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TRIBUTE TO SUMMER FUN ORGANISERS

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THE SECRETARY FOR HOME AFFAIRS AND INFORMATION, MR. LI FOOK-KOW, TODAY (WEDNESDAY) THANKED ALL THOSE WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO THE SUCCESS OF THIS YEAR'S SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMME -- THE TENTH IN THE SERIES.

IN A MESSAGE OF APPRECIATION, MR. LI SAID THAT THROUGHOUT THE PROGRAMME, NO LESS THAN 8,000 EVENTS INCLUDING CAMPING, OUTINGS, SPORTS AND GAMES, TRAINING COURSES, FUN FAIRS, VARIETY SHOWS AND COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS WERE ORGANISED.

HE ALSO PAID TRIBUTE TO THE YOUNG PEOPLE THEMSELVES WHO, BY THEIR ENTHUSIASTIC PARTICIPATION, HAD SHOWED THE ORGANISERS THAT ALL THE EFFORTS WERE INDEED WORTHWHILE.

+AS WAS THE PRACTICE LAST YEAR, JOCKEY CLUB SCHOLARSHIPS WOULD AGAIN BE AWARDED TO THE THREE MOST OUTSTANDING YOUNG PEOPLE TO ATTEND COURSES AT THE OUTWARD BOUND SCHOOL,+ HE ADDED.

THE FOLLOWING IS THE FULL TEXT OF MR. LI'S MESSAGE OF APPRECIATION ISSUED AT THE CLOSE OF THIS YEAR'S SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMME:

+NOW THAT THE TENTH SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMME HAS DRAWN TO A CLOSE, I SHOULD LIKE TO CONGRATULATE ALL THOSE WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO ITS UNDOUBTED SUCCESS.

+A SPECIAL VOTE OF THANKS SHOULD BE GIVEN TO THE ROYAL HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB WHO HAS BEEN THE BIGGEST SINGLE DONOR OF FUNDS TOWARDS THE PROGRAMME SINCE 1969. THE CLUB'S CONTRIBUTION TO THE TENTH SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMME AMOUNTED TO \$1.76 MILLION. MANY OTHER ORGANISATIONS AND INDIVIDUALS, FAR TOO MANY TO NAME HERE, ALSO DIPPED DEEPLY INTO THEIR POCKETS TO GIVE FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO THE PROGRAMME, WHICH WAS ALSO BACKED BY GOVERNMENT AND URBAN COUNCIL FUNDS.

+THROUGHOUT THE PROGRAMME, NO LESS THAN 8,000 EVENTS INCLUDING CAMPING, OUTINGS, SPORTS AND GAMES, TRAINING COURSES, FUN FAIRS, VARIETY SHOWS AND COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS WERE ORGANISED. MY THANKS MUST THEREFORE ALSO GO TO ALL THE BODIES CONCERNED FOR THEIR EFFORTS IN PLANNING AND ORGANISING THESE ACTIVITIES. THEY INCLUDE THE 44 MEMBER AGENCIES OF THE HONG KONG COUNCIL OF SOCIAL SERVICE, OVER 1,500 PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS, SOME 950 COMMUNITY CENTRES AND LOCAL GROUPS, THE BRITISH FORCES, THE URBAN COUNCIL AND VARIOUS GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS. I SHOULD LIKE PARTICULARLY TO THANK THE 50,000 OR SO PEOPLE FROM ALL WALKS OF LIFE WHO VOLUNTARILY GAVE THEIR TIME TO ASSIST IN THE PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE EVENTS.

+LAST BUT NOT LEAST, I WOULD ALSO LIKE TO PAY TRIBUTE TO THE YOUNG PEOPLE THEMSELVES WHO, BY THEIR ENTHUSIASTIC PARTICIPATION, SHOWED US THAT ALL THE EFFORTS WERE INDEED WORTHWHILE. AS WAS THE PRACTICE LAST YEAR, JOCKEY CLUB SCHOLARSHIPS WOULD AGAIN BE AWARDED TO THE THREE MOST OUTSTANDING YOUNG PEOPLE TO ATTEND COURSES AT THE OUTWARD BOUND SCHOOL.+

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FINAL STAGE OF TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS IN  
HO MAN TIN AND KOWLOON TONG  
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THE FOURTH AND FINAL STAGE TO IMPROVE TRAFFIC FLOW IN HO MAN TIN AND KOWLOON TONG DURING RACING AT SHA TIN WILL COME INTO EFFECT FROM 10 A.M. ON FRIDAY (OCTOBER 6).

