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SCOUTS' CRUCIAL ROLE STRESSED BY GOVERNOR

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HONG KONG'S SCOUTS HAVE A +CRUCIAL ROLE+ TO PLAY IN THE COMMUNITIES, THE GOVERNOR, SIR MURRAY MACLEHOSE, SAID AT THE ST. GEORGE'S DAY RALLY HELD THIS AFTERNOON (SATURDAY) AT THE DIOCESAN BOYS' SCHOOL.

SPEAKING AS THE PATRON AND CHIEF SCOUT ON THE 70TH YEAR OF THE SCOUTS ASSOCIATION'S +SERVICES TO THE YOUNG PEOPLE OF HONG KONG,+ SIR MURRAY SAID THE SCOUTS COULD PARTICULARLY+ HELP TO COUNTER THE UNSETTLING EFFECT OF THE RAPID CHANGES TAKING PLACE IN HONG KONG BY PROVIDING NEW TIES AND ASSOCIATIONS, NEW FRIENDS AND AN OUTLET FOR YOUTHFUL ENERGY AND INTEREST.

THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH :

FELLOW SCOUTS AND GUESTS,

THIS YEAR YOUR ASSOCIATION COMMEMORATES THE 70TH ANNIVERSARY OF ITS SERVICE TO THE YOUNG PEOPLE OF HONG KONG, A RECORD OF WHICH YOU CAN BE JUSTLY PROUD.

YOUR OFFICIALS ARE NOW PUTTING THE FINISHING TOUCHES TO THE +BLUEPRINT FOR THE 80S+, TO GUIDE THE ASSOCIATION THROUGH THIS DECADE. IT ENVISAGES GREATER INVOLVEMENT BY SCOUTING IN COMMUNITY BUILDING. SOME EXPERIMENTAL SCHEMES WILL BE RUN OVER THE NEXT 3 YEARS IN THE NEW TOWNS AND IN THE HOUSING ESTATES IN THE URBAN AREAS. IF SUCCESSFUL, THEY WILL BE EXTENDED TO ACHIEVE A CLOSER ASSOCIATION OF THE SCOUTING MOVEMENT WITH LOCAL COMMUNITIES.

THE SCOUTS HAVE A CRUCIAL ROLE TO PLAY IN OUR COMMUNITIES. PARTICULARLY THEY CAN HELP TO COUNTER THE UNSETTLING EFFECT OF THE RAPID CHANGES TAKING PLACE IN HONG KONG BY PROVIDING NEW TIES AND ASSOCIATIONS, NEW FRIENDS, AND AN OUTLET FOR YOUTHFUL ENERGY AND INTEREST. I THEREFORE WISH YOU EVERY SUCCESS IN YOUR NEW ENDEAVOURS.

THE ASSOCIATION IS ALSO LOOKING AHEAD TO THE COMING YEAR, WHEN THE WORLD MOVEMENT WILL BE CELEBRATING THE 75TH ANNIVERSARY OF SCOUTING. IT IS PROPOSED THAT SPECIAL EVENTS BE ORGANISED TO COMMEMORATE THE GENIUS AND FORESIGHT OF YOUR FOUNDER.

AS YOUR PATRON AND CHIEF SCOUT I HAVE WATCHED WITH KEEN INTEREST THE PROGRESS MADE BY SCOUTING OVER THE YEARS. YOU HAVE GONE FROM STRENGTH TO STRENGTH. I HAVE BEEN PARTICULARLY IMPRESSED BY THE MASSIVE SUPPORT YOU HAVE MANAGED TO CREATE IN SO MANY SECTORS OF THE COMMUNITY, AND BY THE STRENUOUS EFFORTS YOU HAVE MADE TO ENSURE THAT SCOUTING REMAINS ATTRACTIVE AND RELEVANT TO THE YOUNG PEOPLE OF HONG KONG. YOUR SERVICES TO YOUTH AND TO SOCIETY ARE APPRECIATED BY ALL. I TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO COMMEND ALL OF YOU ON YOUR PAST CONTRIBUTION AND TO WISH YOU CONTINUING SUCCESS IN THE FUTURE.

