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JOIN HANDS TO SECURE HK : GOVERNOR
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IT IS IMPORTANT THAT ALL OF US IN BRITAIN, IN CHINA AND IN HONG KONG, JOIN HANDS TO SECURE THE BEST POSSIBLE FUTURE FOR HONG KONG, THE GOVERNOR, THE RT HON CHRISTOPHER PATTEN, SAID TODAY (TUESDAY).

SPEAKING TO REPORTERS AT THE AIRPORT BEFORE LEAVING FOR AN OFFICIAL VISIT TO PEKING, MR PATTEN SAID: "THE MOST IMPORTANT TO WORK FOR IS THE BEGINNING OF A GOOD RELATIONSHIP WITH THOSE WHO'LL BE SHARING THE JOB OF TRYING TO SECURE AS SMOOTH A TRANSITION AS POSSIBLE."

"A NUMBER OF OFFICIALS WILL BE WORKING WITH ME ON THESE MATTERS AND I WANT TO GET TO KNOW THEM AS WELL AS POSSIBLE.

"A GREAT DEAL WILL DEPEND ON OUR RELATIONSHIP AND I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO THE FIRST OF WHAT I IMAGINE WILL BE MANY MEETINGS WITH SENIOR CHINESE OFFICIALS.

"WE WILL HAVE, OVER THE NEXT FIVE YEARS, SOME DIFFICULT AND IMPORTANT PROBLEMS TO SOLVE. I'M SURE THE BEST WAY OF TACKLING THOSE PROBLEMS IS IN A CALM AND QUIET, AND SERIOUS AND DIGNIFIED WAY.

"I'M SURE THAT IS THE BEST WAY OF SECURING WHAT IS OUR JOINT OBJECTIVE; THAT IS THE WELL-BEING, THE PROSPERITY, THE STABILITY AND THE WAY OF LIFE OF HONG KONG. IT'S A LONG JOURNEY FROM HERE TO 1997, BUT I REGARD THIS AS A VERY IMPORTANT FIRST STEP AND IT'S ONE TO WHICH I'M LOOKING FORWARD," HE SAID.

COMMENTING ON THE AIRPORT, MR PATTEN SAID: "I DON'T TAKE ANY NEW PROPOSALS WITH ME. BUT WE HAVE MADE PROPOSALS FROM TIME TO TIME WHICH WE HAVE BELIEVED MET THE POINTS THAT WERE BEING PUT TO US BY CHINESE OFFICIALS. I VERY MUCH HOPE THAT IN DUE COURSE WE CAN MAKE PROGRESS, BUT I'LL BE INTERESTED IN WHETHER CHINESE OFFICIALS HAVE NEW PROPOSALS TO MAKE."

ON POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT, HE SAID: "I PUT FORWARD PROPOSALS, AS I'M BOUND TO DO, FOR THE 1995 ELECTIONS. IF ANYONE ELSE HAS PROPOSALS TO PUT FORWARD I'LL BE VERY INTERESTED IN CONSIDERING THEM AND I'M SURE THAT THE PEOPLE OF HONG KONG WOULD BE INTERESTED IN THEM AS WELL.

THE GOVERNOR SAID HE WOULD BE DISCUSSING HIS VISIT TO CHINA WITH THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL AND ALSO BRIEF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

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ANOTHER AIRPORT CORE PROGRAMME CONTRACT AWARDED

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THE GOVERNMENT HAS AWARDED A \$28.3 MILLION CONTRACT TO A HONG KONG COMPANY, KIN SHING CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, TO UNDERTAKE WORKS FOR THE EXTENSION AND WIDENING OF TUNG CHAU STREET IN SHAM SHUI PO.

THE CONTRACT IS PART OF THE WEST KOWLOON RECLAMATION PROJECT UNDER THE AIRPORT CORE PROGRAMME (ACP).

THE AWARD WAS APPROVED BY THE CENTRAL TENDER BOARD LAST FRIDAY (OCTOBER 16), BRINGING THE TOTAL NUMBER OF GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS AWARDED ON THE ACP TO 18, WITH A TOTAL VALUE OF OVER \$19 BILLION.

ALL THESE 18 CONTRACTS WERE AWARDED WITHIN THE PROJECT ESTIMATES, SAID A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN TODAY (TUESDAY).

"THAT IS A TREMENDOUS RECORD, AND IT IS TYPICAL OF WHAT WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO DO IN HONG KONG, FOR BUILDING INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS IN TIME AND WITHIN BUDGET," HE SAID.

THE TUNG CHAU STREET EXTENSION WORKS MAINLY INCLUDES THE EXTENSION OF THE EXISTING TUNG CHAU STREET FROM ITS JUNCTION WITH TONKIN STREET TO LAI CHI KOK ROAD, AND TO WIDEN THIS SECTION OF THE STREET TO A TWO-LANE DUAL CARRIAGEWAY.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE EXTENDED AND IMPROVED TUNG CHAU STREET WOULD PROVIDE ACCESS TO THE NEW CHEUNG SHA WAN WHOLESALE MARKET ON NEWLY RECLAIMED LAND ON THE WEST KOWLOON COAST, AND BE OPENED BY THE LATER PART OF NEXT YEAR.

