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ALL SHIPS BOUND FOR HK NEED PERMISSION FROM  
MARINE DEPARTMENT BEFORE ENTERING HK WATERS  
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THE MARINE DEPARTMENT HAS ANNOUNCED THAT WITH IMMEDIATE EFFECT AND UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE ALL SHIPS BOUND FOR HONG KONG MUST OBTAIN PERMISSION FROM THE DEPARTMENT BEFORE ENTERING HONG KONG WATERS.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE DEPARTMENT SAID A CONTRAVENTION OF THE DIRECTION WOULD RENDER THE OFFENDING MASTERS LIABLE TO A FINE OF \$20,000 AND TO IMPRISONMENT FOR ONE YEAR.

HE ADDED THAT MASTERS MUST COMMUNICATE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION AT THE TIME OF MAKING THEIR REQUEST TO ENTER THE WATERS OF HONG KONG:

- \* NATIONALITY,
- \* NUMBER OF PEOPLE ON BOARD,
- \* TYPE OF VESSEL, AND
- \* REASON FOR CALLING AT HONG KONG.

+THE REQUEST TO ENTER IS TO BE MADE DIRECT TO THE MARINE DEPARTMENT, HONG KONG, AND SHOULD NOT BE ROUTED THROUGH LOCAL AGENTS IN ORDER TO EXPEDITE ACTION ON THE REQUEST,+ THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

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GOVERNOR ATTENDS FIRST TAI PO DISTRICT OPEN AIR  
SYMPHONIC BAND CONCERT  
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THE GOVERNOR, SIR MURRAY MACLEHOSE, TODAY (SATURDAY) ATTENDED THE FIRST OPEN AIR CONCERT STAGED IN THE TAI PO DISTRICT -- AND DESCRIBED IT AS A +GOOD EXAMPLE OF WHAT CAN BE ACHIEVED FROM GOVERNMENT AND VOLUNTARY CO-OPERATION IN PROMOTING MUSIC ON A LOCAL BASIS+.

SIR MURRAY AND AN AUDIENCE OF MORE THAN 6,000 AT THE FAN LING PLAYGROUND ENJOYED A TWO-HOUR PERFORMANCE BY SOME 400 PLAYERS FROM NINE HONG KONG BANDS PLAYING WESTERN CLASSICS AND POPULAR HITS USING THE "WRAPAROUND SOUND" TECHNIQUE, WITH BANDS STATIONED IN EACH CORNER OF THE PLAYGROUND TO PUT OVER THEIR QUADRAPHONIC EFFECT.

/SIR MURRAY .....

SIR MURRAY WAS FULL OF PRAISE FOR THE ORGANISERS OF THE EVENT, THE NEW TERRITORIES SIX DISTRICTS ART ADVANCEMENT ASSOCIATION, THE MUSIC ADMINISTRATOR'S OFFICE AND THE TOM LEE MUSIC FOUNDATION LTD.

IN A BRIEF OPENING SPEECH, HE SPOKE OF THE "ENORMOUS INTEREST" TODAY IN MUSIC IN HONG KONG, CHINESE AND WESTERN, MODERN AND CLASSICAL. THE MUSIC ADMINISTRATOR'S OFFICE WAS SET UP A YEAR AGO TO STIMULATE THIS INTEREST AND PROVIDE TRAINING, HE SAID.

+NOW, 1,700 PRIMARY AND SECONDARY STUDENTS ARE TAKING WEEKLY INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC LESSONS AND 400 MUSIC FOR THE MILLIONS CONCERTS ARE BEING ORGANISED EACH YEAR AT SCHOOLS, COMMUNITY CENTRES AND FACTORIES FOR AN AUDIENCE OF HALF-A-MILLION PEOPLE.

+IN ADDITION, FIVE YOUTH ORCHESTRAS ARE REHEARSING REGULARLY AND ARE GIVING PERFORMANCES IN VARIOUS DISTRICTS,+ SIR MURRAY SAID.

HE ALSO NOTED THAT FOREIGN MUSICIANS PASSING THROUGH HONG KONG WERE, FROM TIME TO TIME, INVITED TO GIVE MASTER-CLASSES TO HELP RAISE LOCAL STANDARDS IN MUSIC.

