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+DON'T STRIKE BLOW AT HK,+ GOVERNOR URGES U.S.

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A PLEA THAT CONCERN ABOUT SOME DOMESTIC PROBLEMS IN THE UNITED STATES SHOULD NOT LEAD TO +A BLOW BEING STRUCK+ AGAINST HONG KONG, WHICH NEEDED TRADE TO SURVIVE, WAS MADE TONIGHT BY THE GOVERNOR, SIR EDWARD YOUDE, TO A VISITING GROUP OF TOP AMERICAN CORPORATION EXECUTIVES.

ADDRESSING THE TIME NEWS GROUP TOUR, THE GOVERNOR SAID THAT HONG KONG, MORE THAN ANY OTHER TERRITORY, ALREADY PRACTISED FREE TRADE AND ALLOWED OPEN ACCESS TO AMERICAN BUSINESS AND PRODUCTS.

+WE KNOW THAT ONE COUNTRY'S SURPLUS IS ANOTHER COUNTRY'S DEFICIT. BUT GIVEN THE SMALL SIZE OF THE HONG KONG DOMESTIC MARKET, HONG KONG CANNOT BY ITSELF SOLVE THE PROBLEM OF THE UNITED STATES TRADE DEFICIT.

+WE ARE ALREADY DOING ALL THAT WE CAN WITHIN OUR LIMITED POWER TO HELP AND WE WELCOME THE MARKETING OF MORE U.S. GOODS HERE TO IMPROVE THE BALANCE,+ THE GOVERNOR TOLD THEM.

POINTING OUT ALSO THAT HONG KONG IMPORTED OVER TEN TIMES MORE PER CAPITA FROM THE U.S. THAN THE U.S. IMPORTED FROM HONG KONG, THE GOVERNOR SAID: +NO GOVERNMENT SUBSIDIES, HIDDEN OR OTHERWISE, PROVIDE HONG KONG MANUFACTURERS WITH AN UNFAIR COMPETITIVE EDGE.+

SIR EDWARD SAID THAT HONG KONG'S NEW RELATIONSHIP WITH CHINA WAS A VALUED ONE, BUT ITS TRADITIONAL TRADING AND FINANCIAL RELATIONSHIP WITH THE REST OF THE WORLD STILL LAY AT THE HEART OF THE HONG KONG ECONOMY.

+AND THUS OF THE WELL BEING OF OUR SOCIETY,+ HE ADDED.

ACCESS TO HONG KONG'S ESTABLISHED MARKETS IN THE U.S. AND EUROPE, SIR EDWARD SAID, REMAINED +CRUCIALLY IMPORTANT+.

+IT IS FOR THESE REASONS THAT HONG KONG VIEWS WITH ALARM ANY TREND TOWARDS PROTECTIONISM, PARTICULARLY IN THE UNITED STATES,+ THE GOVERNOR SAID.

HONG KONG KNEW WELL, SIR EDWARD SAID, THAT OPEN MARKETS AND FAIR TRADING PRACTICES WERE THE ONLY SOUND BASIS FOR THE HEALTHY DEVELOPMENT OF WORLD TRADE.

+WHAT IS MORE WE PRACTICE WHAT WE PREACH. OUR DOMESTIC MARKET IS PROBABLY THE MOST OPEN IN THE WORLD. APART FROM MODEST EXCISE DUTIES ON A VERY LIMITED RANGE OF PRODUCTS, WHICH ARE ALSO IMPOSED ON SUCH PRODUCTS MADE HERE, HONG KONG IS A FREE PORT. THERE ARE NO NON-TARIFF OBSTACLES TO IMPORTS INTO HONG KONG,+ SIR EDWARD SAID.

/HONG KONG .....

HONG KONG WAS NOT A SWEAT-SHOP ECONOMY: ITS STANDARD OF LIVING AND ITS PER CAPITA GDP (ON A PAR WITH SINGAPORE'S) WERE AMONG THE HIGHEST IN ASIA AFTER JAPAN.

AND HONG KONG HAD PLAYED A RESPONSIBLE PART IN THE ARRANGEMENTS WHICH HAD BEEN IN FORCE FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS TO RESTRAIN TEXTILE EXPORTS TO THE U.S. AND OTHER DEVELOPED COUNTRIES IN ORDER TO HELP THE OFTEN PAINFUL PROCESS OF READJUSTMENT IN THESE DECLINING INDUSTRIES.

+WE TOO HAVE OUR DECLINING INDUSTRIES, BUT WE HAVE TO LET MARKET FORCES SETTLE THEIR FATE. THIS IS SIMPLY BECAUSE WE MUST ADAPT AND REINVEST IN ORDER TO ACHIEVE ECONOMIC EXPANSION. WE NEED THAT EXPANSION TO ENABLE US TO PAY FOR THE HIGHER LEVELS OF PUBLIC AND SOCIAL AMENITY TO WHICH THE PEOPLE OF HONG KONG ASPIRE,+ SIR EDWARD SAID.

POINTING OUT HONG KONG'S CLOSE AND IMPORTANT RELATIONSHIP WITH THE U.S. AND THE CLOSE INTEREST PEOPLE HERE TOOK +IN EVERYTHING THAT HAPPENS IN THAT COUNTRY,+ SIR EDWARD SAID THIS WAS A REFLECTION NOT ONLY OF THE FACT THAT THE U.S. WAS A GREAT COUNTRY AND A GREAT POWER WHOSE ACTIONS HAD AN IMPACT EVERYWHERE IN THE WORLD. NOR WAS IT A REFLECTION ONLY OF THE IMPORTANCE OF THE U.S. MARKET FOR HONG KONG'S ECONOMIC WELL BEING. THE INTEREST GREW ALSO FROM STRONG PERSONAL AND CULTURAL TIES: MANY OF HONG KONG'S BUSINESSMEN, PROFESSIONALS, MANAGERS AND EDUCATORS RECEIVED THEIR EDUCATION IN THE U.S., HE SAID.

