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PIER SITE GRANTED BY PRIVATE TREATY
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THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY (WEDNESDAY) A PRIVATE TREATY GRANT OF A 2.4-HECTARE SITE AT CHEUNG SHA WAN WATERFRONT TO CHINA RESOURCES (HOLDINGS) COMPANY LIMITED (CRC) FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A PIER AND A GODOWN TO HANDLE THE INCREASING RIVER TRADE WITH CHINA.

A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THAT THE GRANT WAS IN LINE WITH THE GOVERNMENT'S POLICY TO IMPROVE BERTHING AND WAREHOUSE FACILITIES FOR VESSELS ENGAGED ON SUCH TRADE.

HE NOTED THAT IN NOVEMBER 1982, THE CHINA MERCHANTS STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY HAD OBTAINED A PRIVATE TREATY GRANT OF A 1.3-HECTARE SITE AT KENNEDY TOWN TO CONSTRUCT A CARGO HANDLING PIER AND GODOWN FACILITIES.

+RIVER TRADE WITH CHINA HAS GROWN SIGNIFICANTLY IN THE PAST FEW YEARS AND HAS NOW BECOME A VITAL PART OF HONG KONG'S ECONOMY,+ THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

+THE GROWTH AND NATURE OF THE TRADE IS SUCH THAT IT CANNOT BE HANDLED SATISFACTORILY THROUGH PUBLIC CARGO WORKING AREAS OR THROUGH THE CONTAINER PORT, SO IT IS NECESSARY TO PROVIDE SPECIAL CARGO HANDLING FACILITIES.+

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE NEW FACILITIES TO BE PROVIDED AT CHEUNG SHA WAN AND KENNEDY TOWN WOULD ENABLE CARGOES FROM CHINA TO BE HANDLED MORE EFFICIENTLY. THIS HANDLING PROCESS WOULD AVOID THE DELAYS IN HAVING THE GOODS LIGHTERED ASHORE AS AT PRESENT AND THUS REDUCE THE COSTS OF GOODS.

HE NOTED THAT AS A PRINCIPAL AGENT FOR CHINA TRADE WITH HONG KONG, CRC IMPORTS MOST OF ITS GOODS TO HONG KONG BY SEA. THE GRANT WOULD GIVE THE COMPANY GREATER FLEXIBILITY AND EFFICIENCY IN HANDLING CARGOES FOR THE LOCAL MARKET OR FOR TRANSHIPMENT.

THE SITE COMPRISES 1.6 HECTARES OF FORESHORE AND 0.8 HECTARE OF SEABED. THE PREMIUM IS ASSESSED ON FULL MARKET VALUE BASED ON THE DEVELOPMENTS PROPOSED BY CRC.

IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT THE COMPANY INTENDS TO INVEST ABOUT \$200 MILLION TO DEVELOP THE SITE AND CONSTRUCT A PIER. THE WHOLE DEVELOPMENT IS TO BE COMPLETED WITHIN FOUR YEARS FROM THE DATE OF THE EXECUTION OF THE CONDITIONS OF THE GRANT.

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NEW TRAFFIC PLAN FOR CAUSEWAY BAY

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NEW TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE IN FORCE IN CAUSEWAY BAY FROM 10 AM ON FRIDAY (MAY 24), AS PART OF THE PEDESTRIAN AND TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT SCHEME TO COINCIDE WITH THE OPENING OF THE MTR ISLAND LINE.

