# **Business Facilitation Advisory Committee Task Force on Business Liaison Groups (BLGTF)**

# Greater Flexibility in Deployment of Game Devices / Machines in Family Amusement Centre Premises

### **Background**

Operators of family amusement centres (FAC) may remove some of the approved games of the Amusements with Prizes Licence from their premises from time to time to meet their operational needs. As a result, the number of games actually deployed in the premises may not always match with that on the approved game list. Under the existing practice, some operators may have to provide evidence to account for the discrepancies to the Police for monitoring.

#### Trade's View

2. The trade requested for greater flexibility in their deployment of games within the approved game lists of the premises.

### **Administration's Response**

3. The Home Affairs Department and the Hong Kong Police Force clarified that the FAC operators are not required to provide evidence to account for the discrepancies so long as the types of the games actually deployed are on the approved game lists and the numbers of games are not more than those on the approved game lists.

## **Way Forward**

4. Members are invited to note the content of this paper and offer comments, if any.

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