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BE CAREFUL, HIKERS ARE WARNED
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HIKERS AND MOUNTAIN CLIMBERS WERE GIVEN A TIMELY REMINDER FOR THE HOLIDAYS TO BE VERY CAREFUL AND TO FOLLOW ALL SAFETY PRECAUTIONS, BY THE DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS FOR THE CIVIL AID SERVICES, MR J.A. FORTUNE.

RECALLING THE TWO ACCIDENTS WHICH OCCURRED A FEW DAYS AGO, ONE OF WHICH WAS FATAL, MR FORTUNE STRESSED TODAY (SATURDAY) THAT HONG KONG IS +NOTORIOUSLY MOUNTAINOUS AND UNLESS COMMON SENSE AND BASIC SAFETY FACTORS ARE FOLLOWED, ACCIDENTS — AND TRAGEDIES — CAN OCCUR.+

HE LISTED THE FOLLOWING PRECAUTIONS AND SAFETY HINTS:

1. ALWAYS WALK IN A MEDIUM-SIZED GROUP WHICH HAS AN EXPERIENCED LEADER.
2. THE LEADER SHOULD HAVE AN ASSISTANT TO BRING UP THE REAR OF THE PARTY TO KEEP THE GROUP TOGETHER.
3. THE LEADER SHOULD PLAN THE ROUTE AND CHECK THE WEATHER CONDITIONS AND ENSURE EVERY MEMBER IS PROPERLY EQUIPPED. HE SHOULD LET A RESPONSIBLE PERSON KNOW THE ROUTE HE IS TAKING.
4. THEY SHOULD HAVE ESSENTIAL CLOTHING, INCLUDING A GOOD PAIR OF WALKING BOOTS, THICK SOCKS, LONG TROUSERS, A LIGHTWEIGHT WATERPROOF JACKET, A SUN HAT AND A RUCKSACK IN WHICH SHOULD BE CARRIED SOME FOOD, A SMALL FIRST AID KIT, A MAP, A COMPASS, A TORCH, A WHISTLE, A NOTEBOOK, A PENCIL AND A SMALL AMOUNT OF CASH FOR EMERGENCY.
5. THE GROUP SHOULD MOVE AT THE SPEED OF THE SLOWEST PERSON AND ENSURE NO ONE IS LEFT BEHIND.
6. DO NOT PANIC EVEN WHEN AN ACCIDENT OCCURS.
7. REMEMBER THE INTERNATIONAL DISTRESS SIGNAL, WHICH IS SIX LONG BLASTS ON A WHISTLE, OR SIX LONG FLASHES OF A TORCH AT NIGHT OR SIX LOUD SHOUTS. PAUSE ONE MINUTE AND THEN REPEAT. THE REPLY BY A RESCUE TEAM IS THREE LONG BLASTS OR FLASHES OR SHOUTS. NEVER GIVE SIGNALS UNLESS NECESSARY.
8. IF A SERIOUS ACCIDENT OCCURS, TREAT THE PATIENT FOR SHOCK AND DO NOT MOVE HIM UNLESS NECESSARY.
9. IF YOUR GROUP HAS MORE THAN THREE PERSONS, SEND TWO MEMBERS WITH WRITTEN MESSAGE FOR HELP. THE MESSAGE SHOULD CONTAIN ALL ESSENTIAL INFORMATION FOR THE RESCUE TEAM.
10. AT THE SCENE OF THE ACCIDENT EVERYTHING POSSIBLE SHOULD BE DONE TO MAKE THE VICTIM COMFORTABLE AND TO KEEP UP HIS MORALE.

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GUANGDONG GROUP VISITS GPO

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AN EIGHT-MEMBER DELEGATION HEADED BY MR LI QING-WAN, DIRECTOR OF GUANGDONG POSTS AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS ADMINISTRATIVE BUREAU, HAS BEEN IN HONG KONG SINCE APRIL 20, 1981 AT THE INVITATION OF THE POSTMASTER GENERAL, MR A.C. HEATHCOTE.

