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PEOPLE URGED TO STAND FOR ELECTION

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WITH NOMINATIONS OPENING IN JUST TEN DAYS, AN APPEAL WAS MADE TODAY (TUESDAY) FOR PEOPLE TO COME FORWARD TO STAND AS CANDIDATES FOR THE DISTRICT BOARD ELECTIONS IN MARCH.

THE NOMINATION PERIOD WILL LAST THREE WEEKS, STARTING ON JANUARY 15 AND CLOSING ON FEBRUARY 9. ELECTION DAY IS THURSDAY, MARCH 4.

MAKING THE APPEAL AT A LIONS CLUB OF MOUNT CAMERON LUNCH MEETING WAS PRINCIPAL ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR CITY AND NEW TERRITORIES ADMINISTRATION, MRS REGINA IP, WHO SAID GOVERNMENT WELCOMED PEOPLE FROM ALL WALKS OF LIFE TO BECOME DISTRICT BOARD MEMBERS AS LONG AS THEY WERE GENUINELY CONCERNED ABOUT THE WELFARE OF THEIR DISTRICT, OUTSPOKEN, AND COULD OFFER CONSTRUCTIVE SUGGESTIONS ON DISTRICT REFORM.

SHE URGED THOSE WHO WERE INTERESTED IN BECOMING DISTRICT BOARD MEMBERS NOT TO MISS THE CHANCE.

SHE SAID A CANDIDATE HAD TO BE NOMINATED BY TEN REGISTERED ELECTORS, INCLUDING A PROPOSER AND A SECONDER, IN THE CONSTITUENCY FOR WHICH HE OR SHE SOUGHT ELECTION, AND A DEPOSIT OF \$1 000 WAS REQUIRED.

DETAILS OF CAMPAIGNING ACTIVITIES HAVE BEEN LAID DOWN IN THE CORRUPT AND ILLEGAL PRACTICES ORDINANCE.

+IN BRIEF,+ SAID MRS IP, +CANDIDATES CAN PROMOTE THEMSELVES THROUGH TELEVISION, RADIO, PAMPHLETS, POSTERS AND GATHERINGS, BUT EXPENSES ON CAMPAIGNING ACTIVITIES CAN NOT EXCEED \$10 000.+

EACH CANDIDATE COULD ALSO EMPLOY ONE PERSON TO ACT AS HIS AGENT.

THE FEE PAYABLE TO AN AGENT COULD NOT EXCEED \$3 000 WHICH WOULD NOT BE COUNTED AS PART OF CAMPAIGN EXPENSES.

SHE SAID THE PROPOSED CORRUPT AND ILLEGAL PRACTICES (AMENDMENT) BILL 1982, WHICH WOULD BE GIVEN ITS SECOND READING IN THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL TOMORROW (WEDNESDAY), WOULD SEEK TO REMOVE THE RESTRICTIONS ON CANDIDATES FROM PAYING TO TRANSPORT VOTERS TO POLLING STATIONS BECAUSE THERE WERE MANY REMOTE VILLAGES NOT SERVED BY PUBLIC TRANSPORT.

IF THE BILL WAS PASSED, THEN CANDIDATES OR THEIR AGENTS COULD HIRE TRANSPORT TO TAKE VOTERS TO AND FROM POLLING STATIONS. BUT HIRE CHARGES WOULD BE COUNTED AS PART OF CAMPAIGN EXPENSES.

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DURING THE ELECTION PERIOD, MRS IP SAID, THE GOVERNMENT WOULD RENDER VARIOUS SERVICES TO CANDIDATES, INCLUDING PROVIDING COPIES OF THAT PART OF THE FINAL REGISTER OF ELECTORS WHICH RELATES TO THE CONSTITUENCY FOR WHICH A CANDIDATE WAS SEEKING ELECTION AND COPIES OF THE RELEVANT LEGISLATION IN RELATION TO DISTRICT BOARD ELECTIONS.

EACH CANDIDATE COULD SEND ONE POSTAGE-FREE LETTER, NOT EXCEEDING 50 GRAMS, OF ELECTION COMMUNICATION TO EACH ELECTOR IN HIS OR HER CONSTITUENCY, SHE SAID.

THE GOVERNMENT WOULD ALSO PREPARE PRINTED LEAFLETS TO INTRODUCE CANDIDATES TO ELECTORS.

