



# DAILY INFORMATION BULLETIN

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PRINCESS ALEXANDRA AND THE HON. ANGUS OGILVY  
TO ARRIVE TOMORROW  
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HRH PRINCESS ALEXANDRA AND THE HONOURABLE ANGUS OGILVY  
WILL ARRIVE AT 12.25 P.M. TOMORROW (WEDNESDAY) TO BEGIN AN EIGHT-  
DAY VISIT TO HONG KONG.

AFTER THEIR ARRIVAL, THE ROYAL VISITORS WILL DRIVE TO FANLING  
LODGE.

HER ROYAL HIGHNESS WILL LEAVE HONG KONG ON FEBRUARY 9.

FOLLOWING IS A SUMMARY OF HER ROYAL HIGHNESS'S PROGRAMME  
DURING THE VISIT:

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 2

12.25 P.M. ARRIVE AT HONG KONG INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4

11.45 A.M. VISIT POLICE CADET SCHOOL, FANLING

2.30 P.M. VISIT LEK YUEN ESTATE, SHATIN

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5

11.20 A.M. VISIT OCEAN PARK, WONG CHUK HANG

7.00 P.M. ATTEND FOLK FESTIVAL, TSZ WAN SHAN PLAYGROUND

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6

11.28 A.M. ATTEND SILVER JUBILEE THANKSGIVING SERVICE,  
ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

7.40 P.M. OPEN HONG KONG ARTS FESTIVAL, CITY HALL AND  
ATTEND OPENING CONCERT

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 7

10.30 A.M. VISIT HONG KONG POLYTECHNIC, HUNG HOM

3.10 P.M. VISIT SAI KUNG OUTDOOR RECREATION CENTRE

7.58 P.M. ATTEND ARTS FESTIVAL PERFORMANCE BY BERLIN  
RADIO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8

10.40 A.M. VISIT NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICE UNIT, HING WAH  
ESTATE, CHAI WAN

10.57 A.M. VISIT JUNIOR POLICE CALL AT CHAI WAN  
COMMUNITY CENTRE

4.45 P.M. ATTEND COMMUNITY RECEPTION, CONVENTION CENTRE

7.58 P.M. ATTEND ARTS FESTIVAL PERFORMANCE BY  
MR. EMLYN WILLIAMS

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9

11.00 A.M. VISIT LIGHT INFANTRY, STANLEY FORT

9.45 P.M. DEPART FROM HONG KONG INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

NOTE TO EDITORS:

TRANSPORT FOR ACCREDITED PRESS REPRESENTATIVES COVERING THE  
ARRIVAL OF PRINCESS ALEXANDRA WILL LEAVE THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT  
OFFICES CARPARK FOR KAI TAK AT 11.15 A.M. SHARP.

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DHA TO VISIT PO LEUNG KUK NO. 4 PRIMARY SCHOOL  
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THE DIRECTOR OF HOME AFFAIRS, MR. JOHN WALDEN, WILL VISIT THE  
PO LEUNG KUK NO. 4 PRIMARY SCHOOL AT TSZ WAN SHAN TOMORROW  
(WEDNESDAY) AFTERNOON.

HE WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY MRS. MAXINE LI KWOK, CHAIRMAN OF  
PO LEUNG KUK= MR. J.A. MILLER, CITY DISTRICT OFFICER (WONG TAI SIN)  
AND DIRECTORS OF THE KUK.

SITUATED AT HAMMER HILL ROAD, THE GOVERNMENT SUBSIDISED  
SCHOOL WAS BUILT IN 1971. THE SIX-STOREYED SCHOOL BUILDING  
HOUSES 24 CLASSROOMS, A LIBRARY, A MUSIC ROOM, A TEACHERS'  
COMMON ROOM AND A FIRST AID ROOM.

ALTOGETHER THERE ARE 48 CLASSES, 24 IN EACH SESSION. THE  
PRESENT ENROLMENT IS ABOUT 2,000.

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NOTE TO EDITORS :

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO SEND A REPORTER/PHOTOGRAPHER  
TO COVER THE VISIT WHICH WILL START AT 3 P.M.

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FLATS FOR SALE IN SAI KUNG

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THE FIRST IN A SERIES OF PUBLIC AUCTIONS TO DISPOSE OF ABOUT 100 NEW FLATS IN SAI KUNG TOWN WILL BE HELD NEXT TUESDAY (FEBRUARY 8).

