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HK MUST FACE AND MEET THE CHALLENGE OF AIDS: GOVERNOR

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THE GOVERNMENT TOGETHER WITH THE NEWLY ESTABLISHED HONG KONG AIDS FOUNDATION MUST AND WILL FACE AND MEET THE CHALLENGE OF AIDS, THE GOVERNOR, SIR DAVID WILSON, SAID TODAY (SATURDAY).

SPEAKING AT THE INAUGURATION CEREMONY OF THE HONG KONG AIDS FOUNDATION, THE GOVERNOR WHO IS THE PATRON SAID THE FOUNDATION HAD A VITAL ROLE TO PLAY IN IMPLEMENTING GOVERNMENT'S STRATEGY TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF AIDS.

"THE AIM IS, QUITE SIMPLY, TO LIMIT TO THE MINIMUM THE SPREAD OF AIDS IN HONG KONG - AND TO DO THIS BY EDUCATION FOR THE GENERAL PUBLIC AND COUNSELLING FOR HIGH RISK GROUPS.

"IN THIS WAY THE FOUNDATION WILL COMPLEMENT THE GOVERNMENT'S AIDS PREVENTION PROGRAMME," HE SAID.

NOTING THAT SO FAR IN HONG KONG THERE HAD BEEN 58 CONFIRMED CASES OF AIDS, THE GOVERNOR SAID: "WE HAVE NO REASON TO BE COMPLACENT.

"BUT IT IS RIGHT TO RECOGNISE THAT THIS RELATIVELY LOW RATE PARTLY REFLECTS THE FACT THAT OUR STRATEGY OF SURVEILLANCE, SCREENING, COUNSELLING AND PUBLIC EDUCATION WAS IN PLACE EARLY," HE SAID.

THE GOVERNOR POINTED OUT THAT MEDICAL SCIENCE HAD DEVELOPED CURES FOR MOST DISEASES, BUT AIDS REMINDED US THAT WE CERTAINLY DID NOT HAVE ALL THE ANSWERS.

"THE HARROWING REALITY IS THAT WE HAVE YET TO FIND AN EFFECTIVE CURE FOR AIDS.

"IN THIS CASE, IT IS NOT A MATTER OF PREFERRING PREVENTION TO CURE: IT IS QUITE SIMPLY THAT PREVENTION AND CONTROL ARE THE ONLY EFFECTIVE STRATEGIES AVAILABLE TO US," HE SAID.

SIR DAVID SAID HE HAD NO DOUBT THAT THE MASSIVE WORLDWIDE RESEARCH EFFORT CURRENTLY UNDERWAY WOULD IN TIME UNRAVEL THE MYSTERY OF AIDS AND PROVIDE MANKIND WITH A CURE.

"BUT NOBODY KNOWS HOW LONG THAT WILL TAKE. IN THE MEANTIME WE MUST - AS THE MOTTO OF THE HONG KONG AIDS FOUNDATION DECLARES - SHARE THE CHALLENGE," HE SAID.

THE GOVERNOR NOTED THAT THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANISATION HAD ESTIMATED THAT EIGHT TO 10 MILLION PEOPLE HAD THE HIV VIRUS AND AT LEAST HALF OF THESE PEOPLE WERE EXPECTED TO DEVELOP CLINICAL AIDS IN THE NEXT DECADE.

"ASIA HAS SO FAR BEEN SPARED THE EXTENT OF THE EPIDEMIC WHICH HAS STRUCK NORTH AMERICA, EUROPE AND AFRICA.

"TWENTY-SEVEN COUNTRIES IN ASIA HAVE REPORTED A TOTAL OF ABOUT 1,000 CASES OF AIDS. BUT THIS IS LIKELY TO BE A SERIOUS UNDERESTIMATE. WE MUST EXPECT THAT IN ASIA TOO THE EPIDEMIC WILL GATHER MOMENTUM," HE SAID.

