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Question:

With regard to the import and export of fresh produce and agricultural and fishery products, please advise on the following:

- (a) the total value of fresh produce and agricultural and fishery products supplied by the Mainland to Hong Kong in the past 3 years (i.e. from 2016-17 to 2018-19);
- (b) the total value of fresh produce and agricultural and fishery products supplied by overseas regions and countries to Hong Kong in the past 3 years (i.e. from 2016-17 to 2018-19);
- (c) the total value of local fresh produce and agricultural and fishery products exported to the Mainland in the past 3 years (i.e. from 2016-17 to 2018-19); and
- (d) the total value of local fresh produce and agricultural and fishery products exported to overseas regions and countries in the past 3 years (i.e. from 2016-17 to 2018-19).

Asked by: Hon HO Chun-yin, Steven (LegCo internal reference no.: 74)

Reply:

- (a) The value of imports of fresh produce and agricultural and fishery products of the Mainland origin to Hong Kong in the past 3 calendar years i.e. 2016, 2017 and 2018, was about \$9,129 million, \$9,094 million and \$8,889 million respectively.
- (b) The value of imports of fresh produce and agricultural and fishery products of overseas origin to Hong Kong in the past 3 calendar years i.e. 2016, 2017 and 2018, was about \$21,139 million, \$21,441 million and \$25,508 million respectively.
- (c) Hong Kong had no domestic exports of fresh produce and agricultural and fishery products to the Mainland in the past 3 calendar years i.e. 2016, 2017 and 2018.
- (d) The value of domestic exports of fresh produce and agricultural and fishery products from Hong Kong to overseas regions and countries was about \$4.6 million in 2016 and \$0.1 million in 2017. In 2018, Hong Kong had no domestic exports of fresh produce and agricultural and fishery products to overseas regions and countries.

Note: Fresh produce and agricultural and fishery products refer to live pigs, live cattle, live goat, live poultry, live fish, vegetables and fruits.

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