THE GOVERNOR EXPLAINED SOME BACKGROUND FACTORS WHICH LAY AT THE HEART OF HONG KONG'S SUCCESS, BUT SAID ALSO THAT +TO REMAIN SUCCESSFUL SOCIETIES NEED NOT ONLY A STABLE AND PROSPEROUS PRESENT, BUT ALSO CONFIDENCE IN THE FUTURE.+

+IT WAS FOR THIS REASON THAT A SEARCH WAS LAUNCHED IN 1982 FOR A SOLUTION TO THE PROBLEM RAISED BY THE EXPIRY IN 1997 OF THE LEASE ON THE GREATER PART OF HONG KONG.

+THE NEGOTIATIONS WERE LONG, AND, AT TIMES, DIFFICULT BUT BY COMMON ACCORD THEY WERE ALSO SUCCESSFUL.

+THE AGREEMENT WHICH RESULTED HAS BEEN ENDORSED BY THE CHINESE AND BRITISH GOVERNMENTS AND ACCEPTED IN HONG KONG AND INTERNATIONALLY AS PROVIDING A SOUND BASIS FOR HONG KONG'S FUTURE.

+IT DOES NOT OF COURSE ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS RAISED BY THE 1997 PROBLEM NOR QUELL ALL THE ANXIETIES. BUT IT HAS BEEN ACCEPTED IN HONG KONG BECAUSE IT PROVIDES FOR THE CONTINUATION OF THOSE ELEMENTS WHICH THE COMMUNITY HAVE ALL ALONG MADE CLEAR THAT THEY REGARD AS ESSENTIAL -- A FREE-ENTERPRISE CAPITALIST ECONOMY, THE MAINTENANCE OF THE LEGAL SYSTEM, GUARANTEE OF PERSONAL RIGHTS AND FREEDOMS, INCLUDING THE FREEDOM TO TRAVEL AND MANY OTHER FEATURES,+ THE GOVERNOR SAID.

THE GOVERNOR SAID THAT THE AGREEMENT HAD RESTORED THE FAITH OF LOCAL AND INTERNATIONAL INVESTORS.

/+THE HISTORICAL .....

+THE HISTORICAL ISSUE HAS BEEN SOLVED. THE SINO-BRITISH JOINT DECLARATION HAS BEEN SIGNED AND RATIFIED AND THE TWO GOVERNMENTS ARE FIRMLY COMMITTED TO IT.

+GIVEN THE ENORMOUS INTEREST WHICH ALL CONCERNED HAVE IN HONG KONG'S CONTINUED SUCCESS, THERE IS GOOD REASON TO BELIEVE THAT THE OUTSTANDING PROBLEMS CAN BE RESOLVED AND THE INTERIM ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MANAGED IN SUCH A WAY AS TO MAKE TRANSITION TO HONG KONG'S NEW STATUS IN 1997 A SMOOTH ONE,+ THE GOVERNOR SAID.

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'WORK OF LAND COMMISSION NOT AFFECTED BY RESHUFFLE'

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THE LATEST GOVERNMENT RESHUFFLE WILL NOT HINDER THE WORK OF THE SINO-BRITISH LAND COMMISSION, THE CHIEF SECRETARY, SIR DAVID AKERS-JONES SAID TODAY.

SPEAKING TO REPORTERS AFTER THE OPENING OF THE YWCA SOCIAL CENTRES ON TSING YI ISLAND, SIR DAVID SAID MR DONALD TSANG, WHO WILL BE TAKING OVER FROM MR JOHN CHAN AS DEPUTY SECRETARY (GENERAL DUTIES), WAS A VERY EXPERIENCED LAND OFFICER HIMSELF AND HAD QUITE WIDE EXPERIENCE IN DISTRICT LAND WORK.

SIR DAVID SAID MR CHAN WOULD CONTINUE TO BE A MEMBER OF THE LAND COMMISSION UNTIL HE HAD TAKEN UP HIS JOB AS DIRECTOR OF INFORMATION SERVICES.

+AND I WOULD IMAGINE THAT HIS REPLACEMENT WOULD NORMALLY BE EXPECTED TO TAKE HIS PLACE ON THE LAND COMMISSION. BUT THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMISSION HAS TO BE AGREED BY BOTH SIDES,+ SIR DAVID SAID.

COMMENTING ON THE APPOINTMENT OF MISS CHEUNG MAN-YEE AS DIRECTOR OF BROADCASTING, SIR DAVID SAID MISS CHEUNG WAS THE MOST SUITABLE PERSON TO TAKE OVER FROM MR STUART WILKINSON.

+SHE HAS WIDE EXPERIENCE AND SHE IS THE RIGHT PERSON FOR THE RIGHT JOB AT THE RIGHT TIME,+ SIR DAVID SAID.

IN REPLY TO A QUESTION ON THE TRIP TO PEKING BY A DELEGATION OF GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS NEXT MONTH, SIR DAVID SAID HE HOPED THE DELEGATION WOULD BE ABLE TO ESTABLISH CONTACTS AT THE WORKING LEVEL TO DISCUSS PRACTICAL PROBLEMS.

ON WHO EXACTLY THE DELEGATION WOULD MEET IN PEKING AND WHETHER THE RESULTS OF THE TALKS WOULD BE PASSED ON TO THE JOINT LIAISON GROUP MEETING NEXT MONTH, SIR DAVID SAID:+ I DON'T KNOW EXACTLY WHO THEY WILL BE TALKING WITH, BUT CLEARLY THIS IS SOMETHING FOR THE JLG.+

/SIR DAVID .....

SIR DAVID ADDED THAT IT WAS QUITE USEFUL TO HAVE TALKS AT THE WORKING LEVEL PREVIOUS TO THAT.

TURNING TO UMELCO'S SPECIAL GROUP ON TAXATION SYSTEM, SIR DAVID SAID HE DID NOT THINK THERE WERE ANY FIRM CONCLUSIONS YET AND IT WOULD BE QUITE IMPROPER FOR HIM TO COMMENT AT THE PRESENT TIME.

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VOLUNTARY AGENCIES THANKED FOR CIVIC WORK

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THE SERVICES PROVIDED BY ALL VOLUNTARY AGENCIES ARE AN INCALCULABLE SOURCE OF STRENGTH IN THE SOCIETY, THE CHIEF SECRETARY, SIR DAVID AKERS-JONES, SAID TODAY (SATURDAY).

