Response to the Article "Dr Quick Fix" in Urban, 20 July 2006

We refer to the article "Dr Quick Fix" published in *The Straits Times*' weekly guide, *Urban* on 20 July 2006, which featured the practice of aesthetic medicine in Singapore.

We wish to clarify that the three members of the Committee of Self-Regulation in Aesthetic Medicine – Dr Lee Pheng Soon, Dr John Chiam and Dr Tan Sze Wee – named in the article, were appointed in their personal capacity to serve on the Committee formed by the Ministry of Health and not as representatives of the Singapore Medical Association. The Ministry of Health did not seek any official representation from the Singapore Medical Association when this Committee was formed.

Yours sincerely,

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