IN THIS STAGE, ALL MOTOR VEHICLES WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO TURN RIGHT FROM WATERLOO ROAD INTO JUNCTION ROAD. INSTEAD, THEY SHOULD USE THE ALTERNATIVE ROUTE VIA HEREFORD ROAD AND RENFREW ROAD.

AT THE SAME TIME, LEARNER DRIVERS WILL BE PROHIBITED FROM ENTERING AND PRACTISING DRIVING IN RENFREW ROAD BETWEEN HEREFORD ROAD AND JUNCTION ROAD= HEREFORD ROAD BETWEEN WATERLOO ROAD AND LA SALLE ROAD= OXFORD ROAD BETWEEN HEREFORD ROAD TO WILTSHIRE ROAD= CAMBRIDGE ROAD BETWEEN HEREFORD ROAD AND WILTSHIRE ROAD= LA SALLE ROAD BETWEEN DURHAM ROAD AND HEREFORD ROAD= THE NORTHBOUND CARRIAGEWAY OF THE WATERLOO ROAD SECTION FROM DORSET CRESCENT TO CORNWALL STREET= AND THE WESTBOUND CARRIAGEWAY OF THE CORNWALL STREET SECTION FROM WATERLOO ROAD TO DEVON ROAD.

ALL THE PARKING SPACES IN HEREFORD ROAD BETWEEN WATERLOO ROAD AND OXFORD ROAD WILL BE CANCELLED.

THE HEREFORD ROAD SECTION BETWEEN WATERLOO ROAD AND RENFREW ROAD WILL BE ROUTED ONE-WAY EASTBOUND.

BUS ROUTE NOS. 30, 7A, 70 AND 103 WILL BE DIVERTED AT THE JUNCTION OF WATERLOO ROAD AND HEREFORD ROAD TO OPERATE ALONG HEREFORD ROAD TO REJOIN JUNCTION ROAD.

TRAFFIC LIGHT SIGNALS WILL BE INSTALLED AT THE JUNCTION OF WATERLOO ROAD AND HEREFORD ROAD AND AT THE JUNCTION OF RENFREW ROAD AND JUNCTION ROAD TO FACILITATE TRAFFIC FLOW.

APPROPRIATE TRAFFIC SIGNS WILL BE SET UP TO GUIDE MOTORISTS.

A TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN ADVISED MOTORISTS THAT WHEN THE RACING SEASON STARTS AT SHA TIN ON OCTOBER 7 THEY SHOULD NOT ATTEMPT TO FIND PARKING IN SHA TIN.

+THERE ARE NO PARKING SPACES IN THE VICINITY OF THE SHA TIN RACE-COURSE FOR MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC,+ HE SAID.

THE SPOKESMAN URGED MOTORISTS TO USE PUBLIC TRANSPORT INSTEAD.

HE SAID THAT ADDITIONAL TRAINS WOULD BE OPERATED NON-STOP FROM KOWLOON RAILWAY STATION TO THE NEW STATION AT THE RACE-COURSE.

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HOWEVER, HE URGED RACEGOERS TO BUY THEIR TRAIN TICKETS IN ADVANCE AT THE VARIOUS JOCKEY CLUB OFFICES THROUGHOUT HONG KONG AS TRAIN TICKETS WOULD NOT BE AVAILABLE ON RACE DAYS AT THE KOWLOON RAILWAY STATION.

ALSO, ALL TICKETS FOR THE RACES AT SHA TIN MUST BE BOUGHT IN ADVANCE AT THE VARIOUS JOCKEY CLUB OUTLETS. NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE SHA TIN RACE-COURSE.

THERE WILL BE 12 SPECIAL BUS SERVICES, INCLUDING THREE CROSS-HARBOUR ROUTES, OPERATING TO AND FROM THE SHA TIN RACE-COURSE.

THE SPECIAL RACE-COURSE BUSES WILL RUN FROM TSUEN WAN FERRY, TAI PO MARKET, TSIM SHA TSUI, KENNEDY TOWN, CHAI WAN (EAST), ABERDEEN, LAI CHI KOK, TAI KOK TSUI, SHA TIN MARKET, KWUN TONG, CHOI HUNG AND KOWLOON CITY FERRY.

