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4 000 FOOD PREMISES INSPECTED BY USD  
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TO ENSURE THAT THE FOOD TRADE IS COMPLYING WITH THE MANY NECESSARY FOOD HYGIENE REGULATIONS, THE URBAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT HAS LAUNCHED A BLITZ ON RESTAURANTS AND OTHER FOOD PREMISES.

+SO FAR, MORE THAN 4 000 LICENSED FOOD ESTABLISHMENTS INCLUDING COOKED FOOD STALLS IN THE URBAN AREA HAVE BEEN INSPECTED SINCE THE TOUGH CRACKDOWN STARTED LAST MONDAY AS PART OF THE DEPARTMENT'S STEPPED-UP EFFORTS TO SAFEGUARD PUBLIC HEALTH,+ SAID A SPOKESMAN FOR THE DEPARTMENT.

+A TOTAL OF 54 SUMMONSES HAVE BEEN SERVED AND 3 661 WARNINGS ISSUED TO FOOD PREMISES OPERATORS FOR HAVING CONTRAVENED THE FOOD HYGIENE REGULATIONS.+

THE SPOKESMAN SAID A DAILY AVERAGE OF ABOUT 80 INSPECTORS WERE MOBILISED FOR THE BLITZ OPERATIONS.

+DURING THE INSPECTIONS, HEALTH INSPECTORS PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO THE CLEANLINESS OF THE PREMISES, PERSONAL HYGIENE OF FOOD HANDLERS AND PROPER FOOD STORAGE AND HANDLING,+ HE SAID.

+IN ADDITION, THE HEALTH INSPECTORS BRIEF OPERATORS AND FOOD HANDLERS ON THE BASIC PRINCIPLES OF FOOD, ENVIRONMENTAL AND PERSONAL HYGIENE.

+TO PUT THE MESSAGE ACROSS TO PEOPLE IN THE FOOD TRADE, HEALTH INSPECTORS ARE ALSO DISTRIBUTING COPIES OF A COMPREHENSIVE BILINGUAL PAMPHLET SETTING OUT GUIDELINES ON PERSONAL AND FOOD HANDLING HYGIENE.+

SO FAR, COPIES HAVE BEEN HANDED OUT TO ABOUT 3 000 FOOD PREMISES OPERATORS WHO HAVE ATTENDED THE FOOD HYGIENE SEMINARS NOW BEING HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH THIS YEAR'S FOOD HYGIENE CAMPAIGN.

ABOUT 1 000 MORE FOOD OUTLETS OPERATORS ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND THE SEMINARS BEFORE THE CAMPAIGN ENDS IN THE MIDDLE OF THIS MONTH.

COPIES OF THE PAMPHLET ARE ALSO AVAILABLE AT THE DEPARTMENT'S DISTRICT OFFICES FOR DISTRIBUTION TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC.

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ONE NEW CASE OF CHOLERA  
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ONE NEW CASE OF CHOLERA WAS CONFIRMED TODAY (SATURDAY) BY THE MEDICAL AND HEALTH DEPARTMENT. THE TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES CONFIRMED IS NOW 21.

THE PATIENT IS A 72-YEAR-OLD MAN WHO LIVES IN YUEN LONG. HIS CONDITION IS SATISFACTORY.

/UP TO .....

UP TO NOON TODAY, A TOTAL OF 2 524 PEOPLE RECEIVED INOCULATIONS AT THE EIGHT INOCULATION CENTRES AND THREE PORT HEALTH OFFICES.

THE FOLLOWING IS A BREAKDOWN OF THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO WERE INOCULATED TODAY (WITH YESTERDAY'S FIGURES UP TO 4 PM IN BRACKETS) :

SAI YING PUN JOCKEY CLUB CLINIC	156	(411)
SHAU KEI WAN JOCKEY CLUB CLINIC	210	(520)
KWUN TONG JOCKEY CLUB HEALTH CENTRE	550	(2 100)
YAU MA TEI JOCKEY CLUB POLYCLINIC	246	(915)
LADY TRENCH POLYCLINIC, TSUEN WAN	300	(1 100)
YUEN LONG JOCKEY CLUB HEALTH CENTRE	190	(700)
SHEK WU HUI JOCKEY CLUB CLINIC	96	(360)
TAI PO JOCKEY CLUB CLINIC	140	(510)
PORT HEALTH OFFICES	636	(1 261)

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE REMINDED THAT INOCULATION WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE TOMORROW (SUNDAY) AT THE EIGHT CENTRES.

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CAMPAIGN AIMS AT GREATER SAFETY IN THE HOME  
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THE GOVERNMENT IS STARTING A CONCERTED PUBLICITY CAMPAIGN TO AROUSE PUBLIC AWARENESS OF POSSIBLE DANGER AREAS IN THE HOME SO AS TO REDUCE HOUSEHOLD ACCIDENTS.

THE DIRECTOR OF INFORMATION SERVICES, MR JOHN CHAN, WILL LAUNCH THE HOME SAFETY CAMPAIGN TOMORROW (SUNDAY) AT 2 PM AT LOK FU SHOPPING CENTRE AND WILL INTRODUCE THE MAIN PUBLICITY THEMES WHICH WILL BE USED TO CONVEY HOME SAFETY MESSAGES TO THE PUBLIC.