EARLIER, THE CHAIRMAN OF THE FOUNDATION, MRS PEGGY LAM, IN HER WELCOMING SPEECH SAID THE FOUNDATION HAD TASKED ITSELF WITH THE MISSION TO AROUSE PUBLIC AWARENESS OF THE AIDS PROBLEM, TO FOSTER A CARING AND SUPPORTIVE ATTITUDE TOWARDS PEOPLE SUFFERING FROM AIDS, AND TO ENSURE THAT PEOPLE ADOPT SUITABLE MEASURES TO AVOID THE SPREAD OF THE DISEASE.

"THERE ARE STILL MANY WHO HOLD THE BELIEF THAT AIDS IS ONLY A PROBLEM OF THE MINORITY AND THOSE WHO AVERT THE NAME OF AIDS AS A STIGMA," SHE SAID.

"THE MAJORITY OF OUR COMMUNITY EITHER ARE UNCONCERNED WITH OR REJECT THOSE SUFFERING FROM THE DISEASE."

MRS LAM SAID ALTHOUGH THE GOVERNMENT HAD GRANTED \$15 MILLION TO THE FOUNDATION AS SEEDING FUND, IT WAS NOT ENOUGH TO MEET THE OPERATING EXPENSES, PARTICULARLY AT A TIME WHEN INTEREST RATES WERE SO LOW.

WHILE SHE WAS PLEASED WITH A GENEROUS DONATION OF \$250,000 FROM WEI LUN FOUNDATION JUST TWO DAYS BEFORE THE AIDS FOUNDATION'S INAUGURATION, SHE FELT THE RESPONSE TO A RECENT APPEAL FOR DONATIONS HAD NOT BEEN AS GREAT AS SHE WOULD HAVE LIKED TO SEE.

MRS LAM ADDED: "THE INAUGURATION OF THE FOUNDATION ON THE EVE OF THE WORLD AIDS DAY DOES HAVE AN ADDITIONAL MEANING : IT SHOWS THAT THE HONG KONG COMMUNITY IS PREPARED TO SHARE THE CHALLENGE WITH OTHER COUNTRIES IN THE FIGHT AGAINST AIDS".

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#### ST JAMES' SETTLEMENT PRAISED FOR ITS COMMUNITY SERVICE

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LADY WILSON TODAY (SATURDAY) PAID TRIBUTE TO ST JAMES' SETTLEMENT FOR ITS SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTION TO THE WELFARE OF THE ELDERLY AND THE YOUNG OVER THE YEARS.

"SERVICES TO THE ELDERLY DESERVE A PARTICULAR MENTION BECAUSE THE ELDERLY POPULATION IN HONG KONG IS GROWING RAPIDLY AND WE NEED TO IMPROVE AND EXPAND OUR SERVICES FOR THEM," SAID LADY WILSON WHEN OFFICIATING AT THE OPENING CEREMONY OF THE RENOVATED HEADQUARTERS OF ST JAMES' SETTLEMENT.

"I AM SURE THAT ST JAMES' SETTLEMENT WILL CONTINUE TO TRY TO MEET THIS WORTHWHILE CHALLENGE," SHE SAID.

LADY WILSON SAID THE RENOVATION OF THE ORGANISATION'S HEADQUARTERS MARKED A NEW MILESTONE IN ITS SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY.

"FROM A RATHER HUMBLE BEGINNING IN WAN CHAI 41 YEARS AGO, ST JAMES' SETTLEMENT HAS DEVELOPED INTO A MULTI-SERVICE WELFARE ORGANISATION PROVIDING SERVICES TO CHILDREN, YOUNG PEOPLE, FAMILIES AND OLDER PEOPLE," SHE SAID.

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"IT IS NOW WIDELY SUPPORTED AND RESPECTED BY THE COMMUNITY. ITS ACHIEVEMENTS ARE THE RESULTS OF THE VISION, HARD WORK AND ENORMOUS DEDICATION OF THE SUCCESSIVE BOARDS OF DIRECTORS, AND PAST AND EXISTING STAFF OF THE ORGANISATION.

"THEIR COMMITMENT IMPRESSES ALL THOSE WHO VISIT ST JAMES'," LADY WILSON SAID.

SHE THANKED ALL BOARD MEMBERS AND STAFF FOR THEIR VALUABLE CONTRIBUTION TO HONG KONG, ADDING THAT SHE FELT PRIVILEGED TO BE ABLE TO SAY THAT SHE HAD ONCE WORKED THERE.

