REPORT ON THE DISASTER RELIEF FUND 2023-24

INTRODUCTION

This report gives an account of the operation of the Disaster Relief Fund in 2023-24.

DISASTER RELIEF FUND

- 2. The Disaster Relief Fund ("the Fund") was established on 1 December 1993 under the Public Finance Ordinance ("PFO") to provide a ready mechanism for Hong Kong to respond swiftly to international appeals for humanitarian aid in relief of disasters that occur outside Hong Kong. The Fund is topped up by the Government of Hong Kong Special Administrative Region ("the HKSAR Government") at the start of each financial year and, as necessary, during the financial year, depending on calls for relief and the size of the Fund balance and commitments.
- 3. As in the case of other funds set up under the PFO, the Financial Secretary has been designated as the administrator of the Fund. The Financial Secretary has further delegated the power of administering the Fund to the Director of Administration, including the authority to approve each individual disbursement not exceeding \$8 million. The approval of the Finance Committee of the Legislative Council ("LegCo") is required for each individual disbursement exceeding \$8 million. The Fund is audited by the Audit Commission annually and the audited accounts are submitted to LegCo for information^{[1].}
- 4. All grants from the Fund are made on the advice of the Disaster Relief Fund Advisory Committee ("the Committee") which is chaired by the Chief Secretary for Administration and comprises both official and non-official members. Its terms of reference include providing advice on the policy and practices regarding the disbursements of funds for disaster relief and the size of

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^[1] The Director of Audit submits a report on the accounts of the HKSAR Government to the LegCo every year. The accounts of the Fund are included in the report.

grants made to specified recipients, and monitoring the use of grants. The $\underline{\text{Annex } A}$ membership of the Committee in 2023-24 is at $\underline{\text{Annex } A}$.

WORK IN 2023-24

Processing of Grant Applications

- The Committee assesses funding applications in a fair and objective 5. manner in accordance with a set of established guidelines and conditions for Annex B grants, which are set out at *Annex B*. In 2023-24, a total of 32 funding applications^[2] were received from relief organisations, 31 of which were approved and one withdrawn by the organisation itself. During the reporting period, grants totalling \$138.851 million were granted to 16 organisations to conduct relief programmes in eight geographical regions, and the estimated number of beneficiaries was around 670 000. In addition, the HKSAR Government and the Committee responded swiftly to two major natural disasters occurred in the Mainland in 2023, including a flooding and an earthquake. provide appropriate assistance to the victims early, the HKSAR Government, in consultation with the Committee, gave approval in-principle for the first time to the funding applications of organisations, including in-principle approval of total grants of about \$65 million to nine organisations in respect of the flooding in the Mainland on 14 August 2023, and in-principle approval of total grants of about \$33 million to five organisations in respect of the earthquake in the Mainland on 22 December 2023, for implementing relief programmes. Subsequently, some other organisations also applied for grants for the two disasters. Eventually, a total of about \$114 million was granted to 16 organisations to carry out 21 relief programmes^[3], benefiting some 580 000 people affected by the disasters.
 - 6. Among the 16 organisations which successfully applied for funding in 2023-24, Plan International Hong Kong was awarded the largest number of projects (i.e. six in total); World Vision Hong Kong was awarded the largest amount of grants (i.e. \$18.549 million in total). A list of programmes with approved grants, related photographs and statistics are set out at *Annex C*. The average processing time of the two applications submitted under the Fast-track

Annex C

^[2] Including two applications submitted under the Fast-track Mechanism for Funding Applications, i.e. for providing relief to earthquake victims in Gansu and Qinghai provinces in the Mainland of China (one application) and typhoon victims in the Philippines (one application) respectively.

^[3] Including three relief programmes with grants approved in 2024-25.

Mechanism for Funding Applications ("Fast-track Mechanism") was two working days, whereas that for the remaining 29 applications submitted under the conventional mechanism was nine working days. They were less than the target of three and 12 working days respectively (i.e. from the date of receipt of full information from the applicant to the date of notification of the result).

