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NEW RADIO SERIES ON RESPONSIBLE PARENTHOOD STARTS ON FRIDAY

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A 10-PART WEEKLY PROGRAMME ON RESPONSIBLE PARENTHOOD WILL BE BROADCAST ON COMMERCIAL RADIO FROM FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6, AND PARENTS MAY SEEK ADVICE ON CHILD REARING FROM SOCIAL WORKERS HOSTING THE PROGRAMME, THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE ON FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION PUBLICITY CAMPAIGN, MRS PATRICIA CHU, SAID TODAY (TUESDAY).

"THIS IS THE SECOND RADIO SERIES ON FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION LAUNCHED BY THE COMMITTEE WITHIN ONE MONTH," MRS CHU SAID.

THE PROGRAMME WILL BE BROADCAST ON COMMERCIAL RADIO 1 FROM 11.20 AM TO 11.30 AM EVERY FRIDAY UNTIL DECEMBER 8.

IT WILL DRAMATISE THE PROBLEMS IN CHILD REARING AND LISTENERS CAN PHONE IN TO SUGGEST SOLUTIONS. FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION WORKERS WILL BE PRESENT TO ANSWER RELATED QUESTIONS.

"ALTHOUGH THE PROGRAMME AIMS MAINLY TO EXPLORE THE PROBLEMS ARISING FROM CHILD REARING, OTHER FAMILY PROBLEMS WILL ALSO BE COVERED," MRS CHU ADDED.

THE OTHER RADIO PROGRAMME, A 17-PART SERIES, STARTED ON RADIO TELEVISION HONG KONG RADIO 1 LAST MONTH AND THE RESPONSE HAS BEEN VERY ENCOURAGING.

OTHER ACTIVITIES OF THE "RESPONSIBLE PARENTHOOD" CAMPAIGN INCLUDE A TWO-DAY FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION EXHIBITION AND A CARNIVAL.

THE EXHIBITION, JOINTLY ORGANISED WITH THE INFORMATION SERVICES DEPARTMENT, IS SCHEDULED TO BE HELD ON OCTOBER 28 AND 29 IN SHUN TAK CENTRE, SHEUNG WAN. EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE COUNCILLOR MRS ROSANNA TAM WILL OFFICIATE AT THE OPENING CEREMONY.

THE CARNIVAL AND VARIETY SHOW WILL BE HELD IN VICTORIA PARK ON DECEMBER 9, AND THE CHIEF SECRETARY, SIR DAVID FORD, WILL OFFICIATE AT THE OPENING CEREMONY.

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TEACHER WINS SPORTS AID FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

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A 26-YEAR-OLD PHYSICAL EDUCATION TEACHER, MISS YEUNG HAU-LAI, WON THE SECOND SPORTS AID FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP UNDER THE SPORTS AID FOUNDATION WHICH WAS ESTABLISHED BY THE COUNCIL FOR RECREATION AND SPORT IN FEBRUARY 1987.

THE SCHOLARSHIP AIMS AT ENABLING OUTSTANDING ATHLETES WITH THE NECESSARY ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS TO UNDERTAKE A COURSE OF STUDY IN SPORTS RELATED SUBJECTS NOT AVAILABLE IN HONG KONG BUT IN A TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE OVERSEAS.

/MISS YEUNG

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MISS YEUNG WAS GRADUATED FROM THE GRANTHAM COLLEGE OF EDUCATION. SHE WAS ONE OF THE TWO CANDIDATES INVITED FOR INTERVIEW IN MID-JUNE FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP AND WAS CONSIDERED TO BE "MATURE, CONFIDENT AND EXCELLING IN ACADEMIC ATTAINMENT AS WELL AS IN SPORT".

MISS YEUNG PLAYS HANDBALL AND IS CURRENTLY CAPTAIN OF THE HONG KONG LADIES' HANDBALL TEAM. BECAUSE OF HER OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE, SHE HAS BEEN NOMINATED AS A CANDIDATE FOR THE COCA-COLA HONG KONG SPORTS STARS AWARD THIS YEAR.

FOLLOWING THE FOOTSTEPS OF HER PREDECESSOR, MISS MALINA NGAI, MISS YEUNG WILL GO TO AUSTRALIA TO UNDERTAKE A DEGREE COURSE IN SPORTS ADMINISTRATION IN THE CANBERRA COLLEGE OF ADVANCED EDUCATION.

THE SCHOLARSHIP WILL COVER HER FULL TUITION FEE FOR THIS COURSE OF STUDY, PASSAGE AND ALLOWANCES FOR BOARD AND LODGING, LIVING EXPENSES AND REFERENCE BOOKS.

THE SCHOLARSHIP IS RENEWABLE ANNUALLY UP TO A MAXIMUM OF THREE YEARS.

