## **Press Invitation**

## HKPOP releases the popularity of Chief Executive and other survey results, as well as the latest development of other projects

Hong Kong Public Opinion Program (HKPOP) under the Hong Kong Public Opinion Research Institute (HKPORI) will hold a press conference **tomorrow afternoon (December 20), where HKPOP will announce the latest popularity figures of the Chief Executive and SAR Government as well as the result of a "We Hongkongers** 我們香港人" **survey on this** question: "Due to public order events in the past six months, about 11,000 police officers would receive overtime work allowances, commonly known as 'OT', totalling HK\$950 million, or more than HK\$86,000 per officer. How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with this arrangement?"

HKPOP's usual practice is to release our "year-end survey series" before the end of each year for public consumption. The popularity of the Chief Executive and SAR Government to be released this Friday would be the last one in 2019. Herewith the release arrangements of our year-end surveys:

| Release dates           | Survey topics   | Release channels                   |
|-------------------------|---|------------------------------------|
| December                | Popularity of disciplinary                              |                                    |
| 6 (Friday)              | forces  |                                    |
| December                | Popularity of principal                                 |                                    |
| 10 (Tuesday)            | officials   | Press conference and press         |
| December                | Ethnic identity   | release                            |
| 17 (Tuesday)            |   |                                    |
| December                | Popularity of CE and                                    |                                    |
| 20 (Friday)             | SARG  |                                    |
| December<br>23 (Monday) | Society's current conditions and Public Sentiment Index | Press release only                 |
| December<br>30 (Monday) | Year-end review   | Press conference and press release |

Meanwhile, our Macau studies which began 28 years ago would require the endorsement of the civil society before we move on. We have launched a crowdfunding target of \$240,000 to let the general public, especially Macau citizens,

make the call. If the target is met, we will quickly conduct a new round of survey covering the popularity of Macau CE and SAR government, Macau people's ethnic identity, trust towards the local and central governments, confidence in the future and in one country two systems, and so on. In case the funding target is not met, we will spend the funds on other POP survey series. For details of our previous Macau studies and latest crowdfunding scheme, please visit: <a href="https://www.pori.hk/macau-annual-survey-index">https://www.pori.hk/macau-annual-survey-index</a>. Attached is the result of last year's Macau survey.

The media is invited to send representatives to attend the press conference and to sponsor the above-mentioned surveys, at \$8,000 per question. All sponsors will receive the results in advance. At the press conference, honorary commentators will interpret the results. Details are as follows:

Date: December 20, 2019 (Friday)

Time: 2:30pm

Venue: 3rd Floor, SPA Centre, 53-55 Lockhart Road, Wanchai #

Speakers: Robert Chung President and CEO, HKPORI

Edward Tai Data Science Manager, HKPORI

Benson Wong Honorary Director, "We Hongkongers",

HKPORI

James To Legislative Councillor, Member of Panel on

Security

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