THE DETAILS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

ROAD OPENING AND TRAFFIC DIVERSIONS

- * EAST POINT ROAD WILL BE REOPENED FOR ONE-WAY THROUGH TRAFFIC TO GREAT GEORGE STREET.
- * A CONTINUOUS FOOTPATH WILL BE PROVIDED AT THE JUNCTION OF HENNESSY ROAD AND GREAT GEORGE STREET. VEHICLES WILL BE UNABLE TO ENTER GREAT GEORGE STREET STRAIGHT FROM HENNESSY ROAD EASTBOUND.
- * PATERSON STREET BETWEEN GREAT GEORGE STREET AND YEE WO STREET WILL BECOME ONE-WAY NORTHBOUND AND RESTRICTED TO FRANCHISED BUSES.
- * LEFT TURNS FROM GREAT GEORGE STREET INTO PATERSON STREET NORTHBOUND WILL BE BANNED.
- * LOCAL TRAFFIC FROM CAUSEWAY BAY WILL BE PERMITTED TO EXIT TOWARDS CENTRAL VIA GLOUCESTER ROAD FLYOVER.
- * VEHICLES ON HENNESSY ROAD EASTBOUND HEADING FOR GREAT GEORGE STREET WILL BE DIVERTED VIA LOCKHART ROAD AND EAST POINT ROAD.
- * VEHICLES ON HENNESSY ROAD EASTBOUND HEADING FOR PATERSON STREET WILL BE DIVERTED VIA YEE WO STREET, SUGAR STREET, GLOUCESTER ROAD AND KINGSTON STREET.
- * VEHICLES ON PATERSON STREET HEADING FOR NORTH POINT WILL BE DIVERTED VIA GREAT GEORGE STREET, GLOUCESTER ROAD AND CAUSEWAY ROAD.

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- * THE ENTIRE SUGAR STREET WILL BE MADE AN URBAN CLEARWAY FOR ALL PUBLIC LIGHT BUSES FROM 7 AM TO MIDNIGHT DAILY. NO PLB WILL BE ALLOWED TO STOP FOR PASSENGERS DURING THE RESTRICTED PERIOD.
- * ALSO IN SUGAR STREET, A 25-METRE SECTION OF THE NORTHERN KERBSIDE LANE NEAR YEE WO STREET, ALONG WITH MOST OF THE SOUTHERN KERBSIDE LANE EXCEPT THE EASTERN END, WILL BE MADE AN URBAN CLEARWAY FOR ALL VEHICLES FROM 7 AM TO 10 AM AND FROM 4 PM TO 7 PM DAILY. AT THE SAME TIME, A SHORT SECTION AT THE EASTERN END OF SUGAR STREET WILL BE MADE AN URBAN CLEARWAY FOR ALL VEHICLES FROM 7 AM TO MIDNIGHT DAILY. NO VEHICLES WILL BE ALLOWED TO STOP FOR PASSENGERS OR GOODS WITHIN THE ROAD SECTIONS DURING THE RESTRICTED PERIODS.
- * THE EXISTING URBAN CLEARWAY RESTRICTION AT GREAT GEORGE STREET OUTSIDE WINDSOR HOUSE WILL BE LIFTED.

PUBLIC TRANSPORT

- * EASTBOUND BUSES ON CMB ROUTES 5B, 24 AND CROSS-HARBOUR ROUTES 103 AND 170 WILL ENTER PATERSON STREET FROM YEE WO STREET.
- * ON ITS WESTBOUND JOURNEY, CMB ROUTE 5B WILL PROCEED VIA PATERSON STREET NORTHBOUND, GLOUCESTER ROAD, PERCIVAL STREET, LEIGHTON ROAD, MORRISON HILL ROAD AND TIN LOK LANE BEFORE ENTERING HENNESSY ROAD.
- * BUSES ON ROUTE 200 BOUND FOR KOWLOON WILL TRAVEL VIA HENNESSY ROAD, TONNOCHY ROAD, LOCKHART ROAD, EAST POINT ROAD AND GREAT GEORGE STREET INSTEAD OF TURNING LEFT FROM HENNESSY ROAD INTO GREAT GEORGE STREET. ON THEIR RETURN JOURNEY, THESE BUSES WILL PROCEED FROM GLOUCESTER ROAD STRAIGHT TO CONNAUGHT ROAD CENTRAL VIA HARCOURT ROAD.
- * THE EXISTING PUBLIC LIGHT BUS STAND IN SUGAR STREET WILL BE RELOCATED TO THE WESTERN CARRIAGEWAY OF GLOUCESTER ROAD UNDER THE TAI HANG ROAD FLYOVER.