THE SPECIAL SERVICES WILL BEGIN ABOUT TWO-AND-A-HALF HOURS BEFORE THE FIRST RACE AND WILL OPERATE AT FREQUENT INTERVALS ACCORDING TO TRAFFIC DEMAND.

THE HUNG HOM MULTI-STOREY CAR PARK, WHICH WAS CLOSED IN MARCH THIS YEAR, WILL BE TEMPORARILY RE-OPENED FOR PUBLIC USE AT 8 A.M. ON SATURDAY (OCTOBER 7).

THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THERE WOULD BE 750 PARKING SPACES AVAILABLE AND THE RE-OPENING OF THE CAR PARK WAS TO ENABLE RACE GOERS TO PARK THEIR VEHICLES AT THE STATION SO THAT THEY MAY TRAVEL TO THE RACE-COURSE BY TRAIN.

HE SAID THAT THE CAR PARK WOULD BE RE-OPENED FOR A PERIOD OF NINE DAYS ONLY, FROM OCTOBER 7 TO OCTOBER 15, FROM 8 A.M. TO MIDNIGHT DAILY.

THE CAR PARK WOULD BE CLOSED AGAIN FROM MIDNIGHT ON SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15, UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

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TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS FOR SHA TIN RACE-COURSE AND NORTH POINT  
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THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT FROM 10 A.M. TOMORROW (THURSDAY), THE TAI PO ROAD (HO TUNG LAU) AND RACE-COURSE INTERCHANGE WILL BE OPENED TO TRAFFIC TO FACILITATE ACCESS TO THE SHA TIN RACE-COURSE.

FRANCHISED BUSES AND PUBLIC LIGHT BUSES WISHING TO ENTER THE RACE-COURSE FROM THE SHA TIN DIRECTION WILL HAVE TO USE A NEW FLYOVER 300 METRES EAST OF THE SIGNALLED JUNCTION OF TAI PO ROAD (HO TUNG LAU) AND FO TAN. THERE WILL BE NO CHANGE IN THE PRESENT ROUTE FOR VEHICLES TRAVELLING FROM SHA TIN TO TAI PO.

VEHICLES FROM TAI PO BOUND FOR SHA TIN WILL BE DIVERTED TO TRAVEL VIA A NEW BRIDGE OVER THE RAILWAY.

THE DEPARTMENT ALSO ANNOUNCED THAT SEVERAL TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN INTRODUCED IN NORTH POINT FROM 10 A.M. TODAY (WEDNESDAY) FOR ABOUT TWO WEEKS TO FACILITATE TRAM TRACK RENEWAL WORK.

UNDER THE ARRANGEMENTS, SOUTHBOUND VEHICLES IN THE SECTION OF KAM HONG STREET NORTH OF KING'S ROAD ARE NOT PERMITTED TO PROCEED STRAIGHT AHEAD INTO THE SOUTHERN SECTION.

AT THE SAME TIME, ALL TRAFFIC WISHING TO GO TO THE SECTION OF KAM HONG STREET SOUTH OF KING'S ROAD ARE DIVERTED ALONG JAVA ROAD AND MARBLE ROAD TO TIN CHIU STREET, KING'S ROAD, AND LEFT INTO KAM HONG STREET.

HOWEVER, BUSES ON-TOW ARE ALLOWED TO TURN RIGHT FROM KING'S ROAD EASTBOUND TO KAM HONG STREET UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE POLICE.

APPROPRIATE TRAFFIC SIGNS HAVE BEEN SET UP IN THESE AREAS TO GUIDE MOTORISTS.

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TECHNICAL INSTITUTE STUDENTS SCORE DISTINCTIONS  
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SIX STUDENTS FROM THE MORRISON HILL TECHNICAL INSTITUTE HAVE OBTAINED DISTINCTIONS IN THE JUNE EXAMINATIONS OF THE ROYAL SOCIETY OF ARTS AND THE LONDON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

THEY ARE FOK KA-LING, LAU KUN-CHE, LUNG CHIU-YEE, TAI KWAI-HEUNG, WONG SIK-CHEONG AND WONG YEE-MAN.

ANOTHER 15 OF THE 25 STUDENTS FROM THE INSTITUTE WHO TOOK PART IN THE EXAMINATION PASSED WITH MANY CREDITS IN VARIOUS SUBJECTS.

