



Sha Tin District Council

Report on the enlarged meeting of the
Traffic and Transport Committee held on 10 March 2015

- (1) During the enlarged meeting, the councillors and Committee members discussed *Sha Tin District Bus Route Development Programme 2015-2016* submitted by the Transport Department.
- (2) The Committee discussed the following:
 - (i) draft of “Opinion Survey on Provision of Cycle Facilities on Cycle Tracks in Sha Tin” submitted by the Working Group on Development of Cycle Network;
 - (ii) *Transport Department Annual Plan 2015* submitted by the Transport Department;
 - (iii) replies of the Transport Department, the Kowloon Motor Bus Company (1933) Limited (KMB), and the New World First Bus Services Limited and Citybus Limited (NWFB/CTB) to the question on “Lost Trips of Bus Route Nos. 982X, 81C, 281B, 86A and 85A”;
 - (iv) replies of the Transport Department and the Long Win Bus Company Limited to the question on “Improvement of Overnight Airbus Service in Sha Tin District”, and passed the following provisional motion unanimously:

“The Traffic and Transport Committee of the Sha Tin District Council strongly requests the Transport Department and the Long Win Bus Company Limited to increase the frequency of bus route no. N42, and extend its service into the early-morning hours so that passengers from Sha Tin and Ma On Shan could travel directly to and from the airport.” ;
 - (v) replies of the Transport Department and the Highways Department to the question on “Road Safety of Sui Wo Road”;
 - (vi) replies of the Transport Department and the Hong Kong Police Force to the question on “Traffic Problem in Tai Wai”; and

- (vii) replies of the Transport Department, the KMB, the NWFB/CTB, the Hong Kong Police Force and the Labour Department to the question on “Regulation of Franchised Bus Service in Sha Tin District under the Law”.
- (3) The Committee endorsed the following:
- (i) revised member lists of working groups under the Committee; and
 - (ii) proposed estimates under Expenditure Head 7 of 2015-2016.
- (4) The Committee noted the response of government departments and organisations to matters arising from the previous meeting.
- (5) Owing to the absence of a quorum, the Chairman decided that “Progress Report of the Transport Department”, “Reports of Working Groups”, “Report on the Progress of Works of the Highways Department”, “Population of Public Housing Estates and Private Sector Participation Scheme Courts in Sha Tin” and “Prosecution Figures on Traffic Offences in Sha Tin Town Centre” would be dealt with through circulation of papers.

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