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52 RECEIVE GOLD AWARD CERTIFICATES
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THE GOVERNOR, SIR EDWARD YOUDE, TODAY (WEDNESDAY) PRESENTED AWARD CERTIFICATES TO 52 WINNERS OF THIS YEAR'S DUKE OF EDINBURGH'S GOLD AWARD AT A CEREMONY AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

THE RECIPIENTS INCLUDED STUDENTS, TECHNICAL WORKERS, CLERKS, TEACHERS, POLICEMEN, A NURSE AND A SAILOR.

THEY CAME FROM 17 OPERATING AUTHORITIES, A RECORD FOR THE SCHEME, WHICH IS AN INTERNATIONAL YOUTH SERVICE FOUNDED AND SPONSORED BY THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH.

IT IS A LEISURE-TIME ACTIVITIES PROGRAMME OPEN TO YOUNG PEOPLE BETWEEN THE AGES OF 14 AND 25.

MORE THAN 37 000 YOUNG PEOPLE HAVE NOW TAKEN PART IN THE SCHEME SINCE IT WAS ESTABLISHED IN HONG KONG.

ALL THE RECIPIENTS HAD FULFILLED THE REQUIRED FORMS OF ACTIVITIES OF THE SCHEME, WHICH INCLUDED 'SERVICE', 'EXPEDITIONS', 'SKILLS', 'PHYSICAL RECREATION' AND 'RESIDENTIAL PROJECT'.

UNDER 'SERVICE' MORE THAN 40 PER CENT OF THE RECIPIENTS TOOK PART IN COMMUNITY SERVICES SUCH AS YOUTH SERVICE, HOSPITAL SERVICE AND HANDICAPPED SERVICE.

ALL RECIPIENTS TOOK PART IN EXPEDITIONS WHICH INCLUDED SUCH DIVERSIFIED TOPICS AS THE EXPLORATION ON THE EDUCATION IN LANTAU ISLAND, THE EXPLORATION ON THE LAMMA ISLAND DEVELOPMENT, VILLAGE CUSTOMS DURING THE LUNAR NEW YEAR, ARCHAEOLOGY AND OTHERS.

THE 52 WINNERS ALSO TOOK PART IN 29 DIFFERENT KINDS OF SKILLS, THE MOST POPULAR BEING MANDARIN COURSES AND PHOTOGRAPHY. OTHER INTERESTS INCLUDED MUSIC, GRAPHIC ARTS, CRAFTS, ASTRONOMY AS WELL AS ARTISTIC CYCLING AND COMPUTER.

FOR 'PHYSICAL RECREATION' MOST RECIPIENTS TOOK PART IN SWIMMING, CANOEING, TAEKWONDO, TABLE TENNIS AND CHINESE DANCING.

SIR EDWARD ALSO PRESENTED CERTIFICATES OF APPRECIATION TO TWO OTHERS WHO HAD MADE NOTABLE CONTRIBUTION TO THE SCHEME IN PAST YEARS.

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GOVERNOR LOOKS INTO GIS WORK

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THE GOVERNOR, SIR EDWARD YOUDE, SPENT OVER TWO HOURS THIS (WEDNESDAY) AFTERNOON LOOKING INTO THE WORK OF THE INFORMATION SERVICES DEPARTMENT AND MEETING WITH ITS STAFF.

FROM ABOUT 2.30 PM THE GOVERNOR TOURED VARIOUS DIVISIONS AND SUB-DIVISIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT LOCATED AT DIFFERENT FLOORS IN BEACONSFIELD HOUSE.

HE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY THE DIRECTOR OF INFORMATION SERVICES, MISS CHEUNG MAN-YEE, JUST BACK FROM A VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES, AND THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR, MRS IRENE YAU.

AFTER A GENERAL BRIEFING BY DIRECTORATE STAFF ON GIS ACTIVITIES, SIR EDWARD WENT FOR AN OVERVIEW OF THE WORK BEING CARRIED OUT BY THE DEPARTMENT'S THREE MAIN DIVISIONS OF NEWS, PUBLIC RELATIONS AND PUBLICITY.