Monitoring the Use of Grants

- 7. The Committee continued to adopt the following measures to monitor the use of grants:
 - (a) the relief organisation is required to lay down a relief schedule setting out, among other things, the commencement and completion dates of a programme, and report to the Secretariat of the Committee ("the Secretariat") the critical programme milestones within one month from the respective scheduled dates;
 - (b) if the relief organisation has made specific minor variations to an approved relief programme with its delegated authority^[4], it is required to notify the Committee within one month from the effective date of the variations;
 - (c) save for the minor variations mentioned in (b) above, should there be signs of deviation from the approved targets (such as the schedule, relief location and types of relief items), the relief organisation is required to obtain prior approval from the Committee;
 - (d) the relief organisation is required to obtain at least three quotations in each procurement exercise to ensure proper use of funding for procuring relief items and the procedures should be conducted in a fair and open manner;
 - (e) overheads or other administrative costs of the relief programme borne by the relief organisation should not exceed 5% of the grant or 5% of

^[4] Relief organisations are allowed to make minor variations to (including increasing or reshuffling) the number of beneficiaries, quantities of relief items and the budget for individual spending items as authorised, provided that there is no change to the approved grant amount and the total number of beneficiaries will not be reduced. Any increase in the number of beneficiaries and quantities of relief items should not exceed 20% of their

- the total expenditure, whichever is less. Such expenditures should not be used to support the daily operation of the organisation;
- (f) the relief organisation is required to display prominently the message that the relief items are "Funded by the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region" or "Funded by the Disaster Relief Fund, Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region", and provide photographs in the evaluation report as proof of compliance with this requirement;
- (g) the relief organisation is required to submit an evaluation report and an audited account within six months upon completion of the relief programme. The evaluation report submitted should give an overall assessment of the programme targets (including the number of beneficiaries and the time needed for delivery of emergency relief). The evaluation report and the audited account are examined by the Secretariat before they are submitted to the Committee for information. The Audit Commission will also inspect the evaluation report and the audited account during the annual audit exercise to ensure that the relief programme is conducted according to the funding requirements;
- (h) the relief organisation is required to provide information in the application to confirm that it has established a code of conduct, disciplinary procedures, recruitment vetting and reporting system to guard against and handle staff misconduct cases properly. In the event of any incident detrimental to the beneficiaries and the Fund, such as sexual harassment or exploitation, abuse, fraud and improper use of the grant, the organisation shall, within two weeks upon such incident coming to its knowledge, provide a brief report to the Secretariat on, inter alia, the nature of the incident and actions taken; and
- (i) if a relief organisation commits a serious violation of grant conditions, it must submit a concrete improvement proposal (e.g. review the relief organisation's implementation procedures and monitoring measures of the relief programme) in addition to providing explanation of the circumstances. The Secretariat will make recommendations according to individual circumstances for the Committee to consider whether further action is required. When processing the relief

organisation's future funding applications, the Secretariat will make recommendations for the Committee's consideration based on the organisation's non-compliance record in the past three financial years.

8. To promote public understanding of and confidence in the monitoring of the use of grants under the Fund, the Committee has uploaded the prevailing monitoring measures onto the Fund's website to enhance the transparency of the mechanism and facilitate public access to the relevant information.

Processing Applications for Programme Variations

9. In 2023-24, the Committee received one application for major variations and 19 applications for minor variations, all of which were processed within the respective target timelines. For the major variation case, the processing time was seven working days, which was less than the target of eight working days. For the minor variation cases, the average processing time was two working days, which was less than the target of three working days. Since the variations would not affect the designated purposes of the grants and were due to reasonable causes, all the applications were approved. Meanwhile, all the 11 notifications of minor variation cases handled by the organisations under delegated authority fulfilled the requirement of not exceeding the 20% variation limit.