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DB COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN VISITS NEW AIRPORT FLYOVER
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THE NEW WEST FLYOVER OF THE HONG KONG INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT PASSENGER TERMINAL BUILDING WAS OPENED TO TRAFFIC FROM 10 AM TODAY (TUESDAY).

SHORTLY BEFORE THE OPENING OF THE FLYOVER, THE DIRECTOR OF HIGHWAYS, MR HAROLD BEATON, GAVE AN ON SITE BRIEFING TO THE CHAIRMAN OF THE KOWLOON CITY DISTRICT BOARD'S TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORT COMMITTEE, MR CHAN CHI-KWAN.

HE EXPLAINED THE NEED FOR THE FLYOVER AND ALSO DESCRIBED THE PROGRESS OF CONSTRUCTION OF THE EAST FLYOVER WHICH WILL BE COMPLETED NEXT MONTH.

MR BEATON SAID: "THE AIRPORT PASSENGER TERMINAL BUILDING EAST AND WEST FLYOVERS FORM PART OF THE TERMINAL BUILDING MODIFICATIONS PROJECT ON THE CONSTRUCTION OF AN EXTENSION OF THE TERMINAL BUILDING, ROADS AND DRAINS TO SERVE THE EXPANSION OF THE AIRPORT.

"AT PRESENT, MOTORISTS TRAVELLING TO AND FROM THE AIRPORT HAVE TO GO THROUGH THE KOWLOON CITY ROUNDABOUT AND THE ROAD JUNCTION AT SUNG WONG TOI ROAD/MA TAU CHUNG ROAD.

"WITH THE OPENING OF TWO NEW FLYOVERS, EASTBOUND VEHICLES WILL BE ABLE TO AVOID THESE LOCATIONS BY USING THE FLYOVERS CONNECTING THE DEPARTURE PODIUM OF THE PASSENGER TERMINAL BUILDING AND PRINCE EDWARD ROAD EAST."

/MR BEATON

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MR BEATON ADDED THAT THE FLYOVERS WOULD THUS HELP RELIEVE CONGESTION AT THE KOWLOON CITY ROUNDABOUT AND THE JUNCTION AT SUNG WONG TOI ROAD/MA TAU CHUNG ROAD.

THE \$19 MILLION EAST AND WEST FLYOVERS ARE EACH 250-METRE-LONG WITH ONE-LANE TRAFFIC.

CONSTRUCTION BEGAN IN SEPTEMBER 1987.

THEY WERE DESIGNED BY THE HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT WHICH WAS ALSO RESPONSIBLE FOR SUPERVISING CONSTRUCTION.

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DB COMMITTEE TO DISCUSS TRAFFIC STUDY
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THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE OF THE MONG KOK DISTRICT BOARD WILL DISCUSS THE NORTHWEST KOWLOON TRAFFIC STUDY AT ITS MEETING TOMORROW (WEDNESDAY).

THE OBJECTIVE OF THE STUDY IS TO DEVELOP MEANS OF HELPING TO RESOLVE TRAFFIC AND PEDESTRIAN PROBLEMS IN THE DISTRICT.

MEMBERS WILL ALSO BE TOLD OF THE IMPLICATIONS OF THE STUDY ON URBAN COUNCIL FACILITIES IN MONG KOK DISTRICT, AND GIVE THEIR VIEWS ON A REPORT ON THE ANALYSIS OF ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENT STATISTICS FOR DISTRICT BOARD AREAS LAST YEAR.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

MEDIA REPRESENTATIVES ARE INVITED TO COVER THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE MEETING OF THE MONG KOK DISTRICT BOARD, WHICH WILL BEGIN AT 2.30 PM TOMORROW (WEDNESDAY) IN THE DISTRICT OFFICE CONFERENCE ROOM, FIRST FLOOR, 157 PRINCE EDWARD ROAD, KOWLOON.

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LAND FILLING PROBLEM ON DB COMMITTEE AGENDA
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THE YUEN LONG DISTRICT BOARD'S ENVIRONMENTAL IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE WILL DISCUSS THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEM CAUSED BY LAND FILLING USING PULVERISED FUEL ASH IN AREAS NEAR PING HA ROAD AT ITS MEETING ON THURSDAY (OCTOBER 5).

REPRESENTATIVES OF VARIOUS RELEVANT GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS HAVE CONDUCTED A JOINT SITE VISIT AND WILL REPORT THEIR FINDINGS TO THE COMMITTEE.

/ALSO, MEMBERS

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ALSO, MEMBERS WILL BE ASKED TO ENDORSE THE 1990-91 PROGRAMME ON IMPROVEMENT TO URBAN FRINGE AND RURAL AREAS IN YUEN LONG.