THESE THREE DIVISIONS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DEPARTMENT'S WIDE RANGE OF SERVICES WHICH, IN THE BEACONSFIELD HOUSE HEADQUARTERS INCLUDE:

- * AN INQUIRY SECTION WHOSE ROUND-THE-CLOCK OPERATION DEALS WITH AN AVERAGE OF 600 CALLS A DAY,
- * AN EDITORIAL SECTION, WHICH PROCESSES ALL THE INFORMATION PUT OUT IN BOTH ENGLISH AND CHINESE BY THE GIS NEWS ROOM,
- * A MEDIA RESEARCH SUB-DIVISION, WHICH KEEPS THE GOVERNMENT INFORMED OF PUBLIC OPINION AS EXPRESSED IN THE INFORMATION MEDIA,
- * AN OVERSEAS PUBLIC RELATIONS SUB-DIVISION, PROVIDING A SERVICE TO BOTH VISITING JOURNALISTS AND HONG KONG-BASED FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS, AND
- * PROMOTIONS, PUBLISHING AND CREATIVE SUB-DIVISIONS, DEALING WITH GOVERNMENT CAMPAIGNS, A RANGE OF PUBLICATIONS, DESIGN AND DISPLAY SERVICES, AND FILM AND PHOTOGRAPHIC WORK.

SIR EDWARD ROUNDED OFF HIS VISIT WITH A 20-MINUTE MEETING OVER TEA WITH SOME OF THE GIS STAFF, AND CHATTED WITH THEM ABOUT THEIR WORK.

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NEW HOUSING PROJECT IN FINAL STAGE
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A NEW PUBLIC HOUSING ESTATE PROJECT FOR 35 000 PEOPLE IN YUEN LONG NEW TOWN IS ENTERING ITS FINAL STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT.

IN A NEWLY-APPROVED TENDER WORTH OVER \$18.3 MILLION, PILING TO FOUNDATIONS WILL BEGIN SOON FOR THE THIRD PHASE OF LONG PING ESTATE.

+THIS WILL PAVE THE WAY FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF TWO 22-STOREY SLAB BLOCKS, TWO SCHOOLS, A CARPARK AND ELEVATED WALKWAYS,+ SAID A SPOKESMAN FOR THE HOUSING AUTHORITY TODAY.

HE SAID THE TWO RESIDENTIAL BLOCKS WOULD HOUSE 6 000 PEOPLE IN 1 976 FLATS WHEN COMPLETED.

+DEVELOPED IN THREE PHASES, LONG PING ESTATE IS THE THIRD PUBLIC RENTAL HOUSING ESTATE IN YUEN LONG, WITH NINE DOMESTIC BLOCKS WELL UNDER CONSTRUCTION IN ITS FIRST TWO PHASES.

+ON FULL COMPLETION BY 1987, THE ESTATE WILL BECOME A SELF-SUFFICIENT ENTITY OF 35 000 PEOPLE WELL SERVED BY WIDE-RANGING COMMERCIAL AND COMMUNITY FACILITIES.+

THE PILING TENDER WAS APPROVED BY THE HOUSING AUTHORITY'S BUILDING COMMITTEE AT ITS LAST MEETING.

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SHORT-TERM TENANCIES OFFERED FOR NT SITES
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THE LANDS DEPARTMENT IS INVITING TENDERS FOR THE SHORT-TERM TENANCIES OF TWO SITES IN THE NEW TERRITORIES.

THE FIRST SITE, AT PING CHE ROAD IN FANLING AND MEASURING ABOUT 1 370 SQUARE METRES, IS FOR USE AS AN OPEN STORAGE AREA.

THE INITIAL TENANCY FOR THE SITE IS THREE YEARS, AND RENEWABLE QUARTERLY AFTERWARDS.

THE SECOND SITE, MEASURING ABOUT 2 090 SQUARE METRES, IS AT THE JUNCTION OF TAI WAI ROAD AND TSUEN NAM ROAD IN SHA TIN. IT IS FOR USE AS A FEE-PAYING PUBLIC CARPARK.