Evaluation Reports and Audited Accounts from Grant Recipients

- 10. The Secretariat received, examined and circulated to the Committee 14 evaluation reports and audited accounts of completed programmes submitted by the relief organisations in 2023-24. The examined reports were accepted for having met the prescribed targets^[5] as follows:
 - (a) use of grants all grants were used for the approved purposes and in compliance with the condition that not more than 5% of an individual grant or total expenditure (whichever is less) should be used to cover overheads or other administrative costs. Among the 14 examined relief programmes, eight recorded a balance of unused grants totalling

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^[5] Including the targets prescribed in the guidelines and conditions for the approved grants, but were subsequently revised according to the prevailing mechanism due to changes in circumstances.

about \$3.587 million (accounting for 12.4% of the total grants for the programmes) which were returned to the Fund;

- (b) number of beneficiaries all the 14 examined relief programmes met the target in terms of the target number of beneficiaries and provided emergency relief to some 530 000 victims in aggregate (including those affected by flooding, typhoons/cyclones and earthquakes in the Mainland of China, India, Bangladesh, the Philippines, Indonesia and Pakistan). Relief items distributed to the beneficiaries under these programmes included food (such as rice, drinking water, dried fish, canned food, corn flour, flour, instant noodles, cooking oil, beans and seasonings), blankets/quilts, floor mats/sleeping mats, mosquito nets, kitchenware, lighting tools, water purification tablets, hygiene items, household items, clothing, temporary shelter materials and tools as well as education kits; and
- (c) timely completion of the programmes all the relief programmes were delivered according to the approved schedules [6].

The annual audit of the Fund conducted by the Audit Commission included examining the accounts and operation of the Fund as well as the evaluation reports submitted by relief organisations. Upon completion of the annual audit, the Audit Commission submitted an independent auditor's report on the Fund's accounts to LegCo to certify that the Audit Commission had examined and audited the financial statements of the Fund and in its opinion, the financial statements of the Fund had been prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with the PFO (Cap.2) and section 11(1) of the Audit Ordinance (Cap. 122).

Reviewing the Arrangements for Assessing First-time Funding Applications

11. In 2023-24, the Committee had reviewed the arrangements for assessing first-time applications submitted by organisations. It was agreed that when considering whether these new organisations could meet the criteria that "the relief organisation should have demonstrated a sound track record in providing similar types of disaster relief services and activities", apart from considering the organisations' own experience in relief services and activities, if they could demonstrate that they have adequate capability and contact network to implement relief programmes in the targeted relief locations (including

^[6] Including revised target completion dates subsequently approved.

collaborating with local partners which have relevant relief experience), they would be regarded as meeting the relevant criteria and their funding applications may be approved.

GRANTS APPROVED IN THE PAST FIVE YEARS

12. The Committee received a cumulative total of 104 applications by relief organisations for grants from the Fund from 2019-20 to 2023-24. Of this total, 101 (97.12%) applications for grants amounting to \$371.012 million, involving 19 organisations, were approved. The remaining three applications were withdrawn by the organisations themselves. For the above approved grants, the benefiting geographical regions covered different parts of the world, including the Mainland of China, other places in Asia, Africa and Latin America. Of the programmes approved on the advice of the Committee, most were for the relief of victims of flooding, followed by typhoons/cyclones/hurricanes, earthquakes and droughts.

Disaster Relief Fund Advisory Committee Secretariat April 2025

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Guidelines for Grants from the Disaster Relief Fund (March 2016)

I. <u>Coverage</u>

- (1) Grants should only be made in cases of a specific disaster¹, not an on-going problem².
- (2) Grants should only be made in cases of disasters of such nature and scale that stimulate a response by the international community.
- (3) The relief support should be confined to time-critical response in the emergency context.

II. Assessment of Proposals

- (4) Grants should be made in response to-
 - (a) an appeal made to the international community by a government or a relief organisation for disaster relief aid in the country or locality concerned; or
 - (b) an application submitted by a locally registered relief organisation³ for a disaster relief project being or to be carried out by the organisation. Retroactive funding is not supported.
- (5) The appeal/application should be based on humanitarian grounds. Political considerations will not be taken into account.
- (6) The appeal/application should have received a measure of public support in Hong Kong.
- (7) Any application by a relief organisation should be supported by a proposal outlining the nature and scale of the aid project, the number and type of beneficiaries and the size of grant required.

Including natural disasters and non-natural catastrophes, e.g. explosion of nuclear/chemical facilities and terrorist attacks causing substantial damages and casualties.

² Such as refugee problems, wars or post-disaster rehabilitation/reconstruction.

