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TECHNICAL EDUCATION TO MEET ECONOMIC GOALS

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THE NUMBER OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND INDUSTRIAL TRAINING PLACES WILL BE INCREASED FROM THE PRESENT 67 000 TO OVER 110 000 ON COMPLETION OF MORE FACILITIES BY THE END OF THE DECADE.

THESE ADDITIONAL FACILITIES ARE TWO VOCATIONAL TRAINING COUNCIL INDUSTRIAL TRAINING CENTRE COMPLEXES, THREE NEW TECHNICAL INSTITUTES AND THE CITY POLYTECHNIC.

+IN THE CASE OF THE TECHNICAL INSTITUTES, IT WILL MEAN ALMOST DOUBLING THEIR PRESENT STUDENT ENROLMENT OF 40 000,+ MR GRAHAM CHENG, CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE ON TECHNICAL EDUCATION OF THE VOCATIONAL TRAINING COUNCIL, SAID TODAY (FRIDAY).

SPEAKING AT THE SPEECH DAY OF THE HONG KONG TECHNICAL TEACHERS' COLLEGE, MR CHENG SAID THAT HONG KONG NEEDED A LARGE NUMBER OF TECHNICALLY QUALIFIED YOUNG PEOPLE TO HELP FURTHER DIVERSIFY PRODUCTS AT COMPETITIVE PRICES.

HE SAID THAT WHILE CAPITAL INVESTMENT IN INDUSTRY WAS IMPORTANT, INVESTMENT IN PEOPLE WAS EVEN MORE SO.

+THIS IS PARTICULARLY TRUE IN HONG KONG WHERE THERE IS ALMOST A COMPLETE LACK OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND WHERE ECONOMIC PROSPERITY DEPENDS ENTIRELY ON THE INGENUITY, KNOWLEDGE AND THE INTELLECTUAL CAPABILITIES OF ITS PEOPLE,+ MR CHENG SAID.

THE ROLE OF THE TECHNICAL INSTITUTES IN HONG KONG WAS TO TRAIN SKILLED MANPOWER AT BASIC LEVELS.

TO IMPROVE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF TECHNICAL INSTITUTES, POSITIVE STEPS HAD BEEN TAKEN BY THE VTC, SUCH AS THE INTRODUCTION OF A NEW ACADEMIC AND MANAGEMENT STRUCTURE BRINGING INDUSTRIALISTS AND EDUCATORS FROM INTERESTED ORGANISATIONS CLOSER TOGETHER TO ASSIST IN PLANNING AND CO-ORDINATING THE OPERATION OF THE TECHNICAL INSTITUTES, MR CHENG SAID.

THE VTC HAD ALSO INVITED OVERSEAS EDUCATORS AND SUBJECT SPECIALISTS TO ADVISE ON THE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT OF ITS EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMES, HE SAID.

MR CHENG ALSO SAID THAT THE INSTITUTES MUST BE ABLE TO REACT TO CHANGES THROUGH ADEQUATE CONTINGENCY PLANNING PROVIDED THAT THEIR SHORT-TERM EXPEDIENCY SHOULD NOT OVERRIDE LONG-TERM OBJECTIVES.

+COURSES AND STUDY PROGRAMMES MUST BE FLEXIBLE ENOUGH TO PERMIT INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL TRANSFERABILITY AND TO ENABLE WORKERS ALREADY IN EMPLOYMENT TO UPGRADE THEIR SKILLS AND TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE FOR JOB ADVANCEMENT,+ HE SAID.

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BRIDGE OVER SHING MUN RIVER
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THE DIRECTOR OF NEW TERRITORIES DEVELOPMENT, MR BRYAN O'RORKE, AND THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE AND MANAGING DIRECTOR OF GAMMON (HONG KONG) LIMITED, MR D.A. MORRIS, TODAY (FRIDAY) JOINTLY OFFICIATED AT THE TOPPING OUT CEREMONY OF A BRIDGE OVER THE SHING MUN RIVER, SHA TIN.

THE 500 METRES LONG BRIDGE IS A PRESTRESSED CONCRETE STRUCTURE CARRYING A DUAL TWO-LANE CARRIAGEWAY.

IT HAS ONE MAIN SPAN OF 90 METRES, TWO OF 50 METRES AND 10 SHORTER SPANS.

