

# Chapter I

# Foreword

It has been our practice in previous years to publish a Policy Agenda in tandem with the Policy Address to list out all the ongoing and new initiatives of the Government. The 2017 and 2018 Policy Agendas set out about 500 new policy initiatives, of which over 97% have been completed or are being taken forward as scheduled.

This year, we have decided to produce a new document, the Policy Address Supplement (Supplement), to complement the 2019 Policy Address. In addition to setting out new initiatives to be rolled out by the Government in the coming years, the Supplement highlights the beliefs of the Chief Executive, outlines the progress made (covering completed initiatives and those that have attained major progress), and presents the challenges faced by Hong Kong. With the use of infographics, we hope the Supplement will provide a more readable yet comprehensive account of the work and commitments of the current-term Government.

There are eight chapters in this Supplement. From Chapter II onwards, each chapter focuses on one major policy area and comprises four parts, namely, My Belief, Progress Made, Challenges Ahead and New Initiatives. About 200 new initiatives are covered in this Supplement, on top of those announced in the 2019 Policy Address delivered by the Chief Executive today.