+CANDIDATES MAY ORGANISE PUBLIC MEETINGS FOR ELECTION CAMPAIGNING PURPOSES, BUT THEY MUST COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS LAID DOWN IN THE PUBLIC ORDER (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE 1980 AND MAKE APPLICATION TO THE POLICE,+ MRS IP SAID.

COPIES OF A GUIDE ON HOW TO MAKE SUCH APPLICATIONS WOULD BE GIVEN TO CANDIDATES FOR THEIR INFORMATION.

+VENUES FOR HOLDING SUCH PUBLIC MEETINGS WILL INCLUDE GOVERNMENT SCHOOL HALLS, SOCIAL WELFARE BUILDINGS, PLAYGROUNDS IN PUBLIC HOUSING ESTATES AND CERTAIN FACILITIES OF THE URBAN SERVICES AND NEW TERRITORIES SERVICES DEPARTMENTS,+ SHE SAID.

MRS IP SAID SETTING UP DISTRICT BOARDS WAS AIMED AT CO-ORDINATING THE WORK OF ALL GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS CONCERNED TO SOLVE PROBLEMS ARISING AS A RESULT OF RAPID DEVELOPMENT IN THE DISTRICTS, ESPECIALLY IN THE NEW TERRITORIES.

+WHAT IS MORE IMPORTANT IS THAT THIS PROVIDES THE OPPORTUNITY FOR DIRECT PARTICIPATION TO THOSE PEOPLE WHO ARE KEEN AND WILLING TO SERVE THE COMMUNITY,+ SHE SAID.

+DISTRICT BOARDS ARE ALSO BEING SET UP AS BRIDGES BETWEEN GOVERNMENT AND THE PUBLIC SO THAT THE WISHES OF THE PUBLIC CAN BE REFLECTED TO GOVERNMENT AS REFERENCES WHEN MAKING POLICY DECISIONS.

+THIS WILL ENSURE THAT ANY NEW MEASURES TAKEN WILL MEET ACTUAL NEEDS AT DISTRICT LEVEL.+

SHE HOPED EVERYBODY WOULD SUPPORT THE DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION SCHEME, ESPECIALLY THE COMING DISTRICT BOARD ELECTIONS, IN A JOINT EFFORT TO BUILD UP A MORE SOUND AND PROSPEROUS SOCIETY.

THERE ARE MORE THAN 193 000 REGISTERED ELECTORS IN THE NEW TERRITORIES, EQUIVALENT TO 30 PER CENT OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF PEOPLE ELIGIBLE TO REGISTER AS ELECTORS.

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SURVEY STARTS ON SCHOOL DISCIPLINARY PROBLEMS

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THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT HAS LAUNCHED A SYSTEMATIC SURVEY OF DISCIPLINARY PROBLEMS IN ALL SECONDARY SCHOOLS ON AN ANNUAL BASIS WITH A VIEW TO MONITORING THE INCIDENCE OF UNRULY AND DELINQUENT BEHAVIOUR AMONG PUPILS.

THE SURVEY IS DESIGNED TO PROVIDE THE RECENTLY-ESTABLISHED STANDING COMMITTEE ON UNRULY AND DELINQUENT BEHAVIOUR IN SCHOOLS WITH INFORMATION ON THE EXTENT OF THE PROBLEM IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS SO THAT IT CAN FORMULATE EFFECTIVE CONTROL MEASURES.

SCHOOLS HAVE BEEN ASKED TO COMPLETE RETURNS AT REGULAR FOUR-MONTH INTERVALS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR TO GIVE A COMPLETE PICTURE OF THEIR PROBLEMS.

THE DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION, MR COLVYN HAYE, HAS APPEALED TO SCHOOL PRINCIPALS FOR THEIR CO-OPERATION AND URGED CANDOUR IN COMPLETING SURVEY RETURNS.

HE SAID: +YOU HAVE MY FIRM ASSURANCE THAT ANY INFORMATION YOU SUPPLY WILL BE TREATED IN THE STRICTEST CONFIDENCE. IT WILL NOT BE USED AGAINST YOU AND YOUR SCHOOL. THIS ASSURANCE EXTENDS TO YOUR TEACHERS AND YOUR PUPILS. THE SURVEY IS DESIGNED TO HELP, NOT TO PUNISH.+

THE SURVEY WAS INITIATED BY THE STANDING COMMITTEE WHICH IS CHAIRED BY THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION, MR MICHAEL LEUNG, AND INCLUDES REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT, CITY AND NEW TERRITORIES ADMINISTRATION, POLICE, THE ICAC AND THE TELEVISION AND ENTERTAINMENT LICENSING AUTHORITY.

