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From the President
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To Editor/ Assignment Editor:

**Consultation exercise on the proposal to amend the Criminal Procedure Ordinance
so that the prosecution may appeal against acquittal
by the Court of First Instance's judges for cases concerning offences
endangering national security by way of case stated**

1. The Department of Justice ("DoJ") is conducting a consultation exercise on the proposal to amend the Criminal Procedure Ordinance so that the prosecution may appeal against acquittal by the Court of First Instance constituted by a panel of three judges for cases concerning offences endangering national security by way of case stated.
2. The Law Society has received the consultation paper. The Law Society's relevant specialist committees will study the proposal in detail and will provide our submissions to the DoJ in due course.

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致 各大傳媒編輯/ 採訪主任：

關於律政司就修訂《刑事訴訟程序條例》
使控方可就涉及危害國家安全罪行
由原訟法庭法官作出無罪的裁決提出上訴
的建議的諮詢

1. 律政司正就修訂《刑事訴訟程序條例》，使控方可就涉及危害國家安全罪行由三名法官組成的原訟法庭作出無罪的裁決，以案件呈述方式提出上訴的建議進行諮詢。
2. 律師會已接獲相關的諮詢文件。律師會轄下的相關專責小組委員會將詳細研究律政司的建議，並會適時向律政司提交意見。

香港律師會會長 陳澤銘

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