SUCH SERVICES AS NEIGHBOURHOOD LEVEL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS HELPED TO ENCOURAGE RESIDENTS TO BECOME INVOLVED, TO PROMOTE NEIGHBOURLINESS, AND TO DEVELOP SELF-HELP, HE SAID.

HE PAID TRIBUTE TO ALL THE AGENCIES THAT PROVIDED THEM.

SIR DAVID WAS SPEAKING AT THE OPENING OF THE YWCA CHEUNG CHING SOCIAL SERVICE CENTRE, CHEUNG CHING ELDERLY CENTRE, THE CHEUNG CHING NURSERY, THE CHEUNG WAN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROJECT OFFICE, YAU OI SOCIAL SERVICE CENTRE AND WO CHE SOCIAL SERVICE CENTRE.

IN PARTICULAR, HE SAID, THE CHEUNG CHING ESTATE COMMUNITY CENTRE SERVED 60 000 RESIDENTS OF CHEUNG CHING AND CHEUNG HONG ESTATES.

IT WAS THE FOCAL POINT FOR COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES FOR ALL AGE GROUPS AND PROVIDED CO-ORDINATED WELFARE SERVICES UNDER ONE ROOF.

SIR DAVID ALSO THANKED THE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION FOR 'ALL IT HAS DONE AND IT IS DOING FOR THE COMMUNITY' ON ITS 65TH ANNIVERSARY.

+IN A CHRISTIAN SPIRIT OF SERVICE TO OTHERS, THE ASSOCIATION OVER A GREAT MANY YEARS HAS HELPED TENS OF THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE OF ALL AGES AND ALL WALKS OF LIFE,+ SIR DAVID SAID.

THE YWCA'S COMMITMENT IN SERVING THE COMMUNITY WAS SHOWN BY THE NURSERY, THE CHILDREN AND YOUTH CENTRE, THE STUDY ROOM AND SOCIAL CENTRE FOR THE ELDERLY AND THE NEIGHBOURHOOD COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROJECT IN CHEUNG WAN TEMPORARY HOUSING AREA.

ALL THESE CENTRES HAD BEEN ESTABLISHED WITH THE SUPPORT OF THE SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT AND THE LOTTERIES FUND.

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LEGCO OPENING: PLANS SET FOR MEDIA COVERAGE

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HONG KONG'S NEW LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL SESSION, WHICH BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30, WILL BE OBSERVED WITH A NUMBER OF CEREMONIES INCLUDING THE HISTORICAL SWEARING-IN OF NEWLY-ELECTED AND APPOINTED MEMBERS, AND THE OPENING OF THE NEW LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL BUILDING, CONVERTED FROM THE OLD SUPREME COURT BUILDING.

OFFICIATING AT ALL THE CEREMONIES WILL BE THE GOVERNOR, SIR EDWARD YOUDE.

THE OPENING CEREMONY OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL BUILDING WILL TAKE PLACE AT 4.15 PM AT THE PIAZZA BETWEEN THE BUILDING AND STATUE SQUARE.

SIR EDWARD WILL MAKE A SPEECH WHICH WILL BE FOLLOWED BY SPEECHES BY THE SENIOR UNOFFICIAL MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL, SIR S.Y. CHUNG, AND THE SENIOR UNOFFICIAL MEMBER OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, MISS LYDIA DUNN.

THE GOVERNOR WILL THEN UNVEIL A COMMEMORATIVE PLAQUE AFTER WHICH THE CHIEF JUSTICE, SIR DENYS ROBERTS, WILL CROSS OVER TO THE PIAZZA TO UNVEIL AN EXPLANATORY PLAQUE GIVING A BRIEF HISTORY OF THE BUILDING.

PRESENT AT THE CEREMONY WILL BE THE MINISTER OF STATE AT THE FOREIGN AND COMMONWEALTH OFFICE, MR TIMOTHY RENTON; THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BRITISH HONG KONG PARLIAMENTARY GROUP, SIR PETER BLAKER, AND LADY BLAKER; CONSERVATIVE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT, SIR PAUL BRYAN, AND LADY BRYAN; AND MEMBERS AND IMMEDIATE PAST MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE COUNCILS.

AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE OPENING OF THE BUILDING, THE ENTIRE PARTY WILL MOVE INTO THE BUILDING FOR THE OTHER CEREMONIES.

THE INDOOR CEREMONIES WILL START WITH THE SWEARING-IN OF THE NEW LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL MEMBERS AT 4.40 PM AND LAST UNTIL 5 PM. THIS WILL BE FOLLOWED BY A VALEDICTORY BY THE GOVERNOR TO ALL MEMBERS WHO HAD RETIRED FROM THE COUNCIL AT THE END OF THE 1984-85 SESSION.

A REPLY WILL BE GIVEN BY THE SENIOR UNOFFICIAL MEMBER, FOLLOWING WHICH THERE WILL BE A 10-MINUTE RECESS.

THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL WILL ASSEMBLE AGAIN AT 5.20 PM FOR THE ADDRESS BY THE GOVERNOR FORMALLY OPENING THE 1985-86 SESSION.

THE ADDRESS WILL LAST UNTIL 6.30 PM.

THE OPENING CEREMONIES WILL BE BROADCAST LIVE BY RADIO AND TELEVISION.

/RTHK'S RADIO 3 .....

RTHK'S RADIO 3 (ENGLISH) WILL START LIVE BROADCASTS OF THE CEREMONIES FROM 4 PM ON OCTOBER 30, WHILE RTHK'S RADIO 1 (CHINESE) AND COMMERCIAL RADIO 1 (CHINESE) WILL START THEIR BROADCASTS FROM 5 PM ONWARDS.