The relief organisation should be a charitable organisation exempted from tax under Section 88 of the Inland Revenue Ordinance, Cap. 112.

- (8) The relief organisation should have demonstrated a sound track record in providing similar types of disaster relief services and activities.
- (9) The size of the grant should be sufficient to make an impact.
- (10) When there is more than one application of a similar nature and for the same disaster, regard should be given to the likely number of beneficiaries, the promptness with which the relief may be provided and the nature of the relief to be provided.

III. Conditions of Grant

- (11) Individual grants should take the form of one-off cash payments.
- (12) The grant should be given to the government concerned or to a reputable relief organisation in the field.
- (13) Up to 5% of the grant may be used to cover overheads or other administrative costs. The rest should be spent entirely on disaster relief services and activities.
- (14) The government/relief organisation concerned should be required to submit an evaluation report and/or an audited account as appropriate to the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region on the use of the grant within a specified period.

DISASTER RELIEF FUND GRANTS APPROVED IN 2023-24

赈災基金 2023-24年度批出款項

| | Applicant 申請機構 | Date of Approval 撥款日期 | Beneficiaries 受息人士 | Nature of Programme 項目內容 | Relief Areas 賑災地區 | Grant Approved 批出款項 (\$million 百萬元) Rounded to two decimal places 約至小數點後兩個位 | |
|----|---|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------|
| 1 | Save the Children Hong Kong 香港救助兒童會 | 21.4.2023 | Earthquake victims 地震災民 | Household & hygiene kits and dignity kits 家庭用品及衞生包和女性衞生包 | Türkiye 土耳其 | \$5.03 | |
| 2 | World Vision Hong Kong 香港世界宣明會 | 31.5.2023 | Cyclone victims 風災災民 | Food packs, household kits, hygiene kits and children food 糧食包、家庭用品包、衞生包和兒童食物 | Malawi 馬拉維 | \$4.40 | |
| 3 | Plan International Hong Kong 國際培幼會(香港) | 31.5.2023 | Cyclone victims 風災災民 | Household & shelter kits, water kits and hygiene kits 家庭用品及臨時居所包、盛水物資包和衞生包 | Malawi 馬拉維 | \$3.00 | |
| 4 | Oxfam Hong Kong 樂施會 | 12.6.2023 | Cyclone victims 風災災民 | Hygiene kits and shelter kits 衛生包和臨時居所包 | Malawi 馬拉維 | \$2.36 | |
| 5 | Plan International Hong Kong 國際培幼會(香港) | 24.7.2023 | Cyclone victims 風災災民 | Household kits, hygiene kits and shelter kits 家庭用品包、衞生包和臨時居所包 | Myanmar கூறி | \$2.95 | |
| 6 | Amity Foundation, Hong Kong 愛德基金會(香港) | 10.8.2023 | Typhoon victims 風災災民 | Drinking water, rice, dried fish, canned food, beans, sugar and cooking oil 食水、食米、魚乾、罐頭食品、豆、糖及食用油 | The Philippines 菲律賓 | \$0.54 | Note 註 |
| 7 | Plan International Hong Kong 國際培幼會(香港) | 4.9.2023 | Flood victims 水災災民 | Household kits 家庭用品包 | The Mainland of China - Jilin Province 中國內地 - 吉林省 | \$3.30 | |
| 8 | Amity Foundation, Hong Kong 愛德基金會(香港) | 4.9.2023 | Flood victims 水災災民 | Flour, rice, cooking oil and quilts 麵粉、食米、食用油及棉被 | The Mainland of China - Hebei Province 中國內地 - 河北省 | \$8.00 | |
| 9 | The HKFTU Disasters Relief Charity Fund 香港工會聯合會教災慈善基金 | 4.9.2023 | Flood victims 水災災民 | Quilts 棉被 | The Mainland of China - Hebei Province 中國內地 - 河北省 | \$5.00 | |
| 10 | Oxfam Hong Kong 樂施會 | 26.9.2023 | Typhoon victims 風災災民 | Hygiene kits, household kits and food kits 衛生包、家庭用品包及糧食包 | The Philippines 菲律賓 | \$4.13 | |
| 11 | Plan International Hong Kong 國際培幼會(香港) | 27.9.2023 | Flood victims 水災災民 | Hygiene kits, water kits, household & shelter kits and kitchen kits 衛生包、盛水物資包、家庭用品及臨時居所包和廚具包 | India 印度 | \$4.69 | |
| 12 | World Vision Hong Kong 香港世界宣明會 | 16.10.2023 | Flood victims 水災災民 | Rice, flour, cooking oil and quilts 食米、麵粉、食用油及棉被 | The Mainland of China - Jilin Province 中國內地 - 吉林省 | \$6.08 | |

