## CDC Committee on Science Education (2011-2012) Gist of First Meeting (15 December 2011)

- 1. Dr MAK Chi-keung was elected as Chairperson of CDC Committee on Science Education for 2011-2013.
- 2. The minutes of the last meeting were confirmed without any amendments.
- 3. Matters arising from the minutes
  - The latest development regarding the review on the role of laboratory technicians (LTs) and the provision of LTs under the NSS was reported and discussed. Training courses for LTs would continue to be provided by the Science Education Section.
  - The progress of conducting the Science Education KLA Survey to collect feedback from teachers and students on the implementation of science curricula was reported. A comprehensive Evaluation Report would be compiled.
- 4. The latest development of different science curricula in the KLA was reported and discussed. The relevant support measures provided for schools to facilitate the implementation were also reported.
- 5. Members were briefed on the proposed streamlining arrangement of SBA for each of the NSS Science Curricula. Members were further briefed on the reporting system of the grading in HKDSE and the determination of cut scores of the curricula.
- 6. Teacher professional development programmes held from September 2011 to February 2012 were reported.