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PRESSURE KEPT ON DRUG TRAFFICKERS

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THE CUSTOMS AND EXCISE SERVICE HAD ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL YEAR IN 1979 IN ITS CONTINUING WAR AGAINST DRUG TRAFFICKING, SEIZING MORE THAN \$61 MILLION WORTH OF DANGEROUS DRUGS.

DURING THE YEAR, OFFICERS OF THE SERVICE SEIZED ABOUT 205 KILOGRAMS OF DRUGS, INCLUDING 78.7 KILOGRAMS OF HEROIN, 10.5 KILOGRAMS OF MORPHINE AND 105.6 KILOGRAMS OF OPIUM. A QUANTITY OF ACETIC ANHYDRIDE AND DRUG-MANUFACTURING PARAPHERNALIA WERE ALSO SEIZED.

IN ADDITION, 850 PEOPLE WERE ARRESTED AND CHARGED WITH VARIOUS DRUG OFFENCES, INCLUDING 177 PROSECUTED FOR POSSESSION OF DANGEROUS DRUGS FOR ILLEGAL TRAFFICKING.

COMMENTING ON THESE ACHIEVEMENTS, A SPOKESMAN FOR THE CUSTOMS AND EXCISE SERVICE SAID THAT WITH THE SUCCESSFUL PREVENTIVE EFFORTS OF THE SERVICE AND THE POLICE, LARGE-SCALE DRUG SYNDICATES HAD DISAPPEARED FROM THE SCENE.

+WHAT WE NOW HAVE ARE MUCH SMALLER AND FRAGMENTED SYNDICATES AND THE PATTERN OF SMUGGLING INTO HONG KONG HAS ALSO CHANGED. WE NOW HAVE SMALL-QUANTITY, HIGH-FREQUENCY IMPORTS OF DRUGS CARRIED BY COURIERS AND CONCEALED ON OCEAN-GOING VESSELS OR IN AIR-CARGO AND PERSONAL BELONGINGS,+ HE SAID.

OF THE HAULS OF DANGEROUS DRUGS LAST YEAR, 44.6 KILOGRAMS WERE SEIZED AT THE AIRPORT, 122.1 KILOGRAMS FROM VESSELS AND 38.1 KILOGRAMS ON LAND.

HOWEVER, IN TERMS OF THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF DRUGS SEIZED, LAST YEAR SAW A DECREASE OF 13 PER CENT COMPARED WITH THE 236 KILOGRAMS SEIZED IN 1978. THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE ARRESTED AND CHARGED ALSO DROPPED BY 228 PERSONS BELOW THE 1978 FIGURE.

THE SPOKESMAN POINTED OUT THAT THIS WAS MAINLY DUE TO THE BAD HARVEST IN THE 'GOLDEN TRIANGLE AREA' LAST YEAR.

+THE SCARCITY OF SUPPLY, COUPLED WITH FREQUENT RAIDS BY THE ANTI-NARCOTICS FORCES, MADE PRICES OF HEROIN SOAR TO AN ALL-TIME HIGH OF SOME \$50 TO \$100 PER PACKET OF 0.1 GRAM AT ONE TIME BETWEEN JULY AND AUGUST,+ HE SAID.

+THIS TURNED THOUSANDS OF ADDICTS TO DRUG TREATMENT CLINICS,+ HE ADDED.

HE NOTED THAT THE HIGHLIGHT OF THE YEAR'S SUCCESSES WAS THE SEIZURE OF \$24 MILLION WORTH OF HEROIN AND MORPHINE BLOCKS -- THE BIGGEST IN RECENT YEARS -- ON BOARD THE PANAMANIAN REGISTERED VESSEL +TAI FOOK SHAN+ ARRIVING FROM BANGKOK ON OCTOBER 20.

FIVE PEOPLE WERE ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH THE CASE, OF WHOM ONE WAS CHARGED UNDER THE DANGEROUS DRUGS ORDINANCE AND FOUR UNDER THE IMPORT AND EXPORT ORDINANCE.

