TV Announcement (Web accessible version) <u>Transcript</u>

Description of visuals: The opening shot shows a shop owner passing a Chinese

cabbage to a female elderly shopper in the market. She is putting the cabbage into her shopping cart which has

already been full of fruits and vegetables.

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Description of visuals: An elderly couple appears and the elderly man greets the

female elderly shopper, "Went on a shopping spree?"

Elderly man: Went on a shopping spree?

Description of visuals: The female elderly shopper replies happily, "Thanks to the

merger of the Old Age Living Allowances"

Female elderly shopper: Thanks to the merger of the Old Age Living Allowances

Description of visuals: The scene then switches to a green background with a

calendar showing "September 1 2022". The male voiceover says, "From September 1, 2022, the Normal and the Higher Old Age Living Allowances merge as the 'Old Age Living

Allowance"

MVO: From September 1, 2022, the Normal and the Higher Old

Age Living Allowances merge as the "Old Age Living

Allowance"

Description of visuals: The female elderly shopper holds two big puzzles with the

blue one showing super "Normal Old Age Living Allowance" and the yellow one showing "Higher Old Age Living Allowance". The female elderly shopper merges the two puzzles into a green puzzle with super "Old Age Living

Allowance"

Description of visuals: In the next scene, the supers "Asset limits" and "Monthly

income limits remain unchanged" show up. Two diamond-shaped windows pop up one by one. The female elderly shopperholding a grocery bag and the smiling elderly couple are shown inside the windows respectively. The supers "Single Person \$374,000" and "Married Couple \$568,000" show up. The male voiceover says, "It adopts the more relaxed asset limits of the Normal Old Age Living

Allowance"

MVO: It adopts the more relaxed asset limits of the Normal Old

Age Living Allowance

Description of visuals: The female elderly shopper points to the super "Monthly

payment rate \$3,915". The male voiceover says, "And the payment rate of the Higher Old Age Living Allowance"

MVO: And the payment rate of the Higher Old Age Living

Allowance

Description of visuals: Two map icons pop up one by one. The supers "Guangdong

Scheme" and "Fujian Scheme" show up respectively. The male voiceover says, "It also applies to the Guangdong

Scheme and the Fujian Scheme"

MVO: It also applies to the Guangdong Scheme and the Fujian

Scheme

Description of visuals: The scene returns to the market with a close-up to the

elderly couple. The elderly man asks, "How do we apply?"

Elderly man: How do we apply?

Description of visuals: The female elderly shopper replies, "Existing recipients

need not apply again. New applicants can also benefit from

the merger"

Female elderly shopper: Existing recipients need not apply again. New applicants

can also benefit from the merger

Description of visuals: The elderly man says happily, "Then I can shop more as

well"

Elderly man: Then I can shop more as well

Description of visuals: The female elderly shopper leaves the market with the

elderly couple happily

Description of visuals: The last scene shows the following supers:

Merger of Normal and Higher Old Age Living Allowances The cast wore masks when not being filmed and complied

with the Government's anti-epidemic requirements

Old Age Living Allowance Enquiry Line: 3595 0130

Guangdong Scheme and Fujian Scheme

Enquiry Line: 3105 3266

And the logo of Social Welfare Department