AN EDUCATION DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THIS WAS AN ENCOURAGING RESULT OF THE FIRST INTAKE OF THE DIPLOMA COURSE IN BUSINESS STUDIES BY THE INSTITUTE. THE 25 STUDENTS HAVE ALL ATTENDED THE TWO-YEAR COURSE ON A FULL-TIME BASIS. THE COURSE WAS PREVIOUSLY ONLY AVAILABLE AT THE HONG KONG POLYTECHNIC.

SEVEN OF THE 25 STUDENTS HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED INTO THE SECOND YEAR OF THE HIGHER DIPLOMA COURSE IN BUSINESS STUDIES AT THE HONG KONG POLYTECHNIC, AND THE OTHERS ARE ALREADY EMPLOYED IN VARIOUS POSTS IN THE COMMERCIAL SECTOR.

IN VIEW OF THE BIG DEMAND FOR THE DIPLOMA IN BUSINESS STUDIES, IT IS PLANNED TO OFFER IT AT THE LEE WAI LEE TECHNICAL INSTITUTE AT KOWLOON TONG WHEN IT OPENS IN SEPTEMBER, 1979.

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NEW EDITION OF STREET INDEX ON SALE  
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A NEW EDITION OF THE +INDEX OF STREETS+, +HOUSE NUMBERS AND LOTS+ IN HONG KONG, KOWLOON AND NEW KOWLOON HAS BEEN PUBLISHED AND IS NOW ON SALE AT THE GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS CENTRE IN CONNAUGHT PLACE.

THE NEW EDITION, WHICH IS THE 29TH IN THE SERIES, SHOWS THE POSITION AS AT JUNE 30, 1977 AND SUPERSEDES THE 28TH EDITION ISSUED IN 1967.

LIKE THE PREVIOUS EDITION, THE NEW EDITION IS PUBLISHED IN LOOSE-LEAF FORM, THUS ENABLING SUCCESSIVE ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO BE MADE, PARTICULARS OF WHICH WILL BE CONTAINED IN +NOTERS-UP+ TO BE ISSUED AT SIX-MONTHLY INTERVALS.

THE PRESENT EDITION IS AGAIN PUBLISHED IN TWO VOLUMES, VOLUME I FOR HONG KONG ISLAND AND VOLUME II FOR KOWLOON AND NEW KOWLOON.

THE PRICE FOR EACH VOLUME IS \$80.

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CONCERT BY TRAINEE MUSICIANS

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TRAINEE MUSICIANS OF THE MUSIC ADMINISTRATOR'S OFFICE WILL GIVE A CONCERT AT THE ARTS CENTRE IN WAN CHAI AT 5.30 P.M. ON FRIDAY (OCTOBER 6).

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE MUSIC ADMINISTRATOR'S OFFICE SAID SIMILAR CONCERTS WOULD BE HELD REGULARLY ON THE FIRST FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH.

HE ADDED THAT THESE CONCERTS WILL HELP YOUNG STUDENTS BUILD UP CONFIDENCE IN GIVING LIVE PERFORMANCE IN PUBLIC.

THE PROGRAMME OF THE CONCERT ON OCTOBER 6 INCLUDES SOLO ITEMS FOR THE FRENCH HORN, FLUTE, CLARINET, DOUBLE BASS AND OBOE AS WELL AS DUETS AND TRIOS FOR A VARIETY OF ORCHESTRAL INSTRUMENTS.

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND THE CONCERT. ADMISSION CARDS ARE AVAILABLE FREE OF CHARGE AT THE MUSIC ADMINISTRATOR'S OFFICE, NINTH FLOOR, ARTS CENTRE, HARBOUR ROAD, WAN CHAI (TEL. NO. 5-283257).

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WATER CUT

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WATER SUPPLY TO A NUMBER OF PREMISES IN CENTRAL WILL BE STOPPED FOR SEVEN HOURS FROM 11 P.M. ON FRIDAY (OCTOBER 6) TO FACILITATE LEAKAGE TEST BY WATER SUPPLIES DEPARTMENT.

THE AREA TO BE AFFECTED IS BOUNDED BY 127-133 AND 84-130 HOLLYWOOD ROAD, INCLUDING HOLLYWOOD ROAD POLICE PRIMARY SCHOOL-1-13 SHING WONG STREET AND 1-51 GOUGH STREET.

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