

Annex 3

Vetting Criteria

An application will be refused if the proposed personalized vehicle registration mark —

- ✗ is likely to be offensive to a reasonable person, or has a connotation offensive to good taste or decency;
- ✗ refers to any triad title or nomenclature or otherwise has a triad connotation;
- ✗ is likely to cause a reasonable person to believe that the motor vehicle on which the registration mark is displayed belongs to or the person using the vehicle represents any of the following —
 - the Hong Kong Garrison or any office set up by the Central People's Government in Hong Kong;
 - the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region;
 - any public body (i.e. the Executive Council, the Legislative Council, any District Council, the Judiciary, the Independent Commission Against Corruption or any department of the Government);
 - any country or the government of any country; or
 - an international organization in which the Government participates in any capacity;
- ✗ may cause danger to the safety of any user of the road; or
- ✗ is confusing for the purposes of law enforcement.