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CASTLE PEAK ROAD TO BE IMPROVED

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THE GOVERNMENT PROPOSES TO IMPROVE THE SHARP ROAD BEND AND TO PROVIDE A PUBLIC CAR PARK AT 12 MILESTONE CASTLE PEAK ROAD OPPOSITE HOMI VILLA IN TSUEN WAN.

HOMI VILLA HAS BEEN SELECTED AS AN EXHIBITION AND EDUCATION CENTRE FOR THE AIRPORT CORE PROGRAMME AND AT PRESENT THERE ARE NO PUBLIC PARKING FACILITIES IN ITS VICINITY.

AS THE CENTRE WILL BECOME A TOURIST ATTRACTION AND WILL BRING MORE TRAFFIC ON CASTLE PEAK ROAD, IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT THE SHARP ROAD BEND BE IMPROVED. TO FLATTEN THE SHARP BEND, SOME SLOPE-CUTTING WORKS ARE NECESSARY.

AS PART OF THE IMPROVEMENT, THE LAND THAT BECOMES AVAILABLE WILL BE CONVERTED INTO A PUBLIC CAR PARK TO SERVE VISITORS TO THE CENTRE AND THE NEARBY BEACHES.

THE HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT WILL CARRY OUT THE WORKS.

A NOTICE ON THE PROPOSED WORKS HAS BEEN GAZETTED YESTERDAY (FRIDAY).

A PLAN SHOWING THE EXTENT OF THE PROPOSED WORKS AND A SCHEME DESCRIPTION CAN BE SEEN AT:

- \* THE CENTRAL AND WESTERN DISTRICT OFFICE, PUBLIC ENQUIRY SERVICE CENTRE, GROUND FLOOR, HARBOUR BUILDING, 38 PIER ROAD, CENTRAL, HONG KONG;
- \* THE DISTRICT LANDS OFFICE, TSUEN WAN, 10TH FLOOR, TSUEN WAN STATION MULTI-STOREY CARPARK BUILDING, 174-208 CASTLE PEAK ROAD, TSUEN WAN, NEW TERRITORIES; AND
- \* THE TSUEN WAN DISTRICT OFFICE, FIRST FLOOR, TSUEN WAN STATION MULTI-STOREY CARPARK BUILDING, 174-208 CASTLE PEAK ROAD, TSUEN WAN, NEW TERRITORIES.

ANY PERSON WHO WISHES TO OBJECT TO THE WORKS OR THE USE, OR BOTH IS REQUIRED TO SEND HIS OBJECTION IN WRITING TO THE SECRETARY FOR TRANSPORT, CENTRAL GOVERNMENT OFFICES, EAST WING, SECOND FLOOR, LOWER ALBERT ROAD, BY SEPTEMBER 21.

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FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION CAMPAIGN A SUCCESS

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FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION HELPS TO ENHANCE HARMONIOUS FAMILY TIES, THROUGH CLOSE CO-OPERATION BETWEEN GOVERNMENT AND NON-GOVERNMENTAL WELFARE ORGANISATIONS.

THIS WAS STATED BY THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE ON FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION PUBLICITY CAMPAIGN, MISS CHUNG WOON-CHEUNG, TODAY (SATURDAY).

THE CAMPAIGN HAS BEEN LAUNCHED SINCE 1978.

AT THE FINALE OF A RADIO PROGRAMME ON FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION AT A RADIO TELEVISION HONG KONG STUDIO, MISS CHUNG SAID THE RADIO PROGRAMME WAS A HIGHLIGHT OF THE 1991/93 CAMPAIGN.

SHE SAID THE OBJECTIVE WAS TO SPREAD THE THEME OF "HAPPY MARRIAGE AND RESPONSIBLE PARENTHOOD".

THE WEEKEND ONE-HOUR PROGRAMME, ENTITLED "HARMONIOUS LIFE", HAS BEEN ON THE AIR FOR THE PAST 13 WEEKS, GIVING ADVICE ON HAPPY MARRIAGE, RESPONSIBLE PARENTHOOD, YOUTH OF TODAY AND CROSS-GENERATION TIES.

IT ALSO ATTEMPTED TO HELP CALLERS SOLVE THEIR PERSONAL PROBLEMS.

AT TODAY'S FINALE, SOME 50 PEOPLE INCLUDING SOCIAL WORKERS, VOLUNTEERS AND FAMILY MEMBERS OF DIFFERENT AGES WERE INVITED TO TAKE PART IN A DEBATE.

SOME OF THE PARTICIPANTS WERE LATER INVITED TO A GAME ON FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION.

THE FINALE PROGRAMME WILL BE ON AIR ON RADIO 5 ON JULY 31, STARTING 11 AM.

