

Press Release 新聞稿

Media Statement on the Incident at Hong Kong Community College on 8 October 2019

(October 10, 2019) With a view to facilitating a comprehensive and accurate understanding of the incident that took place at the campus of the Hong Kong Community College (HKCC) on 8 October 2019, the Hong Kong Polytechnic University (PolyU) hereby provides some supplementary information as follows:

- 1. HKCC is an independent, self-financed institution under PolyU. Even though PolyU does not take part in HKCC's day-to-day operation, the University is very concerned about the incident and the public attention caused by it. PolyU has already requested the HKCC management to look into the incident seriously.
- 2. HKCC has provided further details of the incident. The document is attached for reference.
- 3. PolyU reiterates its support for freedom of speech. In order to foster an inclusive campus that is conducive to rational exchange of ideas, the University hopes that people with different opinions could express and discuss views in a mutually respectful, objective and rational manner.

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