+BUT OBVIOUSLY WE CANNOT RELY SOLELY ON THE GOVERNMENT,+ SIR MURRAY SAID. +THERE MUST BE STRONG LOCAL SUPPORT TO ORGANISE AND ADMINISTER LOCAL EFFORT AND THIS AFTERNOON IS A GOOD EXAMPLE OF WHAT IS NEEDED AND CAN BE ACHIEVED.+

THE FOLLOWING IS THE FULL TEXT OF THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH:

+I AM VERY GLAD TO COME TO THIS OPEN AIR CONCERT ORGANISED BY THE TAI PO SIX DISTRICTS ART ADVANCEMENT ASSOCIATION, THE MUSIC ADMINISTRATOR'S OFFICE, AND THE TOM LEE MUSIC FOUNDATION, AND TO SEE SO MANY YOUNG PEOPLE ENJOYING THEMSELVES.

+THERE IS ENORMOUS INTEREST IN HONG KONG TODAY IN MUSIC, CHINESE AND WESTERN, MODERN AND CLASSICAL AND THE MUSIC ADMINISTRATOR'S OFFICE WAS ESTABLISHED ONE YEAR AGO TO STIMULATE THIS INTEREST AND TO PROVIDE TRAINING.

+NOW 1,700 PRIMARY AND SECONDARY STUDENTS ARE TAKING WEEKLY INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC LESSONS AND 400 MUSIC FOR THE MILLIONS CONCERTS ARE BEING ORGANISED EACH YEAR AT SCHOOLS, COMMUNITY CENTRES AND FACTORIES FOR AN AUDIENCE OF HALF-A-MILLION PEOPLE.

+IN ADDITION, FIVE YOUTH ORCHESTRAS ARE REHEARSING REGULARLY AND ARE GIVING PERFORMANCES IN VARIOUS DISTRICTS. FOREIGN MUSICIANS PASSING THROUGH HONG KONG ARE ALSO INVITED TO GIVE MASTER-CLASSES TO HELP RAISE LOCAL STANDARDS.

+BUT OBVIOUSLY WE CANNOT RELY SOLELY ON THE GOVERNMENT. THERE MUST BE STRONG LOCAL SUPPORT TO ORGANISE AND ADMINISTER LOCAL EFFORT AND THIS CONCERT THIS AFTERNOON IS A GOOD EXAMPLE OF WHAT IS NEEDED AND CAN BE ACHIEVED.

+MAY I TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY OF CONGRATULATING THE ORGANISING COMMITTEE FOR MAKING THIS CONCERT POSSIBLE, AND OF EXPRESSING MY BEST WISHES TO YOU ALL FOR A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.+

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**PWD CAN OFFER WIDE RANGE OF EXPERIENCE TO AN ENGINEER**

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THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT CAN OFFER A WIDER RANGE OF EXPERIENCE TO AN ENGINEER THAN OTHER SIMILAR ORGANISATIONS IN THE WORLD.

THIS WAS STATED BY THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS, MR. DAVID MCDONALD IN HIS SPEECH AT THE ANNUAL BALL OF THE GRADUATES AND STUDENTS SECTION OF THE HONG KONG INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS.

THE DIRECTOR WAS GIVING THE YOUNG ENGINEERS AN INSIGHT INTO THE SCOPE OF PWD'S WORK AND THE OPPORTUNITIES IT PRESENTS FOR THEM.

ON THE SCOPE OF THE PWD'S WORK, MR. MCDONALD SAID: +IT INCLUDES NOT ONLY THE MORE OBVIOUS FACETS SUCH AS THE CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS, ROADS, DRAINS, SEWERS, SEAWALLS AND RESERVOIRS BUT ALSO MORE SPECIALISED STRUCTURES SUCH AS INCINERATORS, ABATTOIRS, COMPOSTING PLANTS, FERRY PIERS, LIGHTHOUSES AND DESALTING PLANTS.

+AN ENGINEER ON JOINING THE PWD COULD FIND HIMSELF INVOLVED IN DESIGNING OR INSTALLING SUCH ESOTERIC ITEMS AS COMPUTERISED BAGGAGE-HANDLING EQUIPMENT OR FLIGHT-PATH LIGHTING FOR THE AIRPORT, STERILISERS FOR HOSPITALS, CATTLE-STUNNING EQUIPMENT FOR ABATTOIRS OR EVEN CAGES FOR FLAMINGOS AT THE BOTANIC GARDENS.

