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NEW ID CARDS FOR 22 AND 23 YEAR-OLD MEN

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MEN BORN IN 1961 AND 1960 WERE REMINDED TODAY THAT FROM MONDAY (AUGUST 8), IT WILL BE THEIR TURN TO APPLY FOR NEW IDENTITY CARDS.

DURING A FIVE-WEEK PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 10, MEN IN THESE TWO AGE GROUPS SHOULD CALL AT ANY OF THE EIGHT NEW ID CARD ISSUE OFFICES, BRINGING WITH THEM THEIR OLD CARDS. THESE OFFICES ARE OPEN FROM 8 AM TO 9.30 PM, MONDAY TO SATURDAY.

THE PROCESSING OF AN APPLICATION WILL TAKE ONLY HALF AN HOUR AND APPLICANTS WILL BE ASKED TO RETURN IN 18 WORKING DAYS TO COLLECT THEIR NEW CARDS AND SURRENDER THEIR OLD ONES.

THOSE WHO ARE AWAY FROM HONG KONG DURING THE PERIOD MUST APPLY FOR NEW CARDS WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THEIR RETURN.

SINCE THE FOURTH PHASE COVERS TWO AGE GROUPS INSTEAD OF ONE, THE IMMIGRATION DEPARTMENT EXPECTS TWICE AS MANY APPLICANTS TO TURN UP.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE DEPARTMENT SAID, +WE ARE ANTICIPATING A TOTAL OF ABOUT 128 000 VISITORS DURING THIS PHASE, WHICH MEANS WE WILL HAVE TO PROCESS AN AVERAGE OF 4 600 APPLICATIONS A DAY.+

+HOWEVER, OUR STAFF ARE NOW VERY FAMILIAR WITH THE SYSTEM, AND WE ARE CONFIDENT THAT WE CAN COPE WITH THE INCREASED WORK LOAD,+ HE SAID, ADDING THAT CO-OPERATION ON THE PART OF THE APPLICANTS WILL HELP THE SMOOTH RUNNING OF THE SCHEME.

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MONG KOK TO LAUNCH ANTI-NARCOTICS CAMPAIGN

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THE MONG KOK ANTI-NARCOTICS CAMPAIGN, FEATURING AN ENTERTAINING MUSICAL DRAMA, A VISIT TO SHEK KWU CHAU, AN EXHIBITION, A FILM SHOW, A COLOURING COMPETITION AND A TELEMATCH, WILL BE HELD FROM AUGUST 12 TO 29.

THE 18-DAY CAMPAIGN IS JOINTLY ORGANISED BY THE MONG KOK DISTRICT BOARD, THE MONG KOK ANTI-NARCOTICS CENTRAL ORGANISING COMMITTEE AND THE ACTION COMMITTEE AGAINST NARCOTICS.

ANNOUNCING THIS AT A PRESS CONFERENCE TODAY (SATURDAY), THE CHAIRMAN OF THE CENTRAL ORGANISING COMMITTEE, MR RONALD LEUNG, SAID THE MAIN GOAL OF THE CAMPAIGN WAS TO PUT ACROSS THE ANTI-NARCOTICS MESSAGE TO THOSE IN THE 15-24 AGE GROUP.

+THROUGH THIS CAMPAIGN, WE ALSO HOPE TO ENCOURAGE DRUG ADDICTS TO COME FORWARD FOR TREATMENT AND LET THEM KNOW THE TREATMENT AND REHABILITATION SERVICES AVAILABLE,+ HE SAID.

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AN OPENING CEREMONY WILL BE HELD AT 8 PM ON AUGUST 12 (FRIDAY) AT THE ACADEMIC COMMUNITY HALL, TO BE FOLLOWED BY AN EDUCATIONAL AND ENTERTAINING MUSICAL DRAMA - 'TRAUMA OF DRUGS'.

