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REPORT TO REVIEW OXYGEN OPERATION PUBLISHED

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A WORKING PARTY APPOINTED BY THE DIRECTOR OF FIRE SERVICES ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE JURY ENQUIRING INTO THE DEATH OF MRS SHIRLEY BOYDE TO REVIEW THE SAFETY ASPECTS OF HK OXYGEN'S OPERATION PUBLISHED ITS REPORT TODAY (TUESDAY).

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE FIRE SERVICES DEPARTMENT SAID: "RECOMMENDATIONS IN THE REPORT WERE MADE PRIOR TO THE INCIDENT INVOLVING A NITROUS OXIDE CYLINDER AT THE CARITAS MEDICAL CENTRE LAST MONTH, AND ARE NOT RELATED TO THE CURRENT INVESTIGATIONS INTO LAST MONTH'S INCIDENT."

ONE OF THE MAIN RECOMMENDATIONS IS FOR THE DIRECTOR OF FIRE SERVICES, AS THE LICENSING AUTHORITY FOR ALL POTENTIALLY HAZARDOUS INSTALLATIONS INCLUDING HK OXYGEN, TO REQUIRE THE MANAGEMENT OF THESE INSTALLATIONS TO SET UP A SAFETY COMMITTEE FOR THE PURPOSE OF MONITORING AND IMPROVING THE SAFETY ASPECTS OF THEIR OPERATIONS.

THE SAFETY COMMITTEE SHOULD BE CHAIRED BY THE GENERAL MANAGER WITH SENIOR STAFF AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE WORKFORCE SITTING ON IT. IT SHOULD MEET ONCE EVERY TWO MONTHS AND MINUTES OF THE MEETINGS SHOULD BE FORWARDED TO THE DIRECTOR OF FIRE SERVICES FOR ENDORSEMENT AND ADVICE.

WITH REGARD TO THE HK OXYGEN, THE WORKING PARTY'S MAIN RECOMMENDATIONS ARE:

- (A) ALL CYLINDERS CONTAINING GASES FOR MEDICAL USES SHOULD BE FITTED BY PHASES WITH PIN-INDEX OUTLETS IN ACCORDANCE WITH BRITISH STANDARD SPECIFICATION.
- (B) CONTROL OF ENTRY TO THE MANUFACTURING PLANT SHOULD BE TIGHTENED AS A PRUDENT MEASURE TO ELIMINATE ANY REMOTE POSSIBILITY OF MALICIOUS TAMPERING WITH PRODUCTS AND EQUIPMENT.
- (C) GAS CYLINDERS SHOULD BE PROPERLY LABELLED WITH NAMES AND WARNING MESSAGES AND LEGISLATION SHOULD BE AMENDED TO ENSURE COMPLIANCE BY THE SUPPLIER.
- (D) THE SUPPLIER SHOULD KEEP IN VIEW, DEVELOPMENT OF METHODS TO TEST NITROUS OXIDE.
- (E) A FORMAL RECORD SYSTEM SHOULD BE ESTABLISHED IN RESPECT OF MAINTAINENCE, REPAIR AND INSPECTION OF EACH GAS CYLINDER.
- (F) ON-SITE EMERGENCY PROCEDURES SHOULD BE UPDATED AND SUCH INSTRUCTIONS SHOULD BE TRANSLATED INTO CHINESE AND PROMINENTLY DISPLAYED AT THE PLANT.
- (G) CUSTOMERS SERVICE .....

(G) CUSTOMERS SERVICE SHOULD BE EXPANDED TO INCLUDE AN EDUCATION PROGRAMME ON PROPER ORDERING AND USE OF GASES.

"MOST OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS IN THE REPORT HAVE BEEN OR ARE BEING IMPLEMENTED BY HK OXYGEN," THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

CHAIRMAN OF THE WORKING PARTY, CHIEF FIRE OFFICER, MR LI KWOK-CHOI WILL BRIEF THE PRESS ON THE REPORT AT 3.30 PM TODAY IN THE CONFERENCE ROOM ON THE FIFTH FLOOR OF FIRE SERVICES HEADQUARTERS BUILDING, 1 HONG CHONG ROAD, TSIM SHA TSUI EAST.

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GOVERNMENT LAND SOLD FOR \$202 MILLION

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TWO PIECES OF GOVERNMENT LAND WERE SOLD FOR A TOTAL OF \$202 MILLION BY THE BUILDINGS AND LANDS DEPARTMENT AT A PUBLIC AUCTION TODAY (TUESDAY).

THE FIRST LOT IS LOCATED AT AREA 2A IN TUEN MUN. IT WAS BOUGHT BY HIGH WING ESTATE LIMITED FOR \$169 MILLION. BIDDING OPENED AT \$120 MILLION.

