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GOVERNMENT REFUTES REFUGEE CONCERN REPORT

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IN RESPONSE TO THE PAPER "DEFENCELESS IN DETENTION" PUBLISHED BY REFUGEE CONCERN HONG KONG, A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN TODAY (FRIDAY) REJECTED CRITICISMS LEVELLED AGAINST THE POLICY ON VIETNAMESE MIGRANTS.

"THE GOVERNMENT IS MAKING ENORMOUS EFFORTS TO ATTEMPT TO MAINTAIN FIRST ASYLUM IN THE FACE OF GROWING PUBLIC CONCERN OVER THE INTERNATIONAL FAILURE TO FIND A PROPER SOLUTION TO THIS PROBLEM," THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

"THE NUMBERS NOW ARRIVING FROM VIETNAM, AT SEVERAL HUNDREDS A DAY, ARE PUTTING OUR ABILITY TO COPE UNDER MAJOR PRACTICAL AND POLITICAL PRESSURES," HE NOTED.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE REPORT BY REFUGEE CONCERN SHOWED LITTLE UNDERSTANDING OF THE EFFORTS MADE BY THE GOVERNMENT OVER 16 YEARS TO MAINTAIN THE KEY PRINCIPLE OF FIRST ASYLUM.

"THE REPORT COMPARES US UNFAVOURABLY WITH OTHER PLACES IN THE REGION, SOME OF WHICH DESPITE THEIR FAR GREATER LAND RESOURCES HAVE TURNED BOATS AWAY.

"IT TAKES NO ACCOUNT OF THE FACT THAT WE ARE FACING A FLOOD OF ARRIVALS CAUSED BY NO ACT OF HONG KONG'S AND WHICH THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY ARE FAILING TO PREVENT BY ADEQUATE MEASURES TO RESOLVE THE PROBLEM.

"THE REPORT DOES NOT EXPLAIN WHY ALMOST ALL THOSE DEPARTING FROM VIETNAM NOW COME HERE, DESPITE REFUGEE CONCERN'S CRITICISMS OF HONG KONG'S TREATMENT OF ASYLUM SEEKERS."

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE REPORT PROPOSED MEASURES THAT WOULD DO NOTHING TO HELP RESOLVE THE PROBLEM HERE AND INDEED MIGHT WELL MAKE IT WORSE.

"THE REPORT SHOWS NO REAL UNDERSTANDING OF THE BACKGROUND AGAINST WHICH WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO MAINTAIN A HUMANITARIAN POLICY HERE," HE SAID.

"THE HONG KONG GOVERNMENT REGRETS THAT OVER 17,000 MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN REMAIN IN DETENTION IN HONG KONG AS SCREENED OUT NON-REFUGEES.

"THE REAL INHUMANITY LIES IN THE FALSE HOPES THEY ARE GIVEN THAT THERE IS SOME FUTURE FOR THEM OTHER THAN IN THEIR OWN HOMES IN VIETNAM.

"YET UNDER THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN OF ACTION THEY HAVE ONLY ONE OPTION - TO GO BACK TO VIETNAM. THEY CAN DO SO UNDER THE UNHCR REPATRIATION SCHEME, THUS ENDING THEIR DETENTION, ANY TIME THEY WISH.

"IN THE MEANTIME THE HONG KONG GOVERNMENT, WITH THE HELP OF THE UNHCR AND VOLUNTARY AGENCIES, WILL DO EVERYTHING IT CAN TO CARE FOR THEM AND THOSE 36,000 WHO HAVE COME HERE MORE RECENTLY AND HAVE YET TO BE SCREENED," THE SPOKESMAN ADDED.

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LAW AMENDMENTS TO EXEMPT MEDICAL AND HEALTH STAFF FROM REGISTRATION
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THE GOVERNMENT HAS PROPOSED LEGISLATIVE AMENDMENTS TO ENABLE DENTISTS, DOCTORS AND SUPPLEMENTARY MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY THE HOSPITAL AUTHORITY TO BECOME ENTITLED TO CERTAIN EXEMPTIONS IN RESPECT OF REGISTRATION AND RELATED REQUIREMENTS.

ANNOUNCING THIS TODAY (FRIDAY), A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN NOTED THAT AT PRESENT, MEDICAL AND HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY THE CIVIL SERVICE AND THE UNIVERSITIES WERE ENTITLED TO CERTAIN EXEMPTIONS IN RESPECT OF REGISTRATION AND RELATED REQUIREMENTS.

HOWEVER, AFTER THE HOSPITAL AUTHORITY TOOK OVER THE MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL OF PUBLIC HOSPITALS, THE MEDICAL AND HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY THE HOSPITAL AUTHORITY WILL NOT BE ENTITLED TO THOSE EXEMPTIONS.

"LEGISLATIVE AMENDMENTS ARE THEREFORE REQUIRED TO ENSURE THAT SUCH PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY THE HOSPITAL AUTHORITY, MANY OF WHOM ARE EXPECTED TO BE EX-CIVIL SERVANTS, WILL BE ENTITLED TO THOSE EXEMPTIONS.

"THIS WILL MAINTAIN COMPARABILITY OF TREATMENT BETWEEN THE EMPLOYEES OF THE HOSPITAL AUTHORITY AND THEIR CIVIL SERVICE AND UNIVERSITY COUNTERPARTS," THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

THE CHANGES ARE CONTAINED IN THE DENTISTS REGISTRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL 1991, THE MEDICAL REGISTRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL 1991 AND THE SUPPLEMENTARY MEDICAL PROFESSIONS (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) BILL 1991.

THE THREE BILLS WILL BE PUBLISHED IN THE GOVERNMENT GAZETTE NEXT FRIDAY (JUNE 21) AND BE INTRODUCED INTO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ON JUNE 26.

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PROFESSIONALS TO MANAGE TRUST FUNDS' INVESTMENTS
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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO FOUR TRUST FUNDS ADMINISTERED BY THE CITY AND NEW TERRITORIES ADMINISTRATION TO ALLOW FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF "PROFESSIONAL FUND MANAGERS" ARE PUBLISHED IN THE GOVERNMENT GAZETTE TODAY (FRIDAY).

A CNTA SPOKESMAN SAID THE GRANTHAM SCHOLARSHIPS FUND (AMENDMENT) BILL 1991, THE BREWIN TRUST FUND (AMENDMENT) BILL 1991, THE SIR ROBERT BLACK TRUST FUND (AMENDMENT) BILL 1991 AND THE LI PO CHUN CHARITABLE TRUST FUND (AMENDMENT) BILL 1991, WOULD BE INTRODUCED INTO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ON JUNE 26.

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ELABORATING ON THE AMENDMENTS, HE SAID AT PRESENT, THE INVESTMENTS OF THE FOUR FUNDS WERE MANAGED BY THE SECRETARY FOR HOME AFFAIRS INCORPORATED AS TRUSTEE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DIRECTIONS OR ADVICE OF THE RESPECTIVE COMMITTEES.