THE MUSICAL DRAMA, PRODUCED BY THE TECHNICAL DIRECTOR OF THE CULTURAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT, MR JAMES MARK, WILL BE PERFORMED BY STUDENTS OF THE NG KING-LAI DANCE SCHOOL, SINGERS MR ALBERT AU AND MISS ROWENA CORTES AND ARTISTES FROM THE CHUNG YING THEATRE.

OTHER EVENTS IN THE CAMPAIGN WILL INCLUDE AN ANTI-NARCOTICS EXHIBITION AT THE MONG KOK MTR STATION ON AUGUST 14, A VISIT TO SHEK KWU CHAU ON AUGUST 20, AND A FILM SHOW AT THE MAYFAIR THEATRE ON AUGUST 21.

A CLOSING CEREMONY WILL BE HELD AT THE MACPHERSON PLAYGROUND ON AUGUST 29, DURING WHICH MEMBERS FROM THE MONG KOK DISTRICT BOARD AND ARTISTES FROM ASIA TELEVISION WILL TAKE PART IN A TELEMATCH.

ADMISSION TO ALL THE EVENTS IS FREE AND TICKETS TO THE MUSICAL DRAMA AND THE FILM SHOW ARE AVAILABLE AT THE MONG KOK DISTRICT OFFICE.

THE CAMPAIGN WILL COST \$120 000, \$35 000 OF WHICH WILL COME FROM THE DISTRICT BOARD.

ALSO ATTENDING TODAY'S CONFERENCE WERE THE ASSISTANT DISTRICT OFFICER, MR STANLEY WONG; THE DISTRICT OPERATIONAL OFFICER OF THE MONG KOK POLICE STATION, MR TAM TAK-WING; AND THE PRINCIPAL INFORMATION OFFICER OF THE NARCOTICS DIVISION, MR HANDRICK NG.

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#### AREA COMMITTEES PLAYING IMPORTANT ROLE \* \* \*

AREA COMMITTEES HAD BEEN PLAYING AN IMPORTANT ROLE AS LINKS BETWEEN THE DISTRICT BOARD AND PEOPLE AT THE GRASS-ROOT LEVEL, THE SHA TIN DISTRICT OFFICER, MR DONALD TSANG, SAID TODAY (SATURDAY).

HE SAID THAT THE ISSUES DEALT WITH BY THE DISTRICT BOARD AND THE GRASS-ROOT ORGANISATIONS - THE MUTUAL AID COMMITTEES AND VILLAGE REPRESENTATIVES -- VARIED. THERE WAS THUS A NEED FOR A COMMUNITY ORGANISATION TO ACT AS A GO-BETWEEN.

+AN AREA COMMITTEE IS THE ORGANISATION. IT DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY CONSTITUENCY; IT IS A GO-BETWEEN OF THE DISTRICT BOARD, MUTUAL AID COMMITTEES AND VILLAGE REPRESENTATIVES,+ HE SAID.

MR TSANG WAS SPEAKING AT THE JOINT INAUGURATION CEREMONY OF FOUR AREA COMMITTEES IN THE DISTRICT.

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+THE WORK OF THIS 'SANDWICHED ORGANISATION' IS TO LIAISE WITH THE RESIDENTS, CHANNEL PUBLIC VIEWS, EXPLAIN GOVERNMENT POLICIES, SHOW CONCERN TOWARDS PROBLEMS IN THE COMMUNITY AND PROMOTE COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES.

+IN OTHER WORDS, AN AREA COMMITTEE IS A MOVING FORCE BEHIND DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION AND IS A GOOD TRAINING GROUND FOR THOSE WHO WANT TO SERVE THE COMMUNITY,+ HE SAID.

MEMBERS OF AN AREA COMMITTEE COMPRISE BOTH OFFICIALS AND UNOFFICIALS.

THE APPOINTED UNOFFICIALS ARE CHAIRMEN OF MUTUAL AID COMMITTEES, VILLAGE REPRESENTATIVES, SCHOOL PRINCIPALS, BUSINESSMEN AND SOCIAL WORKERS.