DISCUSSIONS ON THE QUESTION OF THE MANAGEMENT OF THE RADIO SPECTRUM AFFECTING BOTH GUANGDONG AND HONG KONG WERE HELD IN A FRANK AND CORDIAL ATMOSPHERE. VIEWS WERE ALSO EXCHANGED ON THE USE OF RADIO FREQUENCY AND THE CONTROL OF RADIO INTERFERENCE. BOTH PARTIES AGREED TO COOPERATE IN FUTURE IN THESE MATTERS AND EXCHANGE TECHNICAL INFORMATION EARLY.

THIS WILL BE FOLLOWED BY MEETINGS OF TECHNICAL STAFF IN ORDER TO ENHANCE THE FUTURE DEVELOPMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS WITHIN THE TWO TERRITORIES.

BOTH PARTIES ALSO DISCUSSED THE OPERATIONS OF EXISTING TELECOMMUNICATION FACILITIES AND THE PATTERN OF THE FUTURE DEVELOPMENT OF THESE SERVICES BETWEEN GUANGDONG AND HONG KONG, AND WERE SATISFIED WITH THE GOOD COOPERATION BETWEEN THE TWO TERRITORIES.

DURING THEIR STAY IN HONG KONG, THE DELEGATES VISITED THE INTERNATIONAL MAIL CENTRE, THE FREQUENCY MANAGEMENT DIVISION OF THE POST OFFICE, STUDIOS OF THE TELEVISION BROADCAST LIMITED, AS WELL AS THE COMMUNICATION FACILITIES OF CABLE AND WIRELESS LTD AND THE HONG KONG TELEPHONE COMPANY LTD.

MR LI AND HIS PARTY WILL BE LEAVING FOR GUANGZHOU ON MONDAY (APRIL 27), AFTER A STAY OF SEVEN DAYS IN HONG KONG.

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QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

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ABOUT 100 000 PEOPLE ARE EXPECTED TO TAKE PART IN THIS YEAR'S QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS WHICH WILL TAKE PLACE AT MORE THAN 30 LOCATIONS THROUGHOUT HONG KONG ON MONDAY (APRIL 27), A PUBLIC HOLIDAY.

THE MAIN ATTRACTIONS WILL INCLUDE A MILITARY BAND DISPLAY, A PARACHUTE JUMP AND A DISCO DANCE AT VICTORIA PARK, A +SPORT FOR ALL+ AT KOWLOON PARK, A MUSICAL CARNIVAL IN QUEEN ELIZABETH STADIUM AND AN EVENING CONCERT IN TSUEN WAN TOWN HALL.

THE GOVERNOR, SIR MURRAY MACLEHOSE WILL GIVE A GARDEN PARTY AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE TO MEMBERS OF THE CITY DISTRICT COMMITTEES AND DISTRICT BOARDS IN THE AFTERNOON AND ATTEND THE TSUEN WAN CONCERT IN THE EVENING.

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THE CELEBRATIONS IN VICTORIA PARK WHICH ALSO INCLUDE A WIDE RANGE OF SPORTS EVENTS WILL BE OPENED BY THE ACTING CHIEF SECRETARY, MR DENIS BRAY, AT 9.15 AM, WHILE THE KOWLOON PARK PROGRAMME WILL BE LAUNCHED BY UNOFFICIAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCILLOR, REV JOYCE BENNETT, AT 9.30 AM.

IN THE NEW TERRITORIES, VARIOUS SPORTS AND RECREATION ACTIVITIES WILL BE HELD IN THE NEW TOWNS.

THE SECRETARY FOR NEW TERRITORIES, MR DAVID AKERS-JONES WILL START THE EASTERN NEW TERRITORIES PROGRAMME AT FANLING SPORTS GROUND, WHILE THE COMMISSIONER FOR RECREATION AND CULTURE, MR BARRIE WIGGHAM, WILL LAUNCH THE WESTERN NEW TERRITORIES CELEBRATIONS IN TUEN MUN.

ALL THESE OUTDOOR RECREATION AND SPORTS PROGRAMMES ARE ORGANISED BY THE RECREATION AND SPORT SERVICE (RSS) WITH THE PARTICIPATION OF BRITISH FORCES. THEY ARE OPEN FREE TO THE PUBLIC.

THE MUSICAL CARNIVAL AND THE TSUEN WAN CONCERT ARE PRESENTED BY THE MUSIC OFFICE WHICH WILL ALSO STAGE A CHINESE MUSIC AND DANCE SHOW JOINTLY WITH THE RSS IN PUI YING MIDDLE SCHOOL, WO CHE ESTATE, SHA TIN IN THE EVENING.