CONSTRUCTION OF THE BRIDGE, BUILT ACROSS THE SHING MUN RIVER NEAR SHA TIN CITY ONE AND THE JUBILEE SPORTS CENTRE, STARTED IN FEBRUARY, 1982, AND IS EXPECTED TO BE COMPLETED IN JULY.

IT WILL FORM PART OF A TRUNK ROAD JOINING LION ROCK TUNNEL ROAD WITH TAI PO ROAD NEAR THE RACE COURSE.

THE TRUNK ROAD, WHICH IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION, WILL EVENTUALLY CONNECT WITH THE SHA TIN - TAI PO COASTAL TRUNK ROAD, FORMING PART OF THE NEW TERRITORIES CIRCULAR ROAD.

IT WILL ALSO BE A SECTION OF THE PRINCIPAL ROAD LINK BETWEEN KOWLOON AND THE EASTERN PART OF THE NEW TERRITORIES WHICH WILL PROVIDE A BYPASS OF SHA TIN NEW TOWN CENTRE FOR THROUGH TRAFFIC.

THE NEW TERRITORIES CIRCULAR ROAD LINKING THE NEW TOWNS IS BEING BUILT AT A COST OF \$1.112 BILLION.

IT WILL BE 68.5 KILOMETRES LONG.

MR O'RORKE PAID TRIBUTE TO GAMMON (HONG KONG) LIMITED, THE CONTRACTOR FOR THE BRIDGE, AND MAUNSELL CONSULTANTS ASIA, THE CONSULTING ENGINEERS, WHO DESIGNED IT.

HE SAID THEIR CO-OPERATION WITH THE STAFF OF THE NEW TERRITORIES DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT WAS A GOOD EXAMPLE OF THE TEAM WORK NEEDED GENERALLY IN THE EXECUTION OF MAJOR CIVIL ENGINEERING PROJECTS, PARTICULARLY IN THE PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT OF SHA TIN AND THE OTHER NEW TOWNS, IN HONG KONG.

+AS I AM SURE YOU WILL REMEMBER, SIR GEOFFREY HOWE, THE FOREIGN SECRETARY, VISITED SHA TIN WHEN HE WAS IN HONG KONG RECENTLY AND IN THE OPENING REMARKS OF HIS SPEECH IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS ON WEDNESDAY HE REFERRED TO THE NEW TOWNS AS HAVING A POWERFUL SENSE OF COMMUNITY AND VITALITY,+ MR O'RORKE SAID.

HE SAID SHA TIN WAS CONTINUING TO EXPAND WITH THE RECENTLY-STARTED FURTHER FORMATION WORK AT MA ON SHAN ALONG THE SHORE FROM THE NEW BRIDGE.

THE TRUNK ROAD WOULD SEPARATE TRAFFIC THROUGH SHA TIN FROM LOCAL TRAFFIC AND WOULD BE PART OF THE SYSTEM OF TRUNK ROADS BEING BUILT IN THE NEW TERRITORIES. THESE MAJOR WORKS WERE PART OF GOVERNMENT'S CONTINUING EFFORTS TO PROVIDE THE INFRASTRUCTURE FOR HONG KONG'S FURTHER DEVELOPMENT THROUGH THE MASSIVE PUBLIC WORKS PROGRAMME, HE SAID.

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QUOTA FEE REVISED TO COVER COST
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THE APPLICATION FEE FOR TEXTILE QUOTA TRANSFERS WILL BE INCREASED FROM \$30 AN APPLICATION TO \$100 FROM JUNE 1 UNDER THE IMPORT AND EXPORT (FEES)(AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 1984 GAZETTED TODAY (FRIDAY).

ANNOUNCING THIS TODAY, A SPOKESMAN FOR THE TRADE DEPARTMENT SAID THAT THE DEPARTMENT HAD RECENTLY ASSESSED THE COST OF PROCESSING QUOTA TRANSFER APPLICATIONS (PERMANENT TRANSFER, TEMPORARY TRANSFER AND SWING TRANSFER) AND HAS ASCERTAINED THAT THE REVISED FEE IS REQUIRED TO COVER THE PRESENT COST.

THE SPOKESMAN EXPLAINED THAT THE QUOTA TRANSFER FEE IS ONE OF SEVERAL TEXTILE-RELATED FEES ADMINISTERED BY THE TRADE DEPARTMENT, THE OTHER FEES COVER EXPORT LICENCES, FREE QUOTA EXPORT AUTHORISATIONS, SWING APPLICATIONS AND TEXTILE CONTROL REGISTRATION. THE PRESENT SCALE OF FEES HAS REMAINED UNCHANGED SINCE LAST REVISED IN AUGUST 1982.