+WITH MEMBERS FROM ALL SECTORS OF THE COMMUNITY, AN AREA COMMITTEE IS ABLE TO LOOK INTO EVERY POSSIBLE PROBLEM IN THE DISTRICT,+ MR TSANG SAID.

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#### NEW STAMPS DEPICT HK BY NIGHT

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THE HONG KONG POST OFFICE WILL ISSUE FOUR STAMPS ON AUGUST 17 THIS YEAR, DEPICTING TYPICAL HONG KONG NIGHT SCENES.

THEY WILL BE IN DENOMINATIONS OF 30 CENTS, \$1.00, \$1.30 AND \$5.

THE SCENES ARE HONG KONG'S BUSINESS DISTRICT VIEWED FROM THE PEAK (30 CENTS), THE TOURIST DISTRICT OF TSIM SHA TSUI IN THE EVENING (\$1), THE LUNAR NEW YEAR FIREWORKS DISPLAY HELD IN THE HARBOUR (\$1.30) AND A FLOATING SEA FOOD RESTAURANT MOORED OFF ABERDEEN (\$5).

THE NEW STAMPS WILL BE PUT ON DISPLAY ON THE FIRST FLOOR OF THE GENERAL POST OFFICE, CONNAUGHT PLACE AND IN THE TSIM SHA TSUI POST OFFICE DAILY FROM AUGUST 8 TO 13 BETWEEN 9.30 AM AND 4.30 PM.

OFFICIAL FIRST DAY COVERS AT 50 CENTS EACH WILL BE ON SALE AT ALL POST OFFICES ON AUGUST 8.

EACH COVER WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN INSERT CARD CONTAINING INFORMATION ON HONG KONG BY NIGHT AND SOME BRIEF PHILATELIC INFORMATION.

A SUFFICIENT NUMBER OF FIRST DAY COVERS HAVE BEEN PRINTED TO MEET ANTICIPATED PUBLIC DEMAND, AND THERE WILL BE NO RESTRICTION ON THE NUMBER OF FIRST DAY COVERS SOLD TO EACH CUSTOMER.

ADVANCE ORDERS FOR THE SERVICING OF FIRST DAY COVERS WILL BE ACCEPTED FROM AUGUST 8 TO 5 PM ON AUGUST 12 AT ALL POST OFFICES.

FOR THIS SERVICE, SELF-ADDRESSED FIRST DAY COVERS MUST BE HANDED IN WITH AN ORDER FORM WHICH IS AVAILABLE AT ALL POST OFFICES DURING THE PERIOD, TOGETHER WITH A REMITTANCE TO COVER THE COST.

THE CHARGE WILL BE \$8.60 PER COVER -- \$7.60 FOR THE STAMPS AND \$1 FOR THE SERVICE.

NO LESS THAN 10 COVERS WILL BE ACCEPTED WITH EACH ORDER.

ANY PERSON ORDERING SERVICED COVERS ADDRESSED TO A LOCAL DESTINATION MAY COLLECT THEM ON AUGUST 19 FROM THE POST OFFICE WHERE THE ORDER WAS PLACED. COVERS TO BE SENT OVERSEAS WILL BE FORWARDED AS ADDRESSED.

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YOUTHS NEEDED FOR LIFE-GUARD WORK  
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TO COPE WITH THE INCREASING NUMBER OF BEACHGOERS, THE NEW TERRITORIES SERVICES DEPARTMENT IS LOOKING FOR MORE PART-TIME LIFEGUARDS TO REINFORCE THE NORMAL SERVICE.

QUALIFIED YOUNG PEOPLE LOOKING FOR SUMMER JOBS ARE THEREFORE GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITY TO EARN \$98 A DAY - AND DO A PUBLIC SERVICE AT THE SAME TIME.

