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REPORT WILL AID FIGHT AGAINST CRIME
FINDINGS OF HONG KONG'S FIRST VICTIMISATION SURVEY PUBLISHED
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HONG KONG HAS BEGUN TO ARM ITSELF WITH A NEW STATISTICAL WEAPON IN THE FIGHT AGAINST CRIME - FACTS AND FIGURES ON CRIME VICTIMISATION COLLECTED AND COMPILED IN ACCORDANCE WITH INTERNATIONALLY ACCEPTED STANDARDS.

WITH THE PUBLICATION TODAY (FRIDAY) OF THE FIRST OFFICIAL TERRITORY-WIDE REPORT TO BE PREPARED UNDER SUCH A SYSTEM, THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED THAT IT HAS COMMITTED ITSELF TO PRODUCING A FURTHER REPORT IN 1982. THIS WILL BE BASED ON CRIME DATA FOR THE YEAR 1981.

THE REPORT, TITLED '+CRIME AND ITS VICTIMS IN HONG KONG+', IS THE RESULT OF THE CRIME VICTIMISATION SURVEY CONDUCTED IN JANUARY THIS YEAR BY THE CENSUS AND STATISTICS DEPARTMENT COVERING CRIME IN THE CALENDAR YEAR 1978. THE SURVEY WAS CARRIED OUT UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE FIGHT CRIME COMMITTEE WITH THE AIM OF PROVIDING NEW INSIGHT INTO THE IMPACT OF CRIMINAL ACTIVITY IN HONG KONG.

THE '+SELECTED FINDINGS+' INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

- * AS MEASURED BY THE SURVEY, AN ESTIMATED 132 400 CRIMINAL VICTIMISATIONS WERE COMMITTED AGAINST PERSONS AND HOUSEHOLDS IN 1978, INCLUDING BOTH COMPLETED AND ATTEMPTED OFFENCES. 62 PER CENT OF THE VICTIMISATIONS INVOLVED INDIVIDUALS AND 38 PER CENT OF THEM INVOLVED HOUSEHOLDS.
- * ABOUT TWO-THIRDS OF ALL VICTIMISATIONS OCCURRED IN KOWLOON, ONE-FIFTH IN HONG KONG ISLAND, AND THE BALANCE IN THE NEW TERRITORIES.
- * TEENAGERS (AGED 12 TO 19) HAD THE LOWEST VICTIMISATION RATE IN BOTH CRIMES OF VIOLENCE AND CRIMES OF THEFT.
- * MALE PERSONS AGED 65 AND OVER HAD A PARTICULARLY HIGH RISK FOR CRIMES OF VIOLENCE.
- * FOR BOTH CRIMES OF VIOLENCE AND CRIMES OF THEFT, PERSONS EARNING \$2 500 AND ABOVE PER MONTH WERE THE MOST LIKELY VICTIMS.

COMMENTING ON THE REPORT TODAY, THE CHAIRMAN OF THE FIGHT CRIME COMMITTEE, MR. F.K. LI, EXPRESSED HIS THANKS TO ALL THOSE MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WHO HAD PLAYED THEIR PART IN THE SURVEY BY ANSWERING THE QUESTIONS ABOUT VICTIMISATION.

+PROVIDING SUCH DETAILED INFORMATION CAN BE TIME-CONSUMING AND TEDIOUS,+ SAID MR. LI, +BUT THE RESULTS IN THIS CASE FULLY JUSTIFY THE LABOUR.

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+WHAT THE REPORT HAS GIVEN US IS A SOLID AND INTERNATIONALLY ACCEPTABLE STATISTICAL BASIS WHICH WILL BE A GREAT HELP IN THE LONG TERM TO THE POLICE AND ALL THOSE ENGAGED IN ASSESSING CRIME AND PURSUING THE FIGHT AGAINST IT.+

MR. LI EMPHASISED THAT PEOPLE SHOULD BE EXTREMELY CAUTIOUS IN DRAWING CONCLUSIONS FROM THIS INITIAL REPORT.

