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TREATY DOCUMENTS FOR COMMUNITY AND
SPORTS CENTRE SIGNED

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THE SECRETARY FOR THE NEW TERRITORIES, MR DAVID AKERS-JONES, TODAY (FRIDAY) SIGNED TREATY DOCUMENTS FOR THE GRANT OF A 4 359 SQUARE METRE SITE IN TUEN MUN TO THE YAN OI TONG TO BUILD A \$32 MILLION COMMUNITY AND SPORTS CENTRE.

THE CENTRE, WITH A TOTAL FLOOR AREA OF 141 208 SQUARE METRES, WILL HAVE A ROLLER SKATING RINK, AN INDOOR SWIMMING POOL, A MULTI-PURPOSE GAMES HALL, A GYMNASIUM, A BOWLING CENTRE, A GAMES AREA, BILLIARDS AND TABLE TENNIS ROOMS, SQUASH COURTS, A RESTAURANT FOR 80 PEOPLE AND FIVE SHOPS.

OTHER FACILITIES WILL INCLUDE A LIBRARY, A MULTI-PURPOSE HALL, A GALLERY, MEETING AND STUDY ROOMS, A CRECHE AND PLAY AREA, YOUTH AND ADULT ACTIVITY ROOMS AND OFFICE SPACE.

THE ROYAL HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB DONATED \$8 MILLION AND THE LOTTERIES FUND \$9 MILLION TOWARDS THE CONSTRUCTION COST. THE BALANCE IS EXPECTED TO BE RAISED BY PRIVATE DONATIONS AND BY THE SALE OF YAN OI TONG PROPERTY. A FUND RAISING COMMITTEE WAS RECENTLY FORMED.

A GROUND BREAKING CEREMONY IS TO TAKE PLACE LATER THIS MONTH AND CONSTRUCTION IS EXPECTED TO BE COMPLETED BY THE END OF 1982.

THE YAN OI TONG IS A TUEN MUN-BASED CHARITABLE BODY FORMED MORE THAN 50 YEARS AGO. IT WAS RE-CONSTITUTED LAST YEAR TO PROVIDE MEDICAL, WELFARE AND OTHER SERVICES FOR THE GROWING POPULATION OF THE NEW TOWN.

THE RECENTLY-ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF THE TONG, MR LAU WONG-FAT, SIGNED THE TREATY DOCUMENTS ON BEHALF OF THE TONG. THE LAND WAS GRANTED BY PRIVATE TREATY.

A NEW TERRITORIES ADMINISTRATION SPOKESMAN SAID A MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE WOULD BE SET UP WITH REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE NEW TERRITORIES ADMINISTRATION, RECREATION AND SPORT SERVICE, NEW TERRITORIES SERVICES DEPARTMENT, SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT AND THE YAN OI TONG.

+THIS IS TO ENSURE MAXIMUM USE OF THE CENTRE'S SPORTS AND COMMUNITY FACILITIES AND ITS EFFICIENT RUNNING,+ HE SAID.

HE ADDED THAT ALTHOUGH LIMITED COMMERCIAL FACILITIES WERE BEING INCLUDED IN THE CENTRE THEY WOULD BE CLOSELY CONTROLLED AND RESTRICTED TO USES SUPPORTING THE OBJECTS OF THE CENTRE.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WOULD DEVELOPMENT OF GENERAL OFFICE ACCOMMODATION OR COMMERCIAL SHOP SPACE BE PERMITTED AND THE BAN ON LETTING OF COMMERCIAL ADVERTISING RIGHTS WOULD BE MAINTAINED.

ALL FRANCHISES FOR THE COMMERCIAL PREMISES AND RECREATIONAL FACILITIES, SUCH AS THE BOWLING ALLEY, RESTAURANT AND ROLLER SKATING RINK, WOULD BE LET BY OPEN TENDER, HE SAID.