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FIRST ANNUAL REPORT OF TOWN PLANNING BOARD PUBLISHED

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THE FIRST-EVER ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN PLANNING BOARD HAS BEEN PUBLISHED.

THE ANNUAL REPORT TAKES AN ACTIVE AND SYSTEMATIC APPROACH IN INFORMING THE PUBLIC ON THE BOARD'S WORK FOR THE YEAR OF 1990 AND INFORMATION ON STATUTORY PLANNING AND APPLICATION PROCEDURES.

APART FROM A DESCRIPTION AND STATISTICS OF THE WORK DONE LAST YEAR, THE STATUTORY PLANNING PROCESS IN TERMS OF PLAN MAKING AND IMPLEMENTATION AND THE PLANNING PERMISSION SYSTEM ARE ALSO OUTLINED IN THE REPORT.

IN THE FOREWORD IN THE REPORT, THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD, THE SECRETARY FOR PLANNING, ENVIRONMENT AND LANDS, MR GRAHAM BARNES, SAID FOLLOWING THE AMENDMENT TO THE TOWN PLANNING ORDINANCE THIS YEAR TO PROVIDE INTERIM DEVELOPMENT CONTROL THROUGH THE DESIGNATION OF DEVELOPMENT PERMISSION AREAS AS WELL AS FOR ITS ENFORCEMENT, THE WORK OF THE BOARD WOULD EXPAND CONSIDERABLY AND ITS ROLE IN PLANNING FOR THE DEVELOPMENT IN THE TERRITORY WOULD BECOME MORE APPARENT.

THE REPORT IS DIVIDED INTO THREE PARTS. THE FIRST ONE COVERS THE ESTABLISHMENT AND PROCEDURES OF THE BOARD AND THE SECOND PART GIVES AN ACCOUNT OF THE WORK OF THE BOARD LAST YEAR.

THE REMAINING PART OF THE PUBLICATION CENTRED ON SELECTED CASE REPORTS ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS AND OBJECTIONS TO PLANS PREPARED BY THE BOARD.

THERE ARE SELECTED CASE REPORTS ON 12 PLANNING APPLICATIONS AND FOUR OBJECTIONS TO PLANS PREPARED BY THE BOARD.

THE ANNUAL REPORT WITH TEXT IN BOTH ENGLISH AND CHINESE IS AVAILABLE FOR SALE AT \$60 PER COPY AT THE GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS CENTRE, GROUND FLOOR, GENERAL POST OFFICE BUILDING, CONNAUGHT PLACE, CENTRAL.

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## CLOSED CIRCUIT TV SYSTEM FOR AREA TRAFFIC CONTROL

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THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT IS INVITING APPROVED CONTRACTORS TO SUBMIT TENDERS FOR THE INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE CLOSED CIRCUIT TELEVISION SYSTEM FOR THE HONG KONG AREA TRAFFIC CONTROL.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE DEPARTMENT TODAY (SATURDAY) SAID THE TELEVISION SYSTEM WILL FACILITATE AREA TRAFFIC CONTROL BY PROVIDING VISUAL SURVEILLANCE OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS.

PROMPT RESPONSE TO CONGESTION SITUATIONS COULD BE MADE, THUS IMPROVING TRAFFIC FLOW AND OPTIMISING UTILISATION OF LIMITED ROAD CAPACITY, THE SPOKESMAN ADDED.

TENDER DOCUMENTS ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE TRAFFIC CONTROL AND SURVEILLANCE DIVISION OF THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT ON THE FIFTH FLOOR, HARBOUR BUILDING, 38 PIER ROAD, CENTRAL.

COMPLETED DOCUMENTS MUST BE PLACED IN THE TENDER BOX LOCATED IN THE LIFT LOBBY ON THE LOWER GROUND FLOOR OF THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT OFFICES, EAST WING AT LOWER ALBERT ROAD, CENTRAL ON OR BEFORE NOON ON FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13.

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## VOLUNTARY AGENCIES' ROLE IN HEALTH SERVICES STRESSED

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VOLUNTARY AGENCIES HAVE AN IMPORTANT ROLE TO PLAY IN THE PROVISION OF HEALTH CARE IN HONG KONG, THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH, DR S.H. LEE, SAID TODAY (SATURDAY) AT THE 30TH ANNIVERSARY DINNER OF PROJECT CONCERN HONG KONG.

