Summary of Notes of 34th Ventilation Installations Liaison Group Meeting (held on 25.10.2012)

1 Pre-insulated Duct System

FSD would assess the risks of taking out the proposed additional sprinkler requirement for the pre-insulated duct. The considerations included the substantially non-combustible property of pre-insulated duct material, its applications within a single fire compartment and prohibition in high risk areas such as kitchen, protected area, plant room, etc.

2 <u>Inspection of VAC System for Licensed Premises</u>

HKRVCA and HKACRA would provide their views to FSD regarding the revised schematic drawings related to VAC requirements in licensed premises.

3 Annual Inspection of Ventilating Systems in Scheduled Premises

FSD stated that a Business Impact Assessment (BIA) to review the impacts on licence renewal procedures for food premises was being conducted. HKRVCA reported that they were interviewed to present their views on the proposed new procedures.

4 Revised Registered Fire Engineer Scheme on the Implementation of Third Party Fire Safety Certification

FSD reported that Assessment Study of the Scheme would be completed by early 2013 and would keep members informed on the progress.

5 Forged Annual Inspection Certificates

HKRVCA reported that a meeting was arranged between FEHD and them for discussion on several topics including the forged AIC issue, and FEHD agreed to consider measures to prevent the recurrence of forged AIC.