IN THE LIGHT OF RAPID CHANGES IN THE INVESTMENT SCENE TODAY, HE ADDED, INVESTMENT DECISIONS MUST BE FORMULATED AND IMPLEMENTED QUICKLY.

"UNDER THESE CIRCUMSTANCES, THE APPOINTMENT OF PROFESSIONALS TO MANAGE THE FUNDS' INVESTMENT WOULD BE DESIRABLE SINCE FUND MANAGERS, BY VIRTUE OF THEIR PROFESSIONAL KNOWLEDGE AND CLOSE ASSOCIATION WITH THE FINANCIAL MARKET, ARE BEST PLACED TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES IN BOTH THE LONG AND SHORT TERM," HE STRESSED.

HE SAID ALTHOUGH THE PRESENT ORDINANCES CONTAINED PROVISIONS FOR PROFESSIONALS TO BE APPOINTED BY THE COMMITTEES, THE RESPONSIBILITY OF ANY PROFESSIONALS SO APPOINTED WAS LIMITED TO GIVING ADVICE TO THE COMMITTEES.

"FOR THIS REASON, NEW PROVISIONS ARE REQUIRED TO ENABLE THE APPOINTMENT OF PROFESSIONALS WHO CAN FUNCTION FULLY AS FUND MANAGERS WITH DISCRETION TO CHANGE THE FUNDS' INVESTMENTS, PROVIDED THAT THEY ACT WITHIN THE GUIDELINES FORMULATED BY THE RESPECTIVE COMMITTEES," HE ADDED.

ANOTHER AMENDMENT PROVIDED FOR THE TRANSACTION OF BUSINESS BY CIRCULATION OF PAPERS, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, ADDING THAT SUCH A PRACTICE WOULD BE IN LINE WITH MORE RECENT ORDINANCES RELATING TO THE MANAGEMENT OF TRUST FUNDS.

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CONSTRUCTION OF KWUN TONG BYPASS PHASES 2 AND 3 COMPLETED
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THE KWUN TONG BYPASS PHASES 2 AND 3 HAVE BEEN COMPLETED AHEAD OF SCHEDULE AND AT A TOTAL COST OF \$1 BILLION.

SPEAKING AT A CEREMONY TODAY (FRIDAY) TO MARK THE COMPLETION OF KWUN TONG BYPASS PHASES 2 AND 3, THE DIRECTOR OF HIGHWAYS, MR KWEI SEE-KAN, SAID THE \$782 MILLION PHASE 2 PROJECT HAD BEEN THE LARGEST SINGLE ROAD CONTRACT EVER AWARDED BY THE DEPARTMENT.

THE PHASE 2 SECTION WILL BE OPENED TO TRAFFIC THIS AFTERNOON, WHILE PHASE 3 WILL BE OPENED SOON.

MR KWEI SAID KWUN TONG BYPASS WAS A 4.8-KILOMETRE ELEVATED ROAD CARRYING FOUR TO SIX TRAFFIC LANES. ITS CONSTRUCTION WAS DIVIDED INTO THREE PHASES.

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THE FIRST PHASE FROM THE KOWLOON EXIT OF THE EASTERN HARBOUR CROSSING TO WAI YIP STREET WAS COMPLETED AND OPENED TO TRAFFIC IN SEPTEMBER 1989.

HE SAID THE SECOND PHASE FOLLOWED AN ALIGNMENT ALONGSIDE THE KWUN TONG TYPHOON SHELTER TO KAI FUK ROAD AT KOWLOON BAY.

"THE OPENING OF THIS PHASE WOULD RELIEVE TRAFFIC CONGESTION, SHORTEN JOURNEY TIME AND IMPROVE TRAFFIC CIRCULATION IN THE AREAS ADJACENT TO KWUN TONG AND WAI YIP STREET," HE SAID.

MR KWEI SAID THE THIRD PHASE CONTINUED ALONG KAI FUK ROAD AND WANG CHIN STREET, SKIRTING THE AIRPORT TO CONNECT WITH THE TATE'S CAIRN TUNNEL APPROACHES AT PRINCE EDWARD ROAD.

"IT WOULD BE OPEN TO TRAFFIC TOGETHER WITH THE TATE'S CAIRN TUNNEL AND THE REST OF THE CONNECTING HIGHWAYS THAT FORM ROUTE 6," HE SAID.

MR KWEI SAID BOTH CONTRACTS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF PHASES 2 AND 3 WERE AWARDED TO A JOINT VENTURE OF DRAGAGES ET TRAVAUX PUBLICS AND BACHY SOLETANCHE GROUP IN EARLY 1989.

"AN INNOVATIVE FEATURE OF THESE CONTRACTS WAS THE ADOPTION BY THE CONTRACTOR OF A MECHANISED CONSTRUCTION TECHNIQUE NEW TO HONG KONG.

"BY MEANS OF A SPECIALLY DESIGNED LAUNCHING GIRDER, PRE-CAST CONCRETE SEGMENTS OF THE VIADUCT WERE ERECTED IN A CONTINUOUS SEQUENCE MAKING UP A TOTAL LENGTH OF 3.8-KILOMETRE WITHIN A SHORT TIME OF 15 MONTHS.

"THIS TECHNIQUE NOT ONLY REDUCED THE OVERALL CONSTRUCTION PERIOD ENABLING THE TWO CONTRACTS TO BE COMPLETED AHEAD OF SCHEDULE, BUT ALSO LED TO ECONOMIES IN THE EXECUTION OF THE WORK," HE SAID.

THE KWUN TONG BYPASS PHASE 2 CONTRACT WAS MANAGED BY THE HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT WITH DESIGN AND SUPERVISION OF CONSTRUCTION BEING CARRIED OUT BY CONSULTING ENGINEERS, FREEMAN FOX MAUNSELL.

THE PHASE 3 CONTRACT WAS MANAGED AND WITH ITS DESIGN CARRIED OUT BY THE HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT.

SUPERVISION OF CONSTRUCTION FOR PHASE 3 WAS UNDERTAKEN BY THE EHC PROJECT MANAGEMENT COMPANY WHO ALSO PERFORMED A PROJECT MANAGEMENT ROLE ON BOTH CONTRACTS.

ALSO OFFICIATING AT THE CEREMONY WERE THE KWUN TONG DISTRICT BOARD CHAIRMAN, MR LAM HANG-FAI; WONG TAI SIN DISTRICT BOARD CHAIRMAN, MR CHAN KAM-MAN; AND THE CHAIRMAN OF BOUYGUES GROUP, MR MARTIN BOUYGUES.

JOHN CHAN APPOINTED OFFICIAL LEGCO MEMBER

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A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN ANNOUNCED TODAY (FRIDAY) THAT THE GOVERNOR HAS APPOINTED MR JOHN CHAN CHO-CHAK, THE SECRETARY FOR EDUCATION AND MANPOWER, AS AN OFFICIAL MEMBER OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL WITH EFFECT FROM JUNE 13.

