

**METRO NEWS – 20 FEBRUARY 2014****屢次請願求見無門****Repeated Petitions Ignored by Officials**

Last week, dozens of refugees took to the streets so as to petition to ISS-HK, and at one point even occupied the offices. ISS-HK subsequently applied for an injunction with the high court to force the refugees to leave.

In fact, this is not the first time that conflicts of such nature have occurred.

Last August, 50 torture claimants pending assessment requested a meeting with the ISS-HK, hoping to discuss with them the current aid and assistance arrangements, during which scuffles between some of the claimants and the police took place; the police officers were armed with shields and batons as precautionary measures.