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YUEN LONG SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMME STARTS TODAY

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THIS YEAR'S SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMME IN YUEN LONG WAS LAUNCHED TODAY BY THE ACTING SECRETARY FOR THE NEW TERRITORIES, MR AUGUSTINE CHUI KAM, AT THE HEUNG YEE KUK SECONDARY SCHOOL.

MORE THAN 150 SPORTS AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES WILL BE HELD IN SCHOOLS, YOUTH CENTRES, PLAYGROUNDS AND VILLAGE OPEN SPACES IN THE DISTRICT DURING THE COMING TWO MONTHS.

THESE ACTIVITIES INCLUDE BALL GAMES, SPORTS COMPETITIONS, CULTURAL SHOWS, SKILL TRAINING, CAMPING AND OUTINGS. OVER 50 000 LOCAL YOUNG PEOPLE ARE EXPECTED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE FUNCTIONS.

THE SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT AND THE ROYAL HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB HAVE PROVIDED \$39 000 FOR THE PROGRAMME. A FURTHER \$45 000 HAS BEEN DONATED BY LOCAL COMMUNITY LEADERS.

SPEAKING AT THE OPENING CEREMONY, MR CHUI SAID THE AIM OF SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMMES WAS TO ENCOURAGE YOUTH TO MAKE THE BEST USE OF THEIR SUMMER HOLIDAYS BY ACTIVELY PARTICIPATING IN HEALTHY ACTIVITIES.

+IT CAN HELP THEM BUILD UP CONFIDENCE, LEARN USEFUL SKILLS AND CULTIVATE NEW INTERESTS.

+THROUGH THESE ACTIVITIES, YOUTHS WILL ENJOY MORE CHANCES TO MEET WITH PEOPLE, AND A GOOD SENSE OF RESPONSIBILITY AND A SOUND PERSONALITY CAN THUS BE DEVELOPED.+

HE SAID RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES WOULD ALSO RELIEVE STUDENTS OF TENSION AND OFFER THEM A HAPPY SUMMER VACATION.

MR CHUI SAID HE RECOGNISED THAT RECREATIONAL FACILITIES IN THE NEW TERRITORIES WERE LESS THAN PERFECT. +BUT THE SITUATION WILL BE GREATLY IMPROVED IN THE NEXT FEW YEARS,+ HE SAID.

MAJOR PROJECTS NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION INCLUDE THE KWAI CHUNG INDOOR STADIUM, THE SILVER JUBILEE SPORTS CENTRE IN SHA TIN AND THE YAN OI TONG INDOOR SPORTS CENTRE IN TUEN MUN.

IN YUEN LONG, A \$17 MILLION SWIMMING COMPLEX IS BEING BUILT, AND THE YUEN LONG STADIUM WILL HAVE ANOTHER COVERED SPECTATOR STAND AND VARIOUS FACILITIES, HE SAID.

MR CHUI SAID THESE FACILITIES, WHEN COMPLETED, WOULD HELP FURTHER PROMOTE SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMMES IN THE FUTURE.

ALSO OFFICIATING AT TODAY'S OPENING CEREMONY WERE THE CHAIRMAN OF THE YUEN LONG DISTRICT YOUTH RECREATION CO-ORDINATING COMMITTEE, MR TAI KUEN- THE DISTRICT OFFICER, MR FUNG KWOK-KEUNG- AND THE REGIONAL SOCIAL WELFARE OFFICER, MR CHENG KWAN-KUEN.

AFTER THE CEREMONY, SPECTATORS WATCHED DANCING, SINGING AND DRAMA PERFORMANCES BY LOCAL YOUTHS AND TELEVISION ARTISTES.

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TEMPORARY RAILWAY STATION TAKING SHAPE

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WORK IS PROGRESSING ON A TEMPORARY RAILWAY STATION ON THE EMBANKMENT BETWEEN YIM PO FONG STREET AND PEACE AVENUE IN MONG KOK.

ON ITS COMPLETION IN EARLY AUGUST, TRAINS WILL BE DIVERTED TO IT SO AS TO ALLOW WORK TO BEGIN ON THE NEW PERMANENT STATION.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT SAID WORK ON THE TEMPORARY STATION INCLUDED THE BUILDING OF PLATFORM AWNINGS, A COVERED WAITING AREA AND OTHER FACILITIES SUCH AS TOILETS AND A SNACK SHOP.