THE COMMITTEE'S TERMS OF REFERENCE ARE:

- * TO MONITOR AND REPORT ON THE INCIDENCE OF UNRULY AND DELINQUENT BEHAVIOUR OF PUPILS IN SCHOOLS-
- * TO ADVISE THE DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION ON APPROPRIATE POLICY OR ADMINISTRATIVE MEASURES TO BE TAKEN, HAVING REGARD TO THE PROBLEMS IDENTIFIED, ON A SHORT-TERM AND A LONG-TERM BASIS-
- * TO CO-ORDINATE INTRA-DEPARTMENTAL AND INTER-DEPARTMENTAL ACTION ON CARRYING OUT THESE MEASURES-
- * TO KEEP MORAL EDUCATION IN SCHOOLS UNDER REVIEW IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE- AND
- * TO REPORT TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION THROUGH THE DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION, TO RECOMMEND APPROPRIATE POLICY CHANGES AND TO SEEK THE BOARD'S ENDORSEMENT OF SUCH CHANGES.

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ADDING HIS APPEAL TO THAT OF MR HAYE'S, THE CHAIRMAN OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE, MR LEUNG, SAID THE RELIABILITY OF THE SURVEY WOULD DEPEND ON THE NUMBER OF ACCURATE RETURNS RECEIVED AND URGED PRINCIPALS AND TEACHERS FOR THEIR FULLEST CO-OPERATION.

+YOU ARE FACE TO FACE WITH THE PROBLEMS IN YOUR CLASSROOMS AND YOU MAY WELL BE IN A POSITION TO SUGGEST WAYS IN WHICH THE STANDING COMMITTEE AND GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS CAN HELP,+ MR LEUNG SAID.

SUGGESTIONS FROM PRINCIPALS AND TEACHERS ARE WELCOME AND THEY MAY WRITE IN CONFIDENCE EITHER TO THE DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION OR THE CHAIRMAN OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON UNRULY AND DELINQUENT BEHAVIOUR IN SCHOOLS.

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LEGCO TO DEBATE PUBLIC GAME MACHINE BILL TOMORROW

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THREE UNOFFICIAL MEMBERS ARE EXPECTED TO SPEAK WHEN DEBATE RESUMES TOMORROW (WEDNESDAY) AT THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ON THE NEW LAW ON LICENSING OF PUBLIC GAME MACHINE CENTRES.

THE MISCELLANEOUS LICENCES (AMENDMENT) BILL 1982, SCHEDULED FOR FINAL READING TOMORROW, IS INTENDED TO BLOCK A LOOPHOLE IN THE EXISTING LAW AND TO REGULATE CENTRES WHERE MACHINE GAMES COULD BE PROVIDED.

AT THE MEETING ALSO, 12 QUESTIONS WILL BE ASKED BY UNOFFICIAL MEMBERS ON A WIDE RANGE OF SUBJECTS.

THE HON LYDIA DUNN WILL ASK THE GOVERNMENT ABOUT THE RATE OF DAILY INFLUX OF LEGAL IMMIGRANTS FROM CHINA LAST YEAR, AND WHETHER IT IS CONCERNED ABOUT THIS.

THE HON SELINA CHOW WILL ASK ABOUT MEASURES TAKEN TO PROTECT THE PUBLIC FROM OBJECTS THROWN FROM BUILDINGS, AND ABOUT THE NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS INVOLVING FAILURES OF LIFT DEVICES AT CONSTRUCTION SITES LAST YEAR AND THE MAIN CAUSES OF THE ACCIDENTS.

AND A QUESTION WILL BE ASKED BY THE HON STEPHEN CHEONG ABOUT STEPS BEING TAKEN TO ENSURE ADHERENCE TO INDUSTRIAL SAFETY REGULATIONS BY BOTH EMPLOYERS AND WORKERS, ESPECIALLY IN THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY.

THE HON FRANCIS TIEN WILL ASK IF HONG KONG HAS FORMALLY ACCEPTED THE PROTOCOL FOR THE EXTENSION OF THE MULTI-FIBRE ARRANGEMENT.

THE GOVERNMENT WILL BE ASKED BY THE HON ANDREW SO ABOUT LEGAL ACTION TAKEN TO DEAL WITH THE PROBLEM OF LOAN SHARKS AND WHETHER THE GOVERNMENT IS SATISFIED WITH THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE MONEY LENDERS ORDINANCE, ENACTED IN DECEMBER 1980.