THE COMMITTEE WILL STUDY PROGRESS REPORTS ON THE LOCAL PUBLIC WORKS PROGRAMME AND THE MINOR ENVIRONMENTAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAMME, AND ONE FROM THE STREET MANAGEMENT WORKING GROUP.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE INVITED TO COVER THE MEETING OF THE YUEN LONG DISTRICT BOARD'S ENVIRONMENTAL IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE TO BE HELD ON THURSDAY (OCTOBER 5) IN THE DB CONFERENCE ROOM, 13TH FLOOR, YUEN LONG GOVERNMENT OFFICES, 2 KIU LOK SQUARE, YUEN LONG.

THE MEETING WILL BEGIN AT 2.30 PM.

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NORTHWEST KOWLOON TRAFFIC STUDY ON DB AGENDA

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THE SHAM SHUI PO DISTRICT BOARD WILL DISCUSS A PAPER ON THE NORTHWEST KOWLOON TRAFFIC STUDY PREPARED BY THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT AT THE BOARD'S MEETING ON THURSDAY (OCTOBER 5).

THE PAPER OUTLINES THE MAJOR RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE STUDY AND SEEKS MEMBERS' VIEWS ON THE TRAFFIC SCHEMES IT PROPOSED.

THE OBJECTIVE OF THE NORTHWEST KOWLOON TRAFFIC STUDY, WHICH STARTED IN JANUARY LAST YEAR, IS TO HELP RESOLVE TRAFFIC AND PEDESTRIAN PROBLEMS IN THE REGION IN THE PERIOD UP TO 1991.

OTHER ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION AT THE MEETING INCLUDE THE INCREASE IN MANAGEMENT FEES AT PO LAI COURT AND THE CONSULTATION IN CONNECTION WITH THE DEVELOPMENT OF CONTAINER TERMINAL NO. 8.

THE SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT WILL INFORM MEMBERS OF THE REPROVISIONING OF THE HOME OF LOVE OF THE MISSIONARIES OF CHARITY FROM ITS EXISTING PREMISES AT THE SHAM SHUI PO EX-ARMY CAMP TO NAM CHEONG ESTATE.

REPORTS FROM THE DISTRICT MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE AND COMMITTEES UNDER THE DISTRICT BOARD WILL BE TABLED.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

MEDIA REPRESENTATIVES ARE INVITED TO COVER THE SHAM SHUI PO DISTRICT BOARD MEETING TO BE HELD ON THURSDAY (OCTOBER 5) IN THE SHEK KIP MEI COMMUNITY HALL, BLOCK 42, SHEK KIP MEI ESTATE, NAM CHEONG STREET.

THE MEETING WILL BEGIN AT 2 PM.

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SCHOLARSHIPS OFFERED TO YOUNG MUSICIANS AND DANCERS

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EIGHT TALENTED YOUNG MUSICIANS AND DANCERS WHO RECEIVED SCHOLARSHIPS SPONSORED BY THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB MUSIC FUND HAVE RECENTLY FLOWN TO BRITAIN, AUSTRALIA AND THE UNITED STATES TO FURTHER THEIR TRAINING IN MUSIC AND DANCE.

THE EIGHT ARE CHENG WAI, YIP CHING, REGINA YUNG, CAROL YU, YIU SONG-LAM, KONG WAN-YI, HUI CHE-KEUNG, AND WONG KIM.

THEY WERE SELECTED FROM AMONG 23 CANDIDATES WHO HAD APPLIED FOR THE OVERSEAS SCHOLARSHIP OFFERED BY THE MUSIC FUND FOR 1989-90 AFTER AN AUDITION TEST AND INTERVIEW HELD EARLIER THIS YEAR.

THE PURPOSE OF THE SCHOLARSHIP IS TO ENABLE EXCEPTIONALLY TALENTED YOUNG PEOPLE TO RECEIVE TRAINING IN POST DIPLOMA STUDIES AT FOREIGN INSTITUTES.

CHENG WAI, YIP CHING, REGINA YUNG, CAROL YU AND YIU SONG-LAM ARE NOW PURSUING THEIR PIANO PERFORMANCE AND INTENSIVE MUSIC COURSES IN BRITAIN, THE UNITED STATES AND AUSTRALIA. KONG WAN-YI, HUI CHE-KEUNG AND WONG KIM ARE ATTENDING MODERN DANCE AND BALLET COURSES IN THE UNITED STATES.

ESTABLISHED IN 1980 WITH A DONATION OF \$10 MILLION FROM THE ROYAL HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB, THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB MUSIC FUND IS A NON-STATUTORY TRUST FUND FOUNDED FOR THE PROMOTION AND DEVELOPMENT OF MUSIC, DANCE AND RELATED ACTIVITIES IN THE TERRITORY BY WAY OF GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS.