"WORKS WILL START BEFORE THE END OF THIS MONTH AND BE COMPLETED BY THE LATER PART OF 1993," HE SAID.

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GOVT TO SPEND \$78BN ON NON-ACP WORKS PROJECTS

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THE GOVERNMENT PLANS TO SPEND OVER THE NEXT FIVE YEARS \$78 BILLION ON NON-ACP PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS AS PART OF ITS FIRM COMMITMENT TO INVEST VIGOROUSLY IN HONG KONG'S ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL INFRASTRUCTURE.

AMPLIFYING FURTHER ON THE GOVERNMENT SPENDING IN THE PUBLIC WORKS PROGRAMMES OUTLINED IN THE GOVERNOR'S POLICY ADDRESS TO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, THE SECRETARY FOR WORKS, MR JAMES BLAKE, SAID TODAY (TUESDAY) THE EXPENDITURE FOR 1992/93 - 1996/97 REPRESENTED A 44% GROWTH IN REAL TERMS OVER THE SPENDING ON PUBLIC WORKS PROGRAMME IN THE PAST FIVE YEARS.

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HE SAID: "OF THE \$78 BILLION, \$12.5 BILLION WILL BE SPENT ON PORT WORKS, \$13 BILLION ON WORKS ON LAND FORMATION AND FLOOD CONTROL, \$13 BILLION ON ENVIRONMENTAL WORKS, \$9 BILLION ON HEALTH AND WELFARE, \$8 BILLION ON TRANSPORT, \$8 BILLION ON EDUCATION AND \$14.5 BILLION ON OTHER WORKS.

"DURING THE SAME FIVE-YEARS PERIOD, THE HOUSING AUTHORITY IS EXPECTED TO SPEND \$41 BILLION, THE URBAN COUNCIL \$4 BILLION AND THE REGIONAL COUNCIL \$4 BILLION ON OTHER CAPITAL WORKS PROJECTS.

"THIS WILL BRING THE TOTAL CAPITAL WORKS SPENDING IN THE PUBLIC SECTOR TO \$127 BILLION, EXCLUDING THE GOVERNMENT'S CONTRIBUTION TO THE ACP PROGRAMME," HE SAID.

MR BLAKE SAID OVER 2,100 ITEMS, EACH IN EXCESS OF \$10 MILLION, HAD BEEN INCLUDED IN THE PUBLIC WORKS PROGRAMME.

"WORK STARTED LAST AUGUST TO RECLAIM 19 HECTARES OF LAND AT ALDRICH BAY IN SHAU KEI WAN FOR RESIDENTIAL AND COMMUNITY USES.

"A NEW STAGE OF ENGINEERING WORKS WILL COMMENCE IN TSEUNG KWAN O IN DECEMBER THIS YEAR. ON FULL COMPLETION, IT WILL YIELD 69 HECTARES OF LAND FOR PUBLIC HOUSING AND COMMUNITY FACILITIES.

"WE WILL ALSO START RECLAIMING BELCHER BAY IN KENNEDY TOWN IN JANUARY 1993. THE INITIAL PHASE OF THE RECLAMATION WILL PRODUCE ABOUT 10 HECTARES OF LAND FOR THE WESTERN HARBOUR CROSSING," MR BLAKE SAID.

OTHER MAJOR PROJECTS DUE TO BEGIN BEFORE THE END OF 1993 INCLUDE A \$1.1 BILLION SCHEME TO WIDEN AND REALIGN RIVER CHANNELS IN NORTHWEST NEW TERRITORIES TO PREVENT FLOODING TO LOW-LYING AREAS, A \$1.8 BILLION PROJECT TO DEVELOP A LARGE WASTE DISPOSAL LANDFILL IN NORTHEAST NT WHICH HAS AN OPERATING LIFE OF 18 YEARS AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF FIVE MORE AIRCRAFT PARKING BAYS AT KAI TAK AIRPORT, A SPECIAL SCHOOL FOR MILDLY MENTALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN AT TIN SHUI WAI AND A DUPLICATE TSING YI SOUTH BRIDGE.

MR BLAKE ALSO SAID GOOD PROGRESS HAD BEEN MADE IN A SERIES OF MANAGEMENT REVIEWS OF THE DEPARTMENTS UNDER THE WORKS BRANCH.

HE SAID: "REVIEWS OF THE ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT (ASD) AND TERRITORY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT (TDD) ARE EXPECTED TO COMPLETE THIS YEAR.

"THE ASD REVIEW HAS CONCLUDED THAT THE DEPARTMENT IS MORE PRODUCTIVE THAN BEFORE AND SEVERAL OPTIONS ON HOW TO MAKE FURTHER IMPROVEMENTS ARE BEING EXAMINED.

"THE TDD REVIEW HAS PRODUCED PROPOSALS TO STREAMLINE THE DEPARTMENT, AND EXPENDITURE SAVING HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED.

ON ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT (EMSD), MR BLAKE SAID THE SCHEME INTRODUCED LAST APRIL TO CHARGE OTHER GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS FOR THE USE OF ITS VEHICLE WORKSHOPS WAS VERY SUCCESSFUL.

"IT IS ENCOURAGING TO SEE THAT THE SCHEME IN ITS FIRST FIVE MONTHS OF OPERATION RESULTED IN A \$4.7 MILLION SAVING IN VEHICLE MAINTENANCE EXPENDITURE BY CLIENT DEPARTMENTS.