+ALTHOUGH ESTABLISHED POLICY WAS -- AND STILL IS -- THAT FEES SHOULD RECOVER THE FULL COSTS OF PROCESSING TEXTILE-RELATED DOCUMENTS, IT WAS FELT AT THAT TIME THAT TO MOVE IMMEDIATELY TO FULL COST-RECOVERY MIGHT PLACE AN EXCESSIVE BURDEN ON THE TEXTILES TRADE.

+THE FEES SET IN 1982 ACCORDINGLY ENABLED ABOUT 60 PER CENT OF THE COST ESTIMATED IN 1981-82 OF OPERATING THE TEXTILES EXPORT CONTROL SYSTEM TO BE RECOVERED. IT WAS INTENDED THAT THIS SCALE SHOULD BE RE-EXAMINED FOLLOWING THE 1983 REVIEW OF THE TEXTILES EXPORT CONTROL SYSTEM,+ THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

THE TRADE DEPARTMENT IS NOW CONDUCTING A COMPREHENSIVE COSTING OF THE TEXTILES EXPORT CONTROL SYSTEM, TO SERVE AS THE BASIS FOR RE-EXAMINING ALL THE EXISTING FEES. THIS EXERCISE WILL BE COMPLETED LATER THIS YEAR. MEANTIME, AN INCREASE IN THE QUOTA TRANSFER FEE IS BEING INTRODUCED AS A STEP TOWARDS RECOVERING FULL COSTS.

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PERFORMING ARTS ACADEMY BILL PUBLISHED
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PROPOSED NEW LEGISLATION TO ESTABLISH THE HONG KONG ACADEMY FOR PERFORMING ARTS AS A LEGAL ENTITY IS PUBLISHED IN THE GAZETTE TODAY.

A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN EXPLAINED THAT THE LEGISLATION WILL ALLOW THE ACADEMY TO FUNCTION IN THE SAME WAY AS OTHER TERTIARY INSTITUTIONS.

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THE EXECUTIVE BODY OF THE ACADEMY WILL BE A COUNCIL TO BE SET UP UNDER THE HONG KONG ACADEMY FOR PERFORMING ARTS BILL, WITH, AT MOST, 17 MEMBERS DRAWN FROM PEOPLE WITH A WIDE KNOWLEDGE AND UNDERSTANDING OF THE ARTS SCENE IN HONG KONG.

THE BILL ALSO PROVIDES FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN ACADEMIC BOARD, WHICH WILL REGULATE ALL MATTERS RELATING TO EDUCATION IN THE ACADEMY. IT WILL REVIEW AND DEVELOP ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES AND SUPERVISE TEACHING, RESEARCH, ADMISSION AND EXAMINATIONS.

THE BILL, DRAWN UP IN CONSULTATION WITH THE PROVISIONAL COUNCIL OF THE ACADEMY, STATES THAT THE OBJECT OF THE ACADEMY WILL BE TO PROVIDE FOR TRAINING, EDUCATION AND RESEARCH IN THE PERFORMING ARTS AND RELATED TECHNICAL ARTS.

THE BILL WILL BE INTRODUCED INTO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ON MAY 30 AND IS EXPECTED TO PASS ITS THIRD READING ON JUNE 13.

ANYONE WHO WISHES TO COMMENT ON THE BILL CAN WRITE TO UMELCO, AT SWIRE HOUSE, 12TH FLOOR, CHATER ROAD, OR TO THE SECRETARY FOR HOME AFFAIRS, AT THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT OFFICES, 1ST FLOOR, LOWER ALBERT ROAD, HONG KONG.

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CATTLE, PIG INSPECTION FEES RAISED
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FEES FOR THE INSPECTION OF MEAT AT THREE LICENSED PRIVATE SLAUGHTERHOUSES IN KWAI CHUNG, TAI PO AND YUEN LONG IN THE NEW TERRITORIES HAVE BEEN INCREASED FROM TODAY.

THE NEW INSPECTION FEE CHARGED FOR EACH CATTLE HAVE BEEN INCREASED FROM \$3.50 TO \$6, AND FOR EACH PIG OR GOAT FROM \$2.30 TO \$4.