THE HON WONG LAM WILL RECALL THE CROWD CONTROL PROBLEMS EXPERIENCED IN CENTRAL ON CHRISTMAS DAY AND WILL ASK IF THE GOVERNMENT WILL CONSIDER RE-DESIGNATING THE AREA AROUND STATUE SQUARE AS A PEDESTRIAN PRECINCT ON WEEK-ENDS AND HOLIDAYS, AS WAS DONE SOME YEARS AGO.

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NOVEMBER PWD CONTRACTS TOTAL \$650 MILLION
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A TOTAL OF 81 CONTRACTS WORTH MORE THAN \$650 MILLION WERE AWARDED BY THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT IN NOVEMBER LAST YEAR.

THE LARGEST CONTRACT, WORTH ABOUT \$196 MILLION, WAS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF PART OF THE SECOND STAGE OF THE ISLAND EASTERN CORRIDOR.

IT COVERS THE CONSTRUCTION OF AN 850-METRE LONG ELEVATED DUAL THREE-LANE HIGHWAY, 600 METRES OF WHICH WILL BE ABOVE THE SEA.

THIS SECTION OF THE COASTAL ROAD WILL CONNECT THE FIRST STAGE OF THE ISLAND EASTERN CORRIDOR AT THE HEALTHY STREET INTERCHANGE IN THE WEST AND THE NEW QUARRY BAY RECLAMATION IN THE EAST.

ANOTHER MAJOR CONTRACT, WORTH \$191 MILLION, WAS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE NEW SUPREME COURT BUILDING AT QUEENSWAY.

THE SUPREME COURT BUILDING WILL BE 22 STOREYS HIGH, COMPRISING A SIX-STOREY PODIUM AND A 16-STOREY TOWER BLOCK WHICH WILL HOUSE 36 COURTS.

OF THE CONTRACTS AWARDED, 36 WERE RECOMMENDED BY THE CENTRAL TENDER BOARD AND THE OTHERS BY THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT TENDER BOARD.

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SHEUNG SHUI PUBLIC LIBRARY OPENED
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THE CULTURAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT'S NEW SHEUNG SHUI PUBLIC LIBRARY WAS OFFICIALLY OPENED TODAY (TUESDAY).

THE OPENING CEREMONY WAS OFFICIATED BY DIRECTOR OF URBAN SERVICES, MR B.D. WILSON- THE VICE-CHAIRMAN OF HEUNG YEE KUK, MR LIU YUN-SUM- CHAIRMAN OF SHEUNG SHUI RURAL COMMITTEE, MR LIU CHING-LEUNG- CHAIRMAN OF SHEK WU HUI MERCHANT ASSOCIATION LTD., MR CHEUNG KUEN- AND CHAIRMAN OF THE FEDERATION OF SOCIETIES SHEUNG SHUI DISTRICT, MR LEE LUN.

THE LIBRARY IS LOCATED AT THE NORTH DISTRICT COMMUNITY CENTRE AND TOWN HALL IN LUNG SUM AVENUE AND HAS A COLLECTION OF ABOUT 25 000 VOLUMES.

IT CONSISTS OF AN ADULT LENDING LIBRARY, A JUNIOR LENDING LIBRARY, ADULT AND JUNIOR REFERENCE COLLECTIONS, A NEWSPAPERS/ PERIODICALS COLLECTION AND AN EXTENSION ACTIVITIES ROOM.

THE SHEUNG SHUI PUBLIC LIBRARY IS OPEN FROM MONDAY TO FRIDAY (EXCEPT TUESDAYS) BETWEEN 9 AM AND 8 PM FOR THE ADULT SECTION AND BETWEEN 9 AM AND 6 PM FOR THE JUNIOR SECTION.

IT IS ALSO OPEN ON SATURDAYS FROM 9 AM TO 5 PM AND ON SUNDAYS FROM 9 AM TO 1 PM.

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PNEUMOCONIOSIS SUFFERERS ASKED TO LODGE CLAIMS

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PEOPLE DIAGNOSED BEFORE JANUARY 1 LAST YEAR AS SUFFERING FROM PNEUMOCONIOSIS WERE REMINDED TODAY (TUESDAY) THAT THEY ARE ENTITLED TO EXGRATIA PAYMENTS FROM THE GOVERNMENT, SUBJECT TO ASSESSMENT OF THEIR LUNG DISEASE.