THE LOT IS FOR NON-INDUSTRIAL (EXCLUDING GODOWN) PURPOSES. IT HAS AN AREA OF ABOUT 6,700 SQUARE METRES.

THE BUILDING COVENANT STIPULATES THAT THE DEVELOPER HAS TO COMPLETE A GROSS FLOOR AREA OF NOT LESS THAN 20,100 SQUARE METRES WITHIN 48 MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF POSSESSION.

ANOTHER LOT IS LOCATED AT AREA 25 IN ON LOK TSUEN OF FANLING. IT WAS SOLD FOR \$33 MILLION TO MITA INDUSTRIAL CO. (HK) LTD. BIDDING OPENED AT \$20 MILLION.

THE 2,476-SQUARE-METRE SITE IS FOR INDUSTRIAL AND/OR GODOWN (EXCLUDING OFFENSIVE TRADE) PURPOSES.

ACCORDING TO THE BUILDING COVENANT, A GROSS FLOOR AREA OF NOT LESS THAN 7,428 SQUARE METRES HAS TO BE COMPLETED ON OR BEFORE SEPTEMBER 30, 1994.

THE GOVERNMENT LAND AGENT, MR JIM HUGHES, WHO CONDUCTED THE AUCTION, DESCRIBED PRICES AS GOOD.

THE AUCTION WAS HELD AT THE JADE BALL ROOM OF FURAMA HOTEL.

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STATEMENT ON EEC'S LIFTING OF ANTI-DUMPING PROCEEDING

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THE TRADE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY (TUESDAY) IT HAD RECEIVED INFORMATION THAT THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES HAD ANNOUNCED TERMINATION OF THE ANTI-DUMPING PROCEEDING AGAINST IMPORTS INTO THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY (EEC) OF DENIM ORIGINATING FROM HONG KONG, TURKEY, INDONESIA AND MACAU.

THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF TRADE, MR STUART HARBINSON, SAID THAT, AS SOON AS THE PROCEEDING AGAINST HONG KONG WAS INITIATED IN MARCH 1989, THE TEXTILE INDUSTRY HAD REACTED VIGOROUSLY TO COUNTER ALLEGATIONS OF DUMPING.

THE TEXTILE COUNCIL, ON BEHALF OF ALL LOCAL DENIM MANUFACTURERS, HAD ALSO SUBMITTED TO THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES AN INJURY STUDY IN JULY 1989 TO SHOW THAT DENIM IMPORTS INTO THE EEC FROM HONG KONG HAD NOT CAUSED ANY INJURY TO THE EEC'S DENIM INDUSTRY.

THE TRADE DEPARTMENT ITSELF HAD SUBMITTED REPRESENTATIONS TO THE COMMISSION IN OCTOBER 1989, REQUESTING TERMINATION OF THE PROCEEDING ON THE GROUNDS THAT EEC'S DENIM INDUSTRY HAD NOT BEEN ABLE TO PROVE THAT ANY ALLEGED INJURY HAD NOT ALREADY BEEN DEALT WITH BY THE QUANTITATIVE RESTRAINT ON DENIM IMPORTS FROM HONG KONG IMPOSED UNDER THE MFA AND THE HK/EEC TEXTILES AGREEMENT.

AT PRESENT, EXPORTS OF DENIM TO THE EEC ARE SUBJECT TO QUOTA CONTROL UNDER THE TEXTILES AGREEMENT.

THE TEXTILE COUNCIL AND THE TRADE DEPARTMENT MADE FURTHER SUBMISSIONS EARLY THIS YEAR TO REFUTE FURTHER ARGUMENTS PUT FORWARD BY EUROCOTON (COMMITTEE OF THE COTTON AND ALLIED TEXTILE INDUSTRIES OF THE EEC), THE COMPLAINANT IN THIS CASE.

THE EFFORTS OF THE INDUSTRY AND THE GOVERNMENT HAD BORNE FRUIT IN THE PRESENT CASE, MR HARBINSON SAID.

IN THE COMMISSION DECISION ANNOUNCING TERMINATION OF THE PROCEEDING, IT WAS CONCLUDED THAT NO MATERIAL INJURY WAS SUSTAINED BY THE COMMUNITY INDUSTRY AS A RESULT OF DUMP IMPORTS OF DENIM ORIGINATING IN THE PLACES CONCERNED, AND THAT THE PROCEEDING SHOULD BE TERMINATED WITHOUT IMPOSITION OF ANY ANTI-DUMPING DUTIES.

"WE WELCOME THE COMMISSION'S DECISION TO TERMINATE THE PROCEEDING," MR HARBINSON SAID.