THE INSPECTIONS ARE CARRIED OUT BY HEALTH INSPECTORS OF THE NEW TERRITORIES SERVICES DEPARTMENT TO ENSURE THE MEAT IS HYGIENICALLY PREPARED.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE NTSD SAID THAT THE FEES HAD NOT BEEN CHANGED SINCE JULY 1981.

THE INCREASE WOULD HAVE LITTLE EFFECT ON THE RETAIL PRICE OF FRESH MEAT AS THE INSPECTION FEES ARE ONLY A SMALL PERCENTAGE OF THE OPERATION COSTS OF MEAT MERCHANTS.

THE 450 600 PIGS AND 40 100 CATTLE SLAUGHTERED IN THE THREE LICENSED PRIVATE SLAUGHTERHOUSES IN THE NEW TERRITORIES LAST YEAR, HAD ALL BEEN INSPECTED, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

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SEABED TO BE RECLAIMED FOR HOUSING ESTATE
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ABOUT 14 HECTARES OF FORESHORE AND SEABED NEAR AP TSAI PENINSULA AT THE NORTHWESTERN TIP OF JUNK BAY ARE TO BE RECLAIMED FOR A PUBLIC HOUSING ESTATE.

THE WORK INCLUDES LAYING A SUBMARINE SEWER WITHIN 3.3 HECTARES OF SEABED AND RECLAIMING 1.7 HECTARES OF FORESHORE AND SEABED AT THE MOUTH OF HANG HAU BAY ON THE OTHER SIDE OF JUNK BAY.

THE SUBMARINE SEWER FORMS PART OF GOVERNMENT'S INFRASTRUCTURE WORKS TO SERVE THE FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS FOR JUNK BAY NEW TOWN.

THE PROPOSED RECLAMATION AT HANG HAU BAY WILL ENABLE ENGINEERS TO CONNECT THE SUBMARINE SEWER TO A SEWER TUNNEL WHICH WILL CONVEY SEWAGE TO A TREATMENT PLANT TO BE CONSTRUCTED NEAR SIU CHIK SHA.

NOTICE OF THE PROPOSED WORK HAS BEEN GAZETTED AND IS EXPECTED TO START TOWARDS THE END OF THE YEAR AND BE COMPLETED IN 33 MONTHS.

NORMAL SEA ACCESS TO HANG HAU TOWN AND THE INDUSTRIAL AREAS NEAR TSEUNG KWAN O OPPOSITE TO AP TSAI PENINSULA AND TO THE INDUSTRIAL AREAS NEAR YAU YUE WAN VILLAGE WILL BE MAINTAINED DURING THE CONSTRUCTION PERIOD.

A PLAN SHOWING THE AFFECTED AREA CAN BE SEEN AT:

- * NOTICE BOARDS POSTED NEAR THE SITE;
- * LANDS DEPARTMENT SURVEY DIVISION, 5TH FLOOR, MURRAY BUILDING, GARDEN ROAD, HONG KONG; AND
- * SAI KUNG DISTRICT OFFICE, SAN PO KONG GOVERNMENT OFFICES BUILDING, 1ST FLOOR, 692 PRINCE EDWARD ROAD, SAN PO KONG, KOWLOON.

ANY OBJECTIONS TO THE PROPOSED WORK OR CLAIMS FOR COMPENSATION SHOULD REACH THE DIRECTOR OF LANDS WITHIN TWO MONTHS.

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FOOTBRIDGE FOR CONNAUGHT ROAD CENTRAL
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THE GOVERNMENT PLANS TO BUILD A COVERED FOOTBRIDGE ACROSS CONNAUGHT ROAD CENTRAL AT RUMSEY STREET.

THE FOOTBRIDGE IS TO BE COMPLETED IN EARLY 1986, TO COPE WITH INCREASED PEDESTRIAN TRAFFIC EXPECTED WHEN THE NEW MACAU FERRY TERMINAL OPENS IN 1985 AND THE MASS TRANSIT RAILWAY SHEUNG WAN STATION OPENS IN MID-1986.

IT WILL BE 50 METRES LONG AND WILL LINK IN WITH VARIOUS SYSTEMS RECOMMENDED IN THE RECENTLY-COMPLETED MID-LEVELS AND CENTRAL DISTRICT TRANSPORTATION STUDY.

