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HSBC AND HANG SENG BANK PLEDGE HKD 30 MILLION FOR WANG FUK COURT POST-FIRE RELIEF EFFORTS

HSBC and Hang Seng Bank have jointly announced an initial donation of HKD 30 million to aid disaster relief and rehabilitation efforts for the families and individuals dislocated by the recent fire at Wang Fuk Court.

Peter Wong, Chairman of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited and The Hongkong Bank Foundation, said, “Our hearts go out to everyone affected by the devastating events in Tai Po. We stand in solidarity with the victims, their families and the community during this incredibly difficult time. We also sincerely thank all the frontline rescue service personnel, including the selfless firefighters. Our immediate focus is on supporting the most vulnerable, and working closely with NGO partners to understand the urgent needs on the ground and deliver relief as swiftly and as effectively as possible.”

Edward Cheng, Chairman, Hang Seng Bank, added: “We are deeply saddened by the tragic events in Tai Po and extend our heartfelt sympathies to all those affected. As a bank rooted in this community, Hang Seng is committed to supporting the community in times of need. Our thoughts are with all those affected, and we remain steadfast in our support for the community's recovery.”

In addition to the donation, HSBC and Hang Seng have introduced a series of emergency banking measures to support affected residents. These include special arrangements for customers who are unable to present valid documents for banking services.

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