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SIX NEW POLICE LAUNCHES COMMISSIONED

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SIX NEW MARINE POLICE LAUNCHES ARE TO JOIN THE FORCE FLEET - THE WORLD'S LARGEST POLICE NAVY - AT A COST OF \$310 MILLION. THE LAUNCHES, BUILT IN PERTH, WESTERN AUSTRALIA, WILL HAVE COMBINED COMMAND/PATROL CAPABILITIES.

THE FIRST OF THE NEW 30-METRE LAUNCHES IS DUE TO ARRIVE IN HONG KONG IN JANUARY 1993 IN A SIX MONTH DELIVERY PROGRAMME.

"THE LAUNCHES ARE BEING BOUGHT VIRTUALLY OFF THE PEG," SAID RICHARD LANGMAN, SENIOR STAFF OFFICER, SUPPORT, MARINE. "THE CRAFT WE HAVE CHOSEN HAS BEEN USED SUCCESSFULLY ALL OVER THE PACIFIC. THEY WILL BE DELIVERED FULLY FITTED OUT AND IN A TRIED AND TESTED CONDITION."

THE LAUNCH HAS BEEN SUCCESSFULLY USED BY DEFENCE AND POLICE FORCES IN PAPUA NEW GUINEA, TONGA AND FIJI. THEY HAVE BEEN DEPLOYED ALSO IN CUSTOMS AND COAST GUARD DUTIES.

THE VESSELS CAN OPERATE AT SPEEDS UP TO 24 KNOTS AND WILL HAVE CREWS SIMILAR IN SIZE TO THOSE ABOARD DIVISIONAL PATROL LAUNCHES.

THE NEW LAUNCHES WILL REPLACE AGEING AND EXPENSIVE TO MAINTAIN LAUNCHES AND WILL ALLOW REDEPLOYMENT OF OTHERS IN THE FORCE FLEET.

THE NEW LAUNCHES ARE BEING ACQUIRED FOLLOWING A REVISION IN 1989 OF A LAUNCH BUILDING PROGRAMME FIRST INTRODUCED IN 1980.

"IT WAS AGREED THAT WE WOULD BUY A PROVEN DESIGN ON THE WORLD WIDE MARKET," MR LANGMAN SAID. "INFLATION AND CURRENCY CHANGES PLAYED THEIR PART IN OUR ORIGINAL FUNDING AT 1989 PRICES."

FROM 36 COMPANIES INTERESTED IN THE PROJECT FIVE FIRMS WERE INVITED TO TENDER.

THE LAUNCHES WILL BE FITTED WITH AN ELECTRO OPTICAL SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM, AUTOMATIC RADAR PLOTTING APPARATUS AND AUTOMATIC CHART TABLE.

NAVIGATION AIDS WILL INCLUDE A GLOBAL POSITIONING SYSTEM RECEIVER AND STANDARD ECHO SOUNDER, SPEED LOG AND GYRO COMPASS. GROUND TO AIR AND DIRECTION FINDER EQUIPMENT HAVE BEEN INCLUDED TO SATISFY THE SEARCH AND RESCUE ROLE OF THIS TYPE OF LAUNCH.

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THE POSITIONING OF CABINS FOR THE LAUNCH COMMANDER AND ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL COMMANDER OPERATIONS HAS BEEN SITED SEPARATELY FROM THE OPERATIONS ROOM AREA BUT OFFERING CLOSE CONTACT.

A NEW FEATURE FOR POLICE LAUNCHES WILL BE THEIR ALL ELECTRIC GALLEYS, SIMILAR TO A STYLE CURRENTLY BEING TESTED ON POLICE LAUNCH 61.

MR LANGMAN ADDED: "OUR BATTLE FOR FUNDING FOR THESE LAUNCHES WAS LED BY THE POLICE ADMINISTRATION OFFICER MICHAEL PAGLIARI AND IT IS LARGELY DUE TO HIM THAT WE HAVE ACHIEVED THIS CONTRACT FOR ALL SIX VESSELS."

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TENDERS INVITED FOR FOOD CONTROL UNIT AT LOK MA CHAU

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THE ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT IS INVITING TENDERS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A FOOD CONTROL UNIT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AT THE LOK MA CHAU BORDER CONTROL POINT.

THE CONTRACT INCLUDES THE CONSTRUCTION OF A 130-SQUARE-METRE PURPOSE-DESIGNED BUILDING INCORPORATING OFFICE, LABORATORY AND FREEZER STORAGE AREAS, TO FACILITATE THE INSPECTION OF CONSIGNMENTS OF IMPORTED FOODS AND TO GUARANTEE THE WHOLESOMENESS OF FOOD ENTERING HONG KONG AT THE LOK MA CHAU BORDER CHECK POINT.

THE WORKS ALSO COVER THE EXTENSION OF THE EXISTING RAISED PLATFORM OF THE BORDER CONTROL CHECK POINT TO PROVIDE FOR EASE OF TRAFFIC FLOWS AND INSPECTION BAYS AS WELL AS THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SMALL REFUSE COLLECTION STORE TO CATER FOR THE INCREASED REFUSE GENERATED BY THIS NEW FACILITY.

WORK IS EXPECTED TO START IN AUGUST AND BE COMPLETED IN MAY NEXT YEAR.

TENDER FORMS AND PARTICULARS MAY BE OBTAINED FROM THE ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT, 34TH FLOOR, QUEENSWAY GOVERNMENT OFFICES, 66 QUEENSWAY, HONG KONG.

THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF TENDERS IS NOON ON JULY 5.

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TENDERS INVITED FOR CONSTRUCTION OF QUARRY BAY PARK

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THE ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT IS INVITING TENDERS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF QUARRY BAY PARK WITHIN A HUGE WATERFRONT AREA OF ALMOST 10 HECTARES OPPOSITE TAIKOOSHING.

WORK ON THE PROJECT IS EXPECTED TO START AT THE END OF AUGUST AND WILL TAKE ABOUT 20 MONTHS TO COMPLETE.

THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE PARK WILL BE CARRIED OUT AT FOUR SITES WHICH ARE SEPARATED BY THE ISLAND EASTERN CORRIDOR AND A SLIPROAD TO TAIKOOSHING.

FACILITIES TO BE PROVIDED INCLUDE BALL COURTS COMPRISING ONE SEVEN-A-SIDE SOCCER PITCH, TWO BASKETBALL CUM VOLLEYBALL COURTS AND EIGHT TENNIS COURTS.

THERE WILL ALSO BE A CHILDREN PLAYGROUND, A CYCLE TRACK AND A JOGGING TRACK WITH FITNESS STATIONS.

ON PASSIVE RECREATIONAL ASPECTS, THE PARK WILL ALSO FEATURE A LOOKOUT PAVILION, SITTING-OUT AREAS AND A 650-METRE SEAFRONT PROMENADE ALONG THE EXISTING SEAWALL.

FORMS OF TENDER AND FURTHER PARTICULARS MAY BE OBTAINED FROM THE ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT, 34TH FLOOR, QUEENSWAY GOVERNMENT OFFICES, 66 QUEENSWAY, HONG KONG.

THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING TENDERS IS NOON ON JULY 12.

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ACTION AGAINST UNAUTHORISED BUILDING WORKS IN KOWLOON

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THE BUILDING AUTHORITY IS SEEKING TO CLOSE THREE UNAUTHORISED BUILDING WORKS IN KOWLOON SO THAT THEY CAN BE DEMOLISHED WITHOUT DANGER TO THE OCCUPIERS AND THE PUBLIC.

THE FIRST ONE IS LOCATED OVER THE LOADING AND UNLOADING AREA AT GROUND FLOOR, HONG NING COURT, 55 HONG NING ROAD, KWUN TONG.

THE OTHER TWO ARE EXTENDING FROM THE FIFTH FLOOR, 180 HAI TAN STREET, SHAM SHUI PO AND FROM THE THIRD FLOOR, HUNG HSING MANSION, 482 AND 484 NATHAN ROAD.

NOTICES OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR CLOSURE ORDERS FROM HONG KONG DISTRICT COURT FOR THE THREE ADDRESSES ON JULY 30, SEPTEMBER 18 AND AUGUST 14 RESPECTIVELY WERE POSTED ON THE PREMISES TODAY (FRIDAY).

DEMOLITION WORK IS EXPECTED TO START ONCE THE CLOSURE ORDERS ARE GRANTED.

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YOUNG VIOLINIST TO ATTEND U.S. MUSIC CAMP

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THE MUSIC OFFICE WILL SEND A TALENTED VIOLINIST, CHENG SZE-WAI, TO JOIN THE NATIONAL MUSIC CAMP TO BE HELD IN INTERLOCHEN, MICHIGAN, USA THIS SUMMER FOR AN EIGHT-WEEK INTENSIVE TRAINING IN MUSIC.

THE MUSIC CAMP IS A PRESTIGIOUS ANNUAL EVENT TO CULTIVATE INTERNATIONAL FRIENDSHIP THROUGH MUSIC. IT IS NOW IN ITS 64TH SEASON AND WILL BE HELD FROM JUNE 23 TO AUGUST 19.

SELECTED LOCALLY FROM A GROUP OF HIGHLY QUALIFIED YOUNG MUSICIANS BETWEEN THE AGE OF 14 TO 18, CHENG SZE-WAI WILL VIE FOR THE HIGHEST HONOUR OF BEING SELECTED AS A MEMBER OF THE CAMP'S WORLD YOUTH SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA IN THE UNITED STATES.

THE CAMP WILL INCLUDE MASTERCLASSES AND WORKSHOPS WITH SOME OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST MUSICIANS. IN ADDITION, IT OFFERS RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES SUCH AS SING-A-SONGS AROUND CAMP FIRES, CANOEING AND SWIMMING.

CHENG SZE-WAI, 17, HAS BEEN SELECTED BY THE MUSIC OFFICE THROUGH AN OPEN AUDITION. HE IS AT PRESENT A FORM IV STUDENT OF DIOCESAN BOYS' SCHOOL.

HE STARTED TO PLAY VIOLIN AT THE AGE OF FOUR. HIS MUSIC TEACHERS INCLUDED RENOWNED VIOLINISTS MRS TAKAKO HEYMANN AND MR LIN HAK-CHEONG.

DURING THE PAST YEARS, HE HAD PARTICIPATED IN MANY MUSIC ACTIVITIES ORGANISED BY THE MUSIC OFFICE, INCLUDING THE HONG KONG YOUTH MUSIC CAMP AND THE HONG KONG YOUTH STRING MUSIC FESTIVAL.

IN EARLY 1990, SZE-WAI WON THE FIRST PRIZE IN THE VIOLIN SOLOS AT THE HONG KONG SCHOOLS MUSIC FESTIVAL.

A FEW MONTHS LATER, HE WAS SELECTED AS A MEMBER OF THE ASIAN YOUTH ORCHESTRA AND GAVE A SERIES OF PUBLIC PERFORMANCES IN HONG KONG AND OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES.

"I AM VERY HAPPY AND EXCITED FOR HAVING THIS OPPORTUNITY TO BROADEN MY MUSICAL KNOWLEDGE AND TO MEET YOUNG MUSICIANS FROM VARIOUS PARTS OF THE WORLD," SZE-WAI SAID, ADDING THAT HE WOULD DO HIS BEST TO INTRODUCE HONG KONG TO OTHER CAMPERS.

HE WILL LEAVE HONG KONG NEXT FRIDAY (JUNE 21) AND IS EXPECTED TO RETURN IN LATE AUGUST.

THE CAMP FEE WILL BE MET BY THE CAMP ORGANISERS WHILE THE ROUND-TRIP AIR PASSAGE WILL BE JOINTLY SPONSORED BY THE CATHAY PACIFIC AIRWAYS AND THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB MUSIC FUND.

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INTRODUCTION OF CROSS HARBOUR BUS ROUTE 301

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THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY (FRIDAY) THAT A NEW CROSS HARBOUR AIR-CONDITIONED BUS ROUTE, NO. 301, WHICH WILL PLY BETWEEN HUNG HOM (CROSS HARBOUR TUNNEL TOLL PLAZA) AND CENTRAL WILL BE INTRODUCED ON WEDNESDAY (JUNE 19).

THE ROUTE WILL BE IN SERVICE MONDAY TO SATURDAY. THE FARE PER SINGLE JOURNEY IS \$5.50 WHILE THE FARE AFTER LEAVING THE CROSS HARBOUR TUNNEL IS \$3.50.

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FARE INCREASE OF GMB ROUTE 21K

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THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY (FRIDAY) THAT FROM SATURDAY (JUNE 15), THE FARE OF KOWLOON GREEN MINIBUS ROUTE 21K WHICH PLIES BETWEEN TAI KOK TSUI AND MONG KOK KCR STATION, WILL BE ADJUSTED TO \$2.20 PER SINGLE JOURNEY IN ORDER TO IMPROVE FINANCIAL VIABILITY.

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HONG KONG GOVERNMENT EXCHANGE FUND
MONEY MARKET OPERATIONS

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CLOSING BALANCE IN THE ACCOUNT ON	13.6.91	380
EFFECT OF FORWARDS TO BE SETTLED ON	14.6.91	-38
EFFECT OF OPERATIONS THIS MORNING		+38
EFFECT OF OPERATIONS THIS AFTERNOON		+50*
TRADE WEIGHTED INDEX 114.8 **0.0*	14.6.91	

* LATE O/N ASSISTANCE TO BE REVERSED ON 19.6.91

HONG KONG GOVERNMENT EXCHANGE FUND BILLS

CLOSING YIELDS OF EXCHANGE FUND BILLS

	14.6.91	13.6.91
MATURING IN 1 WEEK	7.66 PCT	7.64 PCT
1 MONTH	7.51 PCT	7.51 PCT
3 MONTHS	7.43 PCT	7.47 PCT
6 MONTHS	7.42 PCT	7.46 PCT
12 MONTHS	7.43 PCT	7.45 PCT
TOTAL BILLS TRANSFERRED	1,510 MN	1,317 MN

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EMBARGOED NEWS ITEM:

NOTE TO EDITORS OF
NEWSPAPERS, NEWS AGENCIES
AND BROADCASTING STATIONS:

The following announcement on the Queen's Birthday Honours List will be made in London at 0001 hours GMT on Saturday, June 15.