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| 13 | Oxfam Hong Kong 樂施會 | 16.10.2023 | Flood victims 水災災民 | Cooking oil, rice and flour 食用油、食米及麵粉 | The Mainland of China - Jilin Province 中國內地 - 吉林省 | \$4.79 |
| 14 | The Hong Kong Island Social Services Charitable Foundation 香港島各界社會服務基金會 | 7.11.2023 | Flood victims 水災災民 | Rice, cooking oil, quilts and cotton coats 食米、食用油、棉被及棉服 | The Mainland of China - Hebei Province 中國內地 - 河北省 | \$8.00 |
| 15 | Federation of Hong Kong Beijing Organisations 香港北京社團總會 | 14.11.2023 | Flood victims 水災災民 | Rice, flour, cooking oil, quilts and bedding kits 食米、麵粉、食用油、棉被及床品包 | The Mainland of China - Beijing 中國內地 - 北京市 | \$8.00 |
| 16 | Hong Kong CPPCC (Provincial) Members Association Foundation 港區省級政協委員聯誼會基金 | 20.11.2023 | Flood victims 水災災民 | Bedding items, household items, hygiene items, education items, rice, flour, cooking oil, water, down jackets and duvets 床上用品、家庭用品、衞生用品、學習用品、食米、麵粉、食用油、食水、羽絨服及羽絨被 | The Mainland of China - Tianjin, Hebei Province, Jilin Province and Heilongjiang Province 中國內地 - 天津市、 河北省、吉林省及黑龍 江省 | \$7.95 |
| 17 | H.K. United Youth Exchange Foundation 香港青聯交流基金 | 4.12.2023 | Flood victims 水災災民 | Rice, cooking oil, flour, disinfection items, household items and hygiene items 食米、食用油、小麥粉、消毒用品、家庭用品及衞生用品 | The Mainland of China - Beijing 中國內地 - 北京市 | \$3.39 |
| 18 | Hua Jing Youth Foundation 華菁會青年基金會 | 12.12.2023 | Flood victims 水災災民 | Food & household kits and education kits 食物及家庭用品包和學習用品包 | The Mainland of China - Beijing, Tianjin and Hebei Province 中國內地 - 北京市、 天津市及河北省 | \$4.10 |
| 19 | World Vision Hong Kong 香港世界宣明會 | 28.12.2023 | Earthquake victims 地震災民 | Food kits and hygiene kits 糧食包及衞生包 | Afghanistan 阿富汗 | \$5.47 |
| 20 | Plan International Hong Kong 國際培幼會(香港) | 5.1.2024 | Earthquake victims 地震災民 | Flour and cooking oil 麵粉及食用油 | The Mainland of China - Gansu Province 中國內地 - 甘肅省 | \$0.55 <u>Note</u> 註 |
| 21 | All-China Women's Federation Hong Kong Delegates Association Foundation 港區烯聯代表聯誼會基金 | 5.1.2024 | Flood victims 水災災民 | Household kits, hygiene & household kits and quilts 家庭衣物包、衞生及家庭用品包和棉被 | The Mainland of China - Beijing, Hebei Province, Jilin Province and Heilongjiang Province 中國內地 - 北京市、 河北省、吉林省及黑龍 江省 | \$8.00 |
| 22 | Social Workers Across Borders 無國界社工 | 9.1.2024 | Flood victims 水災災民 | Quilts, psychosocial support kits and non-tangible relief support (volunteers training course) 絨毛被、社會心理支持溫暖包及實物以外災後 支援(培訓志願者向災民提供心理支援服務) | The Mainland of China - Beijing 中國內地 - 北京市 | \$0.44 |

