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Dear Hon Ms Lau,

## 新高鐵專家組 已反駁政府的無理批評

## 並要求劉健儀議員道歉

在今日立法會鐵路事宜小組委員會會議上,主席劉健儀議員指公共專業聯盟新高 鐵專家組沒有回應政府在11月6日的意見,這與事實不符,並誤導公眾及議員, 本智庫特函澄清,及要求劉健儀議員公開道歉。

早在11月10日,新高鐵專家組已去信全體立法會議員並附上對特區政府意見的一系列反駁問題。11月15日,新高鐵專家組發表詳細技術報告,以駁斥政府的種種無理質疑,同日把有關新聞公佈及技術報告電傳給全體立法會議員。兩份函件均以鐵路事宜小組委員會主席劉儀議員爲受件人,並獲立法會秘書處回覆表示收妥有關信函。

公共專業聯盟已去信劉健儀議員要求澄清並作出道歉。詳情參看以下附件。

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Hon Miriam Lau,
Chair, Legco Railway Subcommittee

Re: Mis-representation of the Professional Commons' position

In the Railway Subcommittee meeting today, you openly claimed the SubCommittee had never received any response from the Professional Commons since the last meeting with Government on November 6. Yet in fact, the Professional Commons had sent in two submissions to the Subcommittee during the past seven days. The first letter was sent to



you on November 10 with a list of questions for the Administration, and the second letter on November 15 with one press statement and two detailed technical documents.

The receipt of these two submissions were acknowledged by the Legco Secretariat on Nov 16 (attached below).

We are disappointed that in your capacity as Chair of the Subcommittee, you had overlooked our submissions and mis-represented our position publicly. We consider this to be a serious matter as it not only deprives all Legco members of the chance to consider our submissions, but also gives the community a negative impression on the Professional Commons.

In view of the above, we would like to seek a formal apology from you on this matter.

Furthermore, we note that the Administration has not yet responded to our list of requested supplementary information, which was forwarded by the Legco Secretariat to the Administration earlier. We hope you will take up your duty as Chair of the Subcommittee and seek a timely response from the Administration.

As stated in our letters earlier, we would like to re-iterate our request for a formal presentation to the Railway Subcommittee before the matter is considered by the Public Works Subcommittee.

Yours sincerely,

Albert Lai

Chairman, The Professional Commons

cc. All Legco members