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JANUARY TO OCTOBER EXTERNAL TRADE FIGURES
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TOTAL MERCHANDISE TRADE FOR JANUARY TO OCTOBER 1982, VALUED AT \$220 059 MILLION, SHOWED AN INCREASE OF FOUR PER CENT AS COMPARED WITH THE SAME PERIOD IN 1981, ACCORDING TO FIGURES RELEASED TODAY BY THE CENSUS AND STATISTICS DEPARTMENT.

DOMESTIC EXPORTS ROSE BY THREE PER CENT TO \$67 493 MILLION, IMPORTS BY THREE PER CENT TO \$116 649 MILLION AND RE-EXPORTS BY SIX PER CENT TO \$35 917 MILLION.

DOMESTIC EXPORTS AND RE-EXPORTS TOGETHER SHOWED AN INCREASE OF FOUR PER CENT.

THE CHANGES IN DOMESTIC EXPORTS TO THE TEN MAJOR OVERSEAS MARKETS WERE AS FOLLOWS :

	JAN.-OCT. 1982 (\$ MN)	JAN.-OCT. 1981 (\$ MN)	INCREASE/ DECREASE (\$ MN)	PERCENTAGE CHANGE (%)
U. S. A.	25 514	23 906	+1 608	+ 7
U. K.	5 727	6 227	- 500	- 8
F. R. OF GERMANY	5 544	5 649	- 105	- 2
CHINA	3 051	2 221	+ 830	+37
JAPAN	2 646	2 422	+ 223	+ 9
AUSTRALIA	2 350	2 145	+ 205	+10
CANADA	2 132	1 933	+ 199	+10
SINGAPORE	1 590	1 421	+ 169	+12
NETHERLANDS	1 321	1 283	+ 38	+ 3
FRANCE	1 203	1 170	+ 32	+ 3

DOMESTIC EXPORTS TO THE U. S. A. ROSE BY SEVEN PER CENT. SUBSTANTIAL INCREASES WERE RECORDED IN PLASTIC TOYS AND DOLLS (BY \$878 MILLION OR 47 PER CENT), CLOTHING (BY \$696 MILLION OR EIGHT PER CENT) AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND SOUND RECORDING AND REPRODUCING APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT (BY \$339 MILLION OR 25 PER CENT). DECREASES WERE RECORDED IN OFFICE MACHINES AND AUTOMATIC DATA PROCESSING EQUIPMENT (BY \$606 MILLION OR 32 PER CENT) AS WELL AS TEXTILES (BY \$141 MILLION OR 23 PER CENT).

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DECREASES IN DOMESTIC EXPORTS TO THE UNITED KINGDOM WERE REGISTERED FOR CLOTHING (BY \$207 MILLION OR SEVEN PER CENT) AS WELL AS TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND SOUND RECORDING AND REPRODUCING APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT (BY \$149 MILLION OR 30 PER CENT).

MOST COMMODITIES EXPORTED TO THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY DECLINED IN VALUE, INCLUDING TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND SOUND RECORDING AND REPRODUCING APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT (BY \$92 MILLION OR 19 PER CENT) AND CLOTHING (BY \$67 MILLION OR TWO PER CENT). HOWEVER, DOMESTIC EXPORTS OF ELECTRICAL MACHINERY, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES INCREASED BY \$38 MILLION OR 16 PER CENT.

SIGNIFICANT INCREASES WERE REGISTERED IN THE DOMESTIC EXPORTS TO CHINA OF TEXTILES (BY \$236 MILLION OR 47 PER CENT) AS WELL AS TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND SOUND RECORDING AND REPRODUCING APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT (BY \$197 MILLION OR 57 PER CENT) AND IN THE DOMESTIC EXPORTS TO JAPAN OF CLOTHING (BY \$185 MILLION OR 20 PER CENT).