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OTHER MAJOR SUCCESSES INCLUDED :

- * A CRACK-DOWN ON A DRUG LABORATORY IN A REMOTE FARM IN KEI LUN HILL, NEW TERRITORIES, ON MARCH 8 RESULTING IN THE SEIZURE OF OVER \$1.1 MILLION WORTH OF NO. 3 HEROIN AND A LARGE QUANTITY OF HEROIN MANUFACTURING PARAPHERNALIA AND CHEMICALS- AND
- * A \$200 000 HEROIN HAUL FROM A FACTORY IN KO FAI ROAD, YAU TONG, ON MAY 19 AND A SERIES OF RAIDS IN FOUR DIFFERENT PLACES IN KOWLOON FOLLOWING THE SEIZURE.

+THESE SUCCESSES MADE LIFE HARD FOR THE 'PUSHERS' BUT OFFICERS OF THE CUSTOMS AND EXCISE SERVICE WILL CONTINUE TO INFILTRATE, HARASS AND BREAK UP THE TRAFFICKING OPERATIONS, AND GO ALL OUT TO APPREHEND DRUG CARRIERS ATTEMPTING TO BRING SUPPLIES INTO HONG KONG,+ THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

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LABOUR DEPARTMENT HANDLES AIR POLLUTION COMPLAINTS

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THE LABOUR DEPARTMENT'S AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DIVISION HAS BEEN ABLE TO ENFORCE THE CLEAN AIR ORDINANCE AND ASSOCIATED REGULATIONS MORE EFFICIENTLY SINCE AMENDMENTS TO THE LEGISLATION WERE MADE IN JUNE LAST YEAR.

THE AMENDMENTS STREAMLINED INTERNAL ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES AND ELIMINATED AMBIGUITY IN THE LEGISLATION.

IN 1979, THE DIVISION INVESTIGATED A TOTAL OF 975 COMPLAINTS OF AIR POLLUTION AND REMEDIAL MEASURES WERE SUBSEQUENTLY TAKEN.

OF THE COMPLAINTS, A GREAT PROPORTION WAS MADE BY MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC, WHILE SOME WERE REFERRED TO THE DIVISION BY THE URBAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT, CITY DISTRICT OFFICES, DISTRICT OFFICES, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT AND OTHER GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS. THE TARGETS OF THESE COMPLAINTS WERE MAINLY FACTORIES AND RESTAURANTS.

LAST YEAR THE NUMBER OF COMPLAINTS ALMOST EQUALLED THE 974 IN 1978, BUT THERE WAS A 20 PER CENT INCREASE IN COMPLAINTS RECEIVED IN THE NEW TERRITORIES.

THE INCREASE CAN BE ATTRIBUTED TO THE RAPID NEW TOWN DEVELOPMENTS TAKING PLACE AT SHA TIN, TAI PO AND TUEN MUN.

IF A COMPLAINT IS SUBSTANTIATED, THE DIVISION NORMALLY GIVES ADVICE TO THE OFFENDER ON REMEDIAL MEASURES AND ONLY RESORTS TO PROSECUTION IN RESPECT OF PERSISTENT OFFENDERS.

LAST YEAR, 58 PERSISTENT OFFENDERS, MOSTLY FACTORIES AND RESTAURANTS OPERATORS, WERE PROSECUTED AND CONVICTED AND THEIR FINES RANGED FROM \$200 TO \$2 700. IN 1978 A TOTAL OF 50 OFFENDERS WERE PROSECUTED.

AT THE SAME TIME, THE DIVISION PROCESSED 361 SETS OF PLANS FOR INSTALLATION OF OR ALTERATION TO FURNACES AND CHIMNEYS.

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IN APPROVING THE PLANS, THE DIVISION ENSURES THAT THE DESIGN OF A FURNACE OR A CHIMNEY IS UP TO THE CURRENT ANTI-POLLUTION STANDARDS.