ANY YOUTH POSSESSING AN APPROVED LIFE-SAVING QUALIFICATION MAY APPLY FOR THE JOB OF PART-TIME LIFEGUARDS, A SPOKESMAN FOR THE NEW TERRITORIES SERVICES DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY.

AND \$147 WILL BE PAID ON A SUNDAY OR PUBLIC HOLIDAY TO A LIFEGUARD WHO HAS BEEN ON DUTY FOR MORE THAN 48 STANDARD WORKING HOURS WITHIN ONE WEEK, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

THE PART-TIME LIFEGUARDS WILL BE DEPLOYED AT VARIOUS PUBLIC BATHING BEACHES AND SWIMMING POOL COMPLEXES THROUGHOUT THE NEW TERRITORIES AND ON OUTLYING ISLANDS.

APPLICANTS SHOULD AT LEAST HOLD THE BRONZE MEDALLION AWARDED BY THE ROYAL LIFE-SAVING SOCIETY, BE UNDER 35 YEARS OF AGE, AND HAVE STRONG PHYSIQUE AND GOOD EYESIGHT, WITHOUT HAVING TO WEAR SPECTACLES, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

PRIORITY WILL BE GIVEN TO THOSE POSSESSING HIGHER LIFE-SAVING QUALIFICATIONS AND ACTUAL EXPERIENCE, AND TO STUDENTS RECOMMENDED BY THEIR SCHOOL PRINCIPALS, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

APPLICATION FORMS (G.F. 340) MAY BE OBTAINED FROM ALL DISTRICT OFFICES IN THE NEW TERRITORIES AND IN URBAN AREA.

COMPLETED FORMS SHOULD BE RETURNED TO THE NTSD HEADQUARTERS ON THE THIRD FLOOR OF AUSTIN CENTRE, 19-23 AUSTIN AVENUE, TSIM SHA TSUI, BEFORE AUGUST 23.

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OPEN DAY AT MUSIC CAMP  
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CHILDREN AT THE 1983 HONG KONG MUSIC CAMP TODAY MET THEIR PARENTS FOR THE FIRST TIME AFTER ONE WEEK'S CAMPING AT ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE IN STANLEY.

ABOUT 400 YOUNG MUSICIANS INCLUDING SOME FROM AUSTRALIA, JAPAN, MACAU AND THE UNITED KINGDOM ARE TAKING PART IN THIS YEAR'S TWO-WEEK CAMP.

THE CAMP'S OPEN DAY TODAY OFFERED PARENTS AN OPPORTUNITY TO SEE THEIR CHILDREN SINCE THE MUSIC CAMP OPENED A WEEK AGO.

AT THE SAME TIME, THEY WERE ABLE TO WATCH THEM IN TRAINING CLASSES AND REHEARSALS UNDER THE BATONS OF WELL-KNOWN LOCAL AND OVERSEAS INSTRUCTORS.

PARENTS WERE ALSO ABLE TO BUY TICKETS WELL IN ADVANCE FOR THE FINALE CONCERT WHICH WILL BE HELD AT THE CITY HALL CONCERT HALL NEXT SATURDAY AT 8 PM.

THOSE INTERESTED TO WATCH HOW THE YOUNG MUSICIANS PERFORM IN PUBLIC FOLLOWING THEIR INTENSIVE TRAINING AT THE CAMP CAN NOW OBTAIN TICKETS AT \$5 EACH FOR THE CONCERT AT ALL MUSIC CENTRES AND THE CITY HALL BOX OFFICE.

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RESTRICTED ZONES IN TO KWA WAN  
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FROM 8 AM ON MONDAY (AUGUST 8), CHI KIANG STREET BETWEEN TO KWA WAN ROAD AND YUK YAT STREET WILL BE DESIGNATED AS A RESTRICTED ZONE FROM 7 AM TO 10 AM AND FROM 4 PM TO 7 PM DAILY, TO IMPROVE TRAFFIC CIRCULATION.

