

# Foreword by the Director-general

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"Spare tenants from worries and let local residents see the future of their homeland" is the shared mission of all staff members of the Southern Taiwan Science Park (STSP) Administration. The STSP Administration has adopted practical strategies to elevate administrative efficiency and service quality, construct software and hardware infrastructures, fully cooperate with local governments, elevate the competitiveness of tenants, rejuvenate local economies and equip Taiwan with a stronger technological base. All the team members of the STSP Administration and I will assume these responsibilities as we march toward a brighter future.

By 2006, the STSP Administration has approved entry of a total 198 enterprises and created 47,000 jobs and US\$ 13.6 billion. Regarding the construction of a superior environment, negotiations over the National Nanke International Experimental High School were concluded, and the School was officially established on August 1, 2006. It is the most notable contribution of the STSP Administration. The STSP Administration insisted on the continuous implementation of the High Speed Rail Ground Vibration Mitigation Project despite great external pressure and completed the work in October 2006. The effects of the Project has been tested and confirmed by a trusted third party and the constant investment of tenant enterprises is the best illustration of efforts by the STSP Administration. Moreover, the STSP Administration has been awarded the "2005 Outstanding Research and Development on Safety and Health" by the Council of Labor Affairs, Executive Yuan, "Environmental Protection Engineering Achiever" by the Chinese Institute of Environmental Engineering, and "Outstanding Performance Award for Private Participation in Infrastructure Projects" for the implementation of the Wellness Center construction project. I would like to extend my most profound gratitude to all of the team members of the STSP Administration and acknowledge their performance and hard work.

The STSP is now still under development and is expected to be completed in 2010. Looking into the future, the constant investment and expansion of the tenant enterprises will further develop the South. Moreover, we will again impose a high standard on ourselves and take on the challenge of reaching a turnover of US\$30 billion within five years.

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