"IT IS PLANNED TO EXTEND THE CHARGING POLICY INTO OTHER AREAS, WITH FURTHER EMSD FUNCTIONS PROGRAMMED FOR A MORE COMMERCIAL APPROACH AS FROM NEXT APRIL," MR BLAKE SAID.

MR BLAKE ALSO DISCLOSED THAT MANAGEMENT REVIEWS FOR WATER SUPPLIES DEPARTMENT AND CIVIL ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT WILL START IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

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A BOOMING HK WILL CONTINUE BEYOND 1997

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WITH LESS THAN FIVE YEARS REMAINING UNTIL ITS REVERSION TO CHINA, HONG KONG IS THRIVING ON A BOOMING ECONOMY AND FIRM GUARANTEES THAT THE KEYS TO ITS SUCCESS WILL CONTINUE UNDER CHINESE SOVEREIGNTY, THE ACTING CHIEF SECRETARY, MR BARRIE WIGGHAM, SAID IN OTTAWA TODAY (MONDAY).

SPEAKING AT A BUSINESS SEMINAR LUNCHEON IN THE CANADIAN CAPITAL, MR WIGGHAM SAID THE FULL EXTENT OF THE AUTONOMY WHICH HONG KONG WOULD ENJOY AFTER 1997 WAS NOT ALWAYS FULLY APPRECIATED.

THE JOINT DECLARATION IS "AN EXTRAORDINARY AGREEMENT, BOTH IN ITS BREADTH OF VISION AND IN ITS DETAIL," MR WIGGHAM TOLD AN AUDIENCE OF BUSINESSMEN AND GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.

"BY PROVIDING HONG KONG WITH COMPREHENSIVE GUARANTEES THAT THE FEATURES WHICH HAVE LED TO ITS SUCCESS WILL CONTINUE UNCHANGED UNDER CHINESE SOVEREIGNTY, IT WILL BRING INTO REALITY DENG XIAOPING'S CONCEPT OF 'ONE COUNTRY, TWO SYSTEM.'" HE SAID.

FURTHERMORE, THESE AND OTHER GUARANTEES HAD ALSO BEEN REFLECTED IN THE BASIC LAW.

HONG KONG IN ITS PRESENT FORM WAS FAR TOO IMPORTANT TO CHINA AND TO CHINA'S CONTINUING DRIVE TOWARDS MODERNISATION TO RISK ANY CHANGE WHICH COULD HAVE A DAMAGING EFFECT.

CONCEDING THAT "IT WAS ALWAYS INEVITABLE THAT THERE WOULD BE SOME DISAGREEMENTS" BETWEEN BRITAIN AND CHINA OVER WHAT WAS BEST FOR HONG KONG DURING THE TRANSITION PERIOD, HE CAUTIONED OBSERVERS AGAINST OVER-EMPHASISING THESE DIFFERENCES.

"TO FOCUS ON AREAS WHERE WE HAVE NOT YET REACHED AGREEMENT WITH THE CHINESE IS TO OVERLOOK THE FACT THAT WE HAVE HAD A CLOSE AND FRUITFUL WORKING RELATIONSHIP WITH THE CHINESE ON IMPLEMENTING THE JOINT DECLARATION FOR SEVEN YEARS, DURING WHICH TIME MANY SIGNIFICANT AGREEMENTS HAVE BEEN REACHED.

"OF COURSE, THERE HAVE BEEN STRAINS, BUT WE DO SEEM IN THE END TO BE ABLE TO REACH AGREEMENT ON EVEN THE MOST DIFFICULT SUBJECTS," HE SAID.

MR WIGGHAM ALSO HIGHLIGHTED THE ENORMOUS GROWTH IN ECONOMIC RELATIONS BETWEEN HONG KONG AND CHINA, AND THE GROWING INTERDEPENDENCE OF THE ECONOMIES OF HONG KONG AND SOUTHERN CHINA.

"THOSE OF US WORKING IN THE GOVERNMENT DO NOT SEE 1997 AS A HORIZON, AND WE ARE PLANNING SO THAT HONG KONG'S SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WILL CONTINUE WELL BEYOND THAT DATE," HE SAID.

AFTER THE LUNCHEON, MR WIGGHAM CALLED ON THE BRITISH HIGH COMMISSIONER IN OTTAWA, SIR NICHOLAS BAYNE, AND IN THE EVENING ATENDED A PERFORMANCE OF "HONG KONG HEARTBEAT" BY STUDENTS OF THE HONG KONG ACADEMY FOR PERFORMING ARTS, AT THE NATIONAL ARTS OPERA CENTRE.

IN A SPEECH TO GUESTS AT A RECEPTION AFTER THE PERFORMANCE, MR WIGGHAM WARMLY APPLAUDED THE ACADEMY'S YOUNG CULTURAL AMBASSADORS FOR DELIGHTING THE AUDIENCE WITH THEIR TALENTS AND PROFESSIONALISM.

HE RECALLED THAT, AS A FORMER SECRETARY FOR RECREATION AND CULTURE, HE HAD BEEN CLOSELY INVOLVED IN FOUNDING THE ACADEMY FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS.