+HE COULD ALSO BE INVOLVED IN SUCH ACTIVITIES AS TESTING LIFTS IN MULTI-STOREY BUILDINGS, CHECKING THE DESIGN CALCULATIONS FOR A CROSS-HARBOUR TUNNEL, STABILISING DANGEROUS SLOPES, PREPARING FEASIBILITY REPORTS AND POSSIBLY APPEARING ON TELEVISION OR RADIO TO EXPLAIN OR ANSWER QUERIES ABOUT PWD PROJECTS.+

MR. MCDONALD EMPHASISED THAT THE LIST WAS BY NO MEANS EXHAUSTIVE BUT GAVE SOME IDEA OF THE IMMENSE VARIETY OF WORK THAT THE PWD UNDERTOOK AND UNDERLINED THE NEED FOR THE ENGINEER TO BE ADAPTABLE, VERSATILE AND TO HAVE A BROAD OUTLOOK.

HE TOLD STUDENT AND GRADUATE ENGINEERS THAT THE KNOWLEDGE THEY GAINED FROM ENGINEERING COURSES WOULD ON ITS OWN BE OF LITTLE VALUE TO THE COMMUNITY UNTIL IT WAS PUT INTO PRACTICE.

THEREFORE, HE SAID, IT WAS IMPORTANT FOR THEM TO LEARN AND APPLY IT EFFECTIVELY.

MR. MCDONALD SAID IT WOULD ALSO BE NECESSARY TO ACQUIRE THE ABILITY TO COPE WITH THE VARIOUS PROBLEMS THAT WOULD INVARIABLY ARISE DURING THE COURSE OF AN ENGINEERING PROJECT.

+ONE VERY GOOD WAY OF GAINING THIS EXPERIENCE IS TO TAKE UP EMPLOYMENT IN AN ORGANISATION SUCH AS THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT WHERE IN MOST CASES AN ENGINEER CAN CONTINUE HIS PRACTICAL TRAINING WHILE AT THE SAME TIME DOING USEFUL WORK,+ HE ADDED.

+ANOTHER QUALITY THE ENGINEER REQUIRES WHICH IS PARTICULARLY IMPORTANT IN THE HONG KONG CONTEXT IS THE ABILITY TO COMMUNICATE.+

/+AN ENGINEER .....

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+AN ENGINEER JOINING THE PWD WILL SOON FIND OUT THAT BECAUSE SO MUCH WORK IS GOING ON IN SUCH A CONFINED SPACE EVERY ACTIVITY HE IS INVOLVED IN AFFECTS A NUMBER OF OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES WHO HAVE TO BE TOLD WHAT IS GOING ON.

+HE MUST THEREFORE BE ABLE TO EXPRESS HIMSELF WELL IN WRITING AND TO PUT HIS POINT OF VIEW CLEARLY AT MEETINGS,+ MR. MCDONALD SAID.

REGARDING OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGINEERS IN THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, HE SAID THAT AT PRESENT THERE WERE STILL A CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF VACANCIES FOR FULLY QUALIFIED ENGINEERS.

HOWEVER, HE ADDED THAT TO ENSURE A WORKABLE BALANCE BETWEEN TRAINERS AND TRAINEES THE PWD WAS RESTRICTED IN THE NUMBER OF GRADUATE ENGINEERS IT COULD TAKE EACH YEAR FOR TRAINING.

ON PROMOTION PROSPECTS, MR. MCDONALD SAID: +THERE IS NO REASON WHY A GRADUATE ENGINEER JOINING PWD SHOULD NOT PROGRESS IN TIME TO THE TOP OF HIS PARTICULAR PROMOTION TREE.+

+WE HAVE A REFINED SYSTEM OF MONITORING THE PROGRESS AND PERFORMANCE OF ENGINEERS SO THAT WHEN A VACANCY OCCURS AT A HIGHER LEVEL WE CAN READILY ASSESS WHO IS THE BEST MAN TO FILL IT,+ HE CONCLUDED.