SUPPORTING THIS MAJOR CAMPAIGN, A SERIES OF PUBLICITY MATERIALS HAVE BEEN PRODUCED INCLUDING A COMPREHENSIVE BOOKLET AND POSTERS AS WELL AS TELEVISION AND RADIO ANNOUNCEMENTS OF PUBLIC INTEREST.

OTHER PUBLICITY ACTIVITIES WILL BE ORGANISED. ONE OF THESE IS THE WEEK-LONG HOME SAFETY EXHIBITION WHICH WILL ALSO BE OPENED TOMORROW, AT THE EXHIBITION HALL OF LOK FU SHOPPING CENTRE.

VISITORS TO THE EXHIBITION WILL SEE MANY ASPECTS OF EVERYDAY HOME SAFETY INCLUDING GAS SAFETY, FIRE PREVENTION AND SAFETY WITH ELECTRICITY.

HOME SAFETY MESSAGES WILL BE ALSO CONVEYED IN THE FORM OF ENTERTAINMENT IN A ONE-HOUR VARIETY SHOW PRODUCED BY RADIO TELEVISION HONG KONG AND STAGED AFTER THE OPENING CEREMONY.

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SINGERS ALBERT AU AND CALLY KWONG AND WAI YIN CLUB MEMBERS WILL PERFORM AT THE SHOW.

ALSO OFFICIATING AT THE LAUNCHING CEREMONY WILL BE THE ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF BROADCASTING (RADIO), MR SIMON LUN, CHAIRMAN OF FONG SHU FOOK TONG FOUNDATION FUND, MR HENRY FONG, AND WONG TAI SIN DISTRICT BOARD MEMBERS LI SZE-BAY, LIU SHING-LI AND WONG CHUNG-CHUEN.

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CIVIC EDUCATION REFERENCE LIBRARY TO BE SET UP  
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A WORKING GROUP OF THE COMMITTEE ON PROMOTION OF CIVIC EDUCATION HAS DECIDED IN PRINCIPLE TO SET UP A REFERENCE LIBRARY ON CIVIC EDUCATION.

AT A RECENT MEETING OF THE STUDY GROUP ON GUIDELINES FOR CIVIC EDUCATION, MEMBERS OF THE WORKING GROUP AGREED TO COMPILE AN INDEX ON MATERIALS RELATING TO THE SUBJECT.

THE INDEX WILL BE READY BY NEXT APRIL. PREPARATION WILL ALSO BE MADE TO SET UP A CIVIC EDUCATION REFERENCE LIBRARY AT THE CITY AND NEW TERRITORIES ADMINISTRATION HEADQUARTERS IN 1987-88.

THE COMMITTEE ON PROMOTION OF CIVIC EDUCATION WILL THEN GIVE CONSIDERATION TO THE SETTING UP OF A CIVIC EDUCATION RESOURCE CENTRE THE FOLLOWING YEAR.

LED BY THE CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE, MRS RITA FAN, MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE AND CONVENORS OF WORKING GROUPS RECENTLY VISITED THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT CIVIC EDUCATION RESOURCE CENTRE IN PAK FUK ROAD FOR A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF THE FACILITIES PROVIDED.

DURING THE VISIT, DEPUTY CHIEF INSPECTOR (CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT) OF THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, MR HO CHE-LEUNG, EXPLAINED THAT THE CENTRE, EQUIPPED WITH READING MATERIALS, AS WELL AS AUDIO-VISUAL AIDS ON CIVIC EDUCATION, HAS PROVED VERY POPULAR WITH TEACHERS.

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DETAILS OF SHA TIN YOUTH PROGRAMME  
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THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SHA TIN YOUTH PROGRAMME WORKING GROUP, MR WONG HONG-CHUNG, WILL ANNOUNCE DETAILS OF THE SHA TIN YOUTH PROGRAMME AT 2.30 PM TOMORROW (SUNDAY) IN THE SHA KOK YOUTH CENTRE, SHA KOK ESTATE.

THE FIVE-MONTH LONG YOUTH PROGRAMME, SPONSORED BY THE SHA TIN DISTRICT BOARD, WILL INCLUDE A SERIES OF SUMMER AND WINTER ACTIVITIES, A YOUTH CONFERENCE AND A CARE-FOR-THE-YOUTH SCHEME.

/ALSO PRESENT .....

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ALSO PRESENT AT THE PRESS CONFERENCE WILL BE MEMBERS OF THE YOUTH PROGRAMME WORKING GROUP, MR TAM FAU-CHUEN, MISS CHAN MEI-KIT AND MISS WONG WAI-MUI.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE INVITED TO COVER THE PRESS CONFERENCE.

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SEMINAR ON ENVIRONMENTAL IMPROVEMENT  
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ABOUT 250 REPRESENTATIVES OF MUTUAL AID COMMITTEES AND OWNERS CORPORATIONS IN THE YAU MA TEI DISTRICT WILL TAKE PART IN A SEMINAR ON ENVIRONMENTAL IMPROVEMENT TOMORROW (SUNDAY).