THE CEREMONIES WILL ALSO BE BROADCAST LIVE BY ATV 2 (ENGLISH) AND TVB JADE (CHINESE) FROM 4 PM ONWARDS.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

ALL THE CEREMONIES WILL BE COVERED LIVE BY RTHK RADIO AND TELEVISION WHICH WILL PROVIDE FEEDS FOR OTHER RADIO AND TELEVISION STATIONS. THERE WILL ONLY BE ONE EXTRA POSITION AT THE SIDE OF THE CHAMBER FOR TELEVISION CREWS TO COVER PROCEEDINGS INSIDE THE COUNCIL CHAMBER FROM BEHIND A GLASS PANEL. TELEVISION STATIONS ARE STRONGLY ADVISED TO TAKE FEEDS FROM RTHK WHICH WILL BE COVERING THE PROCEEDINGS IN THE CHAMBER WITH THREE CAMERAS.

(A) OUTDOOR OPENING CEREMONY (4.15 PM)

THERE WILL BE A FIXED PRESS POSITION ON THE RAISED PIAZZA OF STATUE SQUARE OVERLOOKING THE AREA WHERE THE CEREMONY WILL TAKE PLACE. RTHK WILL PROVIDE SOUND FEEDS FOR RECORDING THE SPEECHES TO BE GIVEN BY THE GOVERNOR AND THE SENIOR UNOFFICIAL MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE COUNCILS.

SPECIAL LAPEL BADGES WILL BE ISSUED BY GIS TO REPORTERS AND PHOTOGRAPHERS COVERING THE OPENING CEREMONY. EDITORS ARE REQUESTED TO TELEPHONE THE NAMES OF THEIR REPRESENTATIVES TO THE GIS DUTY OFFICER BEFORE 5 PM ON MONDAY (OCTOBER 28).

ALL MEDIA REPRESENTATIVES COVERING THE OPENING CEREMONY SHOULD BE IN POSITION BY 3.45 PM ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30.

EDITORS SHOULD NOTE THAT REPORTERS COVERING THE OPENING CEREMONY WILL NOT HAVE SUFFICIENT TIME TO MOVE INTO THE PRESS GALLERY TO COVER THE PROCEEDINGS INSIDE THE COUNCIL CHAMBER. ANOTHER REPORTER WILL HAVE TO BE ASSIGNED TO COVER THE SWEARING-IN CEREMONY AND THE GOVERNOR'S ADDRESS.

(B) PRESS GALLERY

THE POSITION IS FOR REPORTERS ONLY AND ADMITTANCE WILL BE BY SPECIAL LAPEL BADGES AND NUMBERED TICKETS TO BE ISSUED BY GIS FOR THE OCCASION. BECAUSE OF THE LIMITED NUMBER OF SEATS AVAILABLE, ONLY ONE REPRESENTATIVE FROM EACH NEWS ORGANISATION WILL BE ADMITTED AND TICKETS WILL BE ISSUED ON A FIRST-COME-FIRST-SERVED BASIS.

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EDITORS ARE REQUESTED TO TELEPHONE THE NAMES OF THEIR REPRESENTATIVES COVERING THIS PART OF THE CEREMONIES TO THE GIS DUTY OFFICER BEFORE 5 PM ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 28. THEY SHOULD NOTE THAT NO PHOTOGRAPHY WILL BE ALLOWED FROM THIS POSITION. REPORTERS WITH ADMISSION TICKETS FOR THE PRESS GALLERY SHOULD ASSEMBLE AT THE JUNCTION OF CHATER ROAD AND JACKSON ROAD OUTSIDE THE NEW LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL BUILDING NOT LATER THAN 4.15 PM ON OCTOBER 30. GIS OFFICERS WILL THEN TAKE THEM INTO THE PRESS GALLERY. ALL REPORTERS MUST BE IN POSITION BEFORE 4.30 PM.

(C) PHOTOCALL (5.10 PM)

THERE WILL BE A SHORT PHOTOCALL FOR PHOTOGRAPHERS AND CAMERAMEN TO TAKE PICTURES OF LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL MEMBERS INSIDE THE CHAMBER DURING THE RECESS AFTER THE SWEARING-IN CEREMONY AND THE VALEDICTORY, AND BEFORE THE GOVERNOR STARTS HIS POLICY ADDRESS. ALL PHOTOGRAPHERS AND CAMERAMEN MUST LEAVE THE COUNCIL CHAMBER BEFORE THE GOVERNOR RE-ENTERS TO DELIVER HIS ADDRESS.

PHOTOGRAPHERS AND CAMERAMEN COVERING THE OPENING CEREMONY OUTSIDE WILL BE ABLE TO MOVE INTO THE BUILDING TO COVER THE PHOTOCALL. THEY SHOULD WAIT INSIDE THE PRESS ROOM UNTIL THE PHOTOCALL STARTS.

(D) SWEARING-IN CEREMONY

POOL PHOTOGRAPHS WILL BE ISSUED BY GIS.

THERE WILL BE A SMALL GLASSED BOOTH ON THE MEZZANINE FLOOR AT THE END OF THE CHAMBER FACING THE GOVERNOR FOR OTHER PHOTOGRAPHERS TO TAKE PICTURES. BECAUSE OF THE LIMITED SPACE AVAILABLE, PHOTOGRAPHERS ARE REQUESTED TO CO-OPERATE BY TAKING TURNS TO TAKE PHOTOGRAPHS.

(E) GOVERNOR'S ADDRESS

POOL PHOTOGRAPHS WILL BE ISSUED BY GIS. THE GLASSED BOOTH WILL STILL BE AVAILABLE FOR OTHER PHOTOGRAPHERS AND THEY ARE AGAIN REQUESTED TO TAKE TURNS TO TAKE PICTURES.

(F) PRESS ROOM

REPORTERS COVERING THE OUTDOOR OPENING CEREMONY WILL BE ABLE TO MOVE AFTERWARDS INTO THE PRESS ROOM INSIDE THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL BUILDING WHERE THEY CAN FOLLOW PROCEEDINGS INSIDE THE COUNCIL CHAMBER FROM TELEVISION MONITORS.

/(G) GIS .....

(G) GIS CLOSED WORKING SESSION

A SPECIAL CLOSED WORKING SESSION WILL BE ARRANGED IN THE GIS PRESS CONFERENCE ROOM ON THE FIFTH FLOOR OF BEACONSFIELD HOUSE TO ENABLE MEDIA REPRESENTATIVES TO WORK ON ADVANCE COPIES OF THE GOVERNOR'S POLICY ADDRESS.