"OUR DENIM EXPORTS TO THE EEC ARE ALREADY UNDER QUOTA, AND IT WOULD HAVE BEEN DOUBLE JEOPARDY TO OUR TRADE IF THESE WERE ALSO SUBJECT TO ANTI-DUMPING DUTIES.

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"THE DEPARTMENT IS DELIGHTED THAT THE HONG KONG DENIM INDUSTRY HAS BEEN VINDICATED BY THE RESULT OF THE PROCEEDING. THE INDUSTRY IS TO BE CONGRATULATED ON DEFENDING ITSELF ROBUSTLY. WE ARE ALSO NATURALLY PLEASED THAT THE COMMISSION INVESTIGATORS HAVE RECOGNISED THE INTRINSIC MERITS OF OUR CASE," HE SAID.

THERE ARE STILL TWO EEC ANTI-DUMPING PROCEEDINGS AGAINST HONG KONG AWAITING ANNOUNCEMENT OF INVESTIGATION RESULTS. THE PRODUCTS INVOLVED ARE AUDIO TAPES AND SMALL SCREEN COLOUR TELEVISION RECEIVERS.

"WE SHALL CONTINUE TO MONITOR DEVELOPMENTS VERY CLOSELY," MR HARBINSON SAID.

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## ANTI-POLLUTION PROSECUTION FIGURE RELEASED

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THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DEPARTMENT (EPD) TODAY (TUESDAY) RELEASED A LIST OF COMPANIES THAT WERE FOUND GUILTY IN COURT OF BREACHING ANTI-POLLUTION LEGISLATION IN THE MONTH OF JULY.

THE LEGISLATION IS CURRENTLY ENFORCED BY THE EPD.

AN EPD SPOKESMAN STRESSED THAT THE DEPARTMENT MEASURED ITS SUCCESS IN TERMS OF POLLUTION PROBLEMS AVOIDED AND IMPROVEMENT BROUGHT TO THE ENVIRONMENT, NOT BY THE NUMBER OF SUCCESSFUL PROSECUTIONS.

"BUT INEVITABLY, THERE IS A SMALL NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO, EVEN AFTER ADVICE AND WARNINGS, DO NOT TAKE SERIOUSLY THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES TOWARDS THE COMMUNITY," THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

THE SPOKESMAN ALSO STRESSED THAT IT MAY TAKE A LONG TIME TO BRING SOME CASES, EVEN SIMPLE ONES, BEFORE THE COURT BECAUSE TIME HAS TO BE GIVEN FOR DETAILED INVESTIGATIONS TO BUILD UP EVIDENCES AND LABORATORY ANALYSES.

ALL THESE WOULD BE VERY TIME CONSUMING RESULTING SOMETIMES IN A WIDE GAP BETWEEN THE TIME OF THE OFFENCE AND THE CONVICTION DATE.

THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF PROSECUTION CASES AND THE ASSOCIATED FINES IMPOSED BY THE COURT DURING THE MONTH OF JULY THIS YEAR:

| NAME<br>(COMPANY/<br>PERSON)                                    | ADDRESS                       | DATE OF<br>OFFENCE | NATURE<br>OF OFFENCE  | FINES(\$) | RECORD<br>OF<br>OFFENCE | COURT            |
|---|-------------------------------|--------------------|---|-----------|-------------------------|------------------|
| 1. THE<br>GOLDEN<br>PENISULAR<br>(HOT POT)<br>RESTAURANT<br>LTD | TAI PO RD,<br>SHAM SHUI<br>PO | 5.7.89-<br>28.8.89 | APCO:<br>UNAUTHORISED<br>INSTALLATION<br>OR ALTERATION<br>OF FURNACES | 2,000     | 1ST                     | NORTH<br>KOWLOON |