MISS CHUNG SAID THE VIGOROUS RESPONSE OF THE AUDIENCE HAD CLEARLY SHOWN THAT THEY HAD SUCCEEDED IN PROMOTING HARMONIOUS FAMILY TIES.

"WE WILL STEP UP OUR EFFORTS TO SPREAD THE MESSAGE TO EVERY FAMILY," SHE SAID.

THE 1993/95 FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION PUBLICITY CAMPAIGN WILL BE LAUNCHED IN OCTOBER THIS YEAR.

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GRANTS FOR CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

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THE SIR DAVID TRENCH FUND FOR RECREATION IS INVITING APPLICATIONS FOR GRANTS FROM THE FUND'S 1993 CULTURAL SCHEME.

THE AIM OF THE FUND IS TO ENCOURAGE THOSE RECREATIONAL AND RELATED PROJECTS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE INDIVIDUAL AND HIS INVOLVEMENT IN THE LIFE OF THE COMMUNITY IN HONG KONG.

THIS YEAR, THE SIR DAVID TRENCH FUND COMMITTEE WILL LAUNCH A SPECIAL '1993 CULTURAL ACTIVITIES SCHEME'.

THE MAIN PURPOSE OF THE SCHEME IS TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO ASSOCIATIONS FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF EQUIPMENT, SUCH AS MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS AND PAINTING EQUIPMENT AND THEREBY TO FACILITATE THE ORGANISATION OF CULTURAL ACTIVITIES AND TRAINING CLASSES.

IT WILL BE OPEN TO ALL KINDS OF ASSOCIATIONS, AND GRANTS APPROVED WILL NORMALLY NOT EXCEED \$20,000.

APPLICATION FORMS ARE OBTAINABLE AT ALL DISTRICT OFFICES OF THE CITY AND NEW TERRITORIES ADMINISTRATION AND THE SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

THEY CAN ALSO BE OBTAINED FROM SIR DAVID TRENCH FUND COMMITTEE AT THE RECREATION AND CULTURE BRANCH, 40TH FLOOR, REVENUE TOWER, 5 GLOUCESTER ROAD, WAN CHAI, HONG KONG.

ALL COMPLETED APPLICATION FORMS SHOULD BE RETURNED TO THE SECRETARY FOR THE COMMITTEE ON OR BEFORE THE END OF AUGUST.

ENQUIRIES CAN BE MADE ON TEL 594 5660.

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REVIEW ARTICLE ON RE-EXPORT TRADE

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HONG KONG'S RE-EXPORTS TO CHINA INCLUDE A LOT OF TEXTILE PRODUCTS, ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT, MACHINERY, PLASTICS IN PRIMARY FORMS, AND ROAD VEHICLES, ACCORDING TO A SPECIAL REVIEW ARTICLE IN THE MAY ISSUE OF THE "HONG KONG MONTHLY DIGEST OF STATISTICS".

ENTITLED "REVIEW OF HONG KONG'S RE-EXPORT TRADE", THE ARTICLE SAID RE-EXPORTS FROM HONG KONG TO COUNTRIES SUCH AS USA, JAPAN AND UNITED KINGDOM COVERED MOSTLY CLOTHING, TOYS, FOOTWEAR AND MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED GOODS.

"RE-EXPORT TRADE IS AN INCREASINGLY IMPORTANT ECONOMIC ACTIVITY FOR HONG KONG," A SPOKESMAN FOR THE CENSUS AND STATISTICS DEPARTMENT SAID.

"THE REVIEW ARTICLE ANALYSES THE DEVELOPMENT OF RE-EXPORT TRADE WITH REFERENCE TO TRADE STATISTICS IN THE PAST DECADE AND THE MOST RECENT FIGURES FOR 1993," HE SAID.

DETAILED ANALYSIS IS GIVEN ON: GROWTH IN RE-EXPORT TRADE OVER THE YEARS, DESTINATION AND ORIGIN OF RE-EXPORT GOODS, AND THE TYPES OF COMMODITIES TRADED.

THE "HONG KONG MONTHLY DIGEST OF STATISTICS", AT \$48 A COPY, IS ON SALE AT THE GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS CENTRE, GENERAL POST OFFICE BUILDING, GROUND FLOOR, CONNAUGHT PLACE, HONG KONG, AND AT THE PUBLICATIONS SECTION OF THE CENSUS AND STATISTICS DEPARTMENT ON THE 19TH FLOOR, WANCHAI TOWER, 12 HARBOUR ROAD, WAN CHAI, HONG KONG.

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FIRING PRACTICE IN AUGUST  
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FIRING PRACTICE WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE HA TSUEN - CASTLE PEAK RANGE ON 21 DAYS NEXT MONTH (AUGUST).