AN ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN DOMESTIC EXPORTS BY MAJOR COMMODITY DIVISIONS ARE PRESENTED BELOW :

	JAN.-OCT. 1982 (\$ MN)	JAN.-OCT. 1981 (\$ MN)	INCREASE/ DECREASE (\$ MN)	PERCENTAGE CHANGE (%)
ARTICLES OF APPAREL AND CLOTHING ACCESSORIES	23 394	22 877	+ 517	+ 2
MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES (MAINLY PLASTIC TOYS AND DOLLS)	13 030	10 831	+2 199	+20
PHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, OPTICAL GOODS, WATCHES AND CLOCKS	6 389	6 612	- 223	- 3
ELECTRICAL MACHINERY, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES (MAINLY TRANSISTORS AND DIODES AND HOUSEHOLD TYPE APPLIANCES)	4 954	4 798	+ 156	+ 3

TELE- COMMUNICATIONS AND SOUND RECORDING AND REPRODUCING APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT	4 727	4 553	+ 174	+ 4
TEXTILE YARN, FABRICS, MADE-UP ARTICLES AND RELATED PRODUCTS	4 032	4 331	- 300	- 7

THE CHANGES IN IMPORTS FROM THE TEN MAJOR SOURCES ARE SUMMARISED AS FOLLOWS :

	JAN.-OCT. 1982 (\$ MN)	JAN.-OCT. 1981 (\$ MN)	INCREASE/ DECREASE (\$ MN)	PERCENTAGE CHANGE (%)
CHINA	26 581	23 609	+2 972	+13
JAPAN	25 719	26 370	- 651	- 2
U.S.A.	12 675	12 027	+ 647	+ 5
SINGAPORE	8 548	8 710	- 162	- 2
TAIWAN	8 397	8 787	- 389	- 4
U.K.	5 627	5 023	+ 604	+12
REPUBLIC OF KOREA (SOUTH KOREA)	3 703	4 496	- 793	-18
F.R. OF GERMANY	2 833	2 773	+ 60	+ 2
SWITZERLAND	2 149	2 327	- 178	- 8
AUSTRALIA	1 911	1 669	+ 241	+14

LOCAL DEMAND FOR IMPORTED GOODS FROM CHINA REMAINED STRONG. INCREASES WERE RECORDED MAINLY IN CLOTHING (BY \$898 MILLION OR 31 PER CENT), IRON AND STEEL (BY \$366 MILLION OR 96 PER CENT), MEAT AND MEAT PREPARATIONS (BY \$272 MILLION OR 39 PER CENT) AND LIVE ANIMALS CHIEFLY FOR FOOD (BY \$177 MILLION OR 12 PER CENT).

AS FOR IMPORTS FROM JAPAN, INCREASES WERE NOTED FOR TEXTILE FABRICS (BY \$138 MILLION OR FIVE PER CENT) AS WELL AS MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES (MAINLY BABY CARRIAGES, TOYS, GAMES, SPORTING GOODS AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS AND ACCESSORIES) (BY \$122 MILLION OR 10 PER CENT).

DECREASES WERE REGISTERED FOR WATCHES AND CLOCKS (BY \$434 MILLION OR 17 PER CENT), TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND SOUND RECORDING AND REPRODUCING APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT (BY \$351 MILLION OR 14 PER CENT), ROAD VEHICLES (BY \$260 MILLION OR 10 PER CENT) AND TEXTILE YARN (BY \$218 MILLION OR 29 PER CENT).

INCREASES IN IMPORTS FROM THE U.S.A. WERE MOSTLY OF TOBACCO AND TOBACCO MANUFACTURES (BY \$147 MILLION OR 27 PER CENT) AS WELL AS ELECTRICAL MACHINERY, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES (BY \$141 MILLION OR 12 PER CENT). ON THE OTHER HAND, DECREASES WERE REGISTERED IN IMPORTS OF OFFICE MACHINES AND AUTOMATIC DATA PROCESSING EQUIPMENT (BY \$144 MILLION OR 11 PER CENT), ARTIFICIAL RESINS AND PLASTIC MATERIALS, AND CELLULOSE ESTERS AND ETHERS (BY \$137 MILLION OR 20 PER CENT) AND TEXTILES (BY \$84 MILLION OR 24 PER CENT).