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HIGH COURT JUDGE APPOINTMENT
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HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN HAS APPROVED THE APPOINTMENT OF MR KUTLU TEKIN FUAD TO BE A HIGH COURT JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT. HE WILL TAKE UP HIS POSITION IN EARLY OCTOBER.

MR FUAD WAS BORN IN CYPRUS ON APRIL 23, 1926. HE WAS EDUCATED AT MARLBOROUGH COLLEGE IN ENGLAND. HE UNDERTOOK MILITARY SERVICE IN THE 60TH RIFLES FROM 1944 TO 1948 AND SERVED AS A LIEUTENANT IN THE UNITED KINGDOM, NORTH AFRICA AND PALESTINE. HE WAS FURTHER EDUCATED AT ST JOHN'S COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE AND WAS CALLED TO THE ENGLISH BAR IN 1952.

HE WAS APPOINTED A MAGISTRATE IN CYPRUS IN 1953 AND A MAGISTRATE IN UGANDA IN 1956. HE HELD SUCCESSIVELY THE POSTS OF CROWN COUNSEL, SENIOR CROWN COUNSEL, LEGAL DRAFTSMAN AND DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC PROSECUTIONS, UNTIL 1963 WHEN HE WAS APPOINTED A JUDGE OF THE HIGH COURT OF UGANDA.

IN 1972 MR FUAD WAS APPOINTED DIRECTOR OF THE LEGAL DIVISION OF THE COMMONWEALTH SECRETARIAT, WHICH OFFICE HE STILL HOLDS.

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SIR MURRAY TO SPEAK AT SHIPPING COUNCIL
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THE GOVERNOR, SIR MURRAY MACLEHOSE HAS ACCEPTED AN INVITATION TO SPEAK AT THE MEETING OF THE GENERAL COUNCIL OF BRITISH SHIPPING WHICH IS TO BE HELD IN LONDON ON NOVEMBER 5.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

FINANCIAL SECRETARY RETURNS FROM CHINA ON SUNDAY

THE FINANCIAL SECRETARY, SIR PHILIP HADDON-CAVE, WILL RETURN TO HONG KONG THIS SUNDAY (MAY 11) AFTER AN EIGHT-DAY VISIT TO CHINA.

SIR PHILIP, ACCOMPANIED BY LADY HADDON-CAVE AND THE POLITICAL ADVISER, DR DAVID WILSON, WILL RETURN BY THROUGH TRAIN SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE AT 2.06 PM.

A PRESS FACILITY HAS BEEN ARRANGED FOR THE MEDIA TO COVER HIS ARRIVAL. PRESS REPRESENTATIVES SHOULD ASSEMBLE OUTSIDE THE ENQUIRY COUNTER, KOWLOON STATION, HUNG HOM, AT 1.30 PM. THEY SHOULD BRING WITH THEM THEIR IDENTITY CARDS OR PASSPORTS TO FACILITATE THEIR ENTRY INTO THE RESTRICTED AREA. GIS OFFICERS WILL BE ON HAND TO ASSIST.

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WATER SUPPLIES DIRECTOR TOURS NEW PROJECTS

THE DIRECTOR OF WATER SUPPLIES, MR WILLIAM TUCKER, THIS (FRIDAY) MORNING VISITED WATERWORKS PROJECTS THAT ARE BEING CARRIED OUT IN TUEN MUN NEW TOWN.

THE NEW PROJECTS, COSTING A TOTAL OF \$53 MILLION, INCLUDE THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE TUEN MUN NORTH FRESH-WATER AND SALT-WATER SERVICE RESERVOIRS AND EXTENSIONS TO THE TUEN MUN TREATMENT WORKS AND PUMPING STATION.

ON COMPLETION IN 1982, THEY WILL DOUBLE THE CAPACITY OF WATER SUPPLY TO THE FAST-GROWING NEW TOWN.

