

## 【Press Release】

### HKQAA Visited Shaanxi Province Quality and Technology Supervision Bureau Exploring Deeper Collaboration, Fostering Industry Development

(7 April 2017, Hong Kong) HKQAA's senior management representatives visited Shaanxi Province Quality and Technology Supervision Bureau (Shaanxi QTS) on 30 March 2017, having previously signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) in October 2016. In the meeting, the two parties emphasised the importance of quality management and brand building for enterprises in Hong Kong and Shaanxi, to benefit the industry and society and support the Belt and Road Initiative.

Four HKQAA representatives, including Dr Michael Lam, Chief Executive Officer, met with Mr Qiao Jun, Secretary and Director of Shaanxi QTS, and representatives from its Quality, Accreditation and Metrology Departments, Institutes of Metrology, and Quality and Inspection, as well as the Shaanxi Province Quality Assessment Centre. Based on the MOU, both parties intend to further strengthen their collaboration so as to enhance the competitiveness of enterprises in both regions.



Mr Qiao Jun, Secretary and Director of Shaanxi QTS (middle, front row), Dr Michael Lam, Chief Executive Officer of HKQAA (left 2, front row) and representatives of the two parties had a meeting.

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#### **HKQAA Background**

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