INCREASES IN VALUE WERE REGISTERED IN IMPORTS FROM SINGAPORE OF WATCHES AND CLOCKS (BY \$54 MILLION OR 17 PER CENT) AND IN IMPORTS FROM TAIWAN OF ELECTRICAL MACHINERY, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES (BY \$286 MILLION OR 37 PER CENT). IMPORTS OF TEXTILES FROM TAIWAN DECLINED (BY \$560 MILLION OR 17 PER CENT).

THE FOLLOWING TABLE ILLUSTRATES THE MORE IMPORTANT CHANGES IN IMPORTS BY COMMODITY SECTION :

	<u>JAN.-OCT. 1982</u> <u>(\$ MN)</u>	<u>JAN.-OCT. 1981</u> <u>(\$ MN)</u>	<u>INCREASE/ DECREASE</u> <u>(\$ MN)</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE CHANGE</u> <u>(%)</u>
MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL (MAINLY TEXTILE PRODUCTS, DIAMONDS, IRON AND STEEL, AND PAPER)	32 563	32 788	- 224	- 1
MACHINERY AND TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	26 394	26 485	- 91	INSIGNI- FICANT

MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES (MAINLY WATCHES AND CLOCKS, ARTICLES OF APPAREL)	20 013	18 812	+1 201	+ 6
FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS CHIEFLY FOR FOOD	13 090	11 233	+1 857	+17
MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS	9 491	8 965	+ 526	+ 6
CHEMICALS AND RELATED PRODUCTS	7 778	7 427	+ 351	+ 5

INCREASES WERE RECORDED IN RE-EXPORTS TO THE U.S.A. (BY \$713 MILLION OR 18 PER CENT), SAUDI ARABIA (BY \$278 MILLION OR 59 PER CENT), INDONESIA (BY \$245 MILLION OR SEVEN PER CENT), REPUBLIC OF KOREA (BY \$240 MILLION OR 21 PER CENT), SINGAPORE (BY \$228 MILLION OR NINE PER CENT), TAIWAN (BY \$212 MILLION OR 11 PER CENT), MACAU (BY \$144 MILLION OR 13 PER CENT), AND THE PHILIPPINES (BY \$141 MILLION OR 13 PER CENT). ON THE OTHER HAND, DECLINES WERE REGISTERED IN RE-EXPORTS TO THE U.K. (BY \$265 MILLION OR 34 PER CENT) AND NIGERIA (BY \$154 MILLION OR 18 PER CENT).

MOST COMMODITIES RE-EXPORTED THROUGH HONG KONG EXHIBITED STRONG GROWTH, THE MORE SIGNIFICANT ONES BEING CLOTHING (BY \$643 MILLION OR 36 PER CENT), MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES (MAINLY MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS AND ACCESSORIES AND JEWELLERY) (BY \$340 MILLION OR 22 PER CENT), ELECTRICAL MACHINERY, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES (BY \$272 MILLION OR 11 PER CENT) AND CRUDE ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE MATERIALS (BY \$238 MILLION OR 24 PER CENT).

DECREASES WERE REGISTERED IN THE RE-EXPORTS OF TEXTILES (BY \$338 MILLION OR SIX PER CENT), TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND SOUND RECORDING AND REPRODUCING APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT (BY \$307 MILLION OR 19 PER CENT), AND METALLIFEROUS ORES AND METAL SCRAP (BY \$303 MILLION OR 53 PER CENT).

THE OCTOBER 1982 ISSUE OF THE +HONG KONG TRADE STATISTICS - SUMMARY+ WILL SOON BE AVAILABLE AT THE GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS CENTRE AT HK\$5 PER COPY.

A MORE COMPREHENSIVE REPORT, +HONG KONG EXTERNAL TRADE+, WITH A DETAILED ANALYSIS OF IMPORTS, EXPORTS AND RE-EXPORTS IN OCTOBER, WILL BE AVAILABLE IN EARLY JANUARY 1983 AT THE GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS CENTRE AT HK\$10 PER COPY.

ENQUIRIES CONCERNING SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THESE REPORTS MAY BE DIRECTED TO THE GOVERNMENT INFORMATION SERVICES AT BASKERVILLE HOUSE, HONG KONG (TEL. NO. 5-214375).

