



香港旅遊業議會
**TRAVEL INDUSTRY COUNCIL
OF HONG KONG**

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***Re: Prohibition of imposing additional charges on inbound tourists
Resolution No. 109***

It has come to the attention of the Council that some Hong Kong travel agents are imposing various kinds of charges on inbound tour members such as for not joining group activities or leaving the tour group, for them being teachers, journalists, elderly people and children, etc. Since this kind of practice seriously damages the reputation and image of Hong Kong tourism, the Board of Directors has decided to adopt the proposal from the Inbound Committee that with immediate effect,

“except for optional tours, members shall not charge tour members for any other reasons such as leaving the tour group, their age or occupation, etc.”

Your cooperation is highly appreciated. Violation of this directive will be subject to penalties in accordance with Article 11(3)(a) and (b) of the Council's Articles of Association.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
TRAVEL INDUSTRY COUNCIL OF HONG KONG

Joseph Tung
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IMPORTANT