THE SESSION WILL START AT 3 PM ON OCTOBER 30, AND END WHEN THE GOVERNOR HAS FINISHED HIS ADDRESS. EDITORS SHOULD NOTE THAT ALL MEDIA REPRESENTATIVES WORKING ON ADVANCE COPIES OF THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH WILL NOT BE ABLE TO LEAVE THE GIS PRESS CONFERENCE ROOM OR CONTACT THEIR OFFICE UNTIL THE GOVERNOR HAS FINISHED HIS ADDRESS.

TELEVISION MONITORS WILL BE SET UP IN THE PRESS CONFERENCE ROOM TO ENABLE MEDIA REPRESENTATIVES TO FOLLOW THE PROCEEDINGS IN THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL BUILDING.

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SIR PETER AND SIR PAUL TOUR CONTAINER TERMINAL

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THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BRITISH-HONG KONG PARLIAMENTARY GROUP, SIR PETER BLAKER AND A CONSERVATIVE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT, SIR PAUL BRYAN VISITED THE CONTAINER TERMINAL AT KWAI CHUNG TODAY (SATURDAY).

TOGETHER WITH LADY BLAKER AND LADY BRYAN, THEY WERE RECEIVED AT THE HONGKONG INTERNATIONAL TERMINALS LIMITED BY THE MANAGING DIRECTOR, MR J.E. MEREDITH, AND THE GENERAL MANAGER, MR R.C. PEARSON.

DURING THEIR HOUR-LONG STAY, THEY WERE BRIEFED ON RECLAMATION WORKS AT THE KWAI CHUNG CREEK. THE PROJECT IS EXPECTED TO YIELD 25.5 HECTARES OF LAND BY EARLY 1987, AND INCREASE THE THROUGHPUT CAPACITY OF THE CONTAINER TERMINAL TO MEET RISING DEMAND.

THE PARTY ALSO TOURED THE TERMINAL YARD AND GODOWN TO SEE HOW CONTAINERS WERE HANDLED.

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VALUE OF CONSULTATION STRESSED

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DISTRICT BOARDS, AREA COMMITTEES AND RESIDENTS' ORGANISATIONS FORM AN IMPORTANT THREE-TIER CONSULTATIVE SYSTEM WHICH REFLECT THE VIEWS AND GAUGE THE NEEDS OF DISTRICT RESIDENTS, ASSISTANT DISTRICT OFFICER OF SOUTHERN, MISS ANGELA TSE SAID TODAY.

+RESIDENTS' VIEWS ON COMMUNITY AFFAIRS ARE EFFECTIVELY REFLECTED THROUGH MEMBERS OF AREA COMMITTEES AND RESIDENTS' ORGANISATIONS, AN IN TURN THESE OPINIONS ARE PASSED ONTO THE DISTRICT BOARDS,+ MISS TSE SAID.

+AT THIS LEVEL, RESIDENTS' VIEWS ON VARIOUS ISSUES OR POLICIES ARE MADE KNOWN TO THE GOVERNMENT.

+DISTRICT BOARDS AND AREA COMMITTEES HAVE A VERY CLOSE WORKING RELATIONSHIP AND VERY OFTEN THEY EXCHANGE MINUTES OF MEETINGS IN ORDER TO COLLATE OPINIONS AND TO MONITOR EACH OTHER'S PERFORMANCE.

+IN TURN, AREA COMMITTEES WORK CLOSELY WITH RESIDENTS' ORGANISATIONS SUCH AS MUTUAL AID COMMITTEES AND OWNERS' CORPORATIONS.+

SHE WAS SPEAKING AT THE OPENING OF A SEMINAR ORGANISED BY MEMBERS OF THE TIN WAN-SHEK PAI WAN AREA COMMITTEE, AND ATTENDED BY REPRESENTATIVES OF MUTUAL AID COMMITTEES AND OWNERS' CORPORATIONS.

PARTICIPANTS AT THE SEMINAR WERE GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITY TO EXCHANGE VIEWS ON THE TIN WAN AND SHEK PAI WAN AREAS SUCH AS, TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORT, MANAGEMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS IN SQUATTER, PUBLIC AND PRIVATE HOUSING, AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.

THE TIN WAN-SHEK PAI WAN AREA COMMITTEE HAD BEEN VERY ACTIVE IN DISTRICT AFFAIRS, MISS TSE SAID.

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CREDIT UNIONISTS JOIN IN CELEBRATION

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CREDIT UNIONISTS GATHERED TODAY TO CELEBRATE THE 1985 INTERNATIONAL CREDIT UNION DAY AND TO RENEW THEIR COMMITMENTS TO THE MOVEMENT.

THE DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES, DR JOHN RIDDELL-SWAN, IN HIS CAPACITY AS THE REGISTRAR OF CREDIT UNIONS, SAID THAT THE CREDIT UNION CONCEPT SOUGHT TO ESTABLISH A MECHANISM TO FOSTER THRIFT, CHANNEL SAVINGS TO PRODUCTIVE AND USEFUL UNDERTAKINGS AND TO PROVIDE A SOURCE OF PERSONAL CREDIT IN TIMES OF NEED.

IN HONG KONG THE MOVEMENT STARTED ABOUT 21 YEARS AGO AND THE FIRST CREDIT UNION WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1964.

+SINCE THEN, THE MOVEMENT HAS GROWN,+ HE SAID.

+THE NUMBER OF CREDIT UNIONS NOW IS 66 WITH A MEMBERSHIP OF OVER 21 000 AND A SHARE CAPITAL OF MORE THAN $37 MILLION.+

HE NOTED THAT MEMBERS' FUNDS HAD BEEN, AND STILL BEING, PUT TO GOOD USE AND DURING THE PAST YEAR, LOANS TOTALLING $80 MILLION WERE GRANTED TO MEMBERS.

