

Message

I wish to extend my warmest congratulations to the Communications Association of Hong Kong for producing the “2007 Official Guide to Communications in Hong Kong”. In the span of fifteen years or so, this resourceful publication has been a useful and valuable reference guide to industry players, consumers and all those interested in Hong Kong’s information and communications technology industry.



With rapid advancements in technologies, we have entered the era of convergence of broadcasting, telecommunications and information services. New infrastructure, such as digital television broadcasting networks, next generation networks, further enhancements of third-generation mobile networks, will be rolled out in Hong Kong over the next few years. Such infrastructure enables new and innovative services to be developed to meet the needs of businesses and consumers.

The industry needs to embrace the inevitable changes in order to fully exploit the enormous opportunities that are emerging. I will continue to work closely with the industry to further its development and together, we will make Hong Kong one of the global leaders in communications services.

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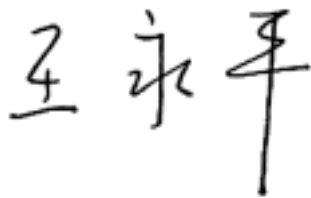
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賀 辭

本人謹此祝賀香港通訊業聯會出版《2007香港通訊業概覽》。這刊物資料翔實，在過去15年間，一直是業內人士、消費者及所有對本港資訊通訊科技有興趣的人士的實用、珍貴指南。

科技發展一日千里，我們現已進入廣播、電訊及資訊服務匯流的時代。本港在未來數年將陸續推出嶄新的基礎設施，例如數碼電視廣播網絡、新一代通訊網絡，以及第三代流動通訊網絡改良設施。藉着這些基礎設施，業界可開發新穎和創新的服務，滿足企業和消費者的需要。

業界必須把握機遇，並充分利用不斷湧現的眾多商機。我們會繼續與業界緊密合作，以配合業界長遠發展，與業界合力把香港發展成為全球通訊服務先鋒城市之一。



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