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TENANCY FOR THIS SHA TIN SITE IS FOR ONE YEAR AND RENEWABLE MONTHLY AFTERWARDS.

CLOSING DATE FOR THE ACCEPTANCE OF TENDERS FOR THE SHA TIN SITE IS NOON ON JUNE 7 WHILE THE DEADLINE FOR THE ACCEPTANCE OF TENDERS FOR THE FANLING SITE IS NOON ON JUNE 14.

TENDER FORMS, NOTICES AND CONDITIONS MAY BE OBTAINED FROM, AND PLANS AVAILABLE FOR INSPECTION AT:

- * LANDS DEPARTMENT, SURVEY DIVISION, MURRAY BUILDING, FIFTH FLOOR, GARDEN ROAD, HONG KONG;
- * DISTRICT LANDS OFFICE, KOWLOON, YAU MA TEI CAR PARK BUILDING, 10TH FLOOR, 250 SHANGHAI STREET, KOWLOON;
- * DISTRICT LANDS OFFICE, NORTH, JOCKEY CLUB ROAD, FANLING ROUNDABOUT, FANLING, NEW TERRITORIES, FOR THE FANLING SITE; AND
- * DISTRICT LANDS OFFICE, SHA TIN, 2 TUNG LO WAN HILL ROAD, SHA TIN, NEW TERRITORIES, FOR THE SHA TIN SITE.

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DB MEMBERS TO MEET THE PUBLIC

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WONG TAI SIN DISTRICT BOARD MEMBERS WILL LAUNCH THEIR WEEKLY +MEET THE PUBLIC+ SESSIONS TOMORROW (THURSDAY) TO HELP LOCAL RESIDENTS WITH THEIR ENQUIRIES AND PROBLEMS.

THEY WILL BE AVAILABLE EVERY THURSDAY BETWEEN 7.30 PM AND 9.30 PM AT THE DISTRICT OFFICE TO MEET RESIDENTS WHO WISH TO SEEK ASSISTANCE OR MAKE SUGGESTIONS ON DISTRICT MATTERS.

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WISHING TO MAKE APPOINTMENTS WITH BOARD MEMBERS CAN TELEPHONE 3-22261 DURING OFFICE HOURS.

TWO BOARD MEMBERS WILL BE ON DUTY AT EACH SESSION AT THE DISTRICT OFFICE, WHICH IS IN THE SAN PO KONG GOVERNMENT OFFICES BUILDING, KING FUK STREET.

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MAIL TO SWEDEN RESUMES

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AIRMAIL, AIR PARCEL AND SPEEDPOST SERVICES TO SWEDEN, WHICH HAD BEEN SUSPENDED SINCE MAY 4, RESUMED TODAY (WEDNESDAY), A POST OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID.

THE SUSPENSION HAD BEEN DUE TO A STRIKE AFFECTING AIRMAIL OPERATIONS IN SWEDEN.

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THREE STUDENTS WIN TRIP TO SINGAPORE

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THREE SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDENTS WERE TODAY (WEDNESDAY) AWARDED PRIZES INCLUDING A TRIP TO SINGAPORE FOR THEIR EXCELLENT ACHIEVEMENT IN THE COMPUTER ASSISTED LEARNING SOFTWARE CONTEST.

THEY ARE WONG CHI-MAN OF HO FUNG COLLEGE, CHOW TAK-SHING OF DIOCESAN BOYS' SCHOOL AND CHEUNG HOK-LEUNG OF THE NEW TERRITORIES HEUNG YEE KUK YUEN LONG DISTRICT SECONDARY SCHOOL.

THE CONTEST WAS JOINTLY ORGANISED BY THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT AND THE HONG KONG ASSOCIATION FOR SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS EDUCATION UNDER THE SPONSORSHIP OF THE SHELL COMPANY OF HONG KONG LIMITED.

SPEAKING AT TODAY'S PRESENTATION, THE ACTING ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION (CHIEF INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS), DR KONG YUN-FUN, SAID THE THREE STUDENTS WOULD BE LEAVING FOR THE SINGAPORE YOUTH SCIENCE FORTNIGHT BEING HELD TOWARDS THE END OF THE MONTH.