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#### CO-OPERATION URGED ON CRIME VICTIM SURVEY

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A CENSUS AND STATISTICS DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN TODAY (SATURDAY) URGED PEOPLE TO CO-OPERATE IN A CRIME VICTIMISATION SURVEY BEGINNING ON MONDAY (JANUARY 8).

THE 15-DAY SURVEY, WHICH IS BEING CARRIED OUT IN ASSOCIATION WITH THE FIGHT CRIME COMMITTEE, AIMS TO FIND OUT HOW CRIME AFFECTS THE AVERAGE PERSON AND ENABLE THE AUTHORITIES TO IMPROVE CRIME PREVENTION PLANNING.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID ABOUT 65,000 PEOPLE AGED 12 AND OVER, ALL OF WHOM HAD BEEN NOTIFIED BY LETTER, WOULD BE INTERVIEWED ABOUT CRIMINAL ACTS WHICH AFFECTED THEM DURING THE 1978 CALENDAR YEAR.

+ALL INFORMATION GIVEN WILL BE HELD IN STRICTEST CONFIDENCE,+ HE SAID.

THE SPOKESMAN ADDED THAT ENUMERATORS INVOLVED IN THE SURVEY WOULD CARRY SPECIAL IDENTITY CARDS.

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UNINSURED DRIVERS RUN RISK OF SEVERE PENALTIES

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THE REGISTRAR GENERAL, MR. P. JACOBS, IN HIS CAPACITY AS INSURANCE AUTHORITY, TODAY (SATURDAY) REMINDED MOTORISTS OF THEIR LEGAL OBLIGATION TO ENSURE THAT THEY ARE ADEQUATELY COVERED AGAINST THIRD PARTY BODILY INJURY RISKS AND PASSENGER LIABILITY.

MR. JACOBS WAS REFERRING IN PARTICULAR TO MOTOR POLICY HOLDERS WITH THE SINGAPORE INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED WHICH RECENTLY ADVERTISED THAT ALL ITS MOTOR VEHICLE POLICIES WILL BE CANCELLED WITH EFFECT FROM JANUARY 10, 1979.

MR. JACOBS STRESSED THAT ALL MOTORISTS ARE REQUIRED BY LAW TO BE COVERED AGAINST THIRD PARTY BODILY INJURY RISKS AND PASSENGER LIABILITY.

+IT IS THEREFORE ESSENTIAL FOR THOSE INSURED WITH THE SINGAPORE INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED TO MAKE IMMEDIATE ARRANGEMENTS TO TAKE OUT NEW POLICIES WITH OTHER INSURANCE COMPANIES IF THEY HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO,+ HE SAID.

POLICY HOLDERS OF THIS COMPANY WHO DO NOT TAKE OUT A NEW POLICY AND DRIVE A VEHICLE AFTER JANUARY 10 WITHOUT THE NECESSARY INSURANCE COVER WILL BE COMMITTING A CRIMINAL OFFENCE AND BE LIABLE TO SEVERE PENALTIES. UNDER EXISTING LEGISLATION A PERSON COULD BE LIABLE TO A FINE OF \$10,000 AND TO IMPRISONMENT FOR 12 MONTHS.

FURTHERMORE, HE COULD BE DISQUALIFIED FROM HOLDING A DRIVING LICENCE FOR A PERIOD OF UP TO THREE YEARS.

IN THE EVENT OF SUCH A DRIVER OR VEHICLE OWNER BEING INVOLVED IN A ROAD ACCIDENT CAUSED BY HIS NEGLIGENCE HE COULD FIND HIMSELF PERSONALLY LIABLE FOR HEAVY DAMAGES.

IN SOME CASES, DEPENDING UPON THE SERIOUSNESS OF THE INJURIES SUSTAINED, DAMAGES COULD BE SO SEVERE AS TO RESULT IN THE DRIVER'S OR OWNER'S BANKRUPTCY.

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VOCATIONAL TRAINING FOR FISHERMEN

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FISHING LORE, TRADITIONALLY, IS PASSED ON FROM GENERATION TO GENERATION AMONG HONG KONG'S FISHERFOLK.

BUT TODAY THIS IS AUGMENTED BY COURSES ON BUSINESS MANAGEMENT, ENGINEERING AND NAVIGATION.