+SINCE IT IS THE FIRST OF ITS KIND IN HONG KONG,+ HE SAID,+WE HAVE NO SIMILAR PREVIOUS FIGURES WITH WHICH TO MAKE SURE COMPARISONS. BUT THE NEXT REPORT WILL ALLOW MUCH FIRMER ASSESSMENTS, AND I HOPE THAT PEOPLE WILL CO-OPERATE WITH THE 1982 SURVEY AS HELPFULLY AS THEY HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO THIS ONE.+

IN PARTICULAR, MR. LI CAUTIONED READERS OF THE REPORT AGAINST TRYING TO COMPARE THE INFORMATION PRODUCED IN IT WITH STATISTICS PUBLISHED BY THE POLICE.

+AS THE REPORT ITSELF MAKES CLEAR,+ HE SAID,+SUCH COMPARISONS ARE INAPPROPRIATE BECAUSE OF SUBSTANTIAL DIFFERENCES IN COVERAGE BETWEEN THIS SURVEY AND POLICE STATISTICS.

+THIS SURVEY, AS THE TITLE OF THE REPORT INDICATES, IS BASED ON VICTIMISATIONS - THAT IS, IT REFLECTS THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO RECALLED BEING VICTIMS OF CERTAIN TYPES OF CRIME IN 1978, WHETHER THE CRIMES WERE REPORTED TO THE POLICE OR NOT.

+POLICE STATISTICS, ON THE OTHER HAND, COVER ALL REPORTED CRIMES ON THE BASIS OF THE NUMBER OF CRIMINAL INCIDENTS, IRRESPECTIVE OF THE NUMBER OF VICTIMS INVOLVED IN EACH INCIDENT.

+FURTHER, THE SURVEY COVERS ONLY VICTIMS AGED 12 AND OVER, WHEREAS POLICE STATISTICS INCLUDE CRIMES AFFECTING THOSE UNDER 12 ALSO.+

STRESSING AGAIN THAT THE TEMPTATION TO LEAP TO ANY SWEEPING CONCLUSIONS AT THIS STAGE SHOULD BE RESISTED, MR. LI SAID: +IT SEEMS TO ME THAT THE REPORT ALLOWS SCOPE NEITHER FOR COMPLACENCY NOR FOR ALARM.

+FOR EXAMPLE, A SUPERFICIAL READING OF TWO TABLES (TABLES IV 1 AND IV 2) MIGHT TEMPT ONE TO CONCLUDE: (A) THAT THE CRIME RATE IN HONG KONG IS GENERALLY MUCH LOWER THAN IN THE FIVE UNITED STATES CITIES FOR WHICH FIGURES ARE ALSO CITED- AND (B) THAT HONG KONG PEOPLE DISPLAY FAR LESS CIVIC CONSCIOUSNESS THAN THEIR AMERICAN COUNTERPARTS WHEN IT COMES TO REPORTING ROBBERY.

+HOWEVER, ANY SUCH CONCLUSIONS HAVE TO BE SEVERELY QUALIFIED BY THE FOLLOWING FACTORS:

- * FIRSTLY, THE LATEST AVAILABLE FIGURES FOR THE AMERICAN CITIES RELATE TO 1974, NOT 1978.
- * SECONDLY, HONG KONG, AS WE ALL KNOW, HAS UNIQUE CHARACTERISTICS WHICH CAN MAKE DIRECT COMPARISONS WITH OTHER PLACES HIGHLY SUSPECT.
- * THIRDLY, AMERICAN CRIME REPORTING RATES MAY WELL REFLECT A FAR GREATER INCENTIVE TO REPORT CRIME FOR PURPOSES OF INSURANCE AND OTHER CLAIMS.+

NEVERTHELESS, MR. LI ADDED, THE RELATIVELY LOW RATES FOR REPORTING CRIME REVEALED IN THE REPORT HAD TO BE TAKEN SERIOUSLY.

HE DREW ATTENTION TO A PASSAGE SUMMARISING THIS ASPECT OF THE SURVEY, WHICH READS: +FOR SPECIFIC CRIMES, THE POLICE NOTIFICATION RATES RANGED FROM A HIGH OF 100 PER CENT FOR THEFT OF VEHICLES AND 69 PER CENT FOR SERIOUS ASSAULTS TO A LOW OF SIX PER CENT FOR PICKPOCKET AND FOUR PER CENT FOR OTHER HOUSEHOLD THEFT.+

FOR CRIMES OF VIOLENCE - A CATEGORY COVERING INTIMIDATION AND BLACKMAIL AS WELL AS SUCH CRIMES AS ROBBERY, ASSAULT AND RAPE - THE REPORTING RATE WAS 28 PER CENT. FOR BURGLARY THE REPORTING RATE WAS 34 PER CENT.