OFFICERS OF THE DIVISION ARE SENT OVERSEAS TO ATTEND TRAINING COURSES OR INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES TO KEEP THEM ABREAST WITH THE LATEST DEVELOPMENTS IN THE AIR POLLUTION CONTROL FIELD.

LAST YEAR, THE DIVISION'S HEAD, AIR POLLUTION CONTROL OFFICER CHUNG MOON-KUN, ATTENDED THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE AMERICAN AIR POLLUTION ASSOCIATION IN CINCINNATI. THERE HE EXCHANGED VIEWS, INFORMATION AND WORKING EXPERIENCE WITH LEADING ANTI-POLLUTION EXPERTS.

IN THE SAME YEAR A SENIOR SMOKE INSPECTOR FROM THE DIVISION ATTENDED AN ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING TRAINING COURSE IN JAPAN.

OFFICERS ARE ALSO SENT TO LOCAL UNIVERSITIES TO ACQUIRE FURTHER QUALIFICATIONS BENEFICIAL TO THEIR JOBS.

FOR EXAMPLE A SMOKE INSPECTOR IS NOW ATTENDING A MASTER DEGREE COURSE ON THERMAL ENGINEERING AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG ON A PART-TIME DAY-RELEASE BASIS.

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TAXPAYERS BE WARY OF IMPOSTERS

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TAXPAYERS ARE URGED TO BE WARY OF IMPOSTERS CLAIMING TO BE OFFICERS OF THE INLAND REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE DEPARTMENT TODAY DISCLOSED THAT RECENTLY THERE WERE SEVERAL REPORTS OF SUCH IMPERSONATION.

+WE HAVE RECEIVED REPORTS THAT A MAN CLAIMING TO BE AN OFFICER OF THE DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN APPROACHING BUSINESS FIRMS TO SOLICIT FUNDS ALLEGEDLY FOR THE PRINTING OF PUBLICATIONS OR FOR CHARITIES.

+OBVIOUSLY THIS PERSON IS AN IMPOSTER BECAUSE THE DEPARTMENT DOES NOT INSERT ANY ADVERTISEMENT IN THE INFORMATION PAMPHLETS IT ISSUES TO THE PUBLIC, NOR DOES IT SOLICIT FUNDS FOR CHARITIES,+ THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

THERE ARE CIRCUMSTANCES WHEN THE DEPARTMENT'S OFFICERS, ACTING IN THEIR OFFICIAL CAPACITY, DO CALL AT TAXPAYERS' HOUSES OR PLACES OF BUSINESS TO MAKE OFFICIAL ENQUIRIES OR TO DELIVER CORRESPONDENCE SUCH AS URGENT DEMAND NOTES FOR UNPAID TAX.

HOWEVER, IN SUCH CASES, THESE OFFICERS ALWAYS CARRY A DEPARTMENTAL IDENTITY CARD OR A WRITTEN AUTHORISATION FROM THE COMMISSIONER OF INLAND REVENUE.

MOREOVER, THESE OFFICERS ARE NOT PERMITTED TO RECEIVE CASH OR CHEQUES IN SETTLEMENT OF TAXES. PAYMENT OF CASH MUST BE MADE ONLY TO THE LISTED OFFICIAL REVENUE COLLECTION CENTRES SHOWN ON THE DEMAND NOTES.

THE SPOKESMAN CALLED ON TAXPAYERS, WHO HAVE ANY DOUBT OF THE AUTHENTICITY AND INTENTION OF THEIR CALLER, TO CHECK WITH THE DEPARTMENT'S COMPLAINTS OFFICER (TEL NO 5-79595656) DURING OFFICE HOURS.