"AFTER WATCHING THE PERFORMANCE TONIGHT, I MUST SAY I AM VERY PROUD OF THESE YOUNG ARTISTS, AND THE ACADEMY'S TEACHING STAFF, FOR THE HIGH STANDARDS THEY HAVE ACHIEVED," HE SAID. "I'M PROUD TO HAVE PLAYED A PART IN IT."

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TWO-DAY LEGCO DEBATE ON GOVERNOR'S POLICY ADDRESS

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FIFTY-ONE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ARE TO SPEAK IN THE DEBATE ON A MOTION OF THANKS FOR THE GOVERNOR'S POLICY ADDRESS AT A TWO-DAY MEETING FROM TOMORROW (WEDNESDAY).

THE CHIEF SECRETARY WILL MOVE A MOTION ON THE SUSPENSION OF THE COUNCIL'S STANDING ORDERS TO ENABLE THE GOVERNOR TO BRIEF MEMBERS ABOUT HIS CURRENT VISIT TO CHINA AT A SITTING OF THE COUNCIL ON SATURDAY (OCTOBER 24).

THE MOTION WILL ALSO ENABLE THE GOVERNOR TO INVITE AND ANSWER QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS ON MATTERS ARISING FROM THE VISIT.

AT TOMORROW'S MEETING, MEMBERS WILL ASK A TOTAL OF 20 QUESTIONS WHICH WILL BE ANSWERED BY OFFICIALS IN WRITING.

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE WELCOME TO OBSERVE THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING FROM THE PUBLIC GALLERY.

THEY MAY RESERVE SEATS BY CALLING 869 9492.

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PUBLIC TO BE CONSULTED ON SCIENTIFICALLY ASSISTED
HUMAN REPRODUCTION

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THE FINAL REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON SCIENTIFICALLY ASSISTED HUMAN REPRODUCTION (SAHR), TOGETHER WITH A CONSULTATION PAPER, WILL BE PUBLISHED FOR PUBLIC CONSULTATION LATER THIS YEAR.

THE REPORT CONCLUDES THE WORK OF THE COMMITTEE WHICH WAS APPOINTED BY THE SECRETARY FOR HEALTH AND WELFARE TO CONSIDER THE SOCIAL, MORAL, ETHICAL AND LEGAL ISSUES ARISING FROM THE LOCAL DEVELOPMENTS IN SCIENTIFICALLY ASSISTED HUMAN REPRODUCTION, AND TO ADVISE THE GOVERNMENT ON HOW TO ADDRESS THE ISSUES.

IN ITS FINAL REPORT SUBMITTED TO THE GOVERNMENT EARLIER, THE COMMITTEE PRESENTED, IN LAYMAN LANGUAGE, VIEWS FROM DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVES AND 22 RECOMMENDATIONS.

"THE GOVERNMENT CONSIDERS THAT PUBLIC VIEWS MUST BE ASSESSED BEFORE TAKING THE RECOMMENDATIONS ANY FURTHER," A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY (TUESDAY).

"IN THE LIGHT OF PUBLIC VIEWS EXPRESSED DURING THE CONSULTATION PERIOD, WE WILL FORMULATE POLICY PROPOSALS FOR THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL'S CONSIDERATION," HE ADDED.

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SAI KUNG NATURE EDUCATION CENTRE TO GET NEW CAFETERIA

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A CAFETERIA WILL SOON BE ADDED TO THE LIONS NATURE EDUCATION CENTRE IN TSIU HANG, SAI KUNG TO PROVIDE VISITORS WITH A COMFORTABLE RESTING PLACE AND LIGHT REFRESHMENT.

CONSTRUCTION WORKS STARTED AFTER THE DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES, DR LAWRENCE LEE, PERFORMED A GROUND-BREAKING CEREMONY FOR THE PROJECT THIS (TUESDAY) MORNING.

SPEAKING DURING THE CEREMONY, DR LEE SAID THE CAFETERIA, TO BE CONVERTED FROM THE OLD BARRACKS AND STORES IN THE CENTRE, WOULD BE BUILT WITH FUNDS DONATED BY THE LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL.

WHILE EXPRESSING GRATITUDE TO THE CLUBS FOR THEIR CONTRIBUTION, HE COMMENDED THE ASSOCIATION FOR CO-OPERATING CLOSELY WITH THE DEPARTMENT IN PROMOTING NATURE CONSERVATION AND EDUCATION IN RECENT YEARS.

"IN ADDITION TO SUPPORTING OUR ANNUAL TREE PLANTING ACTIVITIES IN THE PAST FEW YEARS, THE LIONS DONATED TO THE GOVERNMENT THE EXHIBITION HALLS OF THE LIONS NATURE EDUCATION CENTRE LAST YEAR," HE SAID.

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THE NEW CAFETERIA WILL BE LET AT A NOMINAL FEE TO THE HONG KONG SOCIETY FOR THE DEAF FOR MANAGEMENT.

"HOPEFULLY, THIS WOULD HELP FURTHER INTEGRATE THE LESS FORTUNATE MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC INTO THE COMMUNITY," DR LEE SAID.