+ACCESS TO THE TEMPORARY STATION WILL BE THROUGH A RAMP OR STAIRCASES FROM YIM PO FONG STREET WHILE EXIT WILL BE VIA STAIRCASES TO A FOOTBRIDGE ACROSS ARGYLE STREET AND PEACE AVENUE,+ HE SAID.

MEANWHILE, TENDERS FOR THE FOUNDATION WORK OF THE NEW MONG KOK STATION HAVE ALREADY BEEN INVITED AND CONSTRUCTION IS EXPECTED TO START IN AUGUST.

THE FOUNDATION WORK WILL INVOLVE PILING, CONSTRUCTION OF STATION PLATFORMS, TRACK-LAYING AND DRAINAGE WORKS.

CONSTRUCTION OF A PODIUM, A STATION BUILDING AND THE INSTALLATION OF OVERHEAD CABLES FOR THE ELECTRIC TRAIN WILL BE TAKEN UP LATER.

THE OVERALL DEVELOPMENT OF THE NEW MONG KOK STATION WILL INCLUDE A TRANSPORT INTERCHANGE, A PUBLIC AMENITY AREA, A GOODS YARD AND MULTI-STOREY OFFICE BLOCKS.

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FURTHER STUDY ON LANTAU FIXED CROSSING

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FURTHER SITE INVESTIGATION ON THE PROPOSED LANTAU FIXED CROSSING WILL BE CARRIED OUT SHORTLY.

THE WORK, TENDERS FOR WHICH ARE BEING INVITED, WILL PROVIDE DESIGN DATA FOR THE PROPOSED PROJECT.

IF EVENTUALLY APPROVED, THE PROJECT WILL COMPRISE TWO BRIDGES, BETWEEN TSING YI ISLAND AND MA WAN, AND OVER KAP SHUI MUN CHANNEL.

THERE WILL ALSO BE ASSOCIATED ROAD WORKS FROM TSING YI ISLAND TO THE NORTH EASTERN PART OF LANTAU.

MR YEUNG KIM-CHOY, CHIEF ENGINEER OF THE CONSULTANTS MANAGEMENT DIVISION OF THE PWD HIGHWAYS OFFICE, SAID THE CONSULTANTS WERE ASKED EARLIER THIS YEAR TO PROCEED WITH DETAILED DESIGN FOR THE PROJECT. THIS WAS EXPECTED TO BE COMPLETED IN 1982.

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+THE SITE INVESTIGATION WORK WILL GIVE THE NECESSARY GEOTECHNICAL INFORMATION FOR THE DESIGN OF THE FOUNDATION STRUCTURES, THE HIGHWAY, AS WELL AS CUT AND FILL SLOPES ON THE BANKS.

+IT WILL INVOLVE THE SINKING OF A NUMBER OF DRILL HOLES BOTH VERTICALLY AND HORIZONTALLY IN SPECIFIC AREAS OF INTEREST ALONG THE ROUTE OF THE PROPOSED FIXED CROSSING, A LIMITED LAND BASED GEOPHYSICAL SEISMIC REFRACTION SURVEY, AND TESTING OF SOIL PROPERTIES.+

MR YEUNG SAID THAT INVESTIGATION WOULD BEGIN IN AUGUST AND WOULD TAKE ABOUT SIX MONTHS TO COMPLETE.

THE WORK HAS BEEN DESIGNED AND WILL BE SUPERVISED BY THE CONSULTING ENGINEERS, THE ENGINEERING CONSULTANTS GROUP OF HONG KONG, ON BEHALF OF THE PWD HIGHWAYS OFFICE.

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TENDERS FOR AIRPORT SHOPS * * * *

THE DIRECTOR OF CIVIL AVIATION IS INVITING TENDERS FOR TENANCIES OF 14 RETAIL SHOPS AND ONE MONEY CHANGING SHOP IN THE DEPARTURE HALL OF THE PASSENGER TERMINAL AT KAI TAK AIRPORT.

THE RETAIL SHOPS ARE EARMARKED FOR DESIGNATED TRADES, INCLUDING THE SALE OF JEWELLERY, PHOTOGRAPHIC, RADIO AND ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT, PUBLICATIONS, PHARMACEUTICALS, COSMETICS, OUTFITS AND EMBROIDERED GOODS, CHINESE ARTS AND CRAFTS, AND TOBACCO, CIGARETTES AND CONFECTIONERY.