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| 2. GREEN-<br>WOOD<br>RESTAURANT<br>LTD            | TSUI LAM<br>EST, JUNK<br>BAY                  | 5.8.89-<br>15.10.89  | APCO:<br>UNAUTHORISED<br>INSTALLATION<br>OR ALTERATION<br>OF FURNACES                   | 1,500 | 1ST | KWUN<br>TONG     |
| 3. SUPER<br>PRESIDENT<br>LTD                      | HENNESSY<br>RD,<br>CAUSEWAY<br>BAY            | 10.11.89<br>-3.12.89 | APCO:<br>UNAUTHORISED<br>INSTALLATION<br>OR ALTERATION<br>OF FURNACES                   | 3,000 | 1ST | CENTRAL          |
| 4. MECO<br>ELECTRICAL<br>INDUSTRIES<br>LTD        | KWAI FUNG<br>CRESCENT,<br>KWAI CHUNG          | 12.12.89             | APCO:<br>FAILURE TO<br>TAKE<br>MEASURES TO<br>ELIMINATE<br>UNNECESSARY<br>AIR POLLUTANT | 7,500 | 1ST | TSUEN<br>WAN     |
| 5. WAI DACK<br>KNITTING<br>FACTORY                | TSUEN KING<br>CIRCUIT,<br>TSUEN WAN           | 13.12.89             | APCO:<br>FAILURE TO<br>TAKE<br>MEASURES TO<br>ELIMINATE<br>UNNECESSARY<br>AIR POLLUTANT | 2,500 | 1ST | TSUEN<br>WAN     |
| 6. DAYFOONG<br>DYEING &<br>WEAVING<br>FACTORY LTD | CHAI WAN<br>KOK ST,<br>TSUEN WAN              | 14.12.89             | APCO:<br>EXCESSIVE<br>DARK SMOKE<br>EMISSION  | 3,000 | 1ST | TSUEN<br>WAN     |
| 7. SUN FAT<br>ROASTED<br>PIG STOVE                | PORTLAND<br>ST,<br>YAU MA TEI                 | 15.12.89             | APCO:<br>EXCESSIVE<br>DARK SMOKE<br>EMISSION  | 2,500 | 2ND | SOUTH<br>KOWLOON |
| 8. WO FUNG<br>PAPER<br>MAKING<br>FACTORY LTD      | ON LOK<br>VILLAGE,<br>FANLING                 | 10.1.90              | APCO:<br>USING<br>PROHIBITED<br>FUEL IN A<br>FUEL<br>RESTRICTION<br>AREA                | 1,500 | 1ST | FANLING          |
| 9. EXTRA<br>WEALTH<br>LAUNDRY<br>FACTORY          | TSING YI<br>INDUSTRIAL<br>CENTRE,<br>TSING YI | 10.1.90              | APCO:<br>EXCESSIVE<br>DARK SMOKE<br>EMISSION  | 3,000 | 1ST | TSUEN<br>WAN     |

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| 10.ON PO<br>BLEACHING<br>& DYEING<br>FACTORY LTD | PING CHE<br>RD,<br>FANLING                    | 10.1.90             | APCO:<br>USING<br>PROHIBITED<br>FUEL IN A<br>FUEL<br>RESTRICTION<br>AREA  | 2,500  | 1ST | FANLING          |
| 11.SUN MEI<br>UNIVERSAL<br>LAUNDRY<br>LTD        | TSING YI<br>INDUSTRIAL<br>CENTRE,<br>TSING YI | 14.1.90             | APCO:<br>EXCESSIVE<br>DARK SMOKE<br>EMISSION  | 4,500  | 4TH | TSUEN<br>WAN     |
| 12.YIP WAH<br>MARBLE<br>WORK MFG.                | WING HING<br>ST, NORTH<br>POINT               | 16.1.90             | APCO:<br>FAILURE TO<br>TAKE<br>MEASURES TO<br>ELIMINATE<br>UNNECESSARY<br>AIR POLLUTANT   | 5,000  | 1ST | CENTRAL          |
| 13.SUN FAT<br>ROASTED<br>PIG STOVE               | PORTLAND<br>ST,<br>YAU MA TEI                 | 16.1.90             | APCO:<br>EXCESSIVE<br>DARK SMOKE<br>EMISSION  | 2,500  | 3RD | SOUTH<br>KOWLOON |
| 14.DORAN<br>(HONG KONG)<br>LTD                   | PING CHE<br>RD,<br>FANLING                    | 22.1.90             | APCO:<br>USING<br>PROHIBITED<br>FUEL IN A<br>FUEL<br>RESTRICTION<br>AREA  | 3,500  | 2ND | FANLING          |
| 15.MEYER<br>DYEING<br>WORKS LTD                  | TAI YUEN<br>ST, KWAI<br>CHUNG                 | 7.2.90              | APCO:<br>EXCESSIVE<br>DARK SMOKE<br>EMISSION  | 5,000  | 5TH | TSUEN<br>WAN     |
| 16.WING<br>KWONG SANG<br>SANG                    | FU YUNG<br>SHAN,<br>TSUEN WAN                 | 9.2.90              | APCO:<br>FAILURE TO<br>ABATE AN AIR<br>POLLUTANT<br>NUISANCE<br>(GENERAL)   | 2,000  | 5TH | TSUEN<br>WAN     |
| 17.SHEK O<br>QUARRY LTD                          | LOCKHART<br>RD,<br>WANCHAI                    | 12.2.90-<br>18.3.90 | APCO:<br>FAILURE TO<br>APPLY FOR A<br>SPECIFIED<br>PROCESS<br>LICENCE UPON<br>CESSATION OF<br>EXEMPTION FOR<br>THE EXEMPTED<br>PREMISES | 20,000 | 1ST | CENTRAL          |

