

# **KEY ECONOMIC INITIATIVES IN THE 2023 POLICY ADDRESS**

# **Attract Enterprises and Talents**

- Develop a **"Headquarters Economy"** to attract enterprises from outside Hong Kong to set up headquarters and/or corporate divisions; attract companies to re-domicile to Hong Kong
- "Multiple-entry visas" for expatriates to travel to the Mainland, with priority visa processing
- **Relax entry policy** for Vietnamese, Laotian and Nepalese talents
- Set up a HK\$10 billion New Industrialisation Acceleration Scheme to promote downstream development of new industrialisation, providing funding support for the set-up of new production facilities on a 1 (Government) to 2 (company) matching basis, subject to a funding ceiling of HK\$200 million

 Attract enterprises to set up operations in Hong Kong and investing in their business through the HK\$30 billion Co-Investment Fund







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# **Reinforce Hong Kong's Advantages and Build a Diversified Economy**

- Set up the **New Industrialisation Development Office** to accelerate growth of I&T ecosystem
- Establish the **Hong Kong Microelectronics Research and Development (R&D) Institute** and commission the **Microelectronics Centre** to facilitate R&D of microelectronics and industry development
- Expedite the establishment of a supercomputing centre to foster the development of artificial intelligence



- Reinforce Hong Kong's status as international financial centre – enhance stock market liquidity, expand offshore Renminbi business, deepen GBA collaboration and venture into green finance
- Publish the Action Plan on Maritime and Port Development Strategy to develop Hong Kong into a leading international maritime centre
- Northern Metropolis as the new engine for growth
- Promote new energy transport develop bunkering of green maritime fuel and supply of sustainable aviation fuel, formulate strategy for hydrogen development, and promote green transformation of public land transport

#### **International Innovation and Technology Centre**

- Promote cross-boundary data flow liaise with the Guangdong Province to streamline the compliance arrangements for the flow of personal data from the Mainland to Hong Kong
- Establish **the third InnoHK cluster** initiate the establishment of the third cluster focusing on advanced manufacturing, materials, energy and sustainable development
- Research, Academic and Industry Sectors One-plus Scheme (RAISe+) seeks to promote the transformation and commercialisation of R&D outcomes from universities

# **Healthy Hong Kong**

- Set up a **preparatory office for the Hong Kong Centre for Medical Products Regulation** to accelerate launching of new drugs and promoting industry development
- Establish the **GBA International Clinical Trial Institute** in the Hetao Co-operation Zone to provide a one-stop clinical trial support platform for medical research institutions to expedite R&D of new drugs
- Promote the development of Chinese medicine (CM), develop a digitalised CM drug information platform, and formulate a Chinese Medicine Development Blueprint



#### **OASES Hong Kong office**