UNDER THE CREDIT UNIONS ORDINANCE, THE REGISTRAR OF CREDIT UNIONS HAD VESTED IN HIM POWERS AND DUTIES IN REGARD TO THE REGISTRATION OF CREDIT UNIONS AND THEIR BY-LAWS, THE EXAMINATION OF ACCOUNTS AND GENERAL SUPERVISION.

+THE SUCCESS OF THE CREDIT UNION MOVEMENT IN HONG KONG IS DUE LARGELY TO THE ENTHUSIASTIC SUPPORT OF THE MEMBERS AT LARGE, TO THE DEDICATED EFFORTS OF THE VOLUNTEER WORKERS WHO SERVE ON THE BOARDS AND COMMITTEES OF THE MOVEMENT AND TO THE CONTINUING EDUCATIONAL AND ADVISORY SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE CREDIT UNION LEAGUE OF HONG KONG,+ DR RIDDELL-SWAN SAID.

HE WAS CONFIDENT THAT THE MOVEMENT WOULD CONTINUE TO GROW FROM STRENGTH TO STRENGTH.

+BUT MEMBERS AND CREDIT UNION LEADERS SHOULD NOT BE TOO COMPLACENT WITH THEIR PRESENT SUCCESS.

+THEY SHOULD LEARN FROM EXPERIENCE AND THE SUCCESSES AND FAILURES OF OTHERS AND USE THESE TO ENSURE EVEN GREATER SUCCESS IN THE FUTURE,+ HE ADDED.

DR RIDDELL-SWAN LATER PRESENTED TROPHIES AND PRIZES TO WINNERS OF VARIOUS SPORTING COMPETITIONS HELD IN CONNECTION WITH THIS YEAR'S INTERNATIONAL CREDIT UNION DAY.

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VISITING SERVICE FOR NEW I.D. CARDS

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A VISITING SERVICE FOR THE ISSUE OF NEW ID CARDS WILL BE PROVIDED ON LANTAU, CHEUNG CHAU AND LAMMA ISLANDS AND IN SAI KUNG FROM OCTOBER 28 TO NOVEMBER 16.

AN IMMIGRATION DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THE SERVICE WILL HANDLE APPLICATIONS FROM MEN BORN BETWEEN 1918 AND 1923, WHO LIVE OR WORK IN THESE AREAS.

+THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING SUCH A SERVICE IS TO FACILITATE RESIDENTS IN THESE AREAS AFFECTED BY THE CURRENT PHASE OF THE SCHEME.

+OTHERS BORN BETWEEN 1924 AND 1932 WHO HAVE MISSED THEIR TURN SHOULD ALSO MAKE USE OF THIS LAST OPPORTUNITY TO APPLY,+ HE SAID.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE PROCESSED AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS DURING THE SPECIFIED PERIODS BETWEEN 10 AM TO 1 PM AND 2 PM TO 4 PM, MONDAYS TO SATURDAYS:

OCTOBER 28 - NOVEMBER 9	MUI WO COMMUNITY AFFAIRS BRANCH OFFICES, SOUTH LANTAU ROAD, MUI WO, LANTAU ISLAND.
	CHEUNG CHAU RURAL COMMITTEE OFFICE, 2 CHURCH ROAD, CHEUNG CHAU ISLAND.
	SAI KUNG DISTRICT OFFICE, SAI KUNG GOVERNMENT OFFICES, SECOND FLOOR, SAI KUNG.
NOVEMBER 11 - NOVEMBER 16	NORTH LAMMA RURAL COMMITTEE OFFICE, YUNG SHU WAN MAIN STREET, LAMMA ISLAND.

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ROAD SAFETY DAY IN TAI PO

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TAI PO RESIDENTS WILL BE TREATED TO AN EVENT-PACKED ROAD SAFETY DAY TOMORROW (SUNDAY) MORNING AT THE TAI PO PLAYGROUND.

THE EVENT IS THE HIGHLIGHT OF A SERIES OF PROGRAMMES AIMED AT PROMOTING THIS YEAR'S ROAD SAFETY THEMES -- PEDESTRIAN SAFETY, CYCLING SAFETY AND THE IMPORTANCE OF VEHICLE MAINTENANCE.

THERE WILL BE PARADES BY SCHOOL ROAD SAFETY PATROL TEAMS, PERFORMANCES BY THE POLICE BAND, GAMES STALLS AND COMPUTER GAMES, A +TONGUE-TWISTER+ COMPETITION FOR CHILDREN, A MINIATURE +ROAD SAFETY CITY+, DEMONSTRATION ON THE USE OF SEAT-BELTS AND AND EXHIBITION ON ROAD SAFETY.

THERE WILL ALSO BE A PRIZE PRESENTATION CEREMONY TO WINNERS OF A RECENTLY HELD ROAD SAFETY DRAWING COMPETITION, BICYCLE SAFETY DAY CONTEST AND THE SELECTION OF +MODEL PEDESTRIANS+ AND +MODEL DRIVERS+.

THE CAMPAIGN IS SPONSORED BY THE DISTRICT BOARD AND ORGANISED BY THE TAI PO ROAD SAFETY ORGANISING COMMITTEE.

OFFICIATING AT THE ROAD SAFETY DAY CEREMONY WILL BE THE DISTRICT OFFICER, MR THOMAS CHAN; THE POLICE DISTRICT COMMANDER, MR J.F. GREENE; CHAIRMAN OF THE TAI PO ROAD SAFETY CAMPAIGN ORGANISING COMMITTEE, MR CHEUNG HOK-MING AND THE CHAIRMAN OF THE DISTRICT BOARD'S TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORT COMMITTEE, DR STEPHEN TANG.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE WELCOME TO COVER THE TAI PO ROAD SAFETY DAY AT 10 AM TOMORROW (SUNDAY) AT THE TAI PO PLAYGROUND, HEUNG SZE WUI STREET, TAI PO MARKET.

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WARNING SIGNS SET UP AT TRAFFIC BLACKSPOTS

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WARNING SIGNS HAVE BEEN SET UP AT VARIOUS TRAFFIC BLACK SPOTS IN KWUN TONG URGING PEOPLE TO BE MORE CAREFUL WHEN CROSSING ROADS.