THE FLATS, EACH OF 692 SQUARE FEET, ARE IN A ROW OF MODERN SIX-STORY BLOCKS WHICH WERE PRIMARILY BUILT TO REHOUSE LOCAL VILLAGERS AFFECTED BY THE HIGH ISLAND WATER SCHEME.

THE PRINCIPAL GOVERNMENT LAND AGENT OF THE NEW TERRITORIES ADMINISTRATION, MR. J.D. JOHNSTON, SAID TODAY THAT THE MAJORITY OF FLATS IN THE BLOCKS WERE NOW OCCUPIED BY THE AFFECTED VILLAGERS.

+BUT THERE IS A SURPLUS OF FLATS BECAUSE WE HAD TO BUILD EXTRA FLATS TO FINISH THE BLOCKS AND BECAUSE SOME VILLAGERS OPTED FOR CASH COMPENSATION,+ HE SAID.

MR. JOHNSTON SAID IT WAS THE FIRST TIME THAT THE GOVERNMENT HAD AUCTIONED FLATS ON SUCH A SCALE IN THE NEW TERRITORIES.

+WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD WITH INTEREST TO THE OUTCOME OF THE SALE,+ HE ADDED. +THE FLATS ARE VERY WELL-LOCATED OPPOSITE THE MARKETS IN SAI KUNG TOWN.

+THERE IS ALSO SHOPPING ON THE GROUND FLOOR OF EACH OF THE BLOCKS.

+DEPENDING ON THE OUTCOME OF TUESDAY'S AUCTION, THE GOVERNMENT'S LONG RANGE PLAN IS TO DISPOSE OF THE REMAINDER OF THE FLATS.+

THE AUCTION WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE SAI KUNG DISTRICT OFFICE, FIRST FLOOR, SAN PO KONG MAGISTRACY, 692 PRINCE EDWARD ROAD, KOWLOON, AT 10.30 A.M.

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EDUCATION INSPECTOR RETIRES AFTER 26-1/2 YEARS SERVICE

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MR. LEE YUK-WOR, AN INSPECTOR OF ECONOMIC AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS, WAS TODAY PRESENTED WITH A CAMERA AS A RETIREMENT GIFT BY THE ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION (CHIEF INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS), MR. ARTHUR BROWN, ON BEHALF OF HIS FRIENDS AND COLLEAGUES.

MR. LEE IS GOING ON RETIREMENT AFTER 26-1/2 YEARS SERVICE.

SPEAKING AT A FAREWELL RECEPTION, THE ASSISTANT DIRECTOR SAID MR. LEE HAD GIVEN VERY CONSCIENTIOUS AND SATISFACTORY SERVICE TO THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

MR. BROWN HOPED THAT MR. LEE WOULD FIND THE CAMERA USEFUL SINCE HE HAD ONE OF THE LARGEST COLLECTIONS OF COLOUR SLIDES OF HONG KONG'S FLORA.

MR. LEE HAS ALSO PRODUCED AN 8 MM COLOUR FILM ENTITLED +HONG KONG IN BLOSSOM+.

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TRAVELLERS TO CHINA OR MACAU DURING LUNAR NEW YEAR  
NEED TO APPLY FOR RE-ENTRY PERMITS EARLY

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THE DIRECTOR OF IMMIGRATION, MR. MARTIN ROWLANDS, TODAY ADVISED RESIDENTS INTENDING TO TRAVEL TO CHINA OR MACAU OVER THE CHINESE NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS TO APPLY NOW FOR THEIR HONG KONG RE-ENTRY PERMITS BEFORE THE RUSH STARTS.

HE URGED PEOPLE NOT TO WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE BECAUSE THEY WOULD FACE THE INEVITABLE DELAYS AND LONG QUEUES AT THE IMMIGRATION DEPARTMENT OFFICES.

A SINGLE JOURNEY RE-ENTRY PERMIT COSTING ONLY \$3 IS VALID FOR ONE JOURNEY TO MACAU OR CHINA AND RETURN TO HONG KONG WITHIN SIX MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF ISSUE. A MULTIPLE JOURNEY PERMIT COSTING \$15 IS VALID FOR ANY NUMBER OF JOURNEYS WITHIN FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE OF ISSUE.