THE CAFETERIA, WHICH IS EXPECTED TO COST ABOUT \$2 MILLION, WILL TAKE SIX MONTHS TO COMPLETE.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES DEPARTMENT SAID THE CAFETERIA WAS MUCH NEEDED BY VISITORS TO THE CENTRE, ESPECIALLY DURING SUNDAYS AND PUBLIC HOLIDAYS.

SINCE ITS OPENING IN JUNE LAST YEAR, MORE THAN 424,000 PEOPLE HAVE VISITED THE CENTRE.

THE SPOKESMAN NOTED THAT THE CENTRE HAD BECOME A POPULAR PLACE FOR PROMOTING NATURE EDUCATION, FIELD STUDIES AND PROVIDING LIVE EXHIBITS FOR SCHOOLS, ORGANISATIONS AND THE PUBLIC.

"THE CENTRE'S LIVING SPECIMENS AND STATIC DISPLAYS WILL ALSO HELP VISITORS UNDERSTAND AND APPRECIATE HONG KONG'S WILDLIFE, VEGETATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE EVOLUTION OF THE PRIMARY INDUSTRIES IN THE TERRITORY.

"IT IS HOPED THAT VISITORS WILL BE PROMPTED TO SHOW A MORE POSITIVE ATTITUDE TOWARDS ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION," HE ADDED.

ALSO OFFICIATING AT THE CEREMONY WERE THE LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL'S PRESIDENT, MR ROHIT MEHTA AND THE DISTRICT GOVERNOR OF ITS DISTRICT 303, MR STEPHEN CHOW.

MR MEHTA ALSO PRESENTED TO DR LEE A MEDAL OF DISTINCTION, THE HIGHEST HONOUR AWARDED BY THE CLUBS TO NON-LIONS.

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ANTI-POLLUTION PROSECUTION CASES IN SEPTEMBER

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THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DEPARTMENT TODAY (TUESDAY) RELEASED A LIST OF COMPANIES THAT HAVE BEEN FOUND GUILTY IN THE COURTS DURING SEPTEMBER OF BREACHING ANTI-POLLUTION LEGISLATION CURRENTLY ENFORCED BY THE DEPARTMENT.

SIMILAR ANNOUNCEMENTS WILL BE MADE MONTHLY.

THE LEGAL PROCEEDINGS COULD BE VERY TIME CONSUMING AND AS A RESULT THERE WAS SOMETIMES A LENGTHY TIME GAP BETWEEN THE DATE OF THE OFFENCE AND THE CONVICTION DATE.

FOLLOWING IS THE LIST OF PROSECUTION CASES AND THE ASSOCIATED FINES IMPOSED BY THE COURTS DURING SEPTEMBER:

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NAME (COMPANY/ PERSON)	ADDRESS	DATE OF OFFENCE	NATURE OF OFFENCE	FINES(\$)	RECORD OF OFFENCE	COURT
1.HIT COLLECTION LTD	QUEEN'S RD WEST, SHEK TONG TSUI	23.3.91- 12.4.91	APCO : UNAUTHORISED INSTALLATION OR ALTERATION OF FURNACES	1,000	1ST	WESTERN
2.IMPERIAL HOTEL (MANAGEMENT) LTD	NATHAN RD, TSIM SHA TSUI	25.7.91- 27.1.92	APCO : "	900	1ST	SOUTH KOWLOON
3.FORTUNE SOURCE LTD	WORLD FINANCE CENTRE, TSIM SHA TSUI	26.7.91- 11.10.91	APCO : "	1,500	2ND	EASTERN
4.TAI HING ROAST SHOP	SHAU KEI WAN MAIN ST. EAST SHAU KEI WAN	10.9.91- 16.9.91	APCO : "	2,000	1ST	"
5.GOLD EARNEST LTD	JAFFE RD, WANCHAI	13.10.91- 27.10.91	APCO : "	1,500	1ST	"
6.MAPLE LEAF SEA FOOD RESTAURANT	NATHAN RD, YA MA TEI	8.11.91- 7.1.92	APCO : "	5,000	1ST	SOUTH KOWLOON
7.NICE FUTURE LTD	WONG CHUK HANG ROAD,	18.11.91- 4.12.91	APCO : "	1,000	1ST	WESTERN
8.HUNG TOO CANTEEN CENTRE	LAM HING ST, KOWLOON BAY	6.12.91- 28.2.92	APCO : "	900	1ST	KWUN TONG
9.EVERDE- VELOP CO LTD (LICENSEE)	SAI LAU KOK RD, TSUEN WAN	6.1.92	DASO : DUMPING OF ABOUT 750 CUBIC METRES OF DREDGED MARINE MUD AT SEA SOUTHEAST OF NAM KWO CHAU NOT IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE LICENCE CONDITION	1,000	2ND	EASTERN

