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The 59th Issue of “CEPA Newsletter” has been released. Highlights in this issue include: the Chief Executive, Mr. Chui Sai On, and the Mayor of Shenzhen, Mr. Xu Qin, led respective government delegations to attend the Shenzhen-Macao Cooperation Conference 2016, which was held in Macao on 30 November. Both sides agreed that under the sincere cooperation and pragmatic work of the two governments, the level of cooperation between Shenzhen and Macao has continued to elevate, and the effectiveness of cooperation has been continuously manifested. Both sides signed several cooperation agreements during the Conference.

The Secretary for Economy and Finance, Mr. Leong Vai Tac, and the Mayor of Zhuhai, Mr. Zheng Renhao led respective government delegations to participate in the Zhuhai-Macao Cooperation Conference 2016, which was held in Zhuhai on 29 November. Both sides affirmed that their cooperation in various fields proceeded in a pragmatic and orderly manner, and notable results were achieved. Under the cooperation framework of Guangdong and Macao, Zhuhai and Macao will continue to foster their cooperation.

On 29 November 2016, Macao Economic Services signed a cooperation agreement on joint promotion of youth entrepreneurship incubation with Macao Affairs Bureau of Administrative Committee of Hengqin New Area and Hengqin Financial Investment Entrepreneurship Valley Incubator Management Co Ltd. during the “Zhuhai-Macao Cooperation Conference” held in Zhuhai. Meanwhile, during the “Shenzhen-Macao Cooperation Conference” held in Macao on 30 November 2016, Macao Economic Services and the Authority of Qianhai Shenzhen-Hong Kong Modern Service Industry Cooperation Zone of Shenzhen signed a strategic cooperation framework agreement on promoting youth entrepreneurship incubation, in order to jointly intensify their collaboration on young start-up businesses.

On 30 September 2016, the first meeting of the “Guangdong-Macao Task Force on Promoting Guangdong Pilot Free Trade Zone (PFTZ)” was held in Macao. The two sides agreed to launch a notification mechanism on trade and investment statistics. In addition, the two sides agreed to initiate cooperation directly by the responsible government departments on constructing the Hengqin-Macao Youth Entrepreneurship Valley in a pragmatic manner; building an information port in Hengqin area by the

Guangdong PFTZ and Macao.

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