EAA will participate in "Run With Your Heart"

(30 December 2004) To encourage charity and to celebrate the approach of the New Year, the Estate Agents Authority (EAA) staff have formed a twelve-member team headed by Chief Executive Officer, Ms Sandy Chan Pui-shan, to compete in a 12-hour relay run from midday to midnight on the New Year's Eve captured by the event "Run With Your Heart". The event, organized by the Hong Kong Elite Athlete Association, aims to raise funds for the Regeneration Society and the Elite Athlete Charitable Trust. Part of the donations will also be made to assist in the recent relief effort in areas devastated by the tsunamis.

Ms Amy Chan Lim Chee, BEM, Hon. Secretary of the Executive Committee of the Hong Kong Elite Athletes Association as well as a Member of the EAA, extended her thanks to the EAA staff for their support for the event, " The event is more than simply a run, it is also a platform to show love and care for each other. I am glad that the EAA have utilized this platform so well by participating with full spirit and enthusiasm in the meaningful event."

"I believe that we make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give." Ms Sandy Chan echoed. "Besides raising fund for the needy, the charity run is also an opportunity to challenge our team's perseverance and determination, which are essential qualities in the EAA's role as a regulator." She also warmly encourages the estate agency trade and the general public to care more for the needy, especially at the time of the New Year. "I hope this event will sow the seeds for volunteerism as well as sportsmanship in our society."

"Run With Your Heart" is scheduled for 31 December 2004 (Friday) from noon to midnight at the Athletic Track at Hong Kong Sports Institute, Shatin. The event will be one of the city's favourite spots for countdown.

The photo capturing Ms Amy Chan with Ms Sandy Chan and the EAA team was emailed to you. For enquiries, please call Ms Yeung at 2598 9554.

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