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| 18.LOK<br>YUEN<br>RESTAURANT   | TUNG CHOI<br>ST, MONG<br>KOK                       | 16.2.90      | APCO:<br>FAILURE TO<br>FURNISH THE<br>REQUIRED<br>INFORMATION<br>TO THE<br>AUTHORITY                                       | 4,000           | 1ST        | NORTH<br>KOWLOON   |
| 19.<br>CHEVALIER<br>(CONSTRUC-<br>TION) CO<br>LTD AND<br>YUE KWAN-<br>CHAN<br>(PERSON-IN-<br>CHARGE)     | TIN HAU<br>TEMPLE RD,<br>CAUSEWAY<br>BAY<br>"<br>" | 18.2.90<br>" | NCO:<br>BREACH<br>PERMIT<br>CONDITION<br>NCO:<br>CAUSE<br>BREACHING OF<br>PERMIT<br>CONDITION                              | 10,000<br>5,000 | 1ST<br>1ST | CENTRAL<br>CENTRAL |
| 20.HSIN<br>CHONG<br>CONSTRUC-<br>TION (ASIA)<br>LTD<br>AND<br>LEE YIU-<br>CHUN<br>(PERSON-IN-<br>CHARGE) | TANNER<br>RD, NORTH<br>POINT<br>"                  | 18.2.90<br>" | NCO:<br>CARRY OUT<br>CONSTRUCTION<br>WORK WITHOUT<br>A PERMIT<br>NCO:<br>ALLOW<br>CONSTRUCTION<br>WORK WITHOUT<br>A PERMIT | 15,000<br>1,500 | 1ST<br>1ST | CENTRAL<br>CENTRAL |
| 21.YAU WO<br>WEAVING<br>FACTORY<br>LTD   | WO YI HOP<br>RD, KWAI<br>CHUNG                     | 19.2.90      | APCO:<br>EXCESSIVE<br>DARK SMOKE<br>EMISSION   | 3,000           | 1ST        | TSUEN<br>WAN       |
| 22.KOON WAH<br>MIRROR<br>FACTORY<br>LTD  | YUEN CHAU<br>KOK, SHA<br>TIN                       | 22.2.90      | APCO:<br>FAILURE TO<br>TAKE<br>MEASURES TO<br>ELIMINATE<br>UNNECESSARY<br>AIR POLLUTANT                                    | 3,000           | 1ST        | SAN PO<br>KONG     |
| 23.HERAEUS<br>LTD  | WAI YIP<br>ST, KWUN<br>TONG                        | 23.2.90      | APCO:<br>EXCESSIVE<br>DARK SMOKE<br>EMISSION   | 4,000           | 9TH        | KWUN<br>TONG       |
| 24.WAI DACK<br>KNITTING<br>FACTORY   | TSUEN KING<br>CIRCUIT,<br>TSUEN WAN                | 2.3.90       | APCO:<br>FAILURE TO<br>TAKE MEASURES<br>TO ELIMINATE<br>UNNECESSARY<br>AIR POLLUTANT                                       | 5,000           | 2ND        | TSUEN<br>WAN       |

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| 25.KAMSHING<br>CONSULTANTS<br>LTD  | WAI YIP<br>ST, KWUN<br>TONG                   | 2.3.90  | APCO:<br>EXCESSIVE<br>DARK SMOKE<br>EMISSION  | 1,500 | 1ST | KWUN<br>TONG     |
| 26.CHIP TAK<br>WEAVING<br>FACTORY LTD  | MA KOK ST,<br>TSUEN WAN                       | 9.3.90  | APCO:<br>EXCESSIVE<br>DARK SMOKE<br>EMISSION  | 4,000 | 3RD | TSUEN<br>WAN     |
| 27.CHINA<br>DYEING<br>HOLDINGS<br>LTD  | TSUEN KING<br>CIRCUIT,<br>TSUEN WAN           | 16.3.90 | APCO:<br>EXCESSIVE<br>DARK SMOKE<br>EMISSION  | 3,000 | 1ST | TSUEN<br>WAN     |
| 28.SUN MEI<br>UNIVERSAL<br>LAUNDRY<br>LTD  | TSING YI<br>INDUSTRIAL<br>CENTRE,<br>TSING YI | 27.3.90 | APCO:<br>EXCESSIVE<br>DARK SMOKE<br>EMISSION  | 4,500 | 5TH | TSUEN<br>WAN     |
| 29. KONG<br>LUEN<br>ALUMINIUM<br>WINDOW<br>MANUFAC-<br>TURING LTD                                | BELCHER'S<br>ST,<br>KENNEDY<br>TOWN           | 29.3.90 | APCO:<br>FAILURE TO<br>TAKE MEASURES<br>TO ELIMINATE<br>UNNECESSARY<br>AIR POLLUTANT    | 7,500 | 1ST | FANLING          |
| 30.WING TAI<br>PILONNER<br>CO. LTD   | NATHAN RD,<br>MONGKOK                         | 2.4.90  | APCO:<br>FAILURE TO<br>ABATE AN AIR<br>POLLUTANT<br>NUISANCE<br>(GENERAL)               | 4,100 | 2ND | NORTH<br>KOWLOON |
| 31. GUANG-<br>DQNG WATER<br>CONSERVANCY<br>& HYDRO-<br>POWER<br>ENGRG.<br>DEVELOPMENT<br>CO. LTD | PO KONG<br>VILLAGE<br>RD, TSZ<br>WAN SHAN     | 18.4.90 | APCO:<br>CONTRAVENING<br>TERMS OR<br>CONDITIONS OF<br>A SPECIFIED<br>PROCESS<br>LICENCE | 3,000 | 2ND | SAN PO<br>KONG   |
| 32. KOON<br>CHUN HING<br>KEE   | AU TAU,<br>YUEN LONG                          | 19.4.90 | APCO:<br>EXCESSIVE<br>DARK SMOKE<br>EMISSION  | 3,000 | 3RD | FANLING          |
| 33. POLEE-<br>TAT<br>DYEING<br>WORKS LTD   | PUN SHAN<br>ST, TSUEN<br>WAN                  | 26.4.90 | APCO:<br>EXCESSIVE<br>DARK SMOKE<br>EMISSION  | 2,500 | 1ST | TSUEN<br>WAN     |