LED BY THE CHAIRMAN OF THE KWUN TONG DISTRICT BOARD SAFETY CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE, MR POON CHI-FAI, MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE AND SCHOOL PATROL TEAM MEMBERS TODAY (SATURDAY) PUT UP THE WARNING SIGNS NEAR THE TOWN CENTRE.

MR POON SAID: +FROM JULY 1984 TO JUNE 1985, THERE WERE 92 ACCIDENTS IN THE AREA, OF WHICH 55 INVOLVED PEDESTRIANS.

+AT THE JUNCTION OF HIP WO STREET AND YUET WAH STREET ALONE 14 ACCIDENTS OCCURRED DURING THE PERIOD.+

MR POON EXPRESSED THE HOPE THE WARNING SIGNS, AS WELL AS THE FORTHCOMING ROAD SAFETY CAMPAIGN, WOULD HELP LOWER ACCIDENT FIGURES IN THE DISTRICT.

THE KWUN TONG DISTRICT BOARD ROAD SAFETY CAMPAIGN WILL START ON NOVEMBER 3 (SUNDAY) WITH A ROAD SAFETY DAY AT THE HONG NING ROAD PLAYGROUND.

IT WILL BE FOLLOWED BY TWO WEEKS OF TRAFFIC +EXHORTATION+ TO PEDESTRIANS, AND ENFORCEMENT ACTION AGAINST JAYWALKERS.

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REFUSE COLLECTION POINT TO BE BUILT

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THE ARCHITECTURAL OFFICE OF THE BUILDING DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT IS INVITING TENDERS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A REFUSE COLLECTION POINT AND PUBLIC TOILET AT ON CHING ROAD, HUNG HOM.

OCCUPYING ABOUT 150 SQUARE METRES, THE THREE-STOREY BUILDING WILL HAVE A REFUSE COLLECTION POINT WITH ANCILLARY FACILITIES, A PUBLIC TOILET, AN OFFICE AND A STOREROOM.

WORK ON THE URBAN COUNCIL PROJECT IS EXPECTED TO START IN JANUARY 1986 AND WILL TAKE NINE MONTHS TO COMPLETE.

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DETAILS OF YOUTH FESTIVAL

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DETAILS OF THE SHAM SHUI PO YOUTH FESTIVAL TO BE HELD IN NOVEMBER WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT A PRESS CONFERENCE ON MONDAY (OCTOBER 28).

ATTENDING THE CONFERENCE WILL BE CHAIRMAN OF THE SHAM SHUI PO DISTRICT COMMITTEE ON 1985 INTERNATIONAL YOUTH YEAR, MR LEE CHIK-YUET; CHAIRMAN OF THE DISTRICT BOARD, MR STEPHEN CHENG, AND DISTRICT OFFICER, MR SYLVESTER TSE.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THE CONFERENCE AT 3 PM IN THE CONFERENCE ROOM OF THE SHAM SHUI PO DISTRICT OFFICE AT 39 TONKIN STREET.

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SPECIAL MEETING ON HOUSING GREEN PAPER

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THE RESULTS OF A SURVEY ON OPINIONS OF RESIDENTS IN KOWLOON CITY ON THE GREEN PAPER ON HOUSING SUBSIDY TO TENANTS OF PUBLIC HOUSING WILL BE TABLED FOR DISCUSSION AT A SPECIAL DISTRICT BOARD MEETING ON MONDAY (OCTOBER 28).

THE SURVEY WAS FUNDED BY THE KOWLOON CITY DISTRICT BOARD AND CONDUCTED BY THE INSTITUTIONAL RESEARCH AND PLANNING UNIT OF THE HONG KONG BAPTIST COLLEGE LAST MONTH.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE INVITED TO COVER THE KOWLOON CITY DISTRICT BOARD SPECIAL MEETING AT 2.15 PM ON MONDAY (OCTOBER 28) IN THE CONFERENCE ROOM OF THE KOWLOON CITY DISTRICT OFFICE AT 141 KAU PUI LUNG ROAD.

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ANTI-CRIME PUBLICITY

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DETAILS OF CRIME PREVENTION PUBLICITY ACTIVITIES ORGANISED BY TAI PO DISTRICT FIGHT CRIME COMMITTEE WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT A PRESS CONFERENCE AT 3 PM ON MONDAY (OCTOBER 28) IN THE EXHIBITION HALL OF THE TAI PO COMMUNITY CENTRE, HEUNG SZE WUI STREET, TAI PO.

THE CHAIRMAN OF THE TAI PO DISTRICT FIGHT CRIME COMMITTEE, MR CARLOS CHEUNG HON-KAU TAI PO'S 'FIGHT CRIME AMBASSADOR', MISS CHEUNG TAK-LAN THE CONVENOR OF THE CRIME PREVENTION CAMPAIGN WORKING GROUP, MR CHAN WING-WO THE CONVENOR OF THE TAI PO DISTRICT ANTI-NARCOTICS EXHIBITION WORKING GROUP, MR CHUNG YICK-MING, AND POLICE AND DISTRICT OFFICERS WILL BE PRESENT.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE INVITED TO COVER THE PRESS CONFERENCE.

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WARNING AGAINST POSSESSION OF UNCERTIFIED MEAT

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MEAT SHOP OPERATORS IN THE NON-URBAN AREA WERE REMINDED TODAY THAT THE POSSESSION OF UNCERTIFIED MEAT FOR SALE TO THE PUBLIC WOULD MAKE THEM LIABLE TO PROSECUTION.

THE WARNING CAME FROM THE REGIONAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT FOLLOWING A RECENT COURT CASE IN WHICH A FRESH PROVISION SHOP OWNER IN SHEUNG SHUI WAS FINED $1 000 FOR POSSESSING PROHIBITED FOOD.

AN RSD SPOKESMAN SAID THAT UNDER THE PROVISION OF THE FOOD BUSINESS (NEW TERRITORIES) REGULATIONS, THE MAXIMUM PENALTY FOR THE OFFENCE WAS A FINE OF $2 000 AND THREE MONTHS' IMPRISONMENT.