THE FORTNIGHT IS AIMED AT STIMULATING THE IMAGINATION OF STUDENTS AND DEVELOPING THEIR CREATIVITY BY PROVIDING THEM WITH OPPORTUNITIES TO LEARN AND APPRECIATE THAT SCIENCE IS A VITALLY IMPORTANT FIELD OF STUDY.

+I AM SURE THAT THE WINNERS WILL FIND THE TRIP BOTH EDUCATIONAL AND ENJOYABLE,+ SAID DR KONG.

THE OBJECTIVES OF THE CONTEST WERE TO PROMOTE COMPUTER PROGRAMMING IN SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS EDUCATION, TO FOSTER THE ENJOYMENT OF LEARNING SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS THROUGH THE USE OF COMPUTERS AND TO ENHANCE UNDERSTANDING OF THE CAPABILITIES AND LIMITATIONS OF COMPUTER APPLICATION, DR KONG SAID.

/TWENTY-EIGHT STUDENTS,

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TWENTY-EIGHT STUDENTS, AGED 15 TO 20, FROM 18 SCHOOLS PARTICIPATED IN THE CONTEST AND THEIR ENTRIES WERE IN THE FORM OF GAMES, SIMULATIONS AND SELF-INSTRUCTIONAL PACKAGES.

+WINNING ENTRIES WERE ALL CLEVERLY DESIGNED AND WELL DOCUMENTED AND I THINK THAT ALL WHO HAVE THE PLEASURE OF SCRUTINISING THEM HAVE BEEN MUCH IMPRESSED BY THEIR LEVEL OF SOPHISTICATION AND CREATIVITY,+ DR KONG SAID.

HE ALSO THANKED THE SHELL COMPANY OF HONG KONG LIMITED FOR THEIR CONTRIBUTION OF THE VARIOUS PRIZES.

ALSO OFFICIATING AT THE PRESENTATION WAS THE PERSONNEL AND PUBLIC RELATIONS MANAGER OF THE SHELL COMPANY, MR PETER NG.

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LANDS AND WORKS PRIZE PRESENTATION
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THE SECRETARY FOR LANDS AND WORKS, MR NICKY CHAN, HAS PRESENTED PRIZES TO WINNERS OF VARIOUS SPORTS EVENTS HELD EARLIER THIS YEAR BY THE LANDS AND WORKS GROUP OF DEPARTMENTS.

SPEAKING AT THE PRESENTATION CEREMONY HELD AT THE MARINERS' CLUB, MR CHAN PRAISED STAFF FOR THEIR ENTHUSIASTIC SUPPORT AND PARTICIPATION IN ALL THE SPORTING ACTIVITIES.

+LOOKING BACK ON OUR SPORTS CALENDAR, WE HAVE BEEN VERY ACTIVE IN THE PAST MONTHS. OUR SPORTS TEAMS HAVE PARTICIPATED IN VARIOUS COMPETITIONS HELD BY OTHER GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND NON-GOVERNMENT ORGANISATIONS,+ HE SAID.

THE ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT WON BOTH THE WRIGHT CUP AND L.W.G. SPORTS COMMITTEE CUP BY SCORING THE MOST POINTS IN THE MEN'S AND LADIES' TEAM EVENTS.

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SOUTHERN DB MEMBERS VISIT WELFARE CENTRES
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MEMBERS OF THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT BOARD VISITED THREE SOCIAL WELFARE INSTITUTIONS THIS (WEDNESDAY) AFTERNOON TO LEARN ABOUT SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE GOVERNMENT AND VOLUNTARY AGENCIES.

THE VISIT TO THE ABERDEEN REHABILITATION CENTRE, KAI CHI CHILDREN'S CENTRE AND NEW LIFE PSYCHIATRIC REHABILITATION ASSOCIATION'S WORKSHOP IS PART OF A FAMILIARISATION PROGRAMME ORGANISED BY THE DISTRICT OFFICE.

MEMBERS OF THE NEW DISTRICT BOARD WERE ALSO BRIEFED ON THE ORGANISATION AND OPERATION OF THE INSTITUTIONS.