"THEIR ROLE IN COMPLEMENTING AND SUPPLEMENTING GOVERNMENT'S FACILITIES IS PARTICULARLY VALUABLE," HE SAID.

DR LEE PRAISED PROJECT CONCERN HONG KONG FOR ITS PROVISION OF LOW-COST MEDICAL AND DENTAL SERVICES TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC IN THE PAST 30 YEARS.

HE WAS PARTICULARLY PLEASED TO LEARN OF PROJECT CONCERN'S INTENTION TO EXTEND ITS DENTAL SERVICES TO SPECIAL NEEDY GROUPS SUCH AS THE ELDERLY, CHILDREN AND THE MENTALLY RETARDED.

THE DIRECTOR OUTLINED THE EMPHASIS ON AND DEVELOPMENT OF HEALTH CARE IN THE PAST THREE DECADES DURING WHICH THE DEVELOPMENT OF HEALTH CARE HAS SHIFTED FROM THE PRE-OCCUPATION WITH PUBLIC HEALTH TO THE PROVISION OF HOSPITAL FACILITIES FOR THE TREATMENT OF THE SICK AND INJURED.

"THE OVERALL MEDICAL CARE HAS BECOME HIGHLY HOSPITAL-ORIENTED AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF PRIMARY HEALTH CARE (PHC) SERVICES HAS LAGGED BEHIND HOSPITAL SERVICES," DR LEE SAID.

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HOWEVER, HE POINTED OUT THAT HONG KONG WAS ENTERING A NEW ERA OF MEDICAL AND HEALTH REFORMS FOLLOWING THE TAKING OVER OF THE MANAGEMENT OF ALL PUBLIC HOSPITALS BY THE HOSPITAL AUTHORITY IN DECEMBER AND THE RECENT ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ON ITS STRATEGY TO DEVELOP PHC.

"THESE CHANGES WILL REDRESS THE IMBALANCE BETWEEN HOSPITAL AND PHC AND ENSURE GOOD INTERFACE BETWEEN THEM," DR LEE SAID.

EARLIER IN THE DAY, AT THE OPENING CEREMONY OF THE BRADBURY SPECIALIST CLINIC IN TSEUNG KWAN O, THE DIRECTOR SAID PHC WAS PARTICIPATORY CARE WHICH NEEDED SHARED COMMITMENTS AMONG THE GOVERNMENT, INDIVIDUALS AND THE COMMUNITY AT LARGE.

TO THIS END, HE NOTED THAT SUPPORT, CO-OPERATION AND ACTIVE PARTICIPATION OF ALL SECTORS CONCERNED WERE ESSENTIAL FOR THE SUCCESS OF HONG KONG'S HEALTH SERVICES.

"COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION IN PHC REQUIRES A GOOD COMMUNICATION CHANNEL AMONG THE PARTIES CONCERNED SUCH AS HEALTH TEAMS, COMMUNITY GROUPS, HOSPITALS AND CLINICS," DR LEE SAID.

"IT IS THROUGH SUCH COMMUNICATION CHANNELS THAT THE LOCAL HEALTH PROBLEMS AND NEEDS CAN BE IDENTIFIED AND THE GOVERNMENT BE ASSISTED TO SET THE RIGHT TARGETS AND PRIORITIES TO IMPROVE HEALTH AT THE LOCAL COMMUNITY LEVEL," HE ADDED.

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RS CALLS FOR SUPPORT IN COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

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THE REGIONAL SECRETARY FOR HONG KONG AND KOWLOON, MR PAUL WONG KAM-CHIU, THIS (SATURDAY) EVENING URGED SHAM SHUI PO RESIDENTS TO ACTIVELY SUPPORT COMMUNITY AFFAIRS.

MR WONG MADE THE APPEAL AT THE OPENING CEREMONY OF THE SHAM SHUI PO DISTRICT FESTIVAL '91 AT THE HONG KONG COLISEUM.