THOSE WHO HAVE NOT YET BEEN ASSESSED BY THE PNEUMOCONIOSIS MEDICAL ASSESSMENT BOARD SHOULD CONTACT THE WAN CHAI CHEST CLINIC IN KENNEDY ROAD AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. THEY CAN EITHER CALL IN PERSON OR TELEPHONE 5-726024.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE LABOUR DEPARTMENT POINTED OUT TODAY THAT THE MEDICAL AND HEALTH DEPARTMENT HAD ALREADY WRITTEN TO PEOPLE KNOWN TO BE SUFFERING FROM PNEUMOCONIOSIS TO COME FORWARD FOR MEDICAL ASSESSMENT, BUT SOME OF THEM HAD NOT RESPONDED.

+PERHAPS THIS IS BECAUSE THEY HAVE NOT RECEIVED THE LETTER DUE TO A CHANGE OF ADDRESS OR SOME OTHER REASONS. THESE PEOPLE SHOULD CONTACT THE WAN CHAI CLINIC AS SOON AS THEY LEARN OF THIS REMINDER IN THE NEWSPAPERS OR ON THE RADIO,+ HE SAID.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT SO FAR 1 359 APPLICATIONS FOR EXGRATIA PAYMENTS AMOUNTING TO \$37.4 MILLION HAD BEEN APPROVED.

PEOPLE DIAGNOSED AFTER JANUARY LAST YEAR AS SUFFERING FROM THE LUNG DISEASE ARE NOT ENTITLED TO EXGRATIA PAYMENTS, BUT TO COMPENSATION FROM THE PNEUMOCONIOSIS COMPENSATION FUND BOARD UNDER THE PNEUMOCONIOSIS COMPENSATION ORDINANCE.

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LUNAR NEW YEAR FAIR SITES

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SEVENTY-FIVE OUT OF 82 STALL SITES FOR THE FORTHCOMING SHA TIN LUNAR NEW YEAR FAIR WERE TAKEN UP AT A PUBLIC AUCTION TODAY (TUESDAY).

MOST OF THE SITES WERE TAKEN AT ABOVE THE UPSET PRICE, SAID A SPOKESMAN FOR THE NEW TERRITORIES SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

THE HIGHEST PRICE FOR A SITE FOR THE SALE OF WET GOODS WAS \$860 AND FOR DRY GOODS WAS \$160. THE UPSET PRICE WAS \$50.

THE AUCTION, ORGANISED BY THE SHA TIN URBAN SERVICES OFFICE, WAS HELD AT THE LEK YUEN COMMUNITY HALL IN LEK YUEN ESTATE.

THE REMAINING SEVEN SITES WILL BE OFFERED FOR HIRE TO TRADERS FROM TOMORROW (WEDNESDAY) ON A FIRST-COME-FIRST-SERVED BASIS. TRADERS SHOULD CONTACT THE SHA TIN URBAN SERVICES OFFICE AT LOWER GROUND FLOOR, LEK YUEN COMMUNITY HALL, LEK YUEN ESTATE, SHA TIN.

THE SHA TIN LUNAR NEW YEAR FAIR WILL BE HELD AT THE CAR PARK OF SHA TIN RACE COURSE FROM JANUARY 18 TO 25.

AT 9.30 AM TOMORROW (WEDNESDAY), 208 STALLS AT THE TSUEN WAN LUNAR NEW YEAR FAIR WILL BE PUT UP FOR AUCTION AT THE AUDITORIUM OF THE TSUEN WAN TOWN HALL.

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COMPUTER PROGRAMME FOR WATER STUDY
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A POLLUTION CONTROL COMPUTER PROGRAMME TO BE USED IN THE OVERALL PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT OF THE WATERS OF TOLO HARBOUR IS TO BE DEVELOPED WITHIN THE NEXT 12 MONTHS.

DISCLOSING THIS TODAY, A SPOKESMAN FOR THE NEW TERRITORIES DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT SAID THAT AN AGREEMENT TO THIS EFFECT HAD BEEN SIGNED BETWEEN THE PROJECT MANAGER (SHA TIN) OF THE SHA TIN NEW TOWN DEVELOPMENT OFFICE, MR KEITH AUSTIN, AND A PARTNER OF BINNIE AND PARTNERS (HONG KONG), MR ROBERT ARMISTEAD.

