

## **PRESS RELEASE**

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### **Construction Industry Table Tennis Competition 2022**

**Hong Kong • 21 August 2022** – The Construction Industry Council (CIC) today held the "Construction Industry Table Tennis Competition 2022" (Competition) at Hong Kong Institute of Construction (HKIC) - Sheung Shui Campus. Ms. Clarice YU, Director of Buildings, was invited as the Guest of Honour for the Award Presentation Ceremony. Over 250 players from more than 60 organisations had an exciting day at this annual competition.

The "Construction Industry Table Tennis Competition" was launched in 2017 and has been receiving overwhelming response from the industry. Skill level of players has constantly elevated over the years. Finals matches of this year's game was held on 21 August, 2022 and we are honored to invite Ms. Minnie Soo and Ms. Doo Hoi Kem – bronze medal winner in the women's table tennis team event at the 2020 Summer Olympics to give us a sharing and play an exhibition match after all matches.

This year, players competed in the Men's Singles of four categories (Workers Group, Mature Group, Advanced Group and Youth Group) and Women's Singles of three categories (Workers Group, Advanced Group and Youth Group). Audience were able to enjoy over 250 exciting matches. The FIRECOM Engineering Limited got the highest number of awards which was 7 in total, whilst Development Bureau and MTR Corporation Limited won 3 awards respectively.

Besides, all sponsor income and enrolment fee of the Competition will be used for promoting volunteer services in the construction industry organised by the Construction Industry Sports and Volunteering Programme (CISVP), bringing warmth and hope to the community. The CISVP strives to encourage a healthy lifestyle and instill a caring culture amongst industry practitioners. For details of CISVP's upcoming sports and volunteering events, please visit [www.cisvp.hk](http://www.cisvp.hk).

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Ms. Clarice YU, Director of Buildings (1st left), Ir Thomas HO, Chairman of the CIC (2<sup>nd</sup> left) and Mr. Tony YUE, Chairman, Hong Kong Table Tennis Association (1<sup>st</sup> right) present the award to the Champion of Men's Singles (Youth Group)



The participants are fully engaged in the competition





Ms. Minnie Soo (Right) and Ms. Doo Hoi Kem (Left) – bronze medal winner in the women's table tennis team event at the 2020 Summer Olympics play an exhibition match



Ms. Minnie Soo (Left) and Ms. Doo Hoi Kem (Right) also share their experience to the players, Ir Dr. Derrick PANG (Middle), Chairperson of Construction Industry Sports & Volunteering Programme (CISVP) Committee is the moderator of this section



Ms. Doo Hoi Kem (2<sup>nd</sup> right), Ir Albert CHENG, Executive Director of the CIC (1<sup>st</sup> left) and Ir Dr. Derrick PANG, Chairperson of CISVP Committee (1<sup>st</sup> Right) present the award to the Champion of Women's Singles (Youth Group)



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### **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.

Please visit [www.cic.hk](http://www.cic.hk) for further details.

### **About CISVP**

The Construction Industry Sports & Volunteering Programme (CISVP) was established in 2016 with the aim to encourage practitioners' participation in sports programmes and volunteering services. Over 100 activities, including Happy Run, Sports Day and Charity Fun Day, Table Tennis Competition, 5-a-side Football Fun Day and Construction Industry Council Turf Soccer League have been organised since its inception.

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