THE ABERDEEN REHABILITATION CENTRE IS A MULTI-SERVICE GOVERNMENT CENTRE PROVIDING VOCATIONAL TRAINING, WORK ACTIVITY GROUPS AND SHELTERED WORKSHOP FOR DISABLE PEOPLE AGED OVER 16.

THE KAI CHI CHILDREN'S CENTRE PROVIDES RESIDENTIAL CARE AND TRAINING FOR MODERATE GRADE MENTALLY-RETARDED CHILDREN AGED BETWEEN SIX AND 16.

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BUTE STREET DIVERSION
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TEMPORARY TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS IMPLEMENTED IN BUTE STREET TO FACILITATE CONSTRUCTION WORK WILL CONTINUE UNTIL THE END OF JUNE.

THESE ARE:

- * THE SECTION OF BUTE STREET BETWEEN HOUSE NOS. 46 AND 50 HAS BEEN CLOSED;
- * THE SECTION OF BUTE STREET BETWEEN PORTLAND STREET AND SHANGHAI STREET HAS BEEN RE-ROUTED ONE-WAY WESTBOUND;
- * MOTORISTS ON BUTE STREET HEADING TOWARDS LAI CHI KOK ROAD AND NATHAN ROAD NORTHBOUND ARE ADVISED TO DIVERT VIA SHANGHAI STREET SOUTHBOUND, MONG KOK ROAD, SAI YEUNG CHOI STREET, ARGYLE STREET AND NATHAN ROAD.

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URBAN COUNCIL APPROVES LIQUOR LICENCE TO CLUB

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THE URBAN COUNCIL'S LIQUOR LICENSING BOARD APPROVED AT ITS MONTHLY MEETING TODAY THE GRANTING OF A LIQUOR LICENCE TO THE JOYFUL CLUB (KOWLOON) LIMITED AT SAI YEUNG CHOI STREET IN MONG KOK. THE LICENCE IS VALID FOR ONE YEAR.

THE MEETING WAS PRESIDED OVER BY THE BOARD'S CHAIRMAN, MR PETER C.K. CHAN, AND ATTENDED BY MR KWAN LIM-HO, MISS CECILIA YEUNG, MR SAMUEL WONG, MRS MARGARET LI AND MR FAN KAM-PING.

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TRAFFIC CHANGES IN YUEN LONG

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FROM 10 AM TOMORROW (THURSDAY), THE SECTION OF YAU SAN STREET BETWEEN KIN YIP STREET AND HOP YICK ROAD IN YUEN LONG WILL BE RE-ROUTED ONE-WAY SOUTHBOUND, AND KIN YIP STREET WILL BE RE-ROUTED ONE-WAY SOUTHBOUND AND THEN WESTBOUND.

LEFT-TURN MOVEMENT FROM HOP YICK ROAD EASTBOUND INTO YAU SAN STREET, AND RIGHT-TURN MOVEMENT FROM HOP YICK ROAD WESTBOUND INTO YAU SAN STREET WILL BE BANNED.

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PROHIBITED ZONE CANCELLED

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FROM 10 AM ON SATURDAY (MAY 25), THE PROHIBITED ZONE AT THE OUTER BAY OF THE LOADING AND UNLOADING LAYBY ON MODY ROAD, BETWEEN HOUSE NOS. 68 AND 70, WILL BE CANCELLED.

MEANWHILE, PO HEUNG STREET BETWEEN KWONG FUK ROAD AND PO YICK STREET WILL BE CLOSED FOR RESURFACING ON FRIDAY AND SATURDAY (MAY 24-25) BETWEEN 7 PM AND MIDNIGHT.

DURING THE CLOSURE, NORTHBOUND MOTORISTS MAY USE PO HEUNG STREET, NAM SHING STREET, ON FU ROAD, PO YICK STREET AND PO HEUNG BRIDGE. AND SOUTHBOUND MOTORISTS MAY USE PO HEUNG BRIDGE AND PLOVER COVE ROAD TO REJOIN KWONG FUK ROAD.

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