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TIN HAU FESTIVAL PROCESSION GUEST

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SECRETARY FOR THE NEW TERRITORIES, MR DAVID AKERS-JONES, WILL BE GUEST OF HONOUR AT THE TIN HAU FESTIVAL PROCESSION IN YUEN LONG STADIUM ON MONDAY (APRIL 27). MRS AKERS-JONES WILL ALSO BE PRESENT.

MORE THAN 7 000 PEOPLE FROM 34 LOCAL RURAL ORGANISATIONS WILL TAKE PART IN THE PROCESSION, WHICH WILL BE WATCHED BY AN ESTIMATED 50 000 PEOPLE IN THE STADIUM AND ALONG THE ROUTE.

THE PROCESSION WILL INCLUDE FLOATS AND TRADITIONAL PERFORMANCES, SUCH AS DRAGON, UNICORN AND LION DANCES, CHIU CHAU GONGS AND DRUMS, LANTERN-BEAUTY TROUPES AND CHINESE FOLK DANCES.

THERE WILL ALSO BE BAND MUSIC AND WESTERN DANCES.

THE PROCESSION SETS OFF FROM THE EASTERN BUS TERMINUS OF YUEN LONG TOWN AT 10.30 AM, ARRIVING IN THE STADIUM VIA FUNG CHEUNG, CASTLE PEAK AND TAI YUK ROADS.

IN FRONT OF 4 000 INVITED GUESTS, THE PROCESSION WILL TAKE ABOUT AN HOUR AND A HALF TO PASS THROUGH THE STADIUM. IT WILL THEN MAKE ITS WAY TO THE TIN HAU TEMPLE AT TAI SHUE HA WHERE RELIGIOUS CEREMONIES WILL BE HELD.

THE TRADITIONAL +FA PAU+ DRAW WILL TAKE PLACE AT 2 PM.

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ORGANISED BY SHAP PAT HEUNG RURAL COMMITTEE, THE EVENT CELEBRATES THE BIRTHDAY OF TIN HAU, QUEEN OF HEAVEN, WHICH FALLS ON THE 23RD DAY OF THE THIRD MOON ON THE LUNAR CALENDAR.

TIN HAU IS TRADITIONALLY THE PATRON SAINT OF CHINESE FISHERMEN, WHO PRAY TO HER FOR FAIR WEATHER AND GOOD FISHING. THE TIN HAU FESTIVAL HAS NOW BECOME ONE OF HONG KONG'S MOST COLOURFUL CHINESE FESTIVALS, WITH PEOPLE FROM ALL WALKS OF LIFE TAKING PART.

BESIDES THE YUEN LONG PROCESSION, TIN HAU CELEBRATIONS ARE ALSO HELD AT JOSS HOUSE BAY, TAI PO, CHEUNG CHAU, LAMMA ISLAND AND OTHER FISHING AREAS AROUND HONG KONG WATERS.

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OPPORTUNITY TO BECOME TECHNICAL TEACHERS

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YOUNG PEOPLE WITH EXPERIENCE IN INDUSTRY ARE INVITED TO ENROL IN THE COURSES IN BUILDING STUDIES AND HOTEL-KEEPING AND CATERING RUN BY THE TECHNICAL TEACHERS' COLLEGE OF THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

THE COURSES WILL BE ONE YEAR FULL-TIME AND WILL COMMENCE IN SEPTEMBER THIS YEAR.

THEY ARE INTENDED FOR MATURE STUDENTS WITH SOME YEARS OF INDUSTRIAL EXPERIENCE WHO ARE INTERESTED IN PASSING ON THEIR KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS IN THEIR SPECIAL FIELDS TO STUDENTS IN TECHNICAL EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS, AND IN TAKING UP TEACHING AS A PROFESSION.

FINANCIAL GRANTS MAY BE GIVEN TO STUDENTS ON THE COURSES RANGING FROM \$1 650 TO \$2 500 PER MONTH, DEPENDING ON THE NUMBER OF YEARS OF POST-QUALIFICATION INDUSTRIAL EXPERIENCE.