ACCOMPANIED BY MR LEE GUN-CHEUNG, CHIEF ENGINEER (CONSTRUCTION) OF THE WATER SUPPLIES DEPARTMENT, MR TUCKER WENT TO YEUNG SIU HANG AREA IN THE NORTH-WESTERN PART OF THE NEW TOWN WHERE THE TWO SERVICE RESERVOIRS ARE BEING BUILT AT A COST OF \$22.8 MILLION.

THE FRESH-WATER RESERVOIR, THE FOURTH IN TUEN MUN, WILL HAVE A CAPACITY OF 61 000 CUBIC METRES. IT WILL SUPPLY AREAS WEST OF THE RIVER CHANNEL, INCLUDING THE NEW POWER STATION AND CEMENT PLANT AT TAP SHEK KOK.

THE SALT-WATER RESERVOIR IS THE FIRST IN THE NEW TOWN AND WILL HAVE A CAPACITY OF 12 000 CUBIC METRES.

WORK ON THE TWO RESERVOIRS BEGAN LAST SEPTEMBER AND WILL BE COMPLETED IN EARLY 1982.

/MR TUCKER

MR TUCKER WAS PLEASED WITH THE PROGRESS OF WORK.

HE ALSO VISITED THE CONSTRUCTION SITE OF THE TUEN MUN TREATMENT WORKS EXTENSIONS.

THE \$18.2 MILLION EXTENSIONS, SCHEDULED TO BE COMPLETED IN MID-1982, WILL ACCOMMODATE A CHEMICAL HOUSE, A 4 000-CUBIC METRE CLEAR WATER TANK, TWO RAPID GRAVITY FILTERS, TWO CLARIFIERS AND A WASH WATER RECOVERY TANK.

WHEN COMPLETED, THE CAPACITY OF THE TREATMENT WORKS WILL BE INCREASED BY 100 PER CENT TO 182 000 CUBIC METRES A DAY.

EARLIER IN THE MORNING, MR TUCKER INSPECTED WORK ON EXTENDING THE TUEN MUN PUMPING STATION WHICH IS NEXT TO THE TREATMENT WORKS, AND THE LAYING OF WATER MAINS ALONG LUNG MUN ROAD, MING KUN ROAD, TSING WAN ROAD, CASTLE PEAK ROAD AND SHEK PAI TAU ROAD.

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MORE LAND FOR INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT
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THE GOVERNMENT PLANS TO RECLAIM ABOUT 56 HECTARES OF FORESHORE AND SEABED TO THE NORTH OF TOLO HARBOUR FOR INDUSTRIAL PURPOSES.

THE RECLAMATION, WHICH FORMS THE THIRD STAGE OF THE TAI PO INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, WILL EXTEND THE EXISTING RECLAMATION TO THE SOUTH BY ABOUT 220 METRES.

THE EXTENT OF THE PROJECT IS DESCRIBED IN A NOTICE IN TODAY'S GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

OBJECTIONS TO THE PROPOSAL OR ANY CLAIM OF PRIVATE RIGHT SHOULD BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS WITHIN THE NEXT TWO MONTHS.

THE NOTICE, IN ENGLISH AND CHINESE, WITH A PLAN SHOWING THE AREA OF FORESHORE AND SEABED INVOLVED HAS BEEN POSTED NEAR THE SITE.

THE PLAN MAY ALSO BE INSPECTED AT THE PORT WORKS DIVISION, FIRST FLOOR, MURRAY BUILDING, GARDEN ROAD, HONG KONG- AT THE CROWN LANDS AND SURVEY OFFICE, 19TH FLOOR, MURRAY BUILDING- OR AT THE TAI PO DISTRICT OFFICE, TAI PO GOVERNMENT OFFICES BUILDING, TING KOK ROAD, TAI PO MARKET.

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NEW ROAD TO HOUSING ESTATE
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A NEW ROAD WILL BE BUILT IN WONG TAI SIN TO PROVIDE BETTER ACCESS TO THE UPPER WONG TAI SIN HOUSING ESTATE AND THE NEW CHUK YUEN ESTATE.

