Hong Kong Statistical Society Important Notice to Candidates of Examination

Precautionary Measures against Influenza at the Examination Centre

- 1. Candidates are allowed to wear masks at the examination centre.
- 2. Candidates will be required to remove their masks during the checking of attendance.
- 3. Candidates with serious sneezing or coughing should comply when asked by invigilation personnel to put on masks and sit apart from other candidates.
- 4. For consideration of others, candidates should cover their noses and moths when sneezing or coughing.
- 5. In case a candidate feels very unwell and displays Influenza symptoms, he/ she should seek medical advice if it is appropriate for him/ her to take the examination in a public examination centre.

Withdrawal from the Examination

While the examination will not be re-scheduled, candidates who are sick and cannot attend the examination should submit documentary evidence such as a medical certificate to the Hong Kong Statistical Society (HKSS) within two weeks after the examination date. If the Examinations Board of the HKSS considers the submissions and the evidences/reasons provided by candidates acceptable, it may allow the fees already paid to be held over and transferred to the next scheduled examinations session. This decision is at the discretion of the Board. The Board will not enter into correspondence in respect of its decision.