AT THE SAME TIME, THE EXISTING 7 AM TO 7 PM DAILY RESTRICTION ON KWEI CHOW STREET BETWEEN TO KWA WAN ROAD AND MEI KING STREET WILL BE EXTENDED EASTWARDS TO MEI KWONG STREET.

THE SAME SECTION OF CHI KIANG STREET WILL BE RE-ROUTED ONE-WAY EASTBOUND.

MOTORISTS WISHING TO TURN LEFT INTO TO KWA WAN ROAD FROM CHI KIANG STREET WESTBOUND WILL HAVE TO TURN AT EITHER LOK SHAN ROAD OR KWEI CHOW STREET VIA YUK YAT STREET.

WITHIN THE RESTRICTED ZONES, ALL MOTOR VEHICLES EXCEPT THOSE AUTHORISED IN WRITING BY THE AUTHORITY, WILL BE PROHIBITED FROM PICKING UP OR SETTING DOWN PASSENGERS, OR FROM LOADING OR UNLOADING GOODS.

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SUMMER CARNIVAL FOR SHAM SHUI PO YOUTHS

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YOUNG PEOPLE IN SHAM SHUI PO WILL BE TREATED TO A TWO-HOUR CARNIVAL AT THE MAPLE STREET PLAYGROUND TOMORROW (SUNDAY) AFTERNOON.

THE CARNIVAL, FEATURING SINGING AND DANCING PERFORMANCES, ACROBATICS, TAEKWANDO DEMONSTRATIONS AND GAMES STALLS, MARKS THE BEGINNING OF THE DISTRICT'S SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMME.

THE DISTRICT OFFICER, MR STEPHEN IP, WILL OFFICIATE AT THE OPENING CEREMONY AT 2 PM.

FOR THIS YEAR'S PROGRAMME, 41 LOCAL ASSOCIATIONS ARE ORGANISING A TOTAL OF 69 ACTIVITIES WITH SUBSIDIES FROM THE SHAM SHUI PO YOUTH RECREATION CO-ORDINATING COMMITTEE.

THESE ACTIVITIES RANGE FROM INDOOR CULTURAL AND RECREATIONAL PROGRAMMES TO POPULAR SPORTS COMPETITIONS AND OUTINGS.

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TRAFFIC DIVERSION TO FACILITATE ROAD WORKS

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FROM MONDAY (AUGUST 8), DRIVERS OF ALL MOTOR VEHICLES OVER TWO AND A HALF TONS IN UNLADEN WEIGHT WHO WISH TO TURN LEFT FROM BOUNDARY STREET INTO LA SALLE ROAD NORTHBOUND ARE ADVISED TO TRAVEL VIA BOUNDARY STREET, EARL STREET, PRINCE EDWARD ROAD WEST, AND LA SALLE ROAD DURING THE PERIOD FROM 7 PM EACH EVENING TO 7 AM THE FOLLOWING DAY.

FROM THE SAME DAY, BUSES ON KMB ROUTE NO. 2D WILL TRAVEL ALL DAY VIA BOUNDARY STREET, PRINCE EDWARD ROAD WEST, GRAMPAN ROAD AND NGA TSIN WAI ROAD ON THEIR WAY TO TUNG TAU ESTATE.

THESE TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE IMPLEMENTED FOR ABOUT 15 DAYS TO FACILITATE ROAD WORKS.

DURING THE PERIOD, THE TWO BUS STOPS FOR ROUTE 2D ON LA SALLE ROAD WILL BE SUSPENDED AND A REPLACEMENT STOP WILL BE PROVIDED OUTSIDE BEVERLEY VILLAS AT 16, LA SALLE ROAD.

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### TRANSLATION STUDY IN SINGAPORE

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A 21-MEMBER DELEGATION WILL LEAVE HONG KONG FOR SINGAPORE TOMORROW (SUNDAY) AFTERNOON TO STUDY TRANSLATION AND INTERPRETATION WORK.