AND MORE THAN 4,000 YOUNG MEN FROM HONG KONG'S FISHING FLEET HAVE, UP TO THE PRESENT, ATTENDED THESE FREE SPECIAL VOCATIONAL TRAINING COURSES RUN BY THE AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES DEPARTMENT, AND HELD QUALIFIED CERTIFICATES.

THE COXSWAIN, ENGINEERING, NAVIGATION AND BUSINESS MANAGEMENT COURSES ARE DESIGNED TO HELP THEM IMPROVE OPERATION TECHNIQUES, PRODUCTIVITY AND STANDARD OF LIVING, A SPOKESMAN FOR THE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY.

HE SAID ALL CLASSES WERE CONDUCTED IN THE DAY, LASTING FROM THREE TO SIX MONTHS.

THE YOUNG FISHERMEN LEARNING TO BE COXSWAINS ARE TAUGHT THE USAGE OF SOME INTERNATIONAL SEAFARING SYMBOLS SUCH AS LIGHT, FLAG AND DISTRESS SIGNALS AND MODERN EQUIPMENT.

ENGINEERING CLASSES ARE ARRANGED TO HELP THEM UNDERSTAND THE PRINCIPLE, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF BOAT ENGINES WHILE IN THE NAVIGATION CLASSES, THEY ARE TAUGHT HOW TO WORK CHARTS, DEAD RECKONING, SEAMANSHIP AND THE USE OF THE COMPASS, SEXTANT AND SO ON.

THE BUSINESS MANAGEMENT COURSE IS A NEW ADDITION -- AND IS DESIGNED TO HELP FISHERMEN TO RUN THEIR BUSINESS SYSTEMATICALLY AND ECONOMICALLY.

HONG KONG'S FISHING FLEET COMPRISES 5,500 VESSELS, OF WHICH 93 PER CENT IS MECHANISED. THEIR CATCH HAS INCREASED FROM YEAR TO YEAR -- FROM 127,134 TONNES (VALUED AT \$349 MILLION) IN 1971 TO 158,324 TONNES (\$733 MILLION) IN 1977 -- A 25 PER CENT INCREASE BY QUANTITY AND A 110 PER CENT GAIN BY VALUE.

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FIRE SERVICES DEPARTMENT EXTENDS RECRUITMENT DRIVE

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THE FIRE SERVICES DEPARTMENT HAS EXTENDED ITS CURRENT RECRUITMENT DRIVE TO ENABLE MORE YOUNG MEN TO APPLY.

THE FOUR-DAY DRIVE, WHICH ENDED YESTERDAY (FRIDAY), WILL NOW BE EXTENDED TO NEXT WEDNESDAY.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE DEPARTMENT SAID 160 POSTS OF FIREMEN ARE NOW AVAILABLE FOR PHYSICALLY FIT YOUNG MEN.

HE SAID APPLICANTS SHOULD HAVE LIVED IN HONG KONG FOR A CONTINUOUS PERIOD OF FIVE YEARS. THEY SHOULD BE BETWEEN 18 AND 30 YEARS OF AGE, WITH GOOD PHYSIQUE AND NORMAL EYESIGHT, AND CAN SPEAK FLUENT CANTONESE AND READ AND WRITE CHINESE.

A FIREMAN STARTS WITH MINIMUM SALARY OF \$1,315, RISING TO A MAXIMUM OF \$1,925 WITH AN AWARD OF INCREMENT AFTER SATISFACTORY COMPLETION OF A SIX-MONTH BASIC TRAINING.

HIS DUTIES ARE MAINLY CONCERNED WITH GENERAL FIRE FIGHTING AND RESCUE.

THREE CENTRES WILL BE OPENED TO APPLICANTS FROM NEXT MONDAY TO WEDNESDAY (JANUARY 8 TO 10) FOR THIS RECRUITMENT EXERCISE AND THE OPERATING HOURS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

MONDAY (JANUARY 8) — HARBOUR ROAD FIRE STATION 10 A.M. — 6 P.M.

TSIM SHA TSUI FIRE STATION 10 A.M. — 7 P.M.

TUESDAY (JANUARY 9) — HARBOUR ROAD FIRE STATION 10 A.M. — 6 P.M.