+THERE IS THEREFORE NO NEED FOR ANYONE TO WAIT UNTIL JUST BEFORE THE CHINESE NEW YEAR BEFORE APPLYING,+ MR. ROWLANDS SAID.

RE-ENTRY PERMITS CAN BE OBTAINED NOW FROM ALL IMMIGRATION BRANCH OFFICES AND FROM THE MOBILE IMMIGRATION OFFICE WHICH CALLS DAILY AT REMOTE PARTS OF THE NEW TERRITORIES.

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LEGCO MEETS TOMORROW

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UNOFFICIAL MEMBERS WILL ASK A TOTAL OF 14 QUESTIONS WHEN THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL MEETS TOMORROW (WEDNESDAY).

THE QUESTIONS TO BE RAISED WILL INCLUDE SUCH SUBJECTS AS CHILD EMPLOYMENT, STREET LIGHTING, TRANSIT CENTRE, CRIME AND FACTORY INSPECTIONS.

THE GOVERNMENT WILL ALSO BE ASKED WHETHER IT WOULD CONSIDER THE ENACTMENT OF NEW LEGISLATION WHICH WOULD REQUIRE PENSIONERS IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES TO COLLECT THEIR PENSIONS PERSONALLY.

DEBATE WILL RESUME ON FOUR BILLS. THEY ARE THE COMPANIES (AMENDMENT) BILL 1977, THE BANKRUPTCY (AMENDMENT) BILL 1977, THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION (AMENDMENT) BILL 1977 AND THE HONG KONG INDUSTRIAL ESTATES CORPORATION BILL 1977.

ALSO DURING THE MEETING, DR. THE HON. S.Y. CHUNG WILL MAKE A STATEMENT ON THE HONG KONG POLYTECHNIC ANNUAL REPORT WHICH WILL BE TABLED WITH BALANCE SHEET AND INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 1976.

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TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS IN TSUEN WAN  
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THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT WITH EFFECT FROM 10.00 A.M. ON FRIDAY (FEBRUARY 4), ALL VEHICLES WOULD NOT BE ALLOWED TO TURN RIGHT FROM SHA TSUI ROAD INTO TEXACO ROAD IN ORDER TO AVOID TRAFFIC CONGESTION AT THAT JUNCTION.

SIMULTANEOUSLY, TRAFFIC LIGHT SIGNALS WILL BE BROUGHT INTO OPERATION THERE.

EASTBOUND TRAFFIC ALONG SHA TSUI ROAD REQUIRING ACCESS TO THE SOUTHERN PART OF TSUEN WAN TOWN SHOULD MAKE USE OF KWU HANG ROAD INSTEAD.

APPROPRIATE TRAFFIC SIGNS AND ROADMARKINGS WILL BE PROVIDED FOR GUIDANCE OF MOTORISTS.

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RE-OPENING OF A SECTION OF WING LOK STREET  
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WING LOK STREET BETWEEN MORRISON STREET AND CLEVERLY STREET WILL BE RE-OPENED TO TRAFFIC WITH EFFECT FROM TOMORROW (WEDNESDAY) FOLLOWING THE COMPLETION OF CABLE LAYING WORKS BY THE HONG KONG TELEPHONE COMPANY LIMITED.

APPROPRIATE TRAFFIC SIGNS WILL BE PUT UP TO GUIDE MOTORISTS.

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WATER CUT  
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WATER SUPPLY TO A NUMBER OF PREMISES IN SHAU KEI WAN AND YAU MA TEI AREAS WILL BE TURNED OFF FOR FIVE HOURS FROM 1 A.M. ON THURSDAY (FEBRUARY 3) TO ALLOW THE WATER SUPPLIES DEPARTMENT TO CARRY OUT NIGHT LEAKAGE TESTS.

IN SHAU KEI WAN, THE PREMISES TO BE AFFECTED ARE THOSE FROM SUN SING STREET TO SHING ON STREET, INCLUDING SHAU KEI WAN ROAD AND SAI WAN HO STREET.

IN YAU MA TEI, THE AFFECTED AREA IS BOUNDED BY NATHAN ROAD, PAK HOI STREET, CHI WO STREET AND JORDAN ROAD, INCLUDING NANKING STREET, CHEUNG LOK STREET, SAIGON STREET AND MAU LAM STREET.

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