ALL THE TENANCIES WILL BE FOR THREE YEARS BEGINNING ON OR ABOUT SEPTEMBER 1 THIS YEAR.

TWELVE OF THE SHOPS ARE AT PRESENT OCCUPIED BUT THEIR CURRENT TENANCIES WILL EXPIRE AT THE END OF AUGUST. TENDERS FOR TENANCY OF ANY OF THESE TWELVE SHOPS MUST REACH THE SECRETARY OF THE CENTRAL TENDER BOARD BEFORE 12 NOON ON FRIDAY, JULY 18.

TENDERS FOR THE TWO OTHER RETAIL SHOPS AND THE MONEY CHANGING SHOP HAVE TO REACH THE SECRETARY OF THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT TENDER BOARD BY THE SAME DEADLINE.

FORMS OF TENDER AND FURTHER PARTICULARS MAY BE OBTAINED AT THE CIVIL AVIATION DEPARTMENT HEADQUARTERS, NEW RODNEY BLOCK, 99 QUEENSWAY, OR FROM THE AIRPORT GENERAL MANAGER AT THE AIRPORT.

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PIPELINES TO LAMMA ISLAND

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THE GOVERNMENT INTENDS TO LAY TWO SUBMARINE PIPELINES FROM SANDY BAY AND WAH FU ON HONG KONG ISLAND TO PAK KOK ON LAMMA ISLAND.

THE WORK FORMS PART OF THE PROPOSED SCHEME TO PROVIDE FRESH WATER SUPPLY TO THE VILLAGES AND THE POWER STATION NOW BEING BUILT ON THE ISLAND.

THE EXISTING WATER SUPPLY FROM LOCAL SOURCES IS INADEQUATE FOR THE INCREASING DEMAND.

UNDER THE SCHEME, TWO PIPELINES TOTALLING ABOUT SIX KILOMETRES IN LENGTH WILL BE BURIED AT A MAXIMUM DEPTH OF THREE METRES BELOW THE SEABED.

THE EXTENT OF THE AREA OF FORESHORE AND SEABED INVOLVED IS DESCRIBED IN A NOTICE IN THE LATEST GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

ALL OBJECTIONS TO THE PROPOSAL OR ANY CLAIM OF PRIVATE RIGHT SHOULD BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS WITHIN TWO MONTHS OF THE DATE OF THE NOTIFICATION.

THE NOTICE, IN BOTH ENGLISH AND CHINESE, WITH ITS RELATED PLAN CAN BE SEEN ON NOTICE BOARDS POSTED NEAR THE SITE.

THE PLAN SHOWING THE AREA INVOLVED MAY ALSO BE INSPECTED AT THE PORT WORKS DIVISION, FIRST FLOOR, MURRAY BUILDING, GARDEN ROAD, HONG KONG- THE CROWN LANDS AND SURVEY OFFICE, 19TH FLOOR, MURRAY BUILDING- AND THE DISTRICT OFFICE, ISLANDS, INTERNATIONAL BUILDING, 4TH FLOOR, 141 DES VOEUX ROAD CENTRAL, HONG KONG.

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PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACTS AWARDED

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THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT LAST MONTH LET A TOTAL OF 49 CONTRACTS WORTH MORE THAN \$105 MILLION.

ONE OF THE LARGEST WAS FOR THE RECLAMATION OF ABOUT THREE HECTARES OF LAND BETWEEN WATSON ROAD AND OIL STREET IN NORTH POINT.

THIS \$15.8 MILLION PROJECT IS ONE OF THE PRELIMINARY CONTRACTS FOR THE ISLAND EASTERN CORRIDOR, STAGE ONE, WHICH COMPRISES AN ELEVATED ROAD LINKING CAUSEWAY BAY WITH NORTH POINT.

OF ALL THE CONTRACTS AWARDED, 27 WERE ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE CENTRAL TENDER BOARD AND THE OTHERS THE PWD TENDER BOARD.

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MOBILE RECRUITMENT DISPLAY MOVES TO KWUN TONG
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THE MOBILE RECRUITMENT DISPLAY BY THE PRISONS DEPARTMENT WILL TOMORROW (SUNDAY) MOVE TO KWUN TONG COMMUNITY CENTRE AT 17 TSUI PING ROAD, OPPOSITE THE KWUN TONG PUBLIC SWIMMING POOL COMPLEX.