A CONTRACT FOR THE WORK, COSTING ABOUT \$9 MILLION, WAS SIGNED TODAY (FRIDAY) BY MR TOM ARMOUR, CHIEF ENGINEER OF THE HIGHWAYS (KOWLOON) DIVISION OF THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, AND REPRESENTATIVES OF KUMAGAI GUMI (HK) LTD.

A PWD SPOKESMAN SAID THE ROAD WOULD BE AN EXTENSION OF WONG TAI SIN ROAD TO THE JUNCTION OF CHUK YUEN ROAD AND SHATIN PASS ROAD.

HE SAID THE PROJECT INVOLVED THE CONSTRUCTION OF A 330-METRE CARRIAGEWAY, TOGETHER WITH ASSOCIATED DRAINAGE WORKS AND UTILITY DIVERSION. THE EXISTING ON FU ROAD WOULD ALSO BE REALIGNED.

CONSTRUCTION WORK, TO BE SUPERVISED BY THE HIGHWAYS (KOWLOON) DIVISION, WILL START NEXT WEEK AND WILL TAKE ABOUT 18 MONTHS TO COMPLETE.

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CONTRACT SIGNED FOR WATER DRAIN PROJECT
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THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT TODAY (FRIDAY) AWARDED A CONTRACT FOR WORK ON DIVERTING THE STORM-WATER DRAIN NEAR THE MACAU FERRY TERMINAL TO MAKE WAY FOR THE FUTURE TERMINAL COMPLEX.

THE CONTRACT IS FOR THE LAYING OF ABOUT 195 METRES OF STORM-WATER DRAIN OF 2 100 MM IN DIAMETER, AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEAWALL OUTLET.

MR PANG HAU-CHUNG, CHIEF ENGINEER OF THE PWD HIGHWAYS (HONG KONG) DIVISION SIGNED THE CONTRACT WITH A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SANG LEE CONSTRUCTION COMPANY LIMITED.

WORK ON THE PROJECT, WORTH MORE THAN \$3.2 MILLION, WILL START NEXT WEEK AND WILL TAKE SEVEN MONTHS TO COMPLETE.

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10 000 NT GRAVES DUE FOR EXHUMATION

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THE NEW TERRITORIES SERVICES DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT ALL HUMAN REMAINS BURIED IN GRAVES IN NEW TERRITORIES PUBLIC CEMETERIES IN 1973 ARE DUE FOR EXHUMATION.

A REMOVAL ORDER, CITED AS THE CHEUNG CHAU CEMETERY, SANDY RIDGE CEMETERY AND WO HOP SHEK CEMETERY (REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL OF HUMAN REMAINS) ORDER 1980, IS PUBLISHED IN THE GOVERNMENT GAZETTE TODAY.

AN NTSD SPOKESMAN EXPLAINED IT WAS THE DEPARTMENT'S POLICY TO HAVE GRAVES EXHUMED AFTER SIX YEARS' BURIAL SO AS TO RECOVER SPACES FOR FURTHER BURIALS.

+A TOTAL OF 10 065 GRAVES - 8 644 IN WO HOP SHEK, 1 038 IN SANDY RIDGE AND 383 IN CHEUNG CHAU - ARE DUE FOR EXHUMATION,+ HE SAID.

THE EXHUMED REMAINS CAN EITHER BE REBURIED IN GOVERNMENT OR PRIVATE URN CEMETERIES, OR BE CREMATED.

IF SUCH REMAINS ARE NOT REMOVED, THE DIRECTOR OF URBAN SERVICES WILL HAVE THE RIGHT, UNDER THE REMOVAL ORDER, TO REBURY THEM IN GOVERNMENT URN CEMETERIES OR HAVE THEM CREMATED AT A GOVERNMENT CREMATORIUM AND THE ASHES REBURIED AT SANDY RIDGE OR OTHER URN CEMETERIES.

THE SPOKESMAN ALSO ISSUED THE REMINDER THAT ANYONE REQUIRING EXHUMATION OF BURIED REMAINS MUST APPLY IN ADVANCE FOR AN EXHUMATION PERMIT.