REMINDER ON STATUTORY HOLIDAY

A LABOUR DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN TODAY (SUNDAY) REMINDED EMPLOYERS THAT UNDER THE EMPLOYMENT ORDINANCE, EITHER THE CHINESE WINTER SOLSTICE FESTIVAL, WHICH FALLS ON DECEMBER 22, OR CHRISTMAS DAY (DECEMBER 25) SHOULD BE APPOINTED A STATUTORY HOLIDAY AND THAT WORKERS MUST BE GIVEN A DAY OFF ON EITHER DAY.

UNDER THE ORDINANCE ALL MANUAL EMPLOYEES, INCLUDING DOMESTIC SERVANTS EMPLOYED LOCALLY OR FROM OVERSEAS, IRRESPECTIVE OF THEIR EARNINGS, AND ALL NON-MANUAL EMPLOYEES EARNING NOT MORE THAN \$7 500 A MONTH, ARE ENTITLED TO THE HOLIDAY.

THE SPOKESMAN POINTED OUT THAT THEY MUST ALSO BE PAID FOR THE DAY-OFF IF THEY HAVE WORKED CONTINUOUSLY FOR THREE MONTHS IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING THE STATUTORY HOLIDAY.

HOLIDAY PAY SHOULD BE EQUIVALENT TO THE EMPLOYEE'S EARNINGS, OTHER THAN OVERTIME PAY, ON A NORMAL WORKING DAY. WHERE THE EARNINGS VARY FROM DAY TO DAY, HOLIDAY PAY SHOULD BE THE AVERAGE OF THE DAILY EARNINGS DURING A PERIOD OF 28 DAYS PRECEDING THE HOLIDAY. PAYMENT SHOULD BE MADE ON THE NORMAL PAY DAY.

IF AN EMPLOYEE IS REQUIRED TO WORK ON A STATUTORY HOLIDAY, HE MUST BE GIVEN AN ALTERNATIVE DAY-OFF WITHIN 60 DAYS BEFORE OR AFTER THAT DAY, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

IF THE ALTERNATIVE HOLIDAY IS TO BE GRANTED BEFORE THE STATUTORY HOLIDAY, THE EMPLOYER MUST NOTIFY THE EMPLOYEE 48 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF THE ALTERNATIVE HOLIDAY.

WHERE AN ALTERNATIVE HOLIDAY IS TO BE GIVEN AFTER THE STATUTORY HOLIDAY, THE EMPLOYEE MUST BE NOTIFIED OF THE ARRANGEMENT AT LEAST 48 HOURS BEFORE THE HOLIDAY.

IF BOTH THE EMPLOYER AND THE EMPLOYEE AGREE, ANY DAY WITHIN 30 DAYS OF A STATUTORY HOLIDAY OR ALTERNATIVE HOLIDAY MAY BE TAKEN BY THE EMPLOYEE AS A SUBSTITUTED HOLIDAY.

ENQUIRIES ABOUT STATUTORY HOLIDAYS MAY BE MADE WITH THE NEAREST BRANCH OFFICE OF THE LABOUR RELATIONS SERVICE.

THE TELEPHONE NUMBERS ARE 3-205638 FOR KOWLOON EAST; 3-201652 FOR KOWLOON WEST; 3-319454 FOR KOWLOON SOUTH; 3-898520 FOR KWUN TONG; 0-422096 FOR TSUEN WAN; 0-6577111, EXT. 114 FOR TAI PO; 0-818443 FOR TUEN MUN; 5-268671 FOR HONG KONG ISLAND (WEST) AND 5-282213 FOR HONG KONG ISLAND (EAST).

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METRICATION POSTER DESIGN COMPETITION
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THE METRICATION COMMITTEE IS INVITING SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDENTS TO TAKE PART IN A POSTER DESIGN COMPETITION AIMED AT INCREASING STUDENTS' AWARENESS OF METRICATION AND IN PROMOTING THE USE OF METRIC UNITS IN DAILY LIFE.

