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Hello,

I believe that a combination of public and private measures is needed to build a sustainable health care system. It is a good idea to maintain or increase public expenditure while also implementing a mandatory-contribution social insurance system and possibly a mandatory-contribution medical savings account.

However, whatever system is implemented, it is crucial that our government remain committed to providing quality, timely health care to ALL people in Hong Kong, regardless of economic or social status. I am originally from the United States, which has a health care system which provides terrible service at outrageous prices--do not allow Hong Kong to follow in America's footsteps! Providing health care to all must remain a fundamental purpose of the Hong Kong government, EVEN if taxes must be raised moderately.

Thank you for your time.

Faithfully yours,

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