HE ADDED THAT THE DEPARTMENT WOULD CONTINUE CARRYING OUT SURPRISE RAIDS AT ALL MEAT SHOPS IN THE NON-URBAN AREA TO SAFEGUARD PUBLIC HEALTH.

MEANWHILE, MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WERE ALSO ADVISED NOT TO PATRONISE ON-STREET HAWKERS AS THEIR MEAT, MAINLY SUPPLIED BY UNLICENSED SLAUGHTERHOUSES, WERE NOT HYGIENICALLY PREPARED AND WOULD PROBABLY BE UNFIT FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION.

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PROPOSED ROADWORKS IN TUEN MUN NEW TOWN

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THE GOVERNMENT IS PLANNING TO CONSTRUCT A DUAL TWO-LANE ROAD AND A SINGLE-LANE TWO-WAY ROAD TO THE SOUTH OF CASTLE PEAK HOSPITAL, TUEN MUN, TO SERVE THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENTS IN THE AREA.

FOOTPATHS WILL ALSO BE PROVIDED ON BOTH SIDES OF THE ROADS.

THE PLAN IS AVAILABLE FOR INSPECTION AT THE CENTRAL AND WESTERN DISTRICT OFFICE, CENTRAL ENQUIRY SUB-OFFICE, CENTRAL GOVERNMENT OFFICES, WEST WING, MAIN ENTRANCE LOBBY, HONG KONG= AND TUEN MUN DISTRICT LANDS OFFICE AND TUEN MUN DISTRICT OFFICE, TUEN MUN GOVERNMENT OFFICES BUILDING, NO. 1 TUEN HI ROAD, TUEN MUN, NEW TERRITORIES.

ANY PERSON WHO WISHES TO OBJECT TO THE WORKS OR THE USE, OR BOTH, SHOULD WRITE TO THE SECRETARY FOR LANDS AND WORKS BY DECEMBER 24.

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BODY BUILDERS TO CONTEND FOR MUSCLE CHAMPIONSHIP

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PEOPLE WHO APPRECIATE THE BEAUTY OF THE HUMAN FORM WILL BE ABLE TO SEE SOME 50 MEN FLEXING THEIR MUSCLES NEXT WEEK AT THE 1985 HONG KONG BODY-BUILDING CHAMPIONSHIPS.

THE COMPETITION, WHICH IS JOINTLY ORGANISED BY THE URBAN COUNCIL AND THE HONG KONG AMATEUR WEIGHT-LIFTING AND BODY-BUILDING ASSOCIATION, WILL BE HELD AT THE QUEEN ELIZABETH STADIUM AT 8 P.M. ON NOVEMBER 3 (SUNDAY).

PARTICIPANTS WILL BE CLASSIFIED INTO FIVE CATEGORIES: BANTAM, LIGHT, MIDDLE, LIGHT HEAVY AND HEAVY WEIGHT. THEY WILL COMPETE IN FIVE ASSIGNED POSTINGS AND A ONE-MINUTE FREE POSTING.

THE HIGHLIGHT WILL BE A SHOW OF +AEROBIC RHYTHM+ BY FOUR WOMEN BODY-BUILDERS FROM A BEAUTY AND FITNESS CENTRE.

TICKETS AT $10 EACH ARE NOW AVAILABLE AT THE CITY HALL, QUEEN ELIZABETH STADIUM, HONG KONG COLISEUM AND SPACE MUSEUM.

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WAN CHAI TRAFFIC CHANGES

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TO FACILITATE THE RECONSTRUCTION OF QUEEN'S ROAD EAST BETWEEN LANDALE STREET AND ANTON STREET IN WAN CHAI, VEHICLES ON LANDALE STREET WILL BE BANNED FROM TURNING RIGHT INTO QUEEN'S ROAD EAST FROM 10 AM ON TUESDAY (OCTOBER 29) FOR ABOUT SIX WEEKS.

DURING THE PERIOD, VEHICLES FROM JOHNSTON ROAD HEADING FOR QUEEN'S ROAD EAST WESTBOUND MAY TRAVEL VIA LI CHIT STREET.

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WORKSHOPS FOR SCHOOL HEADS

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A FOUR-DAY STAFF DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD FOR AIDED SECONDARY SCHOOL HEADS BETWEEN DECEMBER THIS YEAR AND FEBRUARY NEXT YEAR.

THE WORKSHOP, ORGANISED BY THE TRAINING UNIT OF THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, IS MODELLED AFTER THE STAFF DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP CONDUCTED IN APRIL THIS YEAR BY AN OVERSEAS CONSULTANT, MR JOHN ELLIOTT-KEMP.

AN EDUCATION DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THAT IT IS TO HELP SCHOOL HEADS FORMULATE AND PLAN STAFF DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES MORE EFFECTIVELY IN ACCORDANCE WITH INDIVIDUAL AND ORGANISATIONAL NEEDS, AND WILL FOCUS ON THE PRACTICAL APPLICATION OF THEORY AT THREE LEVELS: THE INDIVIDUAL, THE WORKING GROUP AND THE WHOLE ORGANISATION.

THERE WILL BE THREE REPEAT WORKSHOPS IN CANTONESE.

APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE SENT TO THE TRAINING UNIT OF THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT AT LUI KEE EDUCATION SERVICES CENTRE, 3RD FLOOR, 269 QUEEN'S ROAD EAST, HONG KONG BEFORE NOVEMBER 6, THIS YEAR.

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FIRING PRACTICE WARNING

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FIRING PRACTICE WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE HA TSUEN-CASTLE PEAK RANGE ON SIX DAYS NEXT WEEK.

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

THE PRACTICE WILL BE FROM 2 PM TO 6.30 PM ON MONDAY (OCTOBER 28), FROM 4.30 AM TO 6 PM ON TUESDAY (OCTOBER 29), FROM 8 AM TO 6 PM ON WEDNESDAY (OCTOBER 30), FROM 4.30 AM TO 6 PM ON THURSDAY (OCTOBER 31), FROM 8 AM TO 5 PM ON FRIDAY (NOVEMBER 1) AND FROM 8 AM TO 5 PM ON SATURDAY (NOVEMBER 2).

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