MR. LI WENT ON TO DRAW ATTENTION ALSO TO THE FOLLOWING COMMENTS IN THE REPORT: +THE AMOUNT OF UNREPORTED CRIME JUSTIFIES THE PRESENT GOVERNMENT POLICY OF BRINGING THE PUBLIC AND THE POLICE TOGETHER TO WORK IN HARMONY TO COMBAT CRIME. IT MUST BE OBVIOUS THAT THE POLICE CANNOT BE EXPECTED TO COUNTER AND SOLVE CRIMES ABOUT WHICH THEY KNOW NOTHING.

+TO SOME EXTENT THE KEY TO SUCCESS LIES IN THE HANDS OF THE PUBLIC AND THEIR WILLINGNESS TO REPORT CRIME AS A MATTER OF CIVIC DUTY. THE POLICE, FOR THEIR PART, MUST CONTINUE TO DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO GAIN THE PUBLIC'S CONFIDENCE AND THEREBY ENCOURAGE THIS PROCESS.+

ENDORING THESE COMMENTS, MR. LI SAID THAT THE REPORTING RATES, ESPECIALLY FOR THE LESS SERIOUS KINDS OF CRIME, BORE OUT THE WARNINGS EXPRESSED EARLIER THIS YEAR BY THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE ABOUT PUBLIC RELUCTANCE TO REPORT CRIME.

+IT IS NOT SURPRISING,+ HE ADDED, +THAT THE POLICE ARE HIGHLY CONCERNED ON THIS SCORE, SINCE THEY REQUIRE AS MUCH INFORMATION AS POSSIBLE ABOUT ALL CRIMES IF THEY ARE TO DEPLOY THEIR RESOURCES TO MAXIMUM EFFECT - TO PREVENT CRIME AS WELL AS TO CATCH CRIMINALS.

+THE REPORTING RATES ALSO CLEARLY JUSTIFY THE EMPHASIS WE HAVE PUT ON REPORTING CRIME IN OUR 'FIGHT CRIME' CAMPAIGNS UP TO NOW. FURTHER EFFORTS ON THE SAME LINES ARE EVIDENTLY NEEDED. AS YOU KNOW, A RENEWED AND INTENSIFIED 'REPORT CRIME' MESSAGE IS ALREADY BEING PUT OUT AS PART OF THE CAMPAIGN WHICH HAS RECENTLY BEEN LAUNCHED.+

MR. LI ADDED THAT IN HIS OPINION THE MAIN RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE LOW REPORTING LEVELS LAY WITH PUBLIC ATTITUDES WHICH STILL REFLECTED AN UNWILLINGNESS TO BOTHER ABOUT LESS SERIOUS OFFENCES.

+AS SHOWN IN TABLES 54 AND 55, THE MAIN REASONS GIVEN FOR FAILURES TO REPORT SUGGEST NOT A LACK OF CONFIDENCE IN THE POLICE OR A FEAR OF REPRISAL SO MUCH AS A RELUCTANCE TO GET INVOLVED AND A FEAR OF INCONVENIENCE.

+IT WOULD BE A PITY, I BELIEVE, IF WE ATTEMPTED TO SHIFT ON TO THE POLICE A RESPONSIBILITY WHICH RESTS WITH ALL OF US AS MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC.+

THE SURVEY WAS CONDUCTED AND THE REPORT PREPARED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE METHODOLOGY ESTABLISHED BY THE US BUREAU OF THE CENSUS. AMONG THE CITIES WHICH PREPARE CRIME VICTIMISATION FIGURES ON THE SAME BASIS ARE CHICAGO, DETROIT, LOS ANGELES, NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA.