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| 23 | Sowers Action 苗圃行動 | 5.2.2024 | Earthquake victims 地震災民 | Hygiene kits, tarpaulins, blankets, buckets and jugs 衞生包、防水帆布、毛氈、桶子及水瓶 | Nepal 尼泊爾 | \$0.67 | |
| 24 | Amity Foundation, Hong Kong 愛德基金會(香港) | 7.2.2024 | Earthquake victims 地震災民 | Rice, flour and cooking oil 食米、麵粉及食用油 | The Mainland of China - Gansu Province 中國內地 - 甘肅省 | \$8.00 | |
| 25 | Oxfam Hong Kong 樂施會 | 7.2.2024 | Earthquake victims 地震災民 | Rice, flour, cooking oil and quilts 食米、麵粉、食用油及棉被 | The Mainland of China - Qinghai Province 中國內地 - 青海省 | \$5.99 | |
| 26 | The HKFTU Disasters Relief Charity Fund 香港工會聯合會教災慈善基金 | 7.2.2024 | Earthquake victims 地震災民 | Quilts and down jackets 棉被及羽絨服 | The Mainland of China - Gansu Province 中國內地 - 甘肅省 | \$6.00 | |
| 27 | The Y.Elites Foundation 香港菁英會基金 | 21.2.2024 | Flood victims 水災災民 | Food kits 糧食包 | The Mainland of China - Jilin Province 中國內地 - 吉林省 | \$5.96 | |
| 28 | Hong Kong Red Cross 香港紅十字會 | 23.2.2024 | Earthquake victims 地震災民 | Winterization kits and dignity kits 禦寒包及女性用品包 | Afghanistan 阿富汗 | \$4.41 | |
| 29 | World Vision Hong Kong 香港世界宣明會 | 8.3.2024 | Earthquake victims 地震災民 | Hygiene kits, winterization kits, dignity kits, stationery kits, learning materials kits and WASH facilities for temporary shelters 衛生包、禦寒包、女性用品包、學習用品包、教材包及臨時洗手間 | Nepal 尼泊爾 | \$2.60 | |
| 30 | Plan International Hong Kong 國際培幼會(香港) | 8.3.2024 | Earthquake victims 地震災民 | Hygiene kits, winterization kits, shelter tool kits, dignity & clothing kits, education kits and nutritional top-up 衛生包、禦寒包、臨時居所工具包、女性用品及衣物包、學習用品包及糧食包 | Nepal 尼泊爾 | \$1.92 | |
| 31 | Save the Children Hong Kong 香港救助兒童會 | 26.3.2024 | Earthquake victims 地震災民 | Hygiene kits and education kits 衞生包及學習用品包 | The Mainland of China - Gansu Province 中國內地 - 甘肅省 | \$3.13 | |
| | e 註 proved under the Fast-track Mechanisn | n for Funding A | Applications 經快達 | 基審批撥款申請機制審批 | Grand Total 總數 | 138.85 | |

DISASTER RELIEF FUND PHOTOGRAPHS OF PROGRAMMES APPROVED IN 2023-24 2023-24 年度獲撥款販災計劃的相片

Earthquake in Türkiye 土耳其地震





Beneficiaries were using relief items, including dishwashing liquid, washing up bowl, scouring pad and laundry detergent, etc. 受惠災民使用獲派發的救援物資,包括洗潔精、洗碗盆、百潔布及洗衣液等。

Cyclone in Malawi 馬拉維風災





The cyclone victims were waiting in an orderly manner for the relief organisation to distribute relief items.

風災災民有秩序地等候救援機構派發救援物資。

Typhoon in the Philippines 菲律賓風災



The relief organisation briefed beneficiaries on the contents of the relief kit. 救援機構向受惠災民簡介救援物資包的內容。



As the affected area was remote and non-accessible by land-based transport, the relief organisation delivered the relief items by boats to the typhoon victims. 由於災區地點偏遠及陸路交通受阻,救援機構使用船隻派遞救援物資予風災災民。

Flooding in the Mainland of China 中國內地水災









The relief organisations displayed banners at the distribution sites showcasing that the relief programme were funded by the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region. 救援機構在救援物資派發地點展示橫額,展示賑災計劃由香港特別行政區政府資助。





With the education kits provided, children could receive proper psychosocial support through participating in learning and social activities.