10.MR. WAN YUNG-SHU (BARGE SAILOR)	ABERDEEN MAIN RD, ABERDEEN	6.1.92	DASO : DUMPING OF ABOUT 750 CUBIC METRES OF DREDGED MARINE MUD AT SEA SOUTHEAST OF NAM KWO CHAU NOT IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE LICENCE CONDITION	2,500	1ST	EASTERN
11.TIN FUNG LAUNDRY	PING CHE, FANLING	19.2.92	WPCO : DISCHARGED POLLUTING MATTER INTO THE DEEP BAY WATER CONTROL ZONE	10,000 FOR EACH OF THE TWO SUMMONSES	1ST	FANLING
12.FANTA (CFC) CONSTRUCTION CO LTD (SHIPPING CONTRACTOR)	HOI BUN RD, KWUN TONG	3.3.92	DASO : PERMIT DUMPING OF ABOUT 750 CUBIC METRES OF EXCAVATED MATERIAL AT SEA SOUTH OF CHEUNG CHAU WITHOUT A LICENCE	5,000	1ST	EASTERN
13.LEUNG TAI SHING (TUG BOAT MASTER)	"	3.3.92	DASO : DUMPING OF ABOUT 750 CUBIC METRES OF EXCAVATED MATERIAL AT SEA SOUTH OF CHEUNG CHAU WITHOUT A LICENCE	5,000	1ST	EASTERN
14.CHEUNG HO (BARGE SAILOR)	MAIN ST, AP LEI CHAU	3.3.92	DASO : "	5,000	2ND	"
15.BO FAT LAUNDRY CO LTD	FUI YIU KOK ST, TSUEN WAN	6.3.92	APCO : EXCESSIVE DARK SMOKE EMISSION	15,000	2ND	TSUEN WAN
16.THE PRECAST PILING & ENGINEERING CO LTD	SEYMOUR TERRACE, MID-LEVELS	9.3.92	NCO : CARRY OUT PERCUSSIVE PILING NOT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CONDITIONS IN A PERMIT	3,000	1ST	WESTERN

17.CHEUNG HUNG-YAU	SEYMOUR TERRACE, MID-LEVELS	9.3.92	NCO : CARRY OUT PERCUSSIVE PILING NOT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CONDITIONS IN A PERMIT	3,000	1ST	WESTERN
18.GOLDEN FUND PRINT- ING & DYEING FTY LTD	YIP SHING ST, KWAI CHUNG	2.4.92	APCO : EXCESSIVE DARK SMOKE EMISSION	3,500	1ST	TSUEN WAN
19.UNION DYEING WORKS LTD	KWAN TEI PAK TSUEN, FANLING	8.4.92	WPCO : DISCHARGED POLLUTING MATTER INTO THE DEEP BAY WATER CONTROL ZONE	30,000	2ND	FANLING
20.SUN LUEN BEAN CURD FACTORY	KAM SHEUNG RD, YUEN LONG	10.4.92	WPCO : "	5,000	1ST	"
21.FAT KEE BEAN CURD FACTORY	KWU TUNG VILLAGE, SHEUNG SHUI	10.4.92	WPCO : "	5,000	1ST	"
22.WAH HING DYEING FACTORY LTD	FUNG KAT HEUNG, YUEN LONG	16.4.92	WPCO : "	25,000	2ND	"
23.REALTY WEAVING & DYEING WORKS LTD	KAM SHEUNG RD, KAM TIN	16.4.92	WPCO : "	20,000	2ND	"
24.FUSUN WASHING & BLEACHING CO LTD	TAI YIP ST, KWUN TONG	22.4.92	APCO : EXCESSIVE DARK SMOKE EMISSION	2,000	1ST	KWUN TONG
25.SHAMROCK RESTAURANT LTD	NATHAN RD, YAU MA TEI	24.4.92	NCO : FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE REQUIRE- MENT IN A NOISE ABATE- MENT NOTICE	10,000	2ND	SOUTH KOWLOON
26.TAT LEE CONSTRUCTION CO LTD	AREA 57, TUEN MUN	26.4.92	NCO : CARRY OUT CONSTRUCTION WORK WITHOUT A VALID CNP	10,000	1ST	TUEN MUN

27. NG SAI-MAN	AREA 57, TUEN MUN	26.4.92	NCO : CARRY OUT CONSTRUCTION WORK WITHOUT A VALID CNP	10,000	1ST	TUEN MUN
28. THAI CHONG DYEING & FINISHING FTY LTD	TEXACO RD, TSUEN WAN	28.4.92	APCO : EXCESSIVE DARK SMOKE EMISSION	3,500	1ST	TSUEN WAN
29. TANG WING-LAN	NAM KOK RD, KOWLOON CITY	30.4.92	NCO : FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE REQUIRE- MENT IN A NOISE ABATE- MENT NOTICE	15,000	1ST	SAN PO KONG
30. GOOD AIM ASSOCIATION LTD	MODY RD, TSIM SHA TSUI	1.5.92	NCO : "	25,000	2ND	SOUTH KOWLOON
31. KA FAT DYING FTY	WING HONG ST, SHAM SHUI PO	4.5.92	APCO : EXCESSIVE DARK SMOKE EMISSION	5,000	1ST	NORTH KOWLOON
32. CANADA SPRINGFIELD (HK) LTD	CHIK CHUEN ST, TAI WAI	5.5.92	APCO : USING PROHIBITED FUEL IN THE TERRITORY	9,000	4TH	SHA TIN
33. WAY KING ENTERPRISE CO LTD	SHAN TUNG ST, YAU MA TEI	11.5.92	APCO : EXCESSIVE DARK SMOKE EMISSION	3,500	1ST	SOUTH KOWLOON
34. HERAEUS LTD	WAI YIP ST, KWUN TONG	13.5.92	APCO : "	20,000	5TH	KWUN TONG
35. SUN FAT ROASTED MEAT	PORTLAND ST, YAU MA TEI	14.5.92	APCO : "	12,000	2ND	SOUTH KOWLOON
36. MONGKOK HSIN KUANG RESTAURANT LTD	NATHAN RD, MONG KOK	15.5.92	NCO : FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE REQUIRE- MENT IN A NOISE ABATE- MENT NOTICE	12,000	2ND	NORTH KOWLOON