THE MAIN ACCOMPLISHMENT OF THE SURVEY, THE REPORT INDICATES, HAS BEEN TO ESTABLISH A STATISTICAL BASELINE FOR MEASURING THE IMPACT OF IMPORTANT CATEGORIES OF CRIME IN HONG KONG AND FOR ASSESSING WHAT PROPORTIONS OF THESE CRIMES ARE REPORTED TO THE POLICE.

PRICED AT \$9, THE REPORT IS ON SALE IN BOTH CHINESE AND ENGLISH VERSIONS AT THE GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS CENTRE ON THE GROUND FLOOR OF THE GENERAL POST OFFICE BUILDING NEAR THE STAR FERRY IN CONNAUGHT PLACE. COPIES WILL ALSO SOON BE ON SALE AT LEADING BOOK STORES.

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GOVERNOR TO OPEN NEW TDC OFFICE
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THE GOVERNOR, SIR MURRAY MACLEHOSE, WILL OPEN THE NEW OFFICE OF THE HONG KONG TRADE DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL IN PANAMA CITY ON NOVEMBER 13. SIR MURRAY AND LADY MACLEHOSE WILL LEAVE HONG KONG ON NOVEMBER 10, SPEND ONE DAY IN MEXICO CITY AND ARRIVE IN PANAMA CITY ON NOVEMBER 12.

THE TDC OFFICE - THE 18TH TO BE OPENED OVERSEAS - IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PROMOTING TWO-WAY TRADE WITH THE CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICAN REGION.

SIR MURRAY AND LADY MACLEHOSE WILL FLY ON TO LONDON ON NOVEMBER 15 FOR ANNUAL LEAVE.

SIR MURRAY IS TO HAVE AN OPERATION ON HIS HIP WHILST IN THE UK AND WILL RETURN TO HONG KONG ABOUT THE END OF JANUARY.

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COUNTRYSIDE FIRE RISK HIGH
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VISITORS TO THE COUNTRYSIDE THIS YEAR ARE URGED TO BE EXTREMELY CAUTIOUS ABOUT ANY SOURCE OF FIRE OUTBREAKS, AND IN PARTICULAR, DURING THE CHUNG YEUNG FESTIVAL.

+THIS IS BECAUSE THE WINTER THIS YEAR IS PREDICTED TO BE VERY DRY, AND THE RISK OF FIRE OUTBREAKS IS HIGH,+ THE COUNTRY PARKS PROTECTION OFFICER, MR. CHONG SING-LAI SAID TODAY (FRIDAY).

MR. CHONG STRESSED THAT UNLESS THERE WAS FULL PUBLIC CO-OPERATION IN THE CONTROL OF FIRES, THE COUNTRYSIDE COULD BE RAZED SIMILAR TO THE 1976/77 DEVASTATION WHEN MORE THAN 1 100 000 TREES IN GOVERNMENT PLANTATIONS AND MANAGEMENT AREAS WERE DESTROYED.

DURING THE FIRST TWO WEEKS OF THIS MONTH, MORE THAN 37 000 TREES HAD BEEN DESTROYED BY FIRE IN COUNTRY PARKS AND PLANTATIONS, HE SAID. DURING THE SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR, ABOUT 17 000 TREES WERE DESTROYED.

+EXPERIENCE SHOWS THAT 60 PER CENT OF COUNTRYSIDE FIRES OCCUR DURING SUNDAYS AND PUBLIC HOLIDAYS, PARTICULARLY DURING THE CHUNG YEUNG AND CHING MING FESTIVALS AT GRAVEYARDS,+ MR. CHONG SAID.

HE SAID THAT ALTHOUGH CHUNG YEUNG FESTIVAL THIS YEAR FALLS ON OCTOBER 29, MANY PEOPLE VISIT THE GRAVEYARDS ONE WEEK BEFORE AND ONE WEEK AFTER THE FESTIVAL.

+DURING THESE TWO WEEKS, GRAVEYARD VISITORS MUST EXERCISE EXTREME CAUTION BY NOT LEAVING ANY JOSS STICKS OR PAPER BURNING UNATTENDED,+ MR. CHONG URGED.

+WHEN SOME IRRESPONSIBLE PEOPLE HAVE A COMPLETE DISREGARD FOR THE ENVIRONMENT IN WHICH THEY LIVE, THE COST OF DESTRUCTION AND THE MANPOWER EMPLOYED IN FIGHTING FIRES, THE LOSS OF WILDLIFE AND POSSIBLY HUMAN LIFE CAN NEVER BE MEASURED,+ HE SAID.