Each kit contained exercise books, pencils, sharpener, eraser and backpack, etc. 學習用品包可讓兒童透過參與學習和社交活動獲得適當的心理社會支援。 學習用品包內有練習簿、鉛筆、鉛筆刨、橡皮及書包等物資。





Relief organisations verified the identity of beneficiaries before distributing relief items. 在派發救援物資前,救援機構為受惠災民核實身分。



The relief organisation conducted a training course for volunteers to provide social and psychological support services to the flood victims. 救援組織為當地義工舉辦培訓課程,為水災災民提供社會和心理支持服務。

Earthquake in the Mainland of China 中國內地地震





Lists of beneficiaries with distribution details were displayed on the notice board at the affected area before distribution, facilitating the distribution of relief items. 在派發救援物資前,受惠名單及物資分發詳情已張貼在災區的告示板上,便利物資派發。





Staff of relief organisation visited the beneficiaries after distribution of relief items and collected their feedback on the relief items received.

救援機構職員在完成派發物資工作後回訪受惠災民,並收集災民對救援物資的意見。

Flooding in India 印度水災



The relief organisation displayed a relief item list at the distribution site, enabling the beneficiaries to cross-check the content of relief kits. 救援機構在派發地點展示賑災物資清單,讓受惠災民核對物資包的內容。

Earthquake in Afghanistan 阿富汗地震

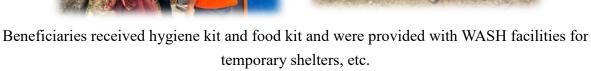




The relief organisation pre-allocated relief materials to facilitate collection by beneficiaries. 救援機構預先分配救援物資,以便受惠災民領取。