THE FUND IS ADMINISTERED BY A BOARD OF TRUSTEES. THE SECRETARY FOR HOME AFFAIRS IS NOW THE CUSTODIAN TRUSTEE OF THE FUND WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE SAFEKEEPING OF THE FUND'S ASSETS AND THE APPOINTMENT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES IS THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE FUND AND ITS MAJOR RESPONSIBILITY IS TO DECIDE ON THE DISBURSEMENT OF GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS TO SCHOOLS, NON-PROFIT MAKING DANCE AND MUSIC ORGANISATIONS AS WELL AS TALENTED INDIVIDUALS.

SINCE 1980 THE MUSIC FUND HAS AWARDED 37 MUSIC SCHOLARSHIPS AND 10 DANCE SCHOLARSHIPS TO ENABLE 30 YOUNG MUSICIANS AND EIGHT YOUNG DANCERS TO FURTHER THEIR TRAINING OVERSEAS.

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INTER-SCHOOL CLEANING COMPETITION IN TAI PO
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STUDENTS IN TAI PO ARE INVITED TO JOIN AN INTER-SCHOOL CLEANING COMPETITION ORGANISED IN THE DISTRICT IN SUPPORT OF THE KEEP HONG KONG CLEAN CAMPAIGN.

IT IS AIMED AT AROUSING STUDENTS' AWARENESS OF THE IMPORTANCE OF KEEPING THE ENVIRONMENT CLEAN AND TIDY.

THE COMPETITION, ORGANISED BY THE WORKING GROUP ON TAI PO DISTRICT KEEP HONG KONG CLEAN CAMPAIGN AND SPONSORED BY THE DISTRICT BOARD, IS DIVIDED INTO KINDERGARTEN, PRIMARY SCHOOL AND SECONDARY SCHOOL SECTIONS.

EACH PARTICIPATING SCHOOL SHOULD FORM A TEAM OF STUDENTS TO CARRY OUT CLEANING ACTIVITIES IN THE DISTRICT. THE STUDENTS SHOULD ALSO PUT UP DISPLAYS IN THEIR SCHOOL TO REPORT THESE ACTIVITIES.

JUDGING WILL TAKE PLACE IN MID-NOVEMBER, BASING ON THE CLEANLINESS OF THE SCHOOL AND THE STUDENTS, AND THE DESIGN OF THE DISPLAYS.

TROPHIES WILL BE AWARDED TO THE WINNING SCHOOLS.

APPLICATION FORMS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE TAI PO DISTRICT OFFICE AND ITS SUB-OFFICES. THE DEADLINE FOR ENTRY IS OCTOBER 16.

TELEPHONE ENQUIRIES CAN BE MADE ON 0-6577111 EXT 244.

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TENDERS INVITED FOR WATER SUPPLY IMPROVEMENT WORK
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THE WATER SUPPLIES DEPARTMENT IS INVITING TENDERS FOR MAINLAYING WORK IN HUNG HOM AND TO KWA WAN TO IMPROVE THE FRESH WATER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM IN THE AREA.

THE WORK WILL INVOLVE THE CONSTRUCTION OF A TOTAL OF 1,800 METRES OF WATERMAIN RANGING FROM 450 TO 1,000 MILLIMETRES IN DIAMETER.

WHEN COMPLETED, THE IMPROVED SYSTEM IS EXPECTED TO CATER FOR THE INCREASE IN DEMAND GENERATED BY THE DEVELOPMENT IN HUNG HOM AND THE TO KWA WAN AND HUNG HOM BAY RECLAMATIONS.

WORK IS SCHEDULED TO START IN DECEMBER AND WILL LAST FOR 10 MONTHS.

THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF TENDERS IS NOON ON OCTOBER 20.

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NEW BUS ROUTES PLANNED FOR SAI KUNG

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MEMBERS OF THE SAI KUNG DISTRICT BOARD'S TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORT COMMITTEE WILL HOLD A MEETING ON THURSDAY (OCTOBER 5) TO DISCUSS A PAPER ON THE DRAFT KOWLOON MOTOR BUS ROUTE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME FOR THE DISTRICT FOR THE NEXT TWO YEARS.

THEY WILL ALSO STUDY A REPORT ON THE ANALYSIS OF ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENT STATISTICS, COVERING DISTRICT BOARD AREAS, FOR 1988.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE INVITED TO COVER THE SAI KUNG DISTRICT BOARD'S TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORT COMMITTEE MEETING ON THURSDAY (OCTOBER 5) IN THE DISTRICT BOARD CONFERENCE ROOM, SECOND FLOOR, SAI KUNG GOVERNMENT OFFICES, CHAN MAN STREET, SAI KUNG TOWN. THE MEETING WILL BEGIN AT 10 AM.

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