Publication is permitted in Hong Kong newspapers tomorrow (Saturday, June 15), but no news agency or overseas radio transmission of the announcement may carry the information without the embargo qualification.

The news may be broadcast from 6 am onwards tomorrow (Saturday, June 15) over the local radio and television stations.

On NO account should any of the recipients of Honours be contacted for interviews, or for information related to their careers, or be approached in any way in connection with their awards before these have been publicly announced.

BIRTHDAY HONOURS 1991

CBE (Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire)

The Honourable Mr Justice David Stronach HUNTER

Mr LI Yuet-ting, JP

The Honourable Edward Barrie WIGGHAM, JP

Dr the Honourable WANG Gungwu

Mr WONG Chung-hin, JP

OBE (Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire)

The Honourable CHUNG Pui-lam, JP

Mr James Kerr FINDLAY, QC, JP

Dr Ronald LEUNG Ding-bong, JP

Professor Felice LIEH-MAK

Mr Anthony William NICOLLE

Mr John Albert THORPE, QPM, CPM

The Honourable Andrew WONG Wang-fat, JP

ISO (Companion of the Imperial Service Order)

Mr Horace Raymond KNIGHT, MBE, JP

Mr Peter LOK Kung-nam

Mr MIAO Chi, JP

MBE (Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire)

Mr CHEUNG Kuen

Mr LAI Kwok-hung

Mrs Rose LAM CHEN Jing-han

Mr LI Kwing-yee

Mr LOW Chuck-tiew

Mrs Anne MARDEN, JP

Mr TANG Kam-yan

Mr WONG Wah-sang

MBE (Military Division)

Major Robert KAM Yiu-leung

Wing Commander Peter Dicky YIP

BEM (British Empire Medal)

Mr CHAN Kwok-chan

Mr CHAN Yuk-yue

Mr CHEUNG Jai

Mr Michael HO Kam-tat

Mr KO Kwai-shun

Mr LAM Hung-kui

Mr LAU Pui

Mr Philip Archibald LEUNG

Mr Edmond LOK Ka-yiu

Mr MAK Kai-ki

Ms Barbara SIT Woon-ling

Mr SO Kam-ming

Ms TO Yee-har

Mr WONG Lam-sang

Mr YUE Yun-hing

QPM (The Queen's Police Medal)

Mr Barrie Joseph DEEGAN

Mr Robert Anthony STEELE

CPM (Colonial Police Medal)

Mr George Frederick Noel ACHESON

Mr Richard James BEST

Mr CHAN Chun-kei

Mr CHAN Kwong-fuk

Mr CHAN Tak-wang

Mr CHAN Yiu-tin

Mr CHAN Yuk-sang

Mr CHIANG Chi-ming

Mr CHOW Man-hing

Mr Ronald James CLIBBORN-DYER

Mr HO Kwok-hong

Mr Robin Curtis HOBBS

Mr Dadan KHAN

Mr LAM Chun-man

Mr LAM Wah-hing

Mr Michael LIU Chi-yuen

Mr MIAO Hsiung-hsun

Mr Alan Douglas NEWTON

Mr SIU Kit-hung

Mr WONG Sik-chung

Mr WONG Yat-lam

Badge of Honour

Mr Christopher CHAN Cheuk
Mr CHING Cheung-ying
Mr Paul FAN Chor-ho
Mr HUI Yung-chung
Mr LAM Kam
Mr LEE Shung-shin
Mr NG Chi-wing
Mrs Delia PEI CHEN Chi-kuen
Mr TANG Che-cheung
Mr TANG Ying-yip
Mr Charles TIN Man-sin
Mr TONG Yok-kee
Mr WONG Wai-man
Mr ZAI Chung-ling

Military Division

OBE

Lieutenant Colonel Christopher George PATEY

MBE

Major Balkrishna RAI
Lieutenant James Colin JOHN

BEM

Staff Sergeant Hugh COLLETT

Sergeant Dhanbahadur THAPA

Staff Sergeant Gobinda RAI

Sergeant Kulbahadur LIMBU

Staff Sergeant Julian John PENNIE

CBE

The Honourable Mr Justice David Stronach HUNTER

Mr Justice Hunter was called to the Bar in 1951, became a Queen's Counsel 1971 and a Middle Temple Bencher in 1979. He joined the High Court Bench in Hong Kong in 1982 and became a Justice of Appeal in 1987. In addition to his High Court duties he has been involved in the successful establishment of Hong Kong as an arbitration centre and in preparatory work for the creation of a Court of Final Appeal in Hong Kong. He is currently on leave in the United Kingdom.

Mr LI Yuet-ting, JP

Mr Li has worked in the Education Department for over 30 years, becoming director in 1987. His service has coincided with a period of rapid expansion in Hong Kong's education system. He has been involved in the planning of universal, free and compulsory education up to the age of 15, the school building programme and a wide range of policies designed to improve the quality of primary and secondary education.

The Honourable Edward Barrie WIGGHAM, JP

Mr Wiggham joined the Hong Kong civil service in 1961 and began his career in the New Territories. He has held a series of important appointments including Deputy Secretary, Home Affairs and Information Branch, Commissioner for Recreation and Culture and Regional Secretary for Hong Kong and Kowloon. In 1986 he was seconded to the British Embassy in Peking and, on return to Hong Kong he was appointed Secretary, General Duties. He took up his present post of Secretary for the Civil Service in April 1990. He was appointed as an official member of the Executive Council in December 1, 1989.

Dr the Honourable WANG Gungwu

Dr Wang is a distinguished historian who has held a number of important academic posts, principally in Singapore, Malaysia and Australia. He became Vice Chancellor of the University of Hong Kong in 1986. Dr Wang was appointed to the Executive Council in January 1990. He is a member of the OMELCO standing panels on Education, Environmental Affairs and Recreation and Culture. Dr Wang is also Chairman of the Environmental Pollution Advisory Committee and the Council for the Performing Arts.

Mr WONG Chung-hin, JP

Mr Wong is the senior partner in a firm of solicitors and was President of the Law Society of Hong Kong from 1977 to 1979. He was a member of the Companies Law Revision Committee and a founder member of the Securities Advisory Council, which later became the Securities Commission. Mr Wong was Chairman of the Securities Commission from 1986 to 1989, and played a key role in its evolution into the present Securities and Futures Commission. He has also served on the Councils of the Hong Kong and City Polytechnics.

OBE

The Honourable CHUNG Pui-lam, JP

Mr Chung became a member of the Sham Shui Po District Board in 1983. In 1985 he was elected to the Legislative Council from the Sham Shui Po Electoral College Constituency. He was re-elected in 1988, and is a member of the Public Works Sub-Committee and the Public Accounts Committee of the Legislative Council, and Convenor of the OMELCO standing panel on Constitutional Development. He has a long and wide ranging record of public and community service in Hong Kong.