THE DELEGATION, COMPRISING REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE ORGANISING COMMITTEE OF THE HONG KONG YOUTH CULTURAL AND ARTS COMPETITIONS AND THE PENINSULA JAYCEES, WILL SPEND FOUR DAYS IN SINGAPORE.

LED BY THE ORGANISING COMMITTEE'S CHAIRMAN, MR SHUM CHOI-SANG, THE GROUP WILL VISIT THE TRANSLATION SECTION OF THE MINISTRY OF CULTURE, THE PARLIAMENT HOUSE, THE COURTS, THE NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SINGAPORE AND OTHER INSTITUTIONS.

THEY WILL ALSO EXCHANGE VIEWS WITH LOCAL ORGANISATIONS ON CULTURAL AND ARTS ACTIVITIES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE.

THIS IS THE FIRST OVERSEAS DELEGATION OF THE COMMITTEE SINCE IT WAS FORMED EIGHT YEARS AGO.

FOUR WINNERS OF THE TRANSLATION COMPETITIONS HELD LAST YEAR WILL ALSO JOIN THE TOUR ORGANISED BY THE CITY AND NEW TERRITORIES ADMINISTRATION.

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### FOOTBRIDGE FOR KWAI CHUNG

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THE ENGINEERING DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT IS PROPOSING TO CONSTRUCT A FOOTBRIDGE SYSTEM AT THE JUNCTION OF CHEUNG WING ROAD AND WO YI HOP ROAD IN KWAI CHUNG.

THE SYSTEM WILL SEPARATE THE VEHICULAR AND PEDESTRIAN MOVEMENTS AT THIS JUNCTION AND WILL IMPROVE PEDESTRIAN SAFETY.

A NOTICE CONCERNING THE PROPOSED WORKS IS PUBLISHED IN THE LATEST GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

A PLAN SHOWING THE SYSTEM CAN BE SEEN AT THE CENTRAL AND WESTERN DISTRICT OFFICE, CENTRAL GOVERNMENT OFFICES, WEST WING MAIN ENTRANCE; THE TSUEN WAN DISTRICT LANDS OFFICE, HONG KONG AND SHANGHAI BANK BUILDING, 1ST - 4TH FLOORS, 455-457, CASTLE PEAK ROAD; AND THE TSUEN WAN DISTRICT OFFICE, 2ND FLOOR, FOU WAH CENTRE, 210 CASTLE PEAK ROAD.

ANY OBJECTIONS TO THE PROPOSAL MUST REACH THE SECRETARY FOR LANDS AND WORKS BY OCTOBER 4, 1983.

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WATER LEAKAGE TEST IN STANLEY

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FRESH WATER SUPPLY TO CERTAIN PREMISES IN STANLEY WILL BE SUSPENDED FOR SEVEN HOURS FROM 11 PM ON TUESDAY (AUGUST 9) FOR A LEAKAGE TEST.

THE AFFECTED PREMISES ARE LOCATED ALONG STANLEY VILLAGE ROAD, STANLEY BEACH ROAD, STANLEY MOUND ROAD, CARMEL ROAD, STANLEY MARKET ROAD AND STANLEY LINK ROAD.

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SALT WATER MAINS WORK

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SALT WATER SUPPLY TO SOME AREAS IN KOWLOON WILL BE TURNED OFF FROM 10 AM TO 8 PM ON TUESDAY (AUGUST 9) FOR WATER MAINS WORK.

AFFECTED AREAS ARE HUNG HOM, TO KWA WAN, MA TAU WAI, KOWLOON CITY, MA TAU KOK, KOWLOON TONG, WANG TAU HOM, WONG TAI SIN AND SAN PO KONG, INCLUDING HONG KONG INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (KAI TAK), KOWLOON HOSPITAL, LOK FU, TUNG TAU AND FU SHAN ESTATES.

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