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| 34.SUN MEI<br>UNIVERSAL<br>LAUNDRY<br>LTD           | TSING YI<br>INDUSTRIAL<br>CENTRE,<br>TSING YI                         | 30.4.90 | APCO:<br>EXCESSIVE<br>DARK SMOKE<br>EMISSION                                  | 4,500  | 6TH | TSUEN<br>WAN |
| 35.WAH HING<br>DYEING<br>FACTORY<br>LTD             | FUNG KAT<br>HEUNG,<br>YUEN LONG                                       | 1.5.90  | APCO:<br>EXCESSIVE<br>DARK SMOKE<br>EMISSION                                  | 3,500  | 2ND | FANLING      |
| 36.YIN DOI<br>ELECTRO-<br>PLATING CO                | SAI KUNG<br>MAIN ST,<br>SAI KUNG                                      | 2.5.90  | WPCO:<br>DISCHARGE<br>OF INDUSTRIAL<br>WASTEWATER<br>INTO FOUL<br>SEWER       | 3,500  | 1ST | KWUN<br>TONG |
| 37.LAU<br>CHEONG KEE<br>MARINE<br>ENGRG. CO.<br>LTD | NATHAN RD,<br>MONG KOK  | 10.5.90 | DSA:<br>DUMPING OF<br>EXCAVATED<br>MATERIAL AT<br>SEA WITHOUT<br>A LICENCE    | 2,000  | 2ND | CENTRAL      |
| AND<br>LAM CHUN-<br>CHAU ( TUG<br>MASTER)           | "   | "       | "   | 1,500  | 1ST | "            |
| 38.ICONA<br>CO LTD                                  | WONG CHUK<br>YEUNG ST,<br>FO TAN                                      | 16.5.90 | WPCO:<br>DISCHARGE<br>OF INDUSTRIAL<br>WASTEWATER<br>INTO FOUL<br>SEWER       | 15,000 | 2ND | SHATIN       |
| 39.TAK SON<br>ENGRG. CO.<br>LTD                     | QUEEN'S<br>RD<br>CENTRAL,<br>CENTRAL                                  | 25.5.90 | APCO:<br>FAILURE TO<br>ABATE AN AIR<br>POLLUTANT<br>NUISANCE<br>(GENERAL)     | 2,000  | 1ST | FANLING      |
| 40.UNIVER-<br>SAL DOCK-<br>YARD LTD                 | KO FAI RD,<br>YAU TONG<br>BAY   | 25.5.90 | DSA:<br>DUMPING OF<br>DREDGED<br>MARINE MUD<br>AT SEA<br>WITHOUT A<br>LICENCE | 2,500  | 1ST | CENTRAL      |
| 41.SHEK<br>PING KEE<br>(TUG<br>MASTER)              | FANTA<br>CONSTRUC-<br>TION CO.<br>LTD, WAI<br>CHING ST,<br>YAU MA TEI | 31.5.90 | DSA:<br>DUMPING OF<br>EXCAVATED<br>MATERIAL AT<br>SEA WITHOUT<br>A LICENCE    | 5,000  | 1ST | CENTRAL      |

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AND " " " " 2ND CENTRAL  
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TUNG (BARGE  
OPERATOR)

NOTE:

APCO: AIR POLLUTION CONTROL ORDINANCE  
DSA: DUMPING AT SEA ACT 1974 (OVERSEAS TERRITORIES) ORDER 1975  
NCO: NOISE CONTROL ORDINANCE  
WPCO: WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ORDINANCE

ON THE PROVISIONS OF THE NOISE CONTROL ORDINANCE RELATING TO NEIGHBOURHOOD NOISE, A TOTAL OF 19 PERSONS WERE PROSECUTED BY THE POLICE FOR CAUSING EXCESSIVE NOISE FROM DOMESTIC PLACES AT NIGHT WITH FINES RANGING FROM \$200 TO \$500.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE DEPARTMENT HAS ALSO BEGUN TO INITIATE PROSECUTION ACTION AGAINST THE PERSON-IN-CHARGE OF CONSTRUCTION SITES WHERE OFFENCES WERE FOUND, AS THEY WERE RESPONSIBLE TO ENSURE NCO COMPLIANCE.

AS A RESULT, PERSON-IN-CHARGE OF TWO CONSTRUCTION SITES WERE BROUGHT BEFORE THE COURT IN JULY. THIS IS MENTIONED IN CASE NUMBER 19 AND 20.

THE SPOKESMAN EXPLAINED THAT IN CASE NUMBER 41, TWO DEFENDANTS WERE CONVICTED WITH A MAXIMUM FINE OF \$5,000 EACH FOR DUMPING OF EXCAVATED MATERIAL AT SEA WITHOUT A LICENCE. THE DEPARTMENT WOULD CONTINUE TO STEP UP ITS ENFORCEMENT ACTION AGAINST ILLEGAL DUMPING ACTIVITIES.

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FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE SCHEME FOR NEEDY STUDENTS ANNOUNCED

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THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON STUDENT FINANCE WHICH ADMINISTERS THE GOVERNMENT'S SCHEME OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY STUDENTS OF TERTIARY INSTITUTIONS TODAY (TUESDAY) ANNOUNCED THE APPLICATION ARRANGEMENTS FOR NEW STUDENTS FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 1990-91.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON STUDENT FINANCE SAID THE SCHEME PROVIDES FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE IN THE FORM OF A COMBINATION OF GRANTS AND LOANS FOR STUDENTS ATTENDING FULL-TIME COURSES AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG, THE CHINESE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG, THE HONG KONG POLYTECHNIC, THE CITY POLYTECHNIC OF HONG KONG, AND THE HONG KONG BAPTIST COLLEGE.

"TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE, APPLICANTS MUST HAVE RESIDED OR BEEN DOMICILED IN HONG KONG CONTINUOUSLY FOR AT LEAST THREE YEARS IMMEDIATELY PRIOR TO THEIR APPLICATION FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE," THE SPOKESMAN ADDED.

/PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS .....

PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS WHO SATISFY THE ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS OF AND HAVE APPLIED FOR ADMISSION TO EITHER UNIVERSITY MAY OBTAIN APPLICATION FORMS AT THE STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AGENCY OR AT THE INSTITUTIONS CONCERNED, ON PRODUCTION OF THE RESULT SLIPS OF THEIR ADVANCED/HIGHER LEVEL EXAMINATION OR NOTIFICATIONS OF PROVISIONAL OFFER IN RESPECT OF THE CHINESE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG.

THEY SHOULD, HOWEVER, SUBMIT THEIR APPLICATIONS ONLY AFTER THEY HAVE BEEN OFFERED ADMISSION BY THE UNIVERSITIES CONCERNED.

NEW STUDENTS ADMITTED BY EITHER POLYTECHNIC OR THE BAPTIST COLLEGE MAY OBTAIN APPLICATION FORMS AT THE TIME OF REGISTRATION.

"POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS AND STUDENTS TAKING HIGHER DEGREE OR DIPLOMA COURSES WHO WILL NOT HAVE EXCEEDED THEIR MINIMUM PRESCRIBED PERIOD OF REGISTRATION BY SEPTEMBER 30 ARE ALSO ELIGIBLE TO APPLY.

"THE MINIMUM PERIOD OF REGISTRATION FOR A MASTER DEGREE IS NORMALLY TWO YEARS AND FOR A DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY DEGREE, THREE YEARS," THE SPOKESMAN ADDED.

ALL NEW STUDENTS SHOULD RETURN THEIR COMPLETED APPLICATIONS TO THE INSTITUTIONS CONCERNED AND THE CLOSING DATES FOR SUBMISSION ARE:

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| CHINESE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG | : AUGUST 24       |
| UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG         | : EARLY SEPTEMBER |
| HONG KONG POLYTECHNIC           | : OCTOBER 10      |
| CITY POLYTECHNIC OF HONG KONG   | : OCTOBER 10      |
| HONG KONG BAPTIST COLLEGE       | : OCTOBER 10      |

"APPLICATIONS FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE ARE SUBJECT TO MEANS TEST, WHICH TAKES INTO ACCOUNT A STUDENT'S FAMILY INCOME AND ASSETS LESS PERMITTED DEDUCTIONS TO ARRIVE AT THE STUDENT'S ANNUAL DISPOSABLE INCOME FOR SETTING AGAINST HIS GRANT/LOAN REQUIREMENTS.