Mr James Kerr FINDLAY, QC, JP

Mr Findlay came to Hong Kong in 1980 and worked in the Law Drafting Division until 1984. In 1984 he was appointed Solicitor General and was involved in a heavy workload of legal and constitutional matters connected with the future of Hong Kong. He also processed a large number of complex court cases, including several Privy Council cases. In May 1989 he took up an acting appointment as a Deputy High Court Judge. He returned to the Legal Department in April 1990 and is now the Law Draftsman.

Dr Ronald LEUNG Ding-bong, JP

Dr Leung joined the Urban Council in 1984. Since his appointment he has been deeply involved in health and environmental hygiene matters and was Chairman of the Urban Council's Environmental Hygiene Select Committee from 1986 to 1989. He has been Chairman of the Council's Public Health Select Committee since its formation in 1989 and was elected Chairman of the Council in 1991. Dr Leung's extensive community service dates back to 1964. He has been a leading figure in Hong Kong's anti-smoking movement, and is Chairman of the Hong Kong Council on Smoking and Health.

Professor Felice LIEH-MAK

Prof Lieh-Mak is Professor in the Department of Psychiatry in the Hong Kong University's Faculty of Medicine. In addition to her academic work, Prof Lieh-Mak has been very active in the fields of social welfare and rehabilitation for the mentally handicapped. She has been a member of the Social Welfare Advisory Committee since 1986 and Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Social Work Training and Manpower Planning since 1987.

Mr Anthony William NICOLLE

Mr Nicolle joined the Hong Kong Government on secondment from the Bank of England in May 1987 and became Commissioner of Banking later that year. He has been responsible for introducing reforms to the regulatory system to conform with the standards required by Hong Kong as an international financial centre. He has also been instrumental in improving auditing standards. He leaves the Government service later this year at the end of his period of secondment.

Mr John Albert THORPE, QPM, CPM

Mr Thorpe joined the Royal Hong Kong Police in 1960 and was promoted to the rank of Deputy Commissioner of Police in 1988 on appointment as Director of Special Branch. Almost all his service has been spent in Special Branch and the Criminal Investigation Department and he has led or taken part in many major investigations. He was awarded the Colonial Police Medal for Meritorious Service in 1978 and the Queen's Police Medal in 1984.

The Honourable Andrew WONG Wang-fat, JP

Mr Wong joined the Sha Tin District Board in 1981. In 1985 he was elected to the Legislative Council from the New Territories (East) Electoral College Constituency. Mr Wong was re-elected in 1988. He is the Convenor of the OMELCO Standing Panel on Constitutional Development and has been deeply involved in matters connected with the constitutional development of Hong Kong. He has also served as a member of nine other OMELCO standing panels. Outside the Legislative Council he is involved in a large number of public service and community activities.

ISO

Mr Horace Raymond KNIGHT, MBE, JP

Mr Knight joined the Labour Department in 1969 and became Director of Technical Education and Industrial Training in 1988. In this post he also serves as the Executive Director of the Vocational Training Council. Mr Knight's career has been closely associated with the development of manpower training in Hong Kong. He was responsible for setting up the Clothing Industrial Training Authority and the Construction Industrial Training Authority in 1975 and the Vocational Training Council in 1982.

Mr Peter LOK Kung-nam

Mr Lok entered the Civil Aviation Department as an Air Traffic Control Assistant in 1956. He became Director of Civil Aviation in 1990. Mr Lok has been associated with a period of growth in civil aviation which has seen Kai Tak become the world's sixth busiest passenger airport and the fourth busiest for freight. He has been deeply involved in the planning for Hong Kong's new airport.

Mr MIAO Chi, JP

Mr Miao joined the Hong Kong Government as an assistant electrical engineer in 1963. He has been Director of Electrical and Mechanical Services for two years. Mr Miao is a very experienced engineer and manager and has been responsible for a number of innovative changes in his department. He is scheduled to retire from Government service in 1992.

MBE

Mr CHEUNG Kuen

Mr Cheung has a long record of community service in the New Territories. He has been involved in the New Territories Chamber of Commerce, the Scout Association, the St John's Ambulance Brigade and the North District Fight Crime Committee. Mr Cheung has been a member of the North District Board since 1981.

Mr LAI Kwok-hung

Mr Lai joined the then Preventive Service (now the Customs and Excise Department) in 1960. During his 31 years with the Department he has served in every division, but has been most closely associated with preventive measures against narcotics and copyright protection. Mr Lai will retire in November 1991.

Mrs Rose LAM CHEN Jing-han

Mrs Lam began her nursing career in 1951. She was appointed Nursing Director in 1988 and is responsible for over 11,000 nurses. In her 40 years of service she has gained a very wide range of nursing experience and has specialised in operating theatre techniques and nursing administration.

Mr LI Kwing-ye

Mr Li is the Hong Kong Government's Chief Pharmacist. He joined the service in 1956, and holds a number of important appointments in the pharmaceutical profession, including Chairman of the Pharmaceutical Registration Committee. He is also a member of the Working Party on Chinese Medicine. He retires in October 1991.

Mr LOW Chuck-tiew

Mr Low is a retired banker. He is a lover of Chinese art and a well known collector of Chinese paintings and calligraphy. He has advised the Hong Kong Museum of Art since 1974 and has often made his own collections available for exhibitions. Recently he donated a major part of his collection, the Xubaizhai collection, to the Hong Kong Museum of Art.

Mrs Anne MARDEN, JP

Mrs Marden has been involved in voluntary work in Hong Kong for nearly 40 years. In the 1960's she became Director of Hong Kong Red Cross. In 1970 she and her husband established a charitable foundation to provide pre-vocational training for less academically gifted children. Mrs Marden also helped to found "Challenge Venture", a factory offering jobs for the handicapped, and "Treats", which aims to give underprivileged children "a day to remember".

Mr TANG Kam-yan

Mr Tang joined Government service in 1951. He is now Principal Land Executive, the head of the Land Executive Grade. In the 1960's he was involved in land acquisition for Tsuen Wan and later Tuen Mun new towns. From 1982 to 1987 he was head of the Village Improvement Unit, Buildings and Lands Department.

Mr WONG Wah-sang

Mr Wong is a prominent figure in the field of shipbuilding and engineering. He became a member of the Kwun Tong District Board in 1981. He has also taken a wide ranging interest in community service, including Junior Police call, the Po Leung Kuk, the Scout Association and many sporting and recreational activities.

MBE (Mil)

Major Robert KAM Yiu-leung

Major Kam has been a member of the Royal Hong Kong Regiment (the Volunteers) since 1956. He has held a number of key appointments in the Regiment, including Senior Warrant Officer from 1977 to 1979. He was promoted to Major in 1987 and for the past four years has commanded the Home Guard Squadron of the Regiment.