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE WELCOME TO VISIT THE DISPLAY BETWEEN 2 PM AND 6 PM TOMORROW AND BETWEEN 2 PM AND 10 PM ON MONDAY. A RECRUITMENT STAND WILL BE SET UP IN THE CENTRE.

THE DISPLAY OF PHOTOGRAPHS SHOWING VARIOUS ASPECTS OF PRISON WORK IS PART OF THE DEPARTMENT'S CURRENT DRIVE TO ATTRACT YOUNG ASSISTANT OFFICERS.

ANOTHER PHOTOGRAPHIC DISPLAY AND VARIETY SHOW WILL BE STAGED IN KWAI CHUNG ON THURSDAY (JULY 3) BETWEEN 12.30 PM AND 2.30 PM

THE ENTERTAINMENT TROUPE, INCLUDING TV ARTISTES, WILL PERFORM AT AN OPEN SPACE UNDER THE KWAI WING ROAD ELEVATED WALKWAY.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE WELCOME TO SEND REPRESENTATIVES TO COVER THE PRISONS DEPARTMENT'S MOBILE RECRUITMENT DISPLAY AND VARIETY SHOW ON THURSDAY (JULY 3) AT THE OPEN SPACE UNDER THE ELEVATED WALKWAY IN KWAI WING ROAD, KWAI CHUNG BETWEEN 12.30 PM AND 2.30 PM.

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CUSTOMS AND EXCISE SERVICE PASSING-OUT PARADE
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THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS AND EXCISE SERVICE, MR WALTER NEIL, TODAY TOLD MEMBERS OF THE SERVICE THAT THEIR CAREER PROSPECTS WERE LIKELY TO BE GREATER AND MORE EXCITING THAN EVER BEFORE.

HE WAS ADDRESSING A PASSING-OUT PARADE AT THE CUSTOMS TRAINING SCHOOL IN TAI LAM CHUNG WHERE FIVE INSPECTORS AND 23 CUSTOMS OFFICERS HAVE JUST COMPLETED THEIR INDUCTION COURSES.

REVIEWING THE GROWTH AND INCREASED RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE SERVICE, MR NEIL SAID: +I EXPECT THE VARIETY OF YOUR WORK WILL BECOME EVEN GREATER DURING THE NEXT FEW YEARS PARTICULARLY WHEN THE REORGANISATIONAL PROPOSALS BY THE COMMISSIONER, MR DOUGLAS JORDAN, BEGIN TO TAKE EFFECT.

+THE OPPORTUNITIES FOR JOB SATISFACTION IN THIS SERVICE WILL BE ALMOST LIMITLESS. SIMILARLY, I BELIEVE CAREER PROSPECTS WILL BE GREATER THAN EVER BEFORE.+

/MR NEIL

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MR NEIL REMINDED THE OFFICERS THAT THEY SHOULD BE FIRM YET COURTEOUS IN THEIR DEALINGS WITH PEOPLE, AND MAINTAIN A HIGH STANDARD OF INTEGRITY AND SELF-DISCIPLINE AT ALL TIMES.

+IF YOU FOLLOW THESE PRINCIPLES YOU WILL NOT ONLY PRESERVE YOUR OWN SELF-RESPECT AND DIGNITY, BUT YOU WILL HELP MAINTAIN THE HIGH REPUTATION AND STANDARDS OF PROFESSIONALISM FOR WHICH THIS SERVICE IS NOW WIDELY RECOGNISED, BOTH LOCALLY AND INTERNATIONALLY,+ MR NEIL ADDED.

INSPECTOR CHAN KWOK-WAH AND CUSTOMS OFFICERS MAK KWONG-MING AND LAM KIM-HANG, THE BEST RECRUITS OF PASSING-OUT SQUADS, WERE EACH PRESENTED WITH A GOLDEN WHISTLE.

ALSO PARTICIPATING IN THE PARADE WERE 13 PROBATIONARY INSPECTORS WHO HAVE ATTENDED A CONTINUATION COURSE.

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CHANCE TO OBTAIN TRADE INSTRUCTOR TRAINING

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APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED FOR TWO INDUSTRIAL TRADE INSTRUCTORS' COURSES RUN BY THE HONG KONG TECHNICAL TEACHERS' COLLEGE STARTING IN LATE SEPTEMBER.

