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Islands District Council

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Question on artificial island at Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge

Ms Amy YUNG notified this Council that she would raise the following enquiry at the Islands District Council meeting to be held on 23 April this year:

“ Following the uncovering by the media of a series of incidents in connection with the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge, I would like the relevant departments to respond to the following:

1. The Highways Department mentioned at the Legislative Council Panel on Transport meeting in late January this year that the claim relating to Tuen Mun-Chek Lap Kok Link (TM-CLKL) amounted to \$3 billion. Does the amount include the claim for modifications to lower the alignment of TM-CLKL by 10 metres?
2. The Transport and Housing Bureau is studying whether toll will be collected at the Northern Connection of TM-CLKL. Will the public or District Council members be consulted on this issue?
3. Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge Authority said in response to the enquiry of Hong Kong media that the seawall at the eastern artificial island was structurally safe. Do any works departments and engineering experts of Hong Kong participate in the operation of the Council? Does the Hong Kong Government have any mechanism in place to oversee the construction specifications set out by the Council to ensure they meet the requirements of Hong Kong? ”

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