"FOR EVERY FRESH APPLICATION, THE APPLICANT AND/OR AN ADULT MEMBER OF HIS HOUSEHOLD (PREFERABLY HIS DECLARANT) WHO IS FULLY AWARE OF THE FAMILY'S CIRCUMSTANCES WILL BE INVITED TO ATTEND AN INTERVIEW AT THE STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AGENCY TO CLARIFY THE INFORMATION REPORTED IN THE APPLICATION.

"AFTER THE FIRST YEAR OF APPLICATION, INTERVIEWS WILL BE CARRIED OUT IN ALTERNATE YEARS," THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

THE COMMITTEE'S SPOKESMAN WARNED THAT INCORRECT OR INACCURATE INFORMATION WOULD NOT ONLY LEAD TO REJECTION OF AN APPLICATION, BUT MIGHT ALSO GIVE RISE TO CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS AGAINST THE DECLARANT.

ENQUIRIES SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO THE STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AGENCY AT QUEENSWAY GOVERNMENT OFFICES, LOW BLOCK, GROUND FLOOR, 66 QUEENSWAY, OR CALL TEL. 867 2738.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 21, 1990

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PHASE II PROJECT ON RESUMPTION AND REPAIR OF KAM PING STREET

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THE HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT PROPOSES TO CARRY OUT THE PHASE II PROJECT ON THE RESUMPTION AND REPAIR OF KAM PING STREET IN THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF HONG KONG ISLAND.

UNDER PRIVATE MULTIPLE OWNERSHIP, KAM PING STREET HAS NOT BEEN PROPERLY MANAGED OR MAINTAINED. THE STREET IS IN POOR REPAIR AND IS PARTLY OCCUPIED BY STALLS THAT OBSTRUCT PEDESTRIAN AND VEHICULAR MOVEMENT, CAUSING CONSIDERABLE ENVIRONMENTAL AND TRAFFIC PROBLEMS.

THE RESUMPTION WILL ENABLE THE GOVERNMENT TO CLEAR THE OBSTRUCTING STALLS, TO REPAIR AND THEREAFTER MAINTAIN AND MANAGE THE ROAD AND DRAINS TO A PROPER STANDARD FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE GENERAL PUBLIC.

WORKS ON THE PROJECT ARE EXPECTED TO COMMENCE IN MARCH 1992.

A NOTICE ON THE PROPOSED WORKS WAS PUBLISHED IN THE LATEST ISSUE OF THE GAZETTE.

THE PLAN AND SCHEME MAY BE INSPECTED AT THE FOLLOWING GOVERNMENT OFFICES:

- \* THE CENTRAL AND WESTERN DISTRICT OFFICE, CENTRAL ENQUIRY SUB-OFFICE, CENTRAL GOVERNMENT OFFICES, WEST WING, MAIN ENTRANCE LOBBY, CENTRAL;
- \* THE HONG KONG EAST DISTRICT LANDS OFFICE, 12TH FLOOR, HARBOUR CENTRE, HARBOUR ROAD, WAN CHAI; AND
- \* THE EASTERN DISTRICT OFFICE, 880-886 KING'S ROAD, GROUND AND FIRST FLOORS, NORTH POINT.

ANY PERSON WHO WISHES TO OBJECT TO THE PROPOSED WORKS SHOULD WRITE TO THE SECRETARY FOR TRANSPORT, CENTRAL GOVERNMENT OFFICES, EAST WING, SECOND FLOOR, LOWER ALBERT ROAD, HONG KONG NOT LATER THAN OCTOBER 16 THIS YEAR.

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TEMPORARY LANE CLOSURE OF TUEN MUN ROAD

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THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES THAT TO FACILITATE ROAD RESURFACING WORKS, THE LANES OF TSUEN WAN BOUND CARRIAGEWAY OF TUEN MUN ROAD NEAR SHAM TSENG INTERCHANGE WILL BE TEMPORARILY CLOSED IN TURN FROM 9.30 PM ON THURSDAY (AUGUST 23) TO 6 AM ON AUGUST 31.

TWO LANES WILL BE CLOSED FROM 9.30 PM TO 6 AM THE FOLLOWING DAY WHILE ONE LANE WILL BE CLOSED FOR THE REST OF THE CLOSURE PERIOD.

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