A PART-TIME DAY-RELEASE COURSE, REQUIRING ATTENDANCE AT THE COLLEGE ONE DAY A WEEK FOR 15 WEEKS, WILL BE RUN FOR TRADE INSTRUCTORS.

APPLICANTS MUST BE EMPLOYED AS A TRADE OR WORKSHOP INSTRUCTOR AND MUST BE FULLY SKILLED IN THEIR TRADE.

THE SECOND COURSE IS A PART-TIME EVENING COURSE CATERING FOR APPLICANTS WITH A SECONDARY EDUCATION, AND REQUIRES ATTENDANCE TWO EVENINGS A WEEK FOR 30 WEEKS.

CONTENTS OF THIS COURSE WILL INCLUDE EDUCATION THEORY, EDUCATION PSYCHOLOGY AND TEACHING METHODS.

LESSONS WILL BE CONDUCTED IN CANTONESE, BUT SOME ENGLISH TERMINOLOGY WILL BE USED.

FEEES FOR EITHER OF THE COURSES ARE \$100.

APPLICATION FORMS ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE HONG KONG TECHNICAL TEACHERS' COLLEGE, 373 QUEEN'S ROAD EAST, HONG KONG, AND MUST BE RETURNED TO THE COLLEGE BY JULY 18.

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TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS IN TSIM SHA TSUI

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TEMPORARY TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE IN FORCE IN TSIM SHA TSUI FROM 8 AM ON MONDAY (JUNE 30) TO 8 AM ON SATURDAY (JULY 5) TO FACILITATE EMERGENCY REPAIRS TO WATER MAINS.

UNDER THESE ARRANGEMENTS, THE TWO-WAY SECTION OF PRAT AVENUE BETWEEN CARNAVON ROAD AND HART AVENUE WILL BE RE-ROUTED ONE-WAY EAST-BOUND.

TRAFFIC ON HART AVENUE WILL HAVE TO MAKE A COMPULSORY RIGHT-TURN INTO PRAT AVENUE TO EXIT INTO CHATHAM ROAD.

SOUTH-BOUND TRAFFIC ON CARNAVON ROAD WILL BE PROHIBITED FROM TURNING LEFT INTO PRAT AVENUE.

TRAFFIC SIGNS WILL BE SET UP TO GUIDE MOTORISTS.

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TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS AT CASTLE PEAK ROAD JUNCTION

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A NEW ROTARY TRAFFIC SYSTEM CONTROLLED BY LIGHT SIGNALS WILL BE INTRODUCED AT THE JUNCTION OF CASTLE PEAK ROAD, KWAI CHUNG ROAD AND LEI MUK ROAD FROM 11 AM ON MONDAY (JUNE 30).

THE ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:-

- * VEHICLES FROM TSUEN WAN APPROACHING THE JUNCTION VIA CASTLE PEAK ROAD WILL KEEP LEFT AND THEN PROCEED TO LEI MUK ROAD OR KOWLOON (VIA CASTLE PEAK ROAD OR KWAI CHUNG ROAD)-
- * VEHICLES APPROACHING FROM KWAI CHUNG ROAD WILL TURN LEFT INTO CASTLE PEAK ROAD. THOSE WISHING TO PROCEED TO LEI MUK ROAD OR KOWLOON (VIA CASTLE PEAK ROAD OR KWAI CHUNG ROAD) WILL ENTER THE JUNCTION VIA THE SLIP ROAD WEST OF YIU WING LANE-
- * VEHICLES APPROACHING FROM LEI MUK ROAD WILL TURN LEFT INTO CASTLE PEAK ROAD AND PROCEED TO KOWLOON-
- * TRAFFIC FROM THE NORTH-EAST OF THE JUNCTION WISHING TO PROCEED TO KWAI CHUNG ROAD OR TSUEN WAN VIA CASTLE PEAK ROAD WILL ENTER THE JUNCTION VIA WO YI HOP ROAD AND CHEUNG WING ROAD WHICH WILL BE ROUTED ONE-WAY-
- * TSUEN WAN BOUND VEHICLES APPROACHING THE JUNCTION FROM CASTLE PEAK ROAD OR KWAI CHUNG ROAD WILL NOT BE AFFECTED BY THE NEW SYSTEM.

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