A NOTICE CONCERNING THE FOOTBRIDGE IS PUBLISHED IN THE GOVERNMENT GAZETTE UNDER THE ROADS (WORKS, USE AND COMPENSATION) ORDINANCE TODAY (FRIDAY).

A PLAN CAN BE SEEN AT:

- * CENTRAL AND WESTERN DISTRICT OFFICE, CENTRAL ENQUIRY SUB-OFFICE, CENTRAL GOVERNMENT OFFICES, WEST WING, MAIN ENTRANCE LOBBY, HONG KONG;
- * DISTRICT LANDS OFFICE, HONG KONG NORTH, 12TH FLOOR, HARBOUR CENTRE, HARBOUR ROAD, HONG KONG; AND
- * CENTRAL AND WESTERN DISTRICT OFFICE, 222-224, DES VOEUX ROAD CENTRAL, GROUND FLOOR, HONG KONG.

ANY OBJECTIONS TO THE PROPOSAL SHOULD BE MADE IN WRITING TO THE SECRETARY FOR LANDS AND WORKS BEFORE JULY 17.

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MUSIC CAMP ORGANISED FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

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APPLICATIONS ARE NOW OPEN TO YOUNG PEOPLE UNDER 24 WHO WISH TO JOIN THE 1984 HONG KONG YOUTH MUSIC CAMP.

THE MUSIC CAMP IS ORGANISED BY THE MUSIC OFFICE OF THE RECREATION AND CULTURE DEPARTMENT AND WILL BE HELD THIS YEAR AT THE PO LEUNG KUK PAK TAM CHUNG HOLIDAY CAMP, SAI KUNG FROM JULY 21 TO AUGUST 5.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE MUSIC OFFICE SAID THE ANNUAL CAMP IS AIMED AT DEVELOPING AND ENHANCING THE MUSICAL CAPABILITIES OF YOUNG PEOPLE AND AT FOSTERING INTERNATIONAL CULTURAL EXCHANGE THROUGH INTENSIVE MUSIC TRAINING IN A SUMMER CAMP ATMOSPHERE.

NOTED MUSICIANS WILL BE INVITED TO CONDUCT MASTER CLASSES, WORKSHOPS AND SEMINARS, AND THERE WILL BE DEMONSTRATION CONCERTS, FILM SHOWS AND MUSIC APPRECIATION SESSIONS, HE SAID.

A FINALE CONCERT WILL THEN BE JOINTLY PRESENTED WITH THE URBAN COUNCIL AT THE CITY HALL CONCERT HALL, MARKING THE CLOSE OF THE MUSIC CAMP.

THE CAMP WILL NOT BE ALL WORK, AS A WIDE RANGE OF RECREATIONAL AND SPORTS ACTIVITIES WILL ALSO BE HELD, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

APPLICANTS SHOULD BE ABLE TO PLAY AT LEAST ONE CHINESE OR WESTERN ORCHESTRAL MUSICAL INSTRUMENT.

QUALIFIED APPLICANTS MAY BE INVITED TO ATTEND AN AUDITION TO BE HELD AT A LATER DATE.

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THE CAMP FEE WILL BE \$300.

APPLICATION FORMS MAY BE OBTAINED FROM ALL MUSIC CENTRES AND RECREATION AND SPORTS SERVICE SUB-OFFICES OF THE RECREATION AND CULTURE DEPARTMENT AS WELL AS ALL DISTRICT OFFICES OF THE CITY AND NEW TERRITORIES ADMINISTRATION.

COMPLETED APPLICATION FORMS SHOULD BE RETURNED TO THE MUSIC OFFICE HEADQUARTERS AT 11TH FLOOR, HARBOUR CENTRE, 25 HARBOUR ROAD, WAN CHAI, HONG KONG ON OR BEFORE MAY 31, 1984.

ENQUIRIES SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO TEL: 5-741622 OR 3-7149225.

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AIR TRIPS FOR WRITING CONTEST WINNERS
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EIGHT WINNERS OF THE SCIENCE FICTION WRITING COMPETITION HELD AMONG SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDENTS, WILL RECEIVE THEIR PRIZES ON MONDAY (MAY 21).

THE COMPETITION WAS JOINTLY ORGANISED BY THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT AND THE HONG KONG ASSOCIATION FOR SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS EDUCATION, AND SPONSORED BY THE SHELL COMPANY OF HONG KONG LIMITED.