TSIM SHA TSUI FIRE STATION 10 A.M. — 6 P.M.

PAT HEUNG FIRE SERVICES TRAINING SCHOOL (YUEN LONG) 10 A.M. — 7 P.M.

WEDNESDAY (JANUARY 10) — HARBOUR ROAD FIRE STATION 10 A.M. — 6 P.M.

TSIM SHA TSUI FIRE STATION 10 A.M. — 7 P.M.

APPLICANTS ARE REQUESTED TO BRING ALONG THEIR IDENTITY CARDS, ACADEMIC DOCUMENTS, RUBBER GYMNASTIC SHOES AND SHORTS WHEN CALLING AT THESE STATIONS.

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MR. DAVID JORDAN TAKES SALUTE AT PASSING OUT PARADE

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THE COMMISSIONER OF THE CUSTOMS AND EXCISE SERVICE, MR. DAVID JORDAN, TOOK THE SALUTE TODAY (SATURDAY) AT A PASSING OUT PARADE AT THE PRISONS DEPARTMENT STAFF TRAINING INSTITUTE AT STANLEY.

ON PARADE WERE 33 OFFICERS, INCLUDING FIVE FEMALE OFFICERS, AND 58 ASSISTANT OFFICERS COMPRISING 57 MEN AND ONE WOMAN.

THE NEW RECRUITS HAVE SPENT SIX MONTHS UNDERGOING TRAINING AT THE INSTITUTE AND PRISONS DEPARTMENT INSTITUTIONS AND A FURTHER SIX MONTHS OF TUITION AND FAMILIARISATION WILL BE UNDERTAKEN BEFORE THE OFFICERS COMPLETE THEIR INDUCTION.

TWO ASSISTANT OFFICERS WERE AWARDED GOLDEN WHISTLES FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING RECORDS DURING TRAINING -- ASSISTANT OFFICER WU CHI-WAI AND ASSISTANT OFFICER CHU MING-SUM.

MR. JORDAN TOLD THE 91 RECRUITS THAT THEY HAD CHOSEN AN INTERESTING AND CHALLENGING CAREER IN WHICH THE DUTIES WERE MORE VARIED AND REWARDING THAN IN THE PAST.

THE COMMISSIONER SAID THAT DISCIPLINE AND FAIRNESS WERE THE MOST IMPORTANT PRINCIPLES THE NEW ENTRANTS SHOULD REMEMBER.

MR. JORDAN SAID, +YOURS IS AN ESSENTIAL PART OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE AND IT HAS A VERY HIGH REPUTATION BOTH IN HONG KONG AND ABROAD.+

+THE MAINTENANCE OF THAT REPUTATION IS NOT JUST IN THE HANDS OF YOUR COMMISSIONER AND HIS SENIOR OFFICERS. IT'S UP TO ALL OF YOU AND I'M SURE YOU WON'T LET HONG KONG OR YOURSELVES DOWN.+

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HONG KONG MONTHLY DIGEST OF STATISTICS, OCTOBER 1978  
SPECIAL REVIEW ARTICLE

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THE OCTOBER 1978 ISSUE OF THE HONG KONG MONTHLY DIGEST OF STATISTICS NOW ON SALE CONTAINS A SPECIAL ARTICLE ENTITLED INTERNAL MOVEMENT.

IT IS ONE IN A SERIES OF REVIEW ARTICLES ON SPECIAL TOPICS OF PUBLIC INTEREST PUBLISHED QUARTERLY BY THE CENSUS AND STATISTICS DEPARTMENT.

THIS ARTICLE DESCRIBES THE INTERNAL MOVEMENT OF HOUSEHOLDS AS RECORDED IN THE 1976 BY-CENSUS.

IT ANALYSES THE CHARACTERISTICS OF HOUSEHOLDS THAT HAVE MOVED AND THOSE OF THE POPULATION IN MIGRANT AND NON-MIGRANT HOUSEHOLDS.

THE MOBILITY RATES BY MAIN URBAN AREAS AND NEW TOWNS AND MARKET TOWNS IN THE NEW TERRITORIES ARE ALSO STUDIED.