Wing Commander Peter Dicky YIP

Wing Commander Yip joined the Royal Hong Kong Auxiliary Air Force in 1967 and was appointed Officer Commanding the Flying Squadron in 1983. In 1985 he was posted by his employer, the Hongkong Bank, to the United States for three and a half years but rejoined the RHKAAF active list immediately on his return to Hong Kong. He was promoted to Wing Commander and assumed command of the RHKAAF in January 1991.

BEM

Mr CHAN Kwok-chan

Mr Chan joined the Transport Department as a clerk in 1955 and has held a number of positions in the Highways Office and Transport Department. In 1977 he was appointed Senior Clerical Officer in charge of Traffic and Transport Survey Division, where he still serves.

Mr CHAN Yuk-yue

Mr Chan joined the Hong Kong Government service in 1960 on transfer from HM Dockyard. He was appointed a motor driver and joined the Registration of Persons Department (which was amalgamated into the Immigration Department) in 1977. Mr Chan is the Director of Immigration's personal driver.

Mr CHEUNG Jai

Mr Cheung joined the then Preventive Service (now the Customs and Excise Department) in 1958. He is a very experienced officer and has been associated with several large seizures of narcotics. Mr Cheung has been a member of the Executive Committee of the Customs Officers' Union since 1979 and the Chairman since 1987.

Mr Michael HO Kam-tat

Mr Ho has been a permanent staff member of the Auxiliary Medical Services for 30 years. He is currently commander of the Service Training Branch and has been deeply involved in editing an AMS first aid manual.

Mr KO Kwai-shun

Mr Ko joined the Government as a gardener in 1951 and has remained with the service ever since. He is particularly knowledgeable on nursery practice and has introduced more than 50 species of new plants to the Urban Services Nurseries.

Mr LAM Hung-kui

Mr Lam has been a member of the Government service for 40 years. He worked initially in the Electrical and Mechanical Office of the Public Works Department, transferring to the Independent Commission Against Corruption in 1974. He is currently an Executive Officer I with the ICAC.

Mr LAU Pui

Mr Lau joined the civil service as a labourer in 1959. He has a wide experience and knowledge of horticulture and has contributed to many district horticultural functions. He is currently a team leader in Fanling Hong Lok Park.

Mr Philip Archibald LEUNG

During his 34 years' service with the Government, Mr Leung has worked in a number of medical establishments. He has made a major contribution to the Hospital Information System which is being developed at Princess Margaret Hospital. He has been a Senior Clerical Officer since 1981.

Mr Edmond LOK Ka-yiu

Mr Lok has worked on mould technology (the technique of preparing of radiation beam direction shells for radiotherapy treatment) since joining the Government service in 1962. He has been a leading figure in mould laboratory technology in Hong Kong.

Mr MAK Kai-ki

Mr Mak joined the clerical service of the Government in 1955 and his entire career has been spent with the Royal Hong Kong Police. In 1962 he became a police interpreter. He is currently a Senior Police Interpreter working in the Kowloon Region.

Ms Barbara SIT Woon-ling

Ms Sit has been in Government service for 34 years. She was posted to the Immigration Department in 1974 and has served there ever since. She was promoted to Senior Personal Secretary in 1975.

Mr SO Kam-ming

Mr So is currently a Senior Clerical Officer with 32 years' experience in Government. Most of his working life has been spent in the New Territories and he is an expert on land matters.

Ms TO Yee-har

Ms To has been a Government employed registered nurse for 37 years. She will probably retire in December 1991. She has worked mainly in clinics and has assisted medical staff in the general management of clinics.

Mr WONG Lam-sang

Mr Wong was first appointed as a laundry worker in 1964. He was promoted to Laundry Manager in 1973 and is now responsible for the operation of the medical laundry at Queen Elizabeth Hospital.

Mr YUE Yun-hing

Mr Yue has been involved in playing and promoting table tennis in Hong Kong for over 35 years. He was an outstanding player in his younger days and now sponsors and supports many young talented players.

QPM

Mr Barrie Joseph DEEGAN

Mr Deegan has been a member of the Royal Hong Kong Police since 1960 and was promoted to his present rank of Assistant Commissioner in 1990. His service has been principally in the Uniform Branch and has included tours of duty in Inspection Services, Hong Kong Island Regional Headquarters and Marine Region. On promotion to Assistant Commissioner he was appointed Regional Commander, Marine.

Mr Robert Anthony STEELE

Mr Steele joined the Royal Hong Kong Police in 1964 and reached his present rank of Assistant Commissioner in 1988. Most of his service has been with Special Branch, but he has also completed tours of duty in a number of Uniform Branch formations. He commanded the Police Tactical Unit and the Kwun Tong District. He is currently Senior Assistant Director, Special Branch.

CPM

Mr George Frederick Noel ACHESON

Mr Acheson has been a member of the Royal Hong Kong Police since 1960, having served previously with the Royal Ulster Constabulary. He has served in staff and operational posts in the Uniform Branch and is currently Senior Staff Officer, Stores and Maintenance, in Police Headquarters.

Mr Richard James BEST

Mr Best joined the Royal Hong Kong Police in 1968 following two years in the Royal Navy. He has occupied a wide range of Uniform Branch posts, including staff, training and operations. Mr Best is currently Senior Staff Officer, Personnel Career Development.

Mr CHAN Chun-kei

Mr Chan joined the Royal Hong Kong Police in 1966 after three years of locally enlisted service with the Royal Navy. His entire police career has been spent in the Marine Region and he has been posted in the Division's trials and Maintenance Unit since 1982. He was promoted to Station Sergeant in 1985.

Mr CHAN Kwong-fuk

Mr Chan has been a member of the Royal Hong Kong Police since 1968 and was promoted to his present rank of Station Sergeant in 1981. He has served in a variety of Uniform Branch posts, including all three land regions and the Police Training School. He is at present Officer-in-Charge of the Tsuen Wan District Traffic Team.

Mr CHAN Tak-wang

Mr Chan joined the Fire Services Department in 1960 and was promoted to his present rank of Principal Fireman in 1980. Most of his service has been spent in the busy Mong Kok area of Kowloon.

Mr CHAN Yiu-tin

Mr Chan was employed in the Waterworks Department from 1956 to 1962, when he transferred to the Fire Services. He was promoted to his present rank of Principal Fireman in 1984. Mr Chan has served at many fire stations on Hong Kong Island and in Kowloon and is at present commanding the fire station on Peng Chau.

Mr CHAN Yuk-sang

Mr Chan has been a member of the Royal Hong Kong Police for 27 years. He served in a number of different Uniform Branch posts up to 1974, when he transferred to Special Branch. Mr Chan was promoted to his present rank of Station Sergeant in 1985.

Mr CHIANG Chi-ming

Mr Chiang joined the Royal Hong Kong Police in 1959 and was promoted to his present rank of Station Sergeant in 1984. He has served in a variety of posts in the Uniform Branch and Criminal Investigation Department. His present appointment is in charge of the Action Squad in Chai Wan Division.

