

## THE HONG KONG COUNCIL OF SOCIAL SERVICE

### REPORT-BACK SESSION OF STUDY VISIT ON JOINT PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITY MODEL IN AUSTRALIA

**Date & Time** : September 27, 2010 (Monday), 1400 to 1715

**Venue** : Room 202, 2/F, Duke of Windsor Social Service Building,  
15 Hennessy Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong

**Moderator** : Ms Agnes Ng, Christian Family Service Centre

**Targeted participants** : social workers, lawyers, teachers, mediators, academic staff of universities

**Capacity** : 70

**Objectives** :

1. Sharing the observations and information on the Law Reform on Custody in Australia
2. Facilitating the exchange of views on the Proposal by the Law Reform Committee

**Tentative rundown:**

Time	Content
1400-1410	Registration
1410-1420	Introduction to the Study Visit <i>Ms Agnes NG, Christian Family Service Centre</i>
1420-1500	<b>Delegation Report</b> a. Introduction to the Divorce Cases Proceeding and Recommendations from Law Reform Committee in HK <i>Ms Winsome LEUNG, Social Welfare Department</i> b. Introduction to the Law Reform 2006 in Australia and the Supportive Service for the Divorcees <i>Ms Doris LAU, The Hong Kong Catholic Marriage Advisory Council</i> c. Observations, Reflections and the Way Forward <i>Ms Cindy LEUNG, Hong Kong Family Welfare Society</i> <i>Mr Christopher TANG, The Hong Kong Council of Social Service</i>
1500-1520	<b>The Proposal for Reform to Parental Responsibility</b> <i>Mr Dennis HO, Hong Kong Law Society</i>
1520-1540	<b>Family Support Service and the Join Parental Responsibility Model</b> <i>Dr LAU Yuk-king, Chinese University of Hong Kong</i>
1540-1550	Break
1550-1610	<b>Co-parenting and Divorced Families with Domestic Violence History</b> <i>Dr Shirley HUNG, Hong Kong Baptist University</i>
1610-1630	<b>Insights from Australian Experience</b> <i>Mr Khian BE, Chadstone Family Relationship Centre, Melbourne, Australia</i>
1630-1710	Open Forum
1710-1715	Conclusion
1715	The End