HE NOTED THAT THE THREE-TIER ELECTIONS HELD EARLIER THIS YEAR HERALDED A MORE OPEN POLITICAL SYSTEM IN THE TERRITORY AND HAD PROVIDED MORE OPPORTUNITIES FOR RESIDENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN COMMUNITY AFFAIRS.

"RESIDENTS CAN PARTICIPATE IN COMMUNITY AFFAIRS AT DIFFERENT LEVELS AND IN DIFFERENT WAYS," HE SAID.

MR WONG ENCOURAGED RESIDENTS TO TAKE PART IN THE DISTRICT FESTIVAL WHICH AIMED AT FOSTERING A BETTER SENSE OF BELONGING AMONG LOCAL RESIDENTS AS WELL AS ENHANCING PARTICIPATION IN COMMUNITY AFFAIRS.

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"THESE FESTIVAL ACTIVITIES WILL ALSO ENABLE RESIDENTS TO KNOW MORE ABOUT THEIR DISTRICT.

"WITH THE CONCERTED EFFORTS OF RESIDENTS AND LOCAL ORGANISATIONS, WE CAN BUILD A BETTER COMMUNITY AND STRIVE FOR THE PROSPERITY OF HONG KONG," MR WONG SAID.

ALSO SPEAKING AT THE CEREMONY, THE CHAIRMAN OF THE FESTIVAL CO-ORDINATING COMMITTEE, MR CHAN MOW-FAT, SAID THE \$1.5 MILLION DISTRICT FESTIVAL WOULD LAST UNTIL DECEMBER 22.

"IT IS ANTICIPATED THAT SOME 50,000 RESIDENTS WILL PARTICIPATE IN THE FESTIVAL'S 48 CULTURAL, RECREATIONAL AND SPORTS ACTIVITIES," HE ADDED.

MORE THAN 8,000 RESIDENTS ATTENDED A VARIETY SHOW WHICH FOLLOWED THE OPENING CEREMONY TONIGHT.

THE TWO AND A HALF-HOUR SHOW FEATURED A CONCERT BY A POPULAR BAND AND SINGERS, PERFORMANCES BY THE CHILDREN'S CHOIR OF THE SHAM SHUI PO DISTRICT ARTS AND RECREATION ASSOCIATION, AND A DRAMA BY DISC JOCKEYS.

OTHER OFFICIATING GUESTS AT THE CEREMONY WERE THE SHAM SHUI PO DISTRICT BOARD CHAIRMAN, MR CHOY WAI-SHEK; DISTRICT OFFICER, MR ALAN FUNG; AND LEGISLATIVE COUNCILLORS MR TO KUN-SUN AND MR FUNG KIN-KEE.

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#### ARTS FESTIVAL IN YUEN LONG

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THE 11TH YUEN LONG ARTS FESTIVAL WAS OPENED THIS (SATURDAY) EVENING WITH A SPECTACULAR VARIETY SHOW AT THE LUT SAU HALL.

SPEAKING AT THE OPENING CEREMONY, THE REGIONAL SECRETARY FOR THE NEW TERRITORIES, MR ALBERT LAM, SAID THE ANNUAL FESTIVAL WAS A MAJOR ARTISTIC EVENT IN THE DISTRICT.

"THE EIGHT-DAY FESTIVAL WILL PRESENT A VARIETY OF ITEMS TO SATISFY THE DIFFERENT INTERESTS OF SPECTATORS OF DIFFERENT AGE GROUPS AND SOCIAL BACKGROUNDS," HE SAID.

FOURTEEN EVENTS INCLUDING CONCERTS, DRAMAS, CANTONESE OPERAS, DANCES, VARIETY SHOWS, FILMS AND EXHIBITIONS WILL BE HELD.

OF THESE, A NUMBER OF ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING A POTTERY DEMONSTRATION, AN EXHIBITION OF CHILDREN'S PAINTINGS FROM AROUND THE WORLD, AND A VARIETY SHOW PRESENTED BY THE FRINGE CLUB, WILL BE OFFERED FREE.

JOINTLY ORGANISED BY THE DISTRICT BOARD, THE YUEN LONG DISTRICT ARTS COMMITTEE AND THE YUEN LONG TOWN HALL, THE FESTIVAL IS SPONSORED BY THE REGIONAL COUNCIL AND VARIOUS COMMERCIAL ORGANISATIONS.