MR. CHONG DISCLOSED THAT MORE THAN 400 STAFF OF THE AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES DEPARTMENT WILL BE ON STAND-BY DURING THE CHUNG YEUNG FESTIVAL PERIOD TO TACKLE ANY COUNTRYSIDE FIRE.

MEANWHILE, A +CONTROLLED BURNING+ DEMONSTRATION WAS HELD TODAY AT THE COUNTRY PARKS MANAGEMENT CENTRE AT ROUTE TWISK TO EXPLAIN TO THE PUBLIC THROUGH THE MEDIA THE SERIOUSNESS OF COUNTRYSIDE FIRES.

DURING THE DEMONSTRATION, FIRE CREWS FROM THE AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES DEPARTMENT USED DIFFERENT TYPES OF APPARATUS TO COMBAT THE FIRE. HELICOPTERS FROM THE ROYAL AIR FORCE AND THE ROYAL HONG KONG AUXILIARY AIR FORCE ALSO TOOK PART IN THE DEMONSTRATION BY WATER BOMBING FROM THE AIR.

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TALKS WITH EEC AND US ON SUSPENDED TEXTILE ITEMS
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AN EEC DELEGATION WILL HOLD ROUTINE CONSULTATIONS IN HONG KONG ON MONDAY (OCTOBER 22) ON THREE TEXTILE ITEMS ON WHICH THE TRADE, INDUSTRY AND CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT HAS SUSPENDED EXPORT AUTHORISATIONS.

THEY ARE CATEGORY 82 (KNITTED UNDERGARMENTS OF WOOL OR REGENERATED FIBRES)- CATEGORY 68 (BABIES' KNITTED UNDERGARMENTS) AND CATEGORY 109 (SAILS).

THE CONSULTATIONS ARE EXPECTED TO LAST ABOUT TWO DAYS.

MEANWHILE DISCUSSIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES WILL TAKE PLACE LATER THIS MONTH IN GENEVA ON FIVE ITEMS ON WHICH EXPORT AUTHORISATIONS HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED.

THEY ARE CATEGORY 438 (WOOLLEN KNITTED SHIRTS AND BLOUSES)- CATEGORY 440 (WOOLLEN WOVEN SHIRTS AND BLOUSES)- CATEGORY 345 (COTTON SWEATERS)- CATEGORY 659 (MAN MADE FIBRE SWIMWEAR)- AND CATEGORY 342 (COTTON SKIRTS).

IT IS EXPECTED THAT THESE DISCUSSIONS ARE NOT GOING TO BE PROTRACTED.

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BALLOT TO DETERMINE ALLOCATION OF NINE TAXI LICENCES
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A BALLOT WILL BE HELD ON MONDAY (OCTOBER 22) IN THE HONG KONG LICENSING OFFICE OF THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT TO DETERMINE THE ALLOCATION OF NINE TAXI LICENCES.

A TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY (FRIDAY) THAT IN THE LATEST TENDER FOR 300 TAXI LICENCES, 291 LICENCES WILL BE ALLOCATED TO TENDERERS OFFERING PRICES OF \$230 800 AND ABOVE.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THERE WERE TWO TENDERS OFFERING AN IDENTICAL UNIT PREMIUM OF \$230 788 FOR A TOTAL OF 11 TAXI LICENCES.

HE SAID ONE TENDER WAS FOR ONE LICENCE AND THE OTHER WAS FOR 10 LICENCES.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT ONE BALLOT NUMBER WILL BE GIVEN FOR EACH TAXI LICENCE SOUGHT AND THE FIRST NINE OF THE 11 NUMBERS DRAWN WILL EACH BE ALLOCATED WITH ONE TAXI LICENCE.

RESULTS OF THE LATEST TAXI TENDER WILL BE PUBLISHED IN THE GOVERNMENT GAZETTE ON OCTOBER 26.