APPLICANTS FOR BUILDING STUDIES MUST POSSESS A HIGHER CERTIFICATE OR DIPLOMA IN BUILDING STUDIES AWARDED BY THE TECHNICAL COLLEGE, THE POLYTECHNIC OR TECHNICAL INSTITUTES, OR ITS EQUIVALENT.

APPLICANTS TO THE HOTEL-KEEPING AND CATERING COURSE MUST HOLD AN ORDINARY NATIONAL DIPLOMA (UK) IN HOTEL AND CATERING OPERATIONS, OR ITS EQUIVALENT, WITH PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE IN THE RELATED FIELDS.

APPLICATION FORMS ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE HONG KONG TECHNICAL TEACHERS' COLLEGE AT 373 QUEEN'S ROAD EAST, WAN CHAI, HONG KONG.

COMPLETED FORMS MUST BE RETURNED TO THE COLLEGE ON OR BEFORE MAY 9.

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KWUN TONG DISTRICT BOARD MEMBERS
VISIT TSUEN WAN AND SHA TIN
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THIRTY MEMBERS OF KWUN TONG DISTRICT BOARD VISITED TSUEN WAN AND SHA TIN THIS (SATURDAY) MORNING TO HEAR ABOUT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE TWO NEW TOWNS.

LED BY THEIR CHAIRMAN AND CITY DISTRICT COMMISSIONER, MR DAVID TSUI, THE GROUP FIRST TOURED TSUEN WAN TOWN HALL WHERE THEY SHOWED GREAT INTEREST IN ITS FACILITIES.

THEY WERE BRIEFED BY THE MANAGER, MR CHUNG LING-HOI, ON THE LARGE NUMBER OF PERFORMANCES AND ACTIVITIES HELD THERE SINCE THE OFFICIAL OPENING BY PRINCESS ALEXANDRA IN FEBRUARY, 1980.

LATER, AT THE INVITATION OF THE CHAIRMAN OF TSUEN WAN CULTURE AND RECREATION CO-ORDINATING ASSOCIATION, MR CHAN LAU-FONG, MEMBERS VISITED THE ASSOCIATION'S CLUB HOUSE AT CHUNG ON STREET. THEY SAID THEY WERE IMPRESSED BY THE WORK OF THE ASSOCIATION, ESPECIALLY IN PROMOTING CULTURAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES AMONG THE LOCAL COMMUNITY.

AT SHA TIN THEY SAW HOW A PIECE OF VACANT CROWN LAND COULD BE PUT TO TEMPORARY RECREATIONAL USE FOR RESIDENTS.

TODAY'S VISIT WAS THE SECOND OF A SERIES OF STUDY TOURS MADE BY KWUN TONG DISTRICT BOARD MEMBERS. THE AIM IS TO LEARN FROM THEIR COLLEAGUES IN THE NEW TOWNS AND TO SEEK IMPROVEMENTS IN THEIR OWN DISTRICT.

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GAMES DAY FOR ABLE AND DISABLED PERSONS
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THOUSANDS OF ABLE AND DISABLED PERSONS ENJOYED THEMSELVES IN A GAMES DAY THIS AFTERNOON AT VICTORIA PARK.

THE GAMES DAY WAS PART OF A SERIES OF EVENTS TO CELEBRATE THE INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF DISABLED PERSONS (IYDP), ORGANIZED BY THE EASTERN/WANCHAI DISTRICT I.Y.D.P. CO-ORDINATING COMMITTEE.

AT THE OPENING CEREMONY, THE REGIONAL SOCIAL WELFARE OFFICER (HONG KONG), MR KWOK KA-CHI, APPEALED TO THE PUBLIC NOT TO DISCRIMINATE AGAINST THE DISABLED, BUT TO ENCOURAGE THEM, SUPPORT THEM AND MAKE THEM CONFIDENT, AND ALSO TO WELCOME THE REHABILITATED BACK TO THE COMMUNITY.

HE URGED EMPLOYERS TO RECOGNISE THE POTENTIAL OF THE DISABLED PEOPLE AND TRY TO HELP THEM TO DEVELOP THAT POTENTIAL SO AS TO ENABLE THEM TO +REINTEGRATE+ INTO THE COMMUNITY.