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SNT OPENS SAILING CENTRE EXTENSION

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THE SECRETARY FOR THE NEW TERRITORIES, MR DAVID AKERS-JONES, SAID TODAY (SATURDAY) HE HOPED THAT VARIOUS ORGANISATIONS WHICH NOW HAD THE USE OF THE TAI MEI TUK HEADLAND TO DEVELOP WATER SPORTS WOULD MAKE AN EARLY START +FOR WE MUST NOT WASTE THIS EXCEPTIONAL SITE.+

MR AKERS-JONES WAS OPENING THE EXTENSION OF HONG KONG SCHOOLS SAILING ASSOCIATION'S SAILING CENTRE AT TAI MEI TUK.

HE SAID HONG KONG HAD MILES OF RUGGED COASTLINE AND WIDE STRETCHES OF WATER. UNTIL RECENTLY USE OF BOATS AND THE SEA FOR RECREATION WAS LARGELY RESTRICTED TO A FEW- NOW MORE AND MORE OF OUR YOUNG PEOPLE HAD DISCOVERED THE PLEASURE OF SAILING AND CANOEING AND CENTRES SUCH AS THIS PROVIDED EXCELLENT FACILITIES FOR THEM.

DESCRIBING THE CENTRE AS +AN EXCITING PROSPECT+, MR AKERS-JONES SAID IN TIME TO COME HE HOPED THE WHOLE OF THE SHELTERED STRETCH OF WATER AND ITS ADJOINING COAST WOULD BE DEVELOPED FOR RECREATION AT SEA.

+YOU WILL BE INTERESTED TO LEARN THAT PLANS ARE ALSO IN HAND FOR A SIMILAR SEA ACTIVITIES CENTRE NEXT DOOR TO OUR OTHER LARGE RESERVOIR AT HIGH ISLAND,+ HE SAID.

HE SAID TO ENSURE FULL USE OF THE AREA THE RECREATION AND SPORTS SERVICE WAS ALREADY CONSTRUCTING A MULTI-PURPOSE BUILDING FOR STORAGE OF BOATS AND CHANGING AND OTHER FACILITIES WITH AN ALLOCATION OF \$1.5 MILLION FROM THE GOVERNOR'S SPECIAL FUND FOR RECREATION. A MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE HAD ALSO BEEN FORMED OF REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE ORGANISATIONS INVOLVED IN THE DEVELOPMENT.

THE ASSOCIATION'S CENTRE AT TAI MEI TUK WAS OPENED BY THE GOVERNOR, SIR MURRAY MACLEHOSE, IN APRIL, 1976. AN EXTENSION WAS AGREED LAST YEAR BECAUSE OF RAPID GROWTH OF THE ASSOCIATION. FUNDS FOR THE \$110 000 PROJECT WERE ALLOCATED BY THE GOVERNMENT.

THE EXTENSION, WHICH MR AKERS-JONES OPENED BY SAILING UNDER A RIBBON IN A DINGHY, HAS A LECTURE ROOM, A WORKSHOP, STORAGE SPACE AND A STAFF DORMITORY.

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SPECIAL CAR NUMBERS FETCH \$462 600 FOR CHARITY
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THIRTY SPECIAL CAR REGISTRATION NUMBERS WERE SOLD BY AUCTION THIS (SATURDAY) MORNING FOR A TOTAL OF \$462 600, WHICH WILL GO INTO THE GOVERNMENT LOTTERIES FUND FOR CHARITY PURPOSES.

THE AUCTION, HELD IN THE LECTURE HALL OF THE CITY HALL, SAW REGISTRATION NUMBER CC 1 FETCH THE HIGHEST PRICE OF \$160 000.

NUMBER CB 1 WAS SOLD AT THE SECOND HIGHEST PRICE OF \$85 000 WHILE THE LOWEST PRICE WAS \$1 000 EACH FOR EIGHT NUMBERS CB 3900, CB 690, CB 1813, CB 5224, CB 7728, CB 8319, CB 7202, AND CB 7383.