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NEW MAXICAB ROUTE TO BE INTRODUCED
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THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY (FRIDAY) THAT A NEW MAXICAB ROUTE NO. 6 BETWEEN WHAMPOA ESTATE AND TSIM SHA TSUI WILL BE INTRODUCED FROM MONDAY (OCTOBER 22).

THIS SERVICE, WHICH OPERATES ALMOST 95 PER CENT OF THE DISTANCE OF THE EXISTING ROUTE NO. 5 BETWEEN TAI WAN SHAN AND TSIM SHA TSUI, WILL COMPLEMENT THE PRESENT OPERATION IN THE AREA AS WELL AS PROVIDE A SERVICE FOR THE WHAMPOA ESTATE.

A PUBLIC LIGHT BUS TERMINAL POINT FOR THIS SERVICE IS LOCATED ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF TAK MAN STREET.

A TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THE DEPARTMENT RESERVED THE RIGHT TO INVITE APPLICATIONS BY A NOTICE IN THE GAZETTE FOR THE OPERATION OF THE FORMER ROUTE NO. 6 BETWEEN KOWLOON TONG (STAFFORD ROAD) AND HUNG HOM FERRY.

IN THE MEANTIME, THE TIMETABLE AND VEHICLE ALLOCATION OF ROUTE NO. 5 WILL BE REVISED FROM OCTOBER 22 WITH THE INTRODUCTION OF THE NEW ROUTE NO. 6.

THE REVISED SCHEDULE WILL OPERATE FROM 7.10 A.M. TO 10.30 P.M. WITH PEAK FREQUENCIES OF 12 MINUTES AND OFF-PEAK FREQUENCIES OF 20 MINUTES.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THE COMBINED OPERATION OF THE TWO ROUTES WOULD PROVIDE A BASIC SIX-MINUTE FREQUENCY OVER THE COMMON SECTION BETWEEN HUNG HOM RAILWAY STATION AND TSIM SHA TSUI VIA AUSTIN ROAD.

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NEW WATER PIPELINE SYSTEM IN SHA TIN
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THE WATER SUPPLIES DEPARTMENT TODAY (FRIDAY) INVITED TENDERS FOR THE LAYING OF A SYSTEM OF PIPELINES IN THE NORTHERN PART OF SHA TIN NEW TOWN.

A DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THE SYSTEM FORMED PART OF A SCHEME TO PROVIDE FRESH WATER SUPPLY TO THE AREA NORTH OF FO TAN.

THE WORK WILL INVOLVE THE LAYING OF ABOUT 1 200 METRES OF ASBESTOS CEMENT PIPES RANGING FROM 250 MM TO 450 MM IN DIAMETER.

WORK IS EXPECTED TO BEGIN AT THE END OF DECEMBER AND WILL TAKE ABOUT 12 MONTHS TO COMPLETE.

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CANCELLATION OF PARKING SPACES

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THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY (FRIDAY) THAT SIX PARKING SPACES IN MURRAY BARRACKS CAR PARK IN CENTRAL WILL BE CANCELLED FROM 8 A.M. ON MONDAY (OCTOBER 22) TO FACILITATE ACCESS TO THE PROPOSED TEMPORARY FIRE STATION AT GARDEN ROAD.

THE AFFECTED PARKING SPACES, NUMBERS 324 TO 329, ARE SITUATED TO THE EAST OF GARDEN ROAD AND TO THE SOUTH OF QUEENSWAY.

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FIRING PRACTICE

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FIRING PRACTICE WILL TAKE PLACE IN THE HA TSUEN-CASTLE PEAK RANGE ON FIVE DAYS NEXT MONTH (NOVEMBER).

THE PUBLIC ARE WARNED NOT TO ENTER THE AREA WHEN RED FLAGS ARE FLYING DURING THE TIME OF PRACTICE.

THE PRACTISING TIMES ARE :

DATE	TIME
NOVEMBER 5 (MONDAY)	8 A.M. - 5 P.M.
NOVEMBER 6 (TUESDAY)	8 A.M. - 5 P.M.
NOVEMBER 7 (WEDNESDAY)	8 A.M. - 5 P.M.
NOVEMBER 21 (WEDNESDAY)	8 A.M. - 5 P.M.
NOVEMBER 26 (MONDAY)	8 A.M. - 5 P.M.

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