THE AIM WAS TO PROMOTE CREATIVE WRITING IN RELATION TO SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, AND THE IDEA THAT SCIENCE IS AN INTRINSIC PART OF CULTURE.

SIXTY CHILDREN BETWEEN 15 AND 20 YEARS OF AGE, FROM 32 SECONDARY SCHOOLS, TOOK PART IN THE COMPETITION. THE FIRST THREE PRIZES ARE TRIPS TO SINGAPORE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SINGAPORE YOUTH SCIENCE FORTNIGHT 1984, AND BOOK COUPONS.

THERE ARE, IN ADDITION, FIVE CONSOLATION PRIZES OF \$200 BOOK COUPONS.

MR JOHN WINFIELD, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION WILL OFFICIATE AT THE CEREMONY.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE INVITED TO COVER THE SCIENCE FICTION WRITING COMPETITION PRIZE-PRESENTATION AT 5.30 PM ON MONDAY (MAY 21) IN THE SHELL CLUB, 10TH FLOOR, SHELL HOUSE, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONG KONG.

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FOUR AIRPORT SHOP SPACES FOR RENT
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FOUR SHOP SPACES ARE BEING OFFERED FOR RENT IN THE WEST DEPARTURES HALL OF THE PASSENGER TERMINAL, HONG KONG INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT.

THE SHOPS ARE FOR THE SALE OF NEWSPAPERS AND PUBLICATIONS= PHARMACEUTICALS, TOILETRIES AND PERFUMES= TOYS= AND CLOCKS AND WATCHES.

THE TENANCIES WILL BE FOR THREE YEARS FROM JUNE.

TENDER FORMS AND FURTHER PARTICULARS MAY BE OBTAINED FROM THE TREASURY ACCOUNTANT OF THE CIVIL AVIATION DEPARTMENT, 10TH FLOOR, UNITED CENTRE, 95 QUEENSWAY, HONG KONG OR FROM THE AIRPORT COMMERCIAL MANAGER AT HONG KONG AIRPORT.

COMPLETED TENDER FORMS MUST BE PLACED IN THE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT TENDER BOX ON THE LOWER GROUND FLOOR OF CENTRAL GOVERNMENT OFFICES (EAST WING), LOWER ALBERT ROAD, HONG KONG BEFORE 12 NOON ON FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 1984.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

COMMENDATION FOR AMBULANCEMAN
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THE CHIEF AMBULANCE OFFICER OF FIRE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, MR H. KENYON, WILL PRESENT HIS COMMENDATION TO AN AMBULANCEMAN FOR HIS PROFESSIONAL ATTITUDE AND ACTION IN ASSISTING THE VICTIM OF A ROBBERY AND ATTEMPTED MURDER CASE DURING WHICH SHE SUSTAINED SERIOUS CHOPPED WOUNDS.

THE AMBULANCEMAN WAS OFF-DUTY AT THE TIME.

YOU ARE INVITED TO COVER THE PRESENTATION CEREMONY WHICH WILL TAKE PLACE AT 10.30 AM ON MONDAY (MAY 21) AT CHEUNG SHA WAN AMBULANCE DEPOT AT 7 FAT CHEUNG STREET, KOWLOON.

FIRE SERVICES INFORMATION OFFICERS WILL BE ON HAND TO ASSIST.

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SWD FIELD UNIT MOVES OFFICE

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THE SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT'S NGAU TAU KOK SOCIAL SECURITY FIELD UNIT WILL OPERATE FROM A NEW OFFICE TOMORROW (SATURDAY).

IT WILL BE LOCATED ON THE GROUND FLOOR, UNIT G1-3, KAI CHEUNG HOUSE, KAI YIP ESTATE, KOWLOON. THE TELEPHONE NUMBER WILL BE THE SAME: 3-7502659.

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CAUSEWAY BAY MAINS TESTS

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FRESH WATER SUPPLY TO CERTAIN PREMISES AT CAUSEWAY BAY WILL BE SUSPENDED FROM 11 PM ON MONDAY (MAY 21) TO 6 AM THE FOLLOWING DAY FOR LEAKAGE TESTS.

THE PREMISES AFFECTED ARE BOUNDED BY PERCIVAL STREET, LEIGHTON ROAD, LEE GARDEN ROAD, KAI CHIU ROAD AND HENNESSY ROAD, INCLUDING 482 HENNESSY ROAD AND 1 - 3 JARDINE'S CRESCENT.

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