THE OTHER REGISTRATION NUMBERS WERE SOLD AT THE FOLLOWING PRICES:

CA 88	\$61 000	CC 1931	\$5 500	CB 980	\$2 200
CA 8	\$31 000	CB 733	\$5 000	CB 9928	\$1 200
CC 50	\$20 000	CC 368	\$4 700		
CC 323	\$16 500	CC 329	\$4 500		
CC 113	\$12 500	CB 336	\$3 800		
CC 121	\$11 000	CB 2822	\$3 200		
AA 107	\$ 7 000	CB 299	\$2 800		
CC 133	\$ 7 000	CC 285	\$2 500		
CB 998	\$ 6 000	CB 1811	\$2 200		

THE NUMBERS AUCTIONED WILL BE ASSIGNED ONLY TO VEHICLES REGISTERED IN THE NAME OF THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDERS WITHIN THE NEXT 12 MONTHS.

TODAY'S SALE, THE 50TH ORGANISED BY THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT SINCE MAY 1973, BROUGHT THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF MONEY REALISED FOR CHARITY SO FAR TO \$11 556 232.

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ADVERTISING SPACES AVAILABLE AT HUNG HOM RAILWAY STATION

ADVERTISERS INTERESTED IN PROMOTING PRODUCTS AND SERVICES AT A BUSY PUBLIC PLACE NOW HAVE THE CHANCE TO BID FOR SPACES AT THE HUNG HOM RAILWAY STATION.

THE LEASE OF ADVERTISING SPACES IS FOR A PERIOD OF THREE YEARS FROM MARCH 1, 1980, AND WILL BE RENEWABLE FOR A FURTHER THREE YEARS SUBJECT TO NEGOTIATIONS.

TENDERS FOR THESE ADVERTISING SPACES ARE BEING INVITED.

TENDER FORMS AND PARTICULARS MAY BE OBTAINED FROM THE GENERAL OFFICE OF THE KCR TRAFFIC DIVISION ON THE MEZZANINE FLOOR OF THE KOWLOON STATION BUILDING IN HUNG HOM.

TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE DIRECTOR OF GOVERNMENT SUPPLIES, MUST BE PLACED IN THE TENDER BOX AT THE MAIN GATE OF THE GOVERNMENT SUPPLIES DEPARTMENT HEADQUARTERS, OIL STREET, NORTH POINT BEFORE 9 AM ON JANUARY 31 (THURSDAY).

+EACH TENDER MUST HAVE A RECEIPT SHOWING THAT \$20 000 HAVE BEEN DEPOSITED AS PLEDGE OF ITS BONA FIDES, EITHER AT THE TREASURY REVENUE BRANCH, CENTRAL GOVERNMENT OFFICES (WEST WING), FIRST FLOOR, ICE HOUSE STREET, HONG KONG, OR AT SUBTREASURY OFFICES IN THE CAUSEWAY BAY, YAU MA TEI OR KOWLOON CITY,+ A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID.

DEPOSITS WILL BE RETURNED TO UNSUCCESSFUL TENDERERS.

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MOTORISTS ADVISED NOT TO SEND
IN LICENCE RENEWAL APPLICATIONS BY POST

THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT TODAY (SATURDAY) ADVISED VEHICLE OWNERS AND DRIVERS NOT TO SEND IN THEIR APPLICATIONS FOR LICENCE RENEWAL BY POST TO AVOID ANY DELAY DUE TO SUSPENSION OF SOME POSTAL SERVICES.

A TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THOSE WHO HAD SENT IN THEIR LICENCE RENEWALS BY POST SHOULD NOW CONTACT THE HONG KONG OR KOWLOON LICENSING OFFICES ON TELEPHONE NUMBERS 5-259494 AND 3-317735 RESPECTIVELY TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR COLLECTING THEIR LICENCES IN PERSON BECAUSE OF SUSPENSION OF RECORDED DELIVERY MAIL.

THE SPOKESMAN POINTED OUT THAT VEHICLE AND DRIVING LICENCES MAY BE RENEWED AT ANY TIME DURING THE FOUR MONTHS BEFORE THE EXPIRY DATE. IN BOTH CASES, THE NEW LICENCE WILL BE EFFECTIVE FROM THE DATE OF EXPIRY.

