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There has been a lot of public commentary on the subject of weighted voting rights.

Both the Securities and Futures Commission and Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited (HKEx) understand that this subject requires a sophisticated, level-headed review to nail down and then weigh up all the potential benefits and risks of any proposals for change.

I should make clear that the SFC is not deaf to new ideas – actually far from it. We should always look carefully at proposals that could result in Hong Kong enhancing its success as a truly international financial centre in the years ahead. Stock C