



The EAA Board Appoints the Chairmen of Standing Committees

(16 November 2021) The Board of the Estate Agents Authority (“EAA”) held its meeting today and appointed the chairmen of its five standing committees, which oversee different aspects of the EAA’s work respectively.

The EAA Board is the highest decision-making authority of the EAA. It sets the EAA’s overall strategic direction and policies, as well as supervises and monitors the performance of the EAA Administration. Chaired by Ms Elaine LIU, JP, the EAA Board currently has 20 members including the Chairman, Vice-chairman and 18 ordinary members. They were all appointed by the Chief Executive of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region and, among them, two members were newly on board this month. The EAA Board members come from varied backgrounds with diverse knowledge, experience and expertise, including the sectors of real estate agency, property development, business, legal, finance, regulatory and academia. The member list is published on the EAA’s website.

As to the key area of work of the EAA’s five standing committees and the list of their newly appointed Chairmen, please refer to the below:

Name of the Standing committee	Key area of work	Committee Chairman
Strategic Development & Management Committee	Responsible for mapping the strategic development of the EAA, examines strategic issues of long-term significance	Ms Elaine LIU, JP
Disciplinary Committee	Receives and inquires into complaints lodged against licensed estate agents, metes out disciplinary sanctions to non-compliant licensees	Mr CHOW Wai-shun



Licensing Committee	Oversees licensing matters, considers and recommends licensing requirements for estate agents, and approves or refuses applications for licences brought before it	Ms Phoebe TSE Siu-ling
Practice and Examination Committee	Oversees practice and examination matters, formulates practice circulars and guidelines on various aspects of estate agency work	Professor Eddie HUI Chi-man, MH, JP
Professional Development Committee	Formulates and oversees the implementation of the Continuing Professional Development Scheme with a view to raising the competence of licensees	Ms Meena DATWANI

The EAA Board meeting today also discussed and endorsed other administrative matters, and received work progress reports from the EAA Administration.

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