ENTRIES TO THE COMPETITION, WHICH IS PART OF A 10-DAY PUBLICITY CAMPAIGN ENTITLED 'METRIC 10-DAY' TO BE LAUNCHED IN JANUARY 1983, SHOULD BE SUBMITTED THROUGH RESPECTIVE SCHOOLS TO THE METRICATION COMMITTEE SECRETARIAT AT 31/F, UNITED CENTRE, 95 QUEENSWAY, CENTRAL ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 17.

STUDENTS MAY SUBMIT ANY NUMBER OF DESIGNS, WHICH SHOULD MEASURE 420 X 594 MM AND MUST BEAR ON THE BACK THE NAME, THE CLASS AND THE NAME OF SCHOOL OF THE PARTICIPANT.

ALL POSTERS, THE THEME OF WHICH IS TO PROMOTE THE USE OF METRIC UNITS IN DAILY LIFE, MUST BE THE ORIGINAL WORK OF THE PARTICIPANTS.

WINNER OF THE FIRST PRIZE WILL BE AWARDED A BOOK AND STATIONERY TOKEN WORTH \$500, WHILE THE FIRST AND SECOND RUNNERS-UP WILL RECEIVE TOKENS WORTH \$300 AND \$200 RESPECTIVELY.

THERE WILL BE 10 MERIT PRIZES WORTH \$50 EACH.

SOUVENIRS WILL BE GIVEN TO THE SCHOOL SUBMITTING THE MOST ENTRIES AS WELL AS TO EACH PARTICIPATING STUDENT.

THE PRIZE-PRESENTATION CEREMONY WILL BE HELD AT THE ACADEMIC COMMUNITY HALL, KOWLOON ON JANUARY 21.

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NOW 'GREEN EYES' ALSO WATCH FOR LITTERBUGS
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A PAIR OF WATCHFUL +GREEN EYES+ HAVE RECENTLY BEEN PLANTED AT A ROUNDABOUT AT TAI PO ROAD IN THE NEW TERRITORIES, AS PART OF THE CLEAN HONG KONG CAMPAIGN.

THE +GREEN EYES+ WERE RECENTLY PLANTED IN THE MIDDLE OF A 220-SQUARE-METRE AMENITY PLOT WITH MORE THAN 5 000 GROUND COVER PLANTS, SEASONAL FLOWERS AND SHRUBS AT THE INTERCHANGE NEAR THE HONG LOK YUEN ESTATES.

+IT TOOK THREE WEEKS OF HARD WORK BY STAFF OF THE TAI PO URBAN SERVICES OFFICE TO PLANT THE 'EYES', AND WE HOPE THEY WILL FURTHER HELP IMPRESS ON THE PUBLIC THE NEED TO KEEP THE ENVIRONMENT CLEAN,+ SAID A SPOKESMAN FOR THE NEW TERRITORIES SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

/NTSD GARDENERS

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NTSD GARDENERS PLANTED SOME 3 400 ORNAMENTAL GROUND COVER PLANTS INCLUDING WEDELIA, RED BORDER WEED AND YELLOW EYE GRASS TO TRIM AND SHAPE THE PAIR OF EYES AND TWO LOGOS OF THE CAMPAIGN. THEY THEN PLANTED SOME 1 000 MORE SHRUBS OF 18 SPECIES TO FORM A BEAUTIFUL PATTERN IN THE AMENITY PLOT, SUPPORTED BY 150 USED WOODEN RAILWAY SLEEPERS.

THE SHRUBS ARE QUICK-GROWING EVERGREEN AND ORNAMENTAL AND GRACEFUL BUSHY TREES, INCLUDING THE FAMILIES OF APOCYNACEAE, EUPHORBIACEAE, MALVACEAE, REBIACEAE, AND LABIATAE.

THERE ARE ALSO NINE FLOWER BEDS WITH COLOURFUL SEASONAL FLOWERS ALL THE YEAR ROUND AT THE AMENITY PLOT TO PROVIDE A SHARP CONTRAST TO THE NORMAL GREEN FOLIAGE OF OTHER PLANTS.

MEANWHILE, THE NTSD SPOKESMAN URGED PEOPLE TO KEEP THEIR HIGHWAYS CLEAN AND TIDY.