ORGANISED BY THE JORDAN AREA COMMITTEE AND SPONSORED BY THE YAU MA TEI DISTRICT BOARD, THE SEMINAR IS TO ENHANCE PUBLIC AWARENESS ON THE IMPORTANCE OF MAINTAINING A SAFE AND PLEASANT LIVING ENVIRONMENT.

IT WILL ALSO PROVIDE AN OPPORTUNITY FOR FRIENDLY EXCHANGES BETWEEN RESIDENTS AND GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS ON ENVIRONMENT-RELATED ISSUES.

REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE FIRE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, THE URBAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT, THE BUILDINGS ORDINANCE OFFICE, THE POLICE, THE ICAC, THE DISTRICT OFFICE AND THE DISTRICT'S BUILDING MANAGEMENT CO-ORDINATION TEAM WILL BE SPEAKING AT THE SEMINAR AND ANSWER QUESTIONS FROM PARTICIPANTS.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE INVITED TO COVER THE SEMINAR AT 4 PM TOMORROW IN KA WO RESTAURANT, FOURTH FLOOR, 343 NATHAN ROAD.

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TUEN MUN TO GET SECOND INDOOR GAMES HALL  
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A SECOND INDOOR GAMES HALL IS TO BE BUILT ON A 6 688-SQUARE-METRE SITE AT WU SHAN ROAD IN TUEN MUN TO SERVE NEARBY HOME OWNERSHIP SCHEME ESTATES AND FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS IN THE AREA.

FACILITIES FOR BASKETBALL, VOLLEYBALL, BADMINTON, TABLE TENNIS, SQUASH, GYMNASTICS AND OTHER INDOOR GAMES WILL BE PROVIDED IN THE CENTRE.

/ALSO INCLUDED .....

ALSO INCLUDED IN THE PROJECT, FUNDS FOR WHICH WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE ROYAL HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB, ARE A STAND FOR 400 SPECTATORS AND ANCILLARY FACILITIES SUCH AS CHANGING ROOMS, SHOWERS, TOILETS AND OFFICES.

CONSTRUCTION WILL BEGIN IN OCTOBER AND BE COMPLETED IN EARLY 1988.

TENDERS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED BY AUGUST 29.

TUEN MUN'S FIRST INDOOR GAMES HALL, SCHEDULED FOR COMPLETION BY NOVEMBER AT A COST OF \$10 MILLION, IS BEING BUILT NEAR TAI HING ESTATE.

IT PROVIDES ABOUT 2 500 SQUARE METRES OF GAMES AREA.

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NAM CHEONG STREET NULLAH DECK TO BE TRANSFORMED  
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CONSTRUCTION WORK ON THE \$2.7 MILLION REST GARDENS IN NAM CHEONG STREET NULLAH DECK IN SHAM SHUI PO HAS BEGUN FOLLOWING THE RECENT CLEARANCE OF A LARGE NUMBER OF ILLEGAL STRUCTURES THERE.

+THE LANDSCAPED REST GARDENS WILL PROVIDE A WELCOME OASIS OF GREENERY IN THE MIDST OF THE DENSELY POPULATED DISTRICT,+ SAID A SPOKESMAN FOR THE URBAN COUNCIL TODAY.

+THE PROJECT WILL FEATURE LATERAL BRICKWORK PLANTERS ALONG THE BOUNDARY OF THE SITE. APART FROM PROVIDING AN ATTRACTIVE FEATURE, THESE WILL ACT AS PHYSICAL BARRIERS TO SEGREGATE THE AMENITY PLOTS FROM THE ADJOINING BUSY ROADS.

+IN ADDITION THERE WILL BE WOODEN ARBOURS WITH PARK BENCHES, AS WELL AS CENTRAL BRICKWORK PLANTERS ALONG THE CENTRAL PART OF THE AMENITY PLOTS.+

THE REST GARDENS ARE EXPECTED TO BE COMPLETED BY THE MIDDLE OF NEXT YEAR, THE SPOKESMAN ADDED.

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NORTH DISTRICT WATER CUT  
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FRESH WATER SUPPLY TO CERTAIN PREMISES IN THE NORTH DISTRICT WILL BE TURNED OFF BETWEEN 9 AM AND 6 PM ON TUESDAY (AUGUST 12) FOR MAINS WORK.

THE SUSPENSION WILL AFFECT ALL PREMISES ALONG JOCKEY CLUB ROAD FROM SAN FUNG AVENUE TO HUNG KIU, INCLUDING SHEUNG SHUI TSUEN AND SHEUNG SHUI WA SHAN.

ALL PREMISES ALONG MAN KAM TO ROAD FROM HUNG KIU TO MUK WU, INCLUDING HUNG KIU SAN TSUEN, FU TEI AU ROAD, LO WU TSUEN, LIU POK TSUEN, SAN UK LENG TSUEN, MUK WU TSUEN, SHA LENG TSUEN AND TAK YUET LAU WILL ALSO BE AFFECTED.

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