Mr CHOW Man-hing

Mr Chow has spent nearly 30 years in the Fire Services Department. He was promoted to Principal Fireman in 1982. Mr Chow's entire service has been in fire stations in the very busy Kowloon Fire Command.

Mr Ronald James CLIBBORN-DYER

Mr Clibborn-Dyer joined the Royal Hong Kong Police in 1965 and was promoted to Senior Superintendent in 1982. He has served in a wide variety of appointments in the Uniform Branch, Traffic Wing and the Criminal Investigation Department. Mr Clibborn-Dyer's present post is Senior Staff Officer, Administration, in the New Territories Headquarters.

Mr HO Kwok-hong

Mr Ho has served in the Fire Services Department since 1968. He transferred from fireman to the Ambulance Command in 1973 and was promoted to Superintendent (Ambulance) in 1989. Mr Ho is a qualified United Kingdom National Health Service Ambulance Aid Instructor.

Mr Robin Curtis HOBBS

Mr Hobbs joined the Royal Hong Kong Police in 1958 following two years' service with the Royal Air Force. He rose to his present rank of Chief Inspector in 1971. Mr Hobbs' entire career has been spent in the Uniform Branch and he has specialised in traffic accident statistics and data systems.

Mr Dadan KHAN

Mr Khan transferred to the Royal Hong Kong Police in 1961 following two years in the civil service. He served initially in the Uniform Branch and then transferred to the Criminal Investigation Department. Mr Khan is currently Senior Staff Officer, Identification Bureau. He was promoted to Senior Superintendent in 1989.

Mr LAM Chun-man

Mr Lam joined the Fire Services Department in 1968 and was promoted to his present rank of Senior Divisional Officer in 1989. He has served in several units of the Operational Command, Fire Protection Bureau and Headquarters Command and has commanded many operations.

Mr LAM Wah-hing

Mr Lam has been with the Fire Services for 29 years and was promoted to Principal Fireman in 1978. Mr Lam has spent his entire career in busier fire stations in the Kowloon Command and has attended many major incidents.

Mr Michael LIU Chi-yuen

Mr Liu joined the Royal Hong Kong Auxiliary Police Force in 1968 and was promoted to his present rank of Senior Superintendent in 1986. He has spent most of his service in Sha Tin and is currently Senior Superintendent (Auxiliary) in the Kowloon Region. Mr Liu's civilian occupation is a Schools Inspector with the Education Department.

Mr MIAO Hsiung-hsun

Mr Miao served for 40 years with the Royal Hong Kong Police and retired recently in the rank of Inspector. He served initially in the Uniform Branch, transferring in 1954 to the Identification Bureau where he spent the remainder of his career. Mr Miao is an expert on fingerprint technology.

Mr Alan Douglas NEWTON

Mr Newton joined the Royal Hong Kong Police in 1969 and was promoted to his rank of Superintendent in 1986. He has served in a wide range of posts in the Uniform Branch and Criminal Investigation Department. Since 1988 he has been successively Superintendent of the Erskine Centre and the High Island Centre for Vietnamese Boat People in Sai Kung.

Mr SIU Kit-hung

Mr Siu has 36 years' service with the Royal Hong Kong Police and has been in the Marine Police throughout his career. He is a Technical Inspector and was promoted to that rank in 1976. He is due to retire later this year.

Mr WONG Sik-chung

Mr Wong joined the Royal Hong Kong Police in 1962 and was promoted to his present rank of Station Sergeant in 1975. Mr Wong has served in a number of different posts in the Uniform Branch. In 1984 he was assigned to the Police Tactical Unit where he is still stationed as Headquarters Station Sergeant.

Mr WONG Yat-lam

Mr Wong has been a member of the Royal Hong Kong Police since 1966 and was promoted to his present rank of Superintendent in 1983. His first nine years were spent in the Uniform Branch and Criminal Investigation Department. Mr Wong transferred to Special Branch in 1975 where he is still serving.

Badge of Honour

Mr Christopher CHAN Cheuk

Mr Chan is a solicitor who has been involved in community service related to youth development and the charitable work of the Po Leung Kuk.

Mr CHING Cheung-ying

Mr Ching is a teacher and a member of the Sha Tin District Board. He has been active in public service and community work in the District.

Mr Paul FAN Chor-ho

Mr Fan is a businessman who has done much community work, particularly in association with the Lions Club.

Mr HUI Yung-chung

Mr Hui is a teacher. He is a member of the Southern District Board and has been its chairman since 1988. He has been involved in a wide range of community work in the District.

Mr LAM Kam

For the last 30 years Mr Lam has assisted former drug addicts. He is the Executive Secretary of the Pui Hong Self Help Association.

Mr LEE Shung-shin

Mr Lee is a businessman with a long record of community work. In particular he has been associated with the promotion of the Area Committees in Kwai Tsing.

Mr NG Chi-wing

Mr Ng is the Community Services Secretary of the Tung Wah Group of Hospitals. He has been closely involved in the rapid development of the welfare services of the Tung Wah Group.

Mrs Delia PEI CHEN Chi-kuen

Mrs Pei is the principal of a kindergarten. She has been active in pre-primary education, cultural affairs and charitable work.

Mr TANG Che-cheung

Mr Tang is a restaurant proprietor. He has been the Village Representative of San Wai Village, Ha Tsuen for 23 years and was Chairman of the Ha Tsuen Rural Committee for 10 years. He has a long record of public and community service.

Mr TANG Ying-yip

Mr Tang is a businessman and joined the Pok Oi Hospital Board of Directors in 1983, becoming Chairman of the Board in 1990. He has also been involved in a number of other community activities.

Mr Charles TIN Man-sin

Mr Tin is a businessman whose family have had a long association with Tuen Mun. He has been involved in a wide range of community work, including the chairmanship of the Yan Oi Tong.

Mr TONG Yok-kee

Mr Tong is a primary school headmaster. He has been a member or chairman of a number of boards and committees, all dedicated to improving educational standards in Hong Kong.

Mr WONG Wai-man

Mr Wong is now retired following service with the Royal Navy and the Hong Kong Government. He is a member of the Kwun Tong District Board and has been very active in community affairs.

Mr ZAI Chung-ling

A businessman, Mr Zai has been a member and the chairman of the Yan Chai Hospital Board. During Mr Zai's chairmanship the Board's fund raising activities were particularly successful.

Military Division

OBE

Lieutenant Colonel Christopher George PATEY

Former Commanding Officer of the Royal Hong Kong Regiment (The Volunteers).

MBE

Major Balkrishna RAI

Major (Queen's Gurkha Officer) Balkrishna RAI (Queen's Gurkha Signals).

Lieutenant James Colin JOHN

1st Battalion The Royal Regiment of Wales.

BEM

Staff Sergeant Hugh COLLETT

Royal Army Ordnance Corps now serving in Headquarters British
Forces Hong Kong.

Sergeant Dhanbahadur THAPA

Formerly Queen's Gurkha Signals, now discharged.

Staff Sergeant Gobinda RAI

10th Princess Mary's Own Gurkha Rifles.

Sergeant Kulbahadur LIMBU

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