+LITTERING CAN COST YOU \$5 000 ON FIRST CONVICTION,+ THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

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TENDERS INVITED FOR PETROL STATION

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THE LANDS DEPARTMENT IS INVITING TENDERS ON AN ANNUAL RENTAL BASIS FOR A PETROL FILLING STATION AT THE MIDDLE ROAD MULTI-STOREY CAR PARK IN TSIM SHA TSUI.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE DEPARTMENT SAID THAT TENDERERS MUST BE HOLDERS OF A SPECIAL LICENCE TO IMPORT HYDROCARBON OILS UNDER THE DUTIABLE COMMODITIES ORDINANCE OR BE ABLE TO PRODUCE EVIDENCE OF A GUARANTEED SUPPLY OF HYDROCARBON OILS FROM A LICENSED SUPPLIER.

THE PETROL FILLING STATION, COVERING AN AREA OF 43.2 SQUARE METRES, WILL BE LET FOR A SEVEN-YEAR TENANCY.

FURTHER PARTICULARS, INCLUDING TENDER FORMS AND LEASE CONDITIONS, MAY BE OBTAINED FROM THE PROPERTY MANAGEMENT SECTION, LANDS DEPARTMENT, MURRAY BUILDING, FIRST FLOOR, GARDEN ROAD, HONG KONG.

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RESTAURANT FOR SWIMMING POOL COMPLEX
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THE BUILDING DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT IS INVITING TENDERS FOR THE CONVERSION OF THE EXISTING LIGHT REFRESHMENT KIOSK AT THE VICTORIA PARK SWIMMING POOL COMPLEX INTO A GENERAL RESTAURANT.

CONVERSION WORK FOR THE 375-SQUARE-METRE SITE WILL INCLUDE MINOR ALTERATIONS TO THE KIOSK TO PROVIDE A DINING AREA AND A PROPER KITCHEN WITH FOOD PREPARATION AND SCULLERY AREAS.

WORK IS EXPECTED TO BEGIN IN FEBRUARY NEXT YEAR AND TAKE ABOUT THREE MONTHS TO COMPLETE.

THE DEPARTMENT IS ALSO INVITING TENDERS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A TEMPORARY FOOD CENTRE AT FAT KWONG STREET, KOWLOON.

THE CONTRACT WILL INVOLVE THE LEVELLING AND SITE FORMATION OF A 1 400-SQUARE-METRE SITE AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF A 930-SQUARE-METRE TEMPORARY FOOD CENTRE.

THE REMAINING AREA ON THE SITE WILL BE USED AS A DRILL YARD BY THE HUNG HOM FIRE STATION.

THE TEMPORARY FOOD CENTRE WILL MAKE PROVISIONS FOR 24 COOKED FOOD STALLS AND OTHER ANCILLARY FACILITIES, SUCH AS AN OFFICE, A STORE, TOILETS, A REFUSE CHAMBER AND A SWITCH ROOM.

WORK ON THIS PROJECT IS EXPECTED TO START IN FEBRUARY NEXT YEAR AND BE COMPLETED IN ABOUT FIVE MONTHS.

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PARKING METERS FOR YAU YAT CHUEN
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A TOTAL OF 338 PARKING METERS WILL BE INSTALLED IN YAU YAT CHUEN, SHAM SHUI PO OVER A TWO-DAY PERIOD FROM TUESDAY (DECEMBER 14) TO REGULATE THE USE OF ON-STREET PARKING SPACES IN THE AREA.

FROM 9 AM THAT DAY, METERS WILL BE IN OPERATION ALONG BEGONIA ROAD, CASSIA ROAD, WISTARIA ROAD AND VERBENA ROAD.

HOWEVER, THE METERS ON TAT CHEE AVENUE, PEONY ROAD, DIANTHUS ROAD, OSMANTHUS ROAD AND MARIGOLD ROAD WILL BE IN OPERATION FROM 9 AM ON WEDNESDAY (DECEMBER 15).

EARLY NEXT YEAR, MORE PARKING METERS WILL BE INSTALLED IN OTHER AREAS OF SHAM SHUI PO, TAI KOK TSUI, FUNG WONG VILLAGE AND KWUN TONG.

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