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Construction Industry Table Tennis Competition 2017

Hong Kong • 20 August 2017 – The Construction Industry Council (CIC) today held the "Construction Industry Table Tennis Competition 2017" (Event) at the Hong Kong Sports Institute. Around 100 players and over 300 spectators joined the event and enjoyed a healthy yet happy Sunday.

Guests of Honour at the Award Presentation Ceremony included **Mr. Edwin TONG, JP**, Director of Drainage Services, HKSAR; **Mr. CHAN Ka-kui**, Chairman of the Construction Industry Council and **Ir Albert CHENG**, Executive Director of the Construction Industry Council.

The Event included singles and doubles. Men's singles and women's singles included Youth and Master categories. The doubles comprised men's, women's, mixed and family categories. Nearly 100 exciting matches were hosted. Besides, the CIC had arranged freestyle football and children lion dance performances, which won big applauses from the spectators. The other event highlights included exciting game booths, 3D photo-taking attractions and lucky draw sessions. All the fun activities and games were well-received by the participants.

The CIC launched the Construction Industry Sports and Volunteering Programme (CISVP) in 2016. In the past few months, the CIC organised various sports programmes and competitions for industry practitioners, including Sports Day, Grass-pitch Soccer League, Indoor Rowing Competition and Hiking at Yan Chau Tong. In addition, various training classes on qigong, canoeing, badminton and table tennis were scheduled for members to encourage industry practitioners to take part in sports activities and enjoy a healthy lifestyle.



Mr. Edwin TONG, JP, Director of Drainage Services, delivered a speech at the Award Presentation Ceremony



Mr. Edwin TONG (middle) posed for a photo with winners of Men's Singles (Youth Category)



Mr. CHAN Ka-kui, Chairman of the Construction Industry Council (middle) posed for a photo with winners of Women's Singles (Master Category)



Guests of Honour posed for a photo with the children lion dancers after the spirited lion dance performance



The exciting game booths and 3-D photo attractions were very well-received by the participants

About the Construction Industry Council

The Construction Industry Council (CIC) was formed in 2007 under the Construction Industry Council Ordinance (Cap. 587). The CIC consists of a chairman and 24 members representing various sectors of the industry including employers, professionals, academics, contractors, workers, independent persons and Government officials.

The main functions of the CIC are to forge consensus on long-term strategic issues, convey the industry's needs and aspirations to the Government, provide professional training and registration services, and serve as a communication channel between the Government and the construction industry.

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