PERMITS, AT \$25 EACH, ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE DEPARTMENT'S CEMETERY AND CREMATORIUM OFFICE AT 6 CHEONG HANG ROAD, HUNG HOM.

HE ADVISED THAT KWAI CHUNG COLUMBARIUM, WHICH IS NEAR COMPLETION, WILL HAVE SPACE FOR 3 508 NICHES.

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TECHNICIAN WINS TOP PRIZE IN LONDON EXAM
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FOR THE THIRD SUCCESSIVE YEAR, A GRADUATE FROM THE MORRISON HILL TECHNICAL INSTITUTE HAS WON THE FIRST PRIZE IN THE CITY AND GUILDS OF LONDON INSTITUTE EXAMINATIONS.

HE IS MR WONG CHUN-KAU WHO GRADUATED FROM THE INSTITUTE'S TWO-YEAR DIPLOMA PROGRAMME IN ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING LAST YEAR. HE IS NOW WORKING AS A TRAINEE TECHNICIAN FOR A LEADING LOCAL FIRM AND IS ATTENDING THE PART-TIME DAY-RELEASE HIGHER CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME IN THE SAME SUBJECT AT THE HONG KONG POLYTECHNIC.

MR WONG, WHO TOOK THE CITY AND GUILDS OF LONDON INSTITUTE EXAMINATIONS LAST SUMMER, WAS RECENTLY INFORMED THAT HE HAD WON THE FIRST PRIZE - THE INSTITUTE'S SILVER MEDAL - FOR THE TELECOMMUNICATION TECHNICIAN'S COURSE.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF HOLDS EXHIBITION DAY
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THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF SOCIAL WELFARE, MRS ANSON CHAN, WILL TOMORROW (SATURDAY) OFFICIATE AT THE OPENING CEREMONY OF AN EXHIBITION DAY OF THE VICTORIA PARK SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF.

MRS CHAN WILL MAKE A SPEECH AND WILL TAKE PART IN THE SCHOOL'S 20TH ANNIVERSARY THANKSGIVING SERVICE. THERE WILL BE SINGING AND DANCING PERFORMANCES BY THE STUDENTS.

YOU ARE WELCOME TO SEND YOUR REPRESENTATIVES TO COVER THE EXHIBITION DAY AND THE THANKSGIVING SERVICE, WHICH WILL START AT 10 AM. THE SCHOOL IS AT 38 HING FAT STREET, CAUSEWAY BAY, HONG KONG.

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PLB RESTRICTIONS

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THE EASTBOUND SECTION OF JAVA ROAD IN NORTH POINT BETWEEN HOUSE NO 61 AND A POINT ABOUT 40 METRES EAST OF ITS JUNCTION WITH TONG SHUI ROAD WILL BE DESIGNATED A PUBLIC LIGHT BUS CLEARWAY FROM 10 AM ON MONDAY (MAY 12).

PLB'S WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO STOP FOR PASSENGERS WITHIN THIS ZONE.

IN TSUEN WAN, PLB'S WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO PICK UP OR SET DOWN PASSENGERS AND LOAD OR UNLOAD GOODS IN HAM TIN STREET BETWEEN TAK WAH STREET AND SHA TSUI ROAD FROM 10 AM ON FRIDAY (MAY 16).

TRAFFIC SIGNS WILL BE SET UP AT THESE PLACES TO GUIDE PLB DRIVERS.

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PRATAS STREET TO BE CLOSED

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THE SECTION OF PRATAS STREET OUTSIDE BLOCK 19 OF LEI CHENG UK ESTATE WILL BE CLOSED TO TRAFFIC FROM 10 AM ON MONDAY (MAY 12) FOR ABOUT FOUR WEEKS FOR SLOPE MAINTENANCE WORK.

TRAFFIC SIGNS WILL BE SET UP TO GUIDE MOTORISTS.

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