VARIOUS PROGRAMMES, INCLUDING STALL GAMES AND SHOWS BY THE MOBILE THEATRE OF THE GOVERNMENT INFORMATION SERVICES, WERE ARRANGED TO ENTERTAIN THE GUESTS AND PARTICIPANTS.

SOME OF THE DISABLED PARTICIPANTS SHOWED THEIR TALENT IN SINGING, DANCING, AND WHEELCHAIR DANCING PERFORMANCES TO THE DELIGHT OF THE GATHERING.

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BOOK ON NAMES OF BUILDINGS ON SALE
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A NEW EDITION OF +NAMES OF BUILDINGS+, COMPILED BY THE RATING AND VALUATION DEPARTMENT, IS NOW ON SALE AT THE GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS CENTRE, GENERAL POST OFFICE BUILDING, CONNAUGHT PLACE, AT \$64 EACH.

THE BOOK CONTAINS A COMPREHENSIVE LIST OF BUILDING NAMES WITH THE OFFICIAL ADDRESSES AND INCLUDES THE CHINESE VERSION OF THE NAMES.

THE BOOK IS DIVIDED INTO TWO PARTS.

PART ONE CONTAINS NAMES OF BUILDINGS IN HONG KONG, KOWLOON AND NEW KOWLOON, AND PART TWO CONTAINS THOSE IN THE NEW TERRITORIES, INCLUDING MOST OF THE OUTLYING ISLANDS. IN ADDITION, AN INDEX OF CHINESE NAMES IS PROVIDED IN EACH PART.

THE COMMISSIONER OF RATING AND VALUATION, MR R.A. FRY SAID TODAY (SATURDAY) +THE NUMBER OF BUILDING NAMES RECORDED HAS NOW GROWN TO OVER 7 500, AND THERE IS CONSIDERABLE DEMAND FOR THE BOOK FROM BOTH GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND PRIVATE BUSINESSES+.

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PRISONS DEPARTMENT DONATES TO COMMUNITY CHEST
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THE PRISONS DEPARTMENT RAISED A TOTAL OF \$33 402 FOR THE COMMUNITY CHEST IN THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING IN MARCH, 1981.

THE MONEY, A RECORD SUM RAISED BY THE DEPARTMENT, CAME FROM CONTRIBUTIONS BY ITS STAFF AND A CHARITY WALK IN THE NEW TERRITORIES. IN THE PREVIOUS YEAR, JUST OVER \$28 000 WAS RAISED FOR THE CHEST.

AT A PRESENTATION CEREMONY HELD IN PRISONS DEPARTMENT HEADQUARTERS TODAY, THE VICE PATRON OF THE COMMUNITY CHEST, MR YU LOOK-YAU, RECEIVED A CHEQUE FOR THE AMOUNT FROM SUPERINTENDENT OF PRISONS, MR SIMON LAM CHUN-PANG. SUPERINTENDENT LAM WAS THE DEPARTMENT'S CO-ORDINATOR OF THE COMMUNITY CHEST FUND RAISING CAMPAIGN FOR THE YEAR.

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TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS FOR TIN HAU FESTIVAL IN TUEN MUN
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FROM 7 AM TO 5 PM ON MONDAY (APRIL 27) TEMPORARY TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE ENFORCED IN TUEN MUN FOR THE CELEBRATION OF TIN HAU FESTIVAL IN THE AREA.

THE FOLLOWING SECTIONS OF ROAD WILL BE TEMPORARILY CLOSED:

- * SECTION OF TIN HAU ROAD BETWEEN TSING WUN ROAD TO THE LOCATION ABOUT 100 METRES FROM SAN HOP LANE.
- * SECTION OF HUNG CHEUNG ROAD ABOUT 150 METRES FROM ITS JUNCTION WITH TIN HAU ROAD.
- * SECTION OF SAN ON CIRCUIT ABOUT 20 METRES FROM ITS JUNCTION WITH HUNG CHEUNG ROAD.
- * SECTION OF HING WONG STREET ABOUT 20 METRES FROM ITS JUNCTION WITH HUNG CHEUNG ROAD.