ON COMPLETION, THE COMPUTER PROGRAMME WILL BE CAPABLE OF PREDICTING THE EFFECTS OF INPUTS OF EFFLUENT, OR REDUCTION OF WASTE OR FRESH WATER FLOW ON THE WATER QUALITY OBJECTIVES DRAWN UP BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY FOR TOLO HARBOUR.

IT WILL ALSO BE CAPABLE OF PREDICTING THE EFFECTS AND CONSEQUENCES OF MAJOR RECLAMATION WORKS, DREDGING PROGRAMMES OR OTHER CHANGES IN THE PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS OF TOLO HARBOUR ON THE WATER QUALITY OBJECTIVES.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THE PROGRAMME WOULD BE USED TO ASSIST IN MONITORING WATER QUALITY CONDITIONS AND AS A DESIGN TOOL FOR CONSIDERATIONS OF FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS AROUND TOLO HARBOUR AND THE CATCHMENT DRAINING INTO THE HARBOUR AND CHANNEL.

HE ADDED THAT THE PROGRAMME WOULD HAVE A USEFUL LIFE SPAN OF UP TO 20 YEARS, DEPENDING ON FUTURE TECHNICAL DEVELOPMENTS IN THIS CONTINUOUSLY EVOLVING FIELD OF STUDY.

THE COST FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE PROGRAMME IS ESTIMATED TO BE ABOUT \$4 MILLION.

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FESTIVAL OFFERS NAN YIN AND CANTONESE OPERATIC SONGS
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ONE OF THE HIGHLIGHTS OF THE FOURTH TSUEN WAN ARTS FESTIVAL IS A CONCERT OF NAN YIN AND CANTONESE OPERATIC SONGS BY LEUNG HON-WAI ON FEBRUARY 7 AT 7.30 PM AT THE TSUEN WAN TOWN HALL CULTURAL ACTIVITIES HALL.

LEUNG HON-WAI IS AN EXPERIENCED ARTIST IN CANTONESE OPERA AND A VIRTUOSO IN NAN YIN, THE SOUTHERN LYRICS OF GUANGDONG.

THE PUBLIC, HOWEVER, WERE NOT AWARE OF HIS VIRTUOSITY IN NAN YIN UNTIL HE PLAYED THE ROLE OF A NAN YIN PERFORMER IN A RECENT TELEVISION SERIAL.

TICKETS AT \$7 ARE ON SALE AT THE TSUEN WAN TOWN HALL BOX OFFICE, SPACE MUSEUM ASTRONOMY BOOKSHOP AND THE NEW TERRITORIES MOBILE LIBRARY.

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CLEAN-UP AT SAI KUNG VILLAGES
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NEW TERRITORIES SERVICES DEPARTMENT WORKERS LAUNCHED A CLEAN-UP EFFORT AT TWO SAI KUNG VILLAGES TODAY (TUESDAY) TO SPREAD THE CLEAN HONG KONG CAMPAIGN MESSAGE TO THE PEOPLE AS THE LUNAR NEW YEAR APPROACHES.

SOME 50 CLEANSING WORKERS OF THE SAI KUNG URBAN SERVICES OFFICE REMOVED ABOUT TEN LORRY-LOADS OF REFUSE AND JUNK FROM VARIOUS LITTER BLACK SPOTS IN SHA KOK MEI AND HO CHUNG VILLAGES.

AT THE SAME TIME, MEMBERS OF THE SAI KUNG DISTRICT CLEAN HONG KONG CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE CALLED ON THE VILLAGE REPRESENTATIVES IN THE TWO AREAS AND IMPRESSED UPON THEM THE NEED TO KEEP THE AREAS CLEAN.

WE HOPE THIS CLEAN-UP OPERATION WILL SHOW THE VILLAGERS THAT KEEPING THEIR SURROUNDING AREA CLEAN WILL GREATLY IMPROVE SANITATION AND LIVING CONDITIONS, SAID THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE, MR WAN HON-CHEUNG.

HE THANKED THE VILLAGERS FOR THEIR HELP.

ALSO ON THE VISIT WERE THE ASSISTANT DISTRICT OFFICER OF SAI KUNG, MRS LAU NG WAI-LAN, THE URBAN SERVICES OFFICER OF SAI KUNG, MR LAM CHUNG-HUEN, AND THE VICE-CHAIRMAN OF SAI KUNG RURAL COMMITTEE, MR LAU WAN-HEI.

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