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37. LUEN HING DYEING FTY LTD	PUN SHAN ST, TSUEN WAN	18.5.92	APCO : EXCESSIVE DARK SMOKE EMISSION	6,000	1ST	TSUEN WAN
38. WINNING DYEING FTY LTD	HUNG TO RD, KWUN TONG	19.5.92	APCO : EXCESSIVE DARK SMOKE EMISSION	2,000	1ST	KWUN TONG
39. CHING MEI MEI FINISH- ING WORKS LTD	SHA TSUI RD, TSUEN WAN	22.5.92	APCO : "	5,000	1ST	TSUEN WAN
40. WAH RICH INDUSTRIES LTD	TONG YAN SAN TSUEN, YUEN LONG	29.5.92	WPCO : DISCHARGED POLLUTING MATTER INTO THE DEEP BAY WATER CONTROL ZONE	10,000	2ND	FANLING
41. CHEONG FAT DYEING FTY LTD	FUI YIU KOK ST, TSUEN WAN	4.6.92	APCO : EXCESSIVE DARK SMOKE EMISSION	5,500	1ST	TSUEN WAN
42. SOUTH CHINA BLEACHING & DYEING FACTORY LTD	QUEEN'S RD CENTRAL, CENTRAL	12.6.92	APCO : "	3,000	1ST	KWUN TONG
43. DRAGON ISLAND RESTAURANT LTD	FUK LO TSUN RD, KOWLOON CITY	6.7.92	APCO : FAILURE TO TAKE MEASURE TO ELIMINATE UNNECESSARY AIR POLLUTANT	5,000	1ST	SAN PO KONG
44. MAINLAND METALS & MINERALS LTD	HARBOUR RD, WAN CHAI	15.7.92	APCO : FAILURE TO ABATE AN AIR POLLUTANT NUISANCE (GENERAL)	1,000	1ST	FANLING
45. WO HING RESTAURANT	WONG NAI CHUNG RD, WAN CHAI	23.7.92	APCO : EXCESSIVE DARK SMOKE EMISSION	3,000	1ST	EASTERN

46.HANG MAIN RD, 27.7.92 APCO : " 15,000 3RD FANLING
 HEUNG CAKE YUEN LONG
 SHOP CO LTD

NOTE :

APCO : AIR POLLUTION CONTROL ORDINANCE
 NCO : NOISE CONTROL ORDINANCE
 DASO : DUMPING AT SEA ACT 1974 (OVERSEAS TERRITORIES) ORDER 1975
 WPCO : WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ORDINANCE

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

ENQUIRIES ON SPECIFIC CASES CAN BE DIRECTED TO THE FOLLOWING
 PRINCIPAL ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION OFFICERS :

APCO :	MR FRANKLIN CHUNG	TEL 594 6200
NCO :	MR STEVEN HO	TEL 594 6500
WPCO :	CASE 11,19 20,21,22,23 AND 40	DR ELLEN CHAN TEL 650 6955
DASO :	MR PATRICK LEI	TEL 755 3553

GENERAL ENQUIRIES SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO THE DEPARTMENT'S MEDIA
 RELATIONS SECTION.

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KWAI TSING SPORTS FESTIVAL STARTS ON SUNDAY

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RESIDENTS OF KWAI TSING ARE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE ON A LOCAL
 SPORTS FESTIVAL WHICH WILL BE HELD FROM SUNDAY (OCTOBER 25) TO
 NOVEMBER 14.

SPEAKING AT A PRESS CONFERENCE TODAY (TUESDAY), THE CHAIRMAN OF
 THE KWAI TSING SPORTS FESTIVAL '92 ORGANISING COMMITTEE, MR LAM
 SAI-HUNG, SAID THERE WOULD BE PROGRAMMES A RANGE OF AQUATIC AND
 ATHLETIC EVENTS, DEMONSTRATIONS, AND AN ARCHERY GALA.

"THE HIGHLIGHT OF THE FESTIVAL WILL BE A WOMEN'S SOCCER
 INVITATION MATCH BETWEEN THE PHILLIPINES WOMEN NATIONAL TEAM AND THE
 KWAI TSING WOMEN SOCCER TEAM ON THE EVENING OF NOVEMBER 9 ON THE KWAI
 CHUNG SPORTS GROUND," HE SAID.

"IN ADDITION, SPECTATORS WILL BE TREATED TO GYMNASTIC AND
 SWIMMING PERFORMANCE BY TEAMS FROM CHINA," HE ADDED.

SPONSORED BY THE KWAI TSING DISTRICT BOARD AND THE REGIONAL
 COUNCIL, THE THREE-WEEK FESTIVAL IS EXPECTED TO ATTRACT MORE THAN
 3,000 PARTICIPANTS.