THE OCTOBER 1978 ISSUE OF THE MONTHLY DIGEST OF STATISTICS IS OBTAINABLE AT \$6 PER COPY AT THE GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS CENTRE, GENERAL POST OFFICE BUILDING, CONNAUGHT PLACE.

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FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION CAMPAIGN COMPETITION WINNERS  
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THE SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT'S REGIONAL OFFICER FOR WEST KOWLOON, MR. LU YU-HUA WILL TOMORROW (SUNDAY) PRESENT PRIZES TO WINNERS OF A MODEL CREATION AND COLOUR PRINTING COMPETITION ORGANISED FOR YOUNG PEOPLE IN MONG KOK DISTRICT.

THE COMPETITION FORMS PART OF THE CURRENT FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION CAMPAIGN JOINTLY LAUNCHED BY THE DEPARTMENT AND VOLUNTARY AGENCIES TO PROMOTE GOOD RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN FAMILY MEMBERS.

SPONSORED BY THE MONG KOK COMMUNITY AND YOUTH OFFICE, THE HONG KONG PLAYGROUND ASSOCIATION AND THE MONG KOK DISTRICT FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION COMMITTEE, THE EVENT ATTRACTED 750 ENTRIES.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE INVITED TO SEND REPRESENTATIVES TO ATTEND THE PRIZE-PRESENTATION CEREMONY OF THE MODEL CREATION AND COLOUR PRINTING COMPETITION TO BE HELD TOMORROW (SUNDAY) AT 10 A.M. AT THE QUEEN ELIZABETH II YOUTH CENTRE AT YIM PO FONG STREET, MONG KOK.

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MASSIVE CLEAN-UP OPERATION IN TSIM SHA TSUI DISTRICT  
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MORE THAN 350 VOLUNTEERS COMPRISING STUDENTS, BOY SCOUTS, JUNIOR POLICE CALL AND SEA CADET MEMBERS WILL TAKE PART IN A MASSIVE DISTRICT-WIDE CLEAN-UP OPERATION IN TSIM SHA TSUI TOMORROW (SUNDAY).

THE OPERATION, JOINTLY ORGANISED BY THE CITY DISTRICT OFFICE (YAU MA TEI), THE URBAN SERVICES OFFICE (YAU MA TEI) AND THE TSIM SHA TSUI AREA COMMITTEE, IS AIMED AT PROMOTING THE +KEEP HONG KONG CLEAN+ CAMPAIGN AND TO ASSIST RESIDENTS IN THEIR YEAR-END HOUSE-CLEANING ACTIVITIES IN PREPARATION FOR THE LUNAR NEW YEAR.

THE EXERCISE WILL BE CARRIED OUT IN TWO PHASES. THERE WILL BE A DEMONSTRATION TO BE FOLLOWED BY A MARKET STALLS CLEANLINESS COMPETITION.

THE DEMONSTRATION WILL COVER VIRTUALLY ALL THE STREETS AND ROADS IN THE DISTRICT AND WILL TAKE PLACE BETWEEN 9 A.M. TO 11 A.M. WHILE THE COMPETITION WILL TAKE PLACE IMMEDIATELY AFTER IT AT THE HAIPHONG ROAD TEMPORARY MARKET.

WINNERS WILL BE PRESENTED WITH BANNERS.

STAFF FROM THE CITY DISTRICT OFFICE (YAU MA TEI), URBAN SERVICES OFFICE (YAU MA TEI) AND THE YAU MA TEI POLICE STATION WILL ASSIST IN THE OPERATION.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE INVITED TO SEND REPRESENTATIVES TO COVER THE TSIM SHA TSUI CLEAN-UP OPERATION. THE PARTY WILL FIRST ASSEMBLE AT 8.45 A.M. IN THE PLAYGROUND OF THE TSIM SHA TSUI KAIFONG SCHOOL AT 136 NATHAN ROAD, KOWLOON.

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PRE-LUNAR NEW YEAR CLEAN-UP OPERATION  
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A THREE-WEEK YEAR-END CLEAN-UP OPERATION WILL BE MOUNTED AT THE UPPER WONG TAI SIN ESTATE TOMORROW (SUNDAY).