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CO-OPERATIVE EFFORT IN BUILDING MANAGEMENT URGED

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THE EASTERN DISTRICT OFFICER, MR STEVE BARCLAY, TODAY (SATURDAY) CALLED ON FLAT OWNERS AND RESIDENTS TO PLAY THEIR PART IN THE MANAGEMENT OF THEIR BUILDINGS.

ADDRESSING A DISTRICT SEMINAR HELD AT THE CAUSEWAY BAY COMMUNITY CENTRE, MR BARCLAY SAID BY SHARING THEIR MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITIES, OWNERS COULD GET A BETTER RETURN ON THEIR INVESTMENT WHILE RESIDENTS COULD ENJOY A MORE PLEASANT AND COMFORTABLE ACCOMMODATION.

"TO HELP ACHIEVE THIS, THE GOVERNMENT WILL ASSIST IN PROVIDING A BETTER LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE FRAMEWORK.

"FURTHERMORE, THE DISTRICT BUILDING MANAGEMENT CO-ORDINATION TEAMS WILL OFFER PROFESSIONAL ADVICE TO OWNERS ON BUILDING MANAGEMENT," HE SAID.

THE PROPERTY MANAGER OF KUMAGAI (HONG KONG) LTD, MR JOHNNIE CHAN, GAVE EXPERT ADVICE AT THE SEMINAR ON HOW TO SELECT AND MONITOR MANAGEMENT COMPANIES.

AMONG THE POINTS WHICH MR CHAN SAID SHOULD BE BORNE IN MIND WHEN SELECTING SUCH COMPANIES INCLUDED: THEIR BACKGROUND AND ORGANISATION, NUMBER OF PROFESSIONAL AND SUPPORTING STAFF, PAST RECORDS, MANAGER FEES AND CONTRACT TERMS.

ON THE MONITORING OF THESE COMPANIES, MR CHAN SHARED MR BARCLAY'S VIEW THAT FLAT OWNERS AND RESIDENTS SHOULD CO-OPERATE BY FORMING RELATED COMMITTEES.

REGULAR MEETINGS WITH THE COMPANIES WERE CRUCIAL IN MAINTAINING CONTACTS AND ENHANCING UNDERSTANDING OF EACH OTHER'S OBLIGATIONS AND RESPONSIBILITIES, HE SAID.

THE PROPERTY MANAGER ALSO ADVISED THE PARTICIPANTS ON FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT, BUILDING MAINTENANCE AND SECURITY MEASURES.

A ENGINEER OF THE ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT, MR CHAN TAK-KA, AND FOREX INSURANCE COMPANY'S MANAGER, MR DENIS CHAN, ALSO SPOKE ON THE REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE OF LIFTS AND BUILDING INSURANCE RESPECTIVELY.

THE TALKS WERE FOLLOWED BY DISCUSSIONS AMONG MORE THAN 100 RESIDENTS, BUILDING CARETAKERS AS WELL AS MEMBERS OF OWNERS CORPORATIONS AND MUTUAL AID COMMITTEES IN THE DISTRICT.

OTHER OFFICIATING GUESTS AT THE OPENING CEREMONY OF THE SEMINAR INCLUDED THE CHAIRMAN OF THE EASTERN DISTRICT FEDERATION OF MULTI-STORY BUILDING ORGANISATIONS (EDFMBO), MRS JENNY CHOW, AND THE DISTRICT BOARD CHAIRMAN, MR SHUM CHOI-SANG.

THE SEMINAR WAS JOINTLY ORGANISED BY THE DISTRICT OFFICE AND EDFMBO WITH SPONSORSHIP FROM THE DISTRICT BOARD.

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HONG KONG GOVERNMENT EXCHANGE FUND  
MONEY MARKET OPERATIONS

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	DATE -----	\$ MILLION -----
CLOSING BALANCE IN THE ACCOUNT ON	29.11.91	950
EFFECT OF FORWARDS TO BE SETTLED ON	30.11.91	NEUTRAL
EFFECT OF OPERATIONS THIS MORNING		NEUTRAL

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