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AUCTION OF LUCKY VEHICLE REGISTRATION MARKS

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THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT WILL HOLD ANOTHER AUCTION OF LUCKY VEHICLE REGISTRATION MARKS ON SATURDAY (OCTOBER 24) AT 9.30 AM AT THE CITY HALL RECITAL HALL.

A TOTAL OF 40 LUCKY VEHICLE REGISTRATION MARKS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR BIDDING. THEY ARE:

EY6066	EX280	EZ913	EZ704
EZ7787	*7960	*FC1	AZ7650
EY6623	EY917	CK1280	EY332
*FA100	EZ9139	EZ968	*FC2332
EZ630	*FC818	*FC1221	EZ9832
CS917	EZ301	EZ330	EY819
EZ1218	EY160	EY1238	EY8807
*FA18	*DD900	*ER7788	*FC1414
EZ512	EU911	CC9837	EZ918
EY8968	EY1231	EY2388	EY6388

* SPECIAL VEHICLE REGISTRATION MARK (NOT TRANSFERABLE)

SUCCESSFUL BIDDERS MUST PAY BY CHEQUE IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE BIDDING.

A TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN REMINDED BIDDERS THAT THE VEHICLE REGISTRATION MARK WOULD BE ASSIGNED ONLY TO A VEHICLE REGISTERED IN THE NAME OF THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WITHIN 12 MONTHS OF THE AUCTION.

THE CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION MUST BE PRODUCED IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE AUCTION IF THE VEHICLE REGISTRATION MARK IS TO BE REGISTERED UNDER THE NAME OF BODY CORPORATE.

PROCEEDS OF THE AUCTION, AFTER DEDUCTION OF EXPENSES INCURRED IN THE CONDUCT THEREOF, WILL AS USUAL GO TO THE GOVERNMENT LOTTERIES FUND.

IT WILL BE THE 181ST AUCTION OF THIS KIND ORGANISED BY THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT SINCE MAY 1973.

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239 VMS RETURNED TODAY

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A GROUP OF 239 VIETNAMESE MIGRANTS TODAY (TUESDAY) RETURNED TO VIETNAM UNDER THE UNHCR'S VOLUNTARY REPATRIATION PROGRAMME.

COMPRISING 85 MEN, 59 WOMEN, 51 BOYS AND 44 GIRLS, THEY WERE THE 128TH BATCH TO GO BACK UNDER THE PROGRAMME.

THIS GROUP BROUGHT TO 9,548 THE TOTAL NUMBER OF VIETNAMESE MIGRANTS WHO HAVE RETURNED VOLUNTARILY THIS YEAR, AND TO 23,427 THE TOTAL NUMBER OF RETURNEES SINCE THE PROGRAMME STARTED IN MARCH 1989.

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HONG KONG GOVERNMENT EXCHANGE FUND

TENDER RESULTS

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TENDER DATE	20 OCT 92
PAPER ON OFFER	EF BILLS
ISSUE NUMBER	Q243
AMOUNT APPLIED	HKD 1,835 MN
AMOUNT ALLOTTED	HKD 800 MN
AVERAGE YIELD ACCEPTED	2.98 PCT
HIGHEST YIELD ACCEPTED	3.05 PCT
PRO RATA RATIO	ABOUT 47 PCT
AVERAGE TENDER YIELD	3.05 PCT

HONG KONG GOVERNMENT EXCHANGE FUND

TENDERS TO BE HELD IN THE WEEK BEGINNING 26 OCTOBER 1992 -

TENDER DATE	27 OCT 92	27 OCT 92
PAPER ON OFFER	EF BILLS	EF BILLS
ISSUE NUMBER	Q244	H276
ISSUE DATE	28 OCT 92	28 OCT 92
MATURITY DATE	27 JAN 93	28 APR 93
TENOR	91 DAYS	182 DAYS
AMOUNT ON OFFER	HKD 800+160 MN	HKD 300+60 MN

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HONG KONG GOVERNMENT EXCHANGE FUND
MONEY MARKET OPERATIONS
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OPENING BALANCE IN THE ACCOUNT	1,800
REVERSAL OF LAF	-300
BALANCE AFTER REVERSAL OF LAF	1,500
NET INJECTION/WITHDRAWAL TODAY	NIL
EFFECT OF LAF TODAY	NIL
CLOSING BALANCE IN THE ACCOUNT	1,500
LAF RATE 2.00 BID/4.00 OFFER	TWI 111.1 **0.3* 20.10.92

HONG KONG GOVERNMENT EXCHANGE FUND

EF BILLS

HONG KONG GOVERNMENT BONDS

TERMS	YIELD	TERM	ISSUE	COUPON	PRICE	YIELD
1 WEEK	2.82 PCT	13 MONTHS	2311	6.25	102.48	3.91
1 MONTH	2.98 PCT	16 MONTHS	2402	5.50	101.78	4.14
3 MONTHS	3.13 PCT	19 MONTHS	2405	5.502	101.79	4.36
6 MONTHS	3.26 PCT	22 MONTHS	2408	4.375	99.84	4.51
12 MONTHS	3.75 PCT					

TOTAL TURNOVER OF BILLS AND BONDS - 5,246MN

CLOSED 20 OCTOBER 1992

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