THE PUBLIC ARE ADVISED NOT TO ENTER THE AREA WHEN RED FLAGS ARE HOISTED.

FOLLOWING ARE THE DATES AND TIMES FOR THE FIRING PRACTICE:

DATE	TIME
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AUGUST 2 (MONDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 3 (TUESDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 4 (WEDNESDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 5 (THURSDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 6 (FRIDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 9 (MONDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 10 (TUESDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 11 (WEDNESDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 12 (THURSDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 13 (FRIDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 16 (MONDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 17 (TUESDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 18 (WEDNESDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 19 (THURSDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 20 (FRIDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 23 (MONDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 24 (TUESDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 25 (WEDNESDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 26 (THURSDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 27 (FRIDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM
AUGUST 31 (TUESDAY)	8.30 AM - 5 PM

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FRESH WATER CUT IN SAI KUNG  
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FRESH WATER SUPPLY TO SOME PREMISES IN SAI KUNG WILL GO OFF FROM 11 PM ON MONDAY (JULY 26) TO 6 AM THE FOLLOWING DAY TO FACILITATE WASTE DETECTION WORK ON WATER MAINS.

THE SUSPENSION WILL AFFECT ALL THE PREMISES AT FUK MAN ROAD, WAI MAN ROAD AND CHAN MAN STREET.

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HONG KONG GOVERNMENT EXCHANGE FUND  
MONEY MARKET OPERATIONS

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	\$ MILLION
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OPENING BALANCE IN THE ACCOUNT	1,980
REVERSAL OF LAF	NIL
BALANCE AFTER REVERSAL OF LAF	1,980
NET INJECTION/WITHDRAWAL TODAY	NIL
EFFECT OF LAF TODAY	-120
CLOSING BALANCE IN THE ACCOUNT	1,860
 LAF RATE 2.00 BID/4.00 OFFER      TWI 112.6    *+0.1*	 24.7.93

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KWUN TONG DISTRICT BOARD OFF FOR EUROPE VISIT  
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A KWUN TONG DISTRICT BOARD DELEGATION, COMPRISING BOARD MEMBERS AND LOCAL PERSONALITIES, DEPARTED FOR EUROPE THIS (SUNDAY) MORNING ON A 15-DAY STUDY TOUR.

LED BY THE BOARD CHAIRMAN, MR LAM HANG-FAI, AND ACCOMPANIED BY THE DISTRICT OFFICER, MR WONG HON-HO, THE GROUP WILL VISIT A NUMBER OF CITIES IN DENMARK, NORWAY, SWEDEN, AUSTRIA, CZECH REPUBLIC, POLAND AND GERMANY.

SPEAKING AT THE AIRPORT, MR LAM SAID: "AN IMPORTANT OBJECTIVE OF THE TRIP IS TO GAIN AN INSIGHT INTO THE OPERATION OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS IN THESE COUNTRIES, THEIR SOCIAL WELFARE SYSTEM AND WASTE TREATMENT FACILITIES.

"MEMBERS ALSO WISH TO SEE FOR THEMSELVES THE NEW GERMANY FOLLOWING ITS UNIFICATION."

ON THE CULTURAL FRONT, THE GROUP WILL VISIT THE BIRTHPLACES OF MR HANS CHRISTIAN ANDERSEN, A MASTER OF CHILDREN'S LITERATURE, AND MR FREDERIC FRANCOIS CHOPIN, A COMPOSER AND PIANIST.

THE DELEGATION WILL RETURN TO HONG KONG ON AUGUST 8.

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PAMPHLETS ON AIDS FOR STUDENTS  
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THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT HAS PRODUCED 1.5 MILLION COPIES OF A FULL-COLOUR PAMPHLET ON AIDS FOR DISTRIBUTION TO STUDENTS AND TEACHERS IN ALL PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

THE PURPOSE IS TO PROMOTE A POSITIVE ATTITUDE TOWARDS HIV-INFECTED PERSONS.

THE EASY-TO-UNDERSTAND, BILINGUAL PUBLICATION WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO STUDENTS IN 1,200 PRIMARY AND 500 SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

"IT EXPLAINS IN SIMPLE TERMS THE AIDS VIRUS, MODES OF TRANSMISSION AND THE CARE OF WOUNDS," A SPOKESMAN FOR THE DEPARTMENT SAID.

"STUDENTS ARE ALSO TOLD THAT HIV CAN ONLY BE TRANSMITTED THROUGH SEXUAL AND BLOOD CONTACTS, AND FROM AN INFECTED MOTHER TO HER BABY DURING PREGNANCY," THE SPOKESMAN ADDED.

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