THE EXISTING CAR PARK IN SAN ON CIRCUIT AND THE CAR PARK BETWEEN HUNG CHEUNG ROAD AND SAN LIK STREET WILL BE TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED AND USED FOR RESERVED PARKING.

MOTORISTS ARE ADVISED TO AVOID USING THOSE ROADS WHERE SPECIAL TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE IMPLEMENTED.

TRAFFIC SIGNS WILL BE DISPLAYED AND POLICE WILL BE ON HAND TO GUIDE MOTORISTS.

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ROAD CLOSURE PLAN
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THE GOVERNMENT INTENDS TO CLOSE THE TEMPORARY ACCESS ROAD FROM HUNG HING ROAD TO HARBOUR ROAD AND THE ADJACENT FOOTWAY TO FACILITATE THE CONSTRUCTION OF STAGE II OF WANCHAI RECREATION CENTRE.

AN ALTERNATIVE ACCESS WILL BE PROVIDED TO LINK HUNG HING ROAD WITH TONNOCHY ROAD.

A NOTICE CONCERNING THE PROPOSED UNDERTAKING WAS PUBLISHED IN YESTERDAY'S GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

OBJECTIONS TO THE PROPOSAL OR CLAIMS FOR COMPENSATION MUST BE SENT IN WRITING TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS NOT LATER THAN MAY 24 AND JUNE 24 RESPECTIVELY.

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CAR NUMBERS SOLD FOR \$252 400

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THIRTY-FIVE SPECIAL VEHICLE REGISTRATION NUMBERS WERE SOLD BY AUCTION THIS (SATURDAY) MORNING FOR A TOTAL OF \$252 400 WHICH WILL GO TO THE GOVERNMENT LOTTERIES FUND FOR CHARITY PURPOSES.

THE AUCTION, HELD AT THE CITY HALL LECTURE HALL, SAW THE REGISTRATION NUMBER CM 3 FETCH THE HIGHEST PRICE OF \$50 000.

NUMBER CC 909 WAS SOLD AT THE SECOND HIGHEST PRICE OF \$21 000 WHILE THE LOWEST PRICE OF \$1 000 WAS PAID FOR CJ 6818, CK 859 AND CK 245.

THE OTHER SPECIAL REGISTRATION NUMBERS WERE SOLD AT THE FOLLOWING PRICES:

	\$		\$		\$
CK 102	3 000	CK 928	7 000	XX 7351	2 500
CK 268	4 100	CJ 6668	5 500	CK 130	4 200
CH 1328	5 500	BB 909	13 000	CK 288	9 700
CK 7776	1 200	CM 8787	12 000	CK 177	1 200
CK 128	8 000	CL 6868	10 000	CK 250	3 500
CK 6668	6 000	CK 1118	4 000	CK 866	4 000
CK 3338	7 000	CJ 8168	5 200		
AJ 13	10 000	CJ 9077	1 000		
CH 353	3 000	CM 323	9 000		
CK 4	11 000	CM 9779	3 500		
CK 1138	2 000	CJ 8238	1 800		
CK 911	18 000	CK 1939	2 500		

THE NUMBERS AUCTIONED WILL BE ASSIGNED ONLY TO VEHICLES REGISTERED IN THE NAME OF THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDERS WITHIN 12 MONTHS OF THE DATE OF AUCTION.

TODAY'S SALE, THE 63RD ORGANISED BY THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT SINCE MAY 1973, BROUGHT THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF MONEY FOR CHARITY REALISED SO FAR TO \$18 748 332.

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SALT WATER SUPPLY CUT
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SALT WATER SUPPLY TO A NUMBER OF PREMISES IN THE NEW TERRITORIES WILL BE CUT OFF FOR 10 HOURS FROM 9 PM ON TUESDAY, APRIL 28 TO 7 AM THE FOLLOWING DAY FOR WATER MAINS CONNECTION.

THE AREAS TO BE AFFECTED INCLUDE THE WHOLE AREA IN TUEN MUN NEW TOWN INCLUDING TAI HING ESTATE, ON TING, YAU OI ESTATE, SAN FAT ESTATE AND INDUSTRIAL ZONE AREA 9 AND AREA 12 TUEN MUN.

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