Earthquake in Nepal 尼泊爾地震





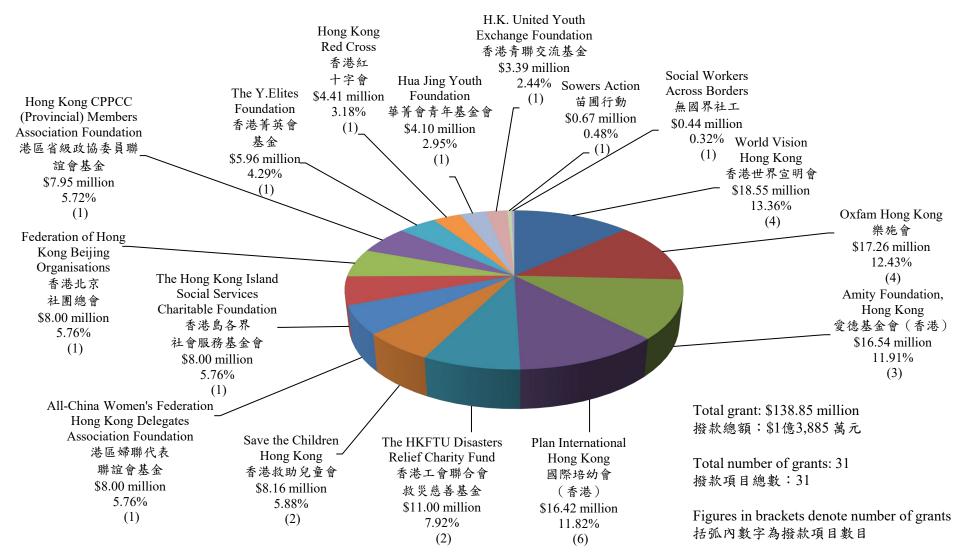
受惠災民獲派發衞生包及糧食包,並獲提供臨時洗手間設施等。

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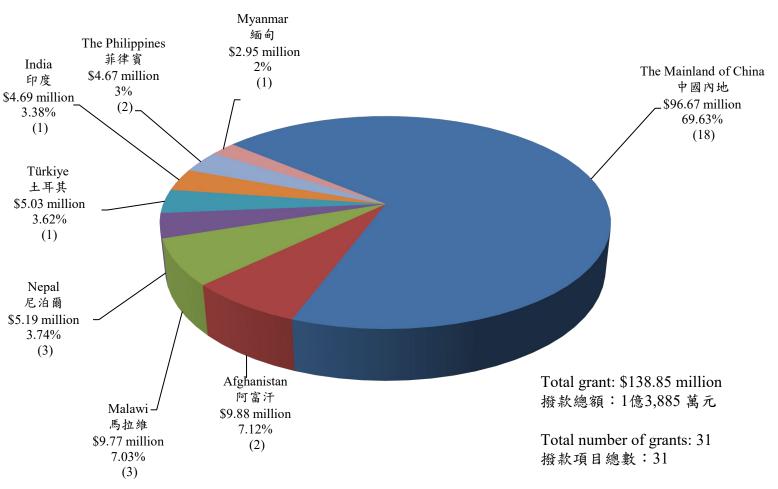
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賑災基金

2023-24年度按獲撥款機構劃分的撥款

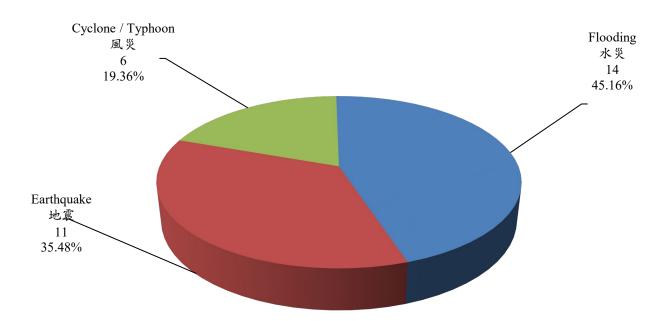


2023-24年度按受助地區劃分的撥款



Figures in brackets denote number of grants 括弧內數字為撥款項目數目

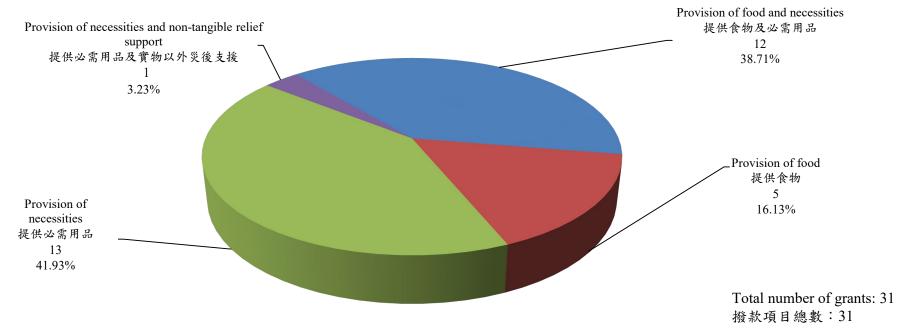
2023-24年度按災禍類別劃分的撥款



Total number of grants: 31 撥款項目總數:31

DISASTER RELIEF FUND NATURE OF PROGRAMMES APPROVED IN 2023-24 販災基金

2023-24年度獲撥款賑災計劃的項目內容



Food items include rice, drinking water, flour, noodles, cooking oil, beans, dried fish, canned food, tea leaves, salt and sugar, etc. 食物包括食米、食水、麵粉、麵條、食用油、豆、魚乾、罐頭、茶葉、鹽及糖等。

Necessities include solar lamps, tarpaulins, ground sheets, mosquito nets, quilts, clothing, bedding items, hygiene items, household items, kitchen utensils, disinfection items, water purification items, teacher's kits, education kits, psychosocial support kits, as well as temporary shelter materials and tools, etc. 必需用品包括太陽能燈、防水帆布、地墊、蚊帳、棉被、衣服、寢具用品、衞生用品、家庭用品、廚具、消毒用品、淨水物資、教材包、學習用品包、心理支援包,以及搭建臨時居所的物料和工具等。

Non-tangible relief support include volunteers training course on providing psychosocial support to victims. 實物以外災後支援包括培訓志願者向災民提供心理支援服務。