co-organisers of the IMO Preliminary Selection Contest – Hong Kong. Their rationale for setting the quotas for school nomination was conveyed to members at the meeting.

7. To introduce and discuss an initiative of the Gifted Education Section of EDB: Gifted Education Co-op Café

The GE Section introduced the background, targets, operation and development of the GE Co-op Café. Members shared their views on the initiative.

8. To update members on the latest provisions by the Gifted Education Section of EDB and the services by HKAGE

Members were updated with the service provisions of the GE Section of EDB and HKAGE respectively.

9. Any other business

The Secretary would continue to send the agenda and papers to members in advance but would not table the hard copy at the meeting for environmental protection.