

Press invitation
11 December 2019

IPCC OPEN MEETING ON 17 DECEMBER 2019

A meeting of the Independent Police Complaints Council (IPCC) with the Complaints Against Police Office (CAPO)'s representatives will be held on 17 December 2019. To enhance transparency and public awareness of the work of the IPCC, part of the meeting will be open to the public and the media. **Dr Anthony Francis NEOH, QC, SC, JP, the Chairman of IPCC will meet the media after the open meeting.** Representatives from the media are welcome to attend.

Details of the open meeting are as follows:

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| Date | Tuesday, 17 December 2019 |
| Estimated starting time | 3:30 pm |
| Venue | IPCC Secretariat Rooms 1006-10, 10/F, China Resources Building, 26 Harbour Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong |

Agenda

1. Confirmation of Minutes of Meeting held on 17 September 2019 (Open Part)
2. Presentation on
 - (a) Media liaison in riot or chaotic situations
 - (b) Update on Police Identification during protests
3. Matters for Information
 - (a) CAPO's Monthly Statistics
 - (b) Statistics – Complaints arising from Fugitive Offenders Ordinance related Public Order Events
 - (c) CAPO's Criminal and Disciplinary Checklist
4. Any Other Business

As seats for public attendees are limited, they will be allocated on a first-come-first-served basis. If you are interested in reserving a seat to observe the meeting, **please notify the IPCC Secretariat on or before 5:00pm on 13 December 2019 (Friday)** by telephone (2524 3841), fax (2525 8042 / 2524 1801) or e-mail (enq@ipcc.gov.hk) and leave your name and contact telephone number(s) for booking confirmation. For media enquiries, please contact the Public Relations team by telephone (2862 8306 or 2862 8226) or email (pro@ipcc.gov.hk or pro2@ipcc.gov.hk).

Please note the following arrangements for the IPCC Open Meetings during inclement weather:-

- (i) Meetings would continue to be held when Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No. 1 or No. 3 is hoisted, or Amber or Red Rainstorm Warning is issued.
- (ii) An open meeting would be cancelled if, within two hours before the scheduled time of the meeting, it is known that a No. 8 or higher Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal or a Black Rainstorm Warning will be issued soon or is in force. The Secretary-General would arrange another meeting date in consultation with the Chairman.
- (iii) If, during an open meeting, No. 8 or higher Tropical Cyclone Warning is hoisted, or Black Rainstorm Warning is issued, or it is known that a No. 8 or higher Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal or a Black Rainstorm Warning will be issued soon, the Member presiding at the meeting would decide whether to adjourn or continue with the meeting.
- (iv) The Member presiding at the meeting would decide whether to adjourn or continue with the meeting if other unforeseen circumstances arise.

Secretariat, Independent Police Complaints Council