JOINTLY ORGANISED BY THE CITY DISTRICT OFFICE (WONG TAI SIN), UPPER WONG TAI SIN AREA COMMITTEE AND THE MUTUAL AID COMMITTEES IN THE ESTATE AND OTHER GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS IN THE DISTRICT, THE CAMPAIGN IS TO HELP RESIDENTS CLEAN UP HOUSEHOLDS AND COMMON LIVING AREAS TO PREPARE FOR THE LUNAR NEW YEAR.

TO MARK THE OFFICIAL COMMENCEMENT OF THE COMMUNITY PROJECT, AN OPENING CEREMONY CUM VARIETY SHOW WILL BE HELD TOMORROW (SUNDAY) IN THE BASKETBALL COURT NEAR BLOCK 10 OF THE ESTATE.

A LION DANCE AND MARTIAL ART DEMONSTRATIONS WILL FOLLOW THE RIBBON-CUTTING CEREMONY TO BE PERFORMED BY MR. LAM KAM-KWONG, CITY DISTRICT OFFICER (WONG TAI SIN), MISS CECILIA YEUNG, URBAN COUNCILLOR AND REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE HOUSING DEPARTMENT, THE URBAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT AND THE ROYAL HONG KONG POLICE FORCE.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE INVITED TO SEND REPRESENTATIVES TO COVER THE OPENING CEREMONY OF THE PRE-LUNAR NEW YEAR CLEAN-UP OPERATION TOMORROW (SUNDAY) AT 2.30 P.M. IN THE BASKETBALL COURT NEAR BLOCK 10 OF THE UPPER WONG TAI SIN ESTATE.

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WONG TAI SIN MINI-SOCCER TOURNAMENT  
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A KICK-OFF CEREMONY OF THE WONG TAI SIN DISTRICT MINI-SOCCER TOURNAMENT WILL BE HELD TOMORROW (SUNDAY) AT THE MORSE PARK FOOTBALL PITCH, FUNG MO STREET, WONG TAI SIN.

A TOTAL OF 32 TEAMS COMPRISING STUDENTS, WORKERS AND YOUTHS HAVE ENROLLED FOR THE COMPETITION.

IT WILL BE PLAYED ON A SINGLE KNOCK-OUT SYSTEM. THE FIRST FOUR WINNING TEAMS WILL REPRESENT WONG TAI SIN DISTRICT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE FORTHCOMING KOWLOON EAST SOCCER TOURNAMENT.

OFFICIATING AT THE CEREMONY WILL BE MR. LAM KAM-KWONG, CITY DISTRICT OFFICER (WONG TAI SIN) - MR. LEE SAI-HAY, URBAN SERVICES OFFICER (WONG TAI SIN) - MR. CHAN YIN-YUI, RECREATION AND SPORTS OFFICER (WONG TAI SIN) AND MR. LAI CHAM-KUN, COMMUNITY AND YOUTH OFFICER (WONG TAI SIN).

THE TOURNAMENT IS JOINTLY ORGANISED BY THE CITY DISTRICT OFFICE (WONG TAI SIN) AND OTHER GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND CIVIC ORGANISATIONS IN THE DISTRICT.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE INVITED TO SEND REPRESENTATIVES TO COVER THE KICK-OFF CEREMONY OF THE WONG TAI SIN DISTRICT MINI-SOCCER TOURNAMENT AT 9.30 A.M. TOMORROW (SUNDAY) AT THE MORSE PARK FOOTBALL PITCH, FUNG MO STREET, WONG TAI SIN.

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THE WATER SUPPLIES DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY (SATURDAY) THAT FRESH WATER SUPPLY TO A NUMBER OF PREMISES IN HAPPY VALLEY WILL BE STOPPED FOR SEVEN HOURS FROM 11 P.M. ON MONDAY (JANUARY 8) TO 6 A.M. ON TUESDAY (JANUARY 9) TO FACILITATE LEAKAGE TESTS.

THE AREA TO BE AFFECTED IS BOUNDED BY 2-24 LEIGHTON ROAD, LEIGHTON HILL, 1-173 AND 2-12 WONG NAI CHUNG ROAD, VENTRIS ROAD, BROADWOOD ROAD, 1-26 VILLAGE ROAD, WANG TAK STREET AND PO SHIN STREET INCLUDING FUNG FAI TERRACE AND VILLAGE TERRACE.

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