+WE STRONGLY ADVISE OWNERS AND DRIVERS TO RENEW THEIR LICENCES IN THE MIDDLE OF THE MONTH. THIS WILL SAVE A LOT OF WAITING TIME COMPARED TO THOSE WHO RENEW THEIR LICENCES AT THE END OR BEGINNING OF THE MONTH,+ HE ADDED.

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NEW SERVICE RESERVOIR IN CHAI WAN

A NEW FRESH WATER SERVICE RESERVOIR WILL BE BUILT IN CHAI WAN TO COPE WITH DEMAND FROM NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN THE AREA.

THE RESERVOIR, LOCATED ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF CHAI WAN HILL WILL HAVE A STORAGE CAPACITY OF 22 000 CUBIC METRES. IT WILL BE CONSTRUCTED WITH A REINFORCED CONCRETE DECKING.

TENDERS FOR THE WORK ARE BEING INVITED BY THE WATER SUPPLIES DEPARTMENT.

WORK ON THE PROJECT WILL BEGIN IN APRIL AND WILL TAKE ABOUT 18 MONTHS TO COMPLETE.

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SECTION OF CLEVERLY ST TO BE CLOSED

CLEVERLY STREET BETWEEN WING LOK STREET AND BONHAM STRAND WILL BE CLOSED TO TRAFFIC FROM 10 AM ON MONDAY (JANUARY 21) TO FEBRUARY 4 FOR THE LAYING OF WATER MAINS.

DURING THE CLOSURE, MOTORISTS GOING SOUTH ON CLEVERLY STREET MAY TURN RIGHT INTO WING LOK STREET WESTBOUND AND TURN LEFT AGAIN TO REJOIN BONHAM STRAND EASTBOUND.

TRAFFIC SIGNS WILL BE SET UP TO GUIDE MOTORISTS.

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TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS IN DES VOEUX ROAD WEST
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WESTBOUND TRAFFIC ALONG DES VOEUX ROAD WEST NEAR ITS JUNCTION WITH EASTERN STREET WILL BE RESTRICTED TO ONE-LANE ONLY BETWEEN 8 PM AND 5 AM THE FOLLOWING DAY FROM MONDAY (JANUARY 21).

THE ARRANGEMENT, WHICH WILL LAST FOR ABOUT SIX WEEKS, IS TO FACILITATE THE CONSTRUCTION OF SEA-WATER MAINS.

DURING THIS PERIOD, MOTORISTS MAY USE QUEEN'S ROAD WEST AS AN ALTERNATIVE ROUTE.

APPROPRIATE TRAFFIC SIGNS WILL BE SET UP AND TRAFFIC LIGHTS WILL BE IN OPERATION TO GUIDE MOTORISTS.

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SECTION OF CHI KIANG ST DESIGNATED URBAN CLEARWAY
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A SECTION OF CHI KIANG STREET BETWEEN TO KWA WAN ROAD AND YUK YAT STREET WILL BE DESIGNATED AS AN URBAN CLEARWAY FROM TUESDAY (JANUARY 22).

ALL MOTOR VEHICLES EXCEPT FRANCHISED BUSES WILL BE PROHIBITED FROM PICKING UP OR SETTING DOWN PASSENGERS AND LOADING OR UNLOADING GOODS IN THE RESTRICTED ZONE BETWEEN 7 AM AND 10 AM, AND BETWEEN 4 PM AND 7 PM DAILY.

WITH EFFECT FROM 10 AM THE SAME DAY (TUESDAY), ANOTHER SECTION OF CHI KIANG STREET, EAST OF YUK YAT STREET, WILL BE CLOSED TO TRAFFIC EXCEPT LICENSED DUMP TRUCKS OR AUTHORISED VEHICLES.

APPROPRIATE TRAFFIC SIGNS WILL BE SET UP TO GUIDE MOTORISTS.

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