

## 土地注册处营运基金 The Land Registry Trading Fund

土地注册处于1993年8月成为香港最先以营运基金形式运作的政府部门之一。营运基金是为鼓励聚焦提升服务及回应客户需要而设计的一项公共财政安排。土地注册处处长是土地注册处营运基金的总经理。

在营运基金模式下,土地注册处仍是一个公营机构,但要自行管理财政,收入来自其提供服务所得的费用,以自负盈亏的模式经营。营运基金须向公帑支付红利,但可以保留投资收益,用作改善服务。此外,基金享有自主权,可决定进行支援部门服务的资本投资项目,并可灵活调配员工,以回应客户的服务需求。

营运基金的年报及经审计署署长认证的财务报表,每年均须提交香港特别行政区立法会省览。

In August 1993, the Land Registry was established as one of Hong Kong's first Trading Fund Departments. The trading fund concept is an approach to public financing designed to encourage greater focus on improving services and responding to customer needs. The Land Registrar is the General Manager of the Land Registry Trading Fund.

Under the trading fund model, the Land Registry remains a public agency but is responsible for its own finances and must meet its expenditure from the income derived from fees and charges for the services that it provides. The Trading Fund pays dividends to public funds but may otherwise retain profits to invest for service improvements. In particular, it has autonomy over capital investment projects that will support its services and has flexibility to redeploy staff to respond to the service needs of customers.

The Trading Fund's Annual Report and the financial statements certified by the Director of Audit must be tabled in the Legislative Council of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region each year.