



Sha Tin District Council

Reports on the meeting of the
Traffic and Transport Committee held on 9 January 2018

- (1) The Committee discussed the following:
 - (i) *Updates on Traffic Review on Major Roads in Sha Tin and Proposed Alignment of Trunk Road T4* submitted by the Civil Engineering and Development Department (CEDD);
 - (ii) the responses of the Transport Department (TD) and the CEDD to the question on “*the Congestion Problem of Tate’s Cairn Tunnel and Highway in Sha Tin and Tai Po Road (Sha Tin Section)*”;
 - (iii) the responses of the TD, the CEDD, the Housing Department (HD), the Planning Department, the Drainage Services Department, the Food and Health Bureau, the Food and Environmental Hygiene Department, the Electrical and Mechanical Services Department and the Hospital Authority to the question on “*the Traffic Flow of and Congestion Remedial Measures for the Trunk Roads in Sha Tin*”; and
 - (iv) the response of the TD to the question on “*the Management of and Related Facilities Arrangements for Tate’s Cairn Tunnel after the Electricity Interruption on 22 November 2017 and the Franchise Expiry*”.
- (2) The Committee endorsed the motion on “*Requesting the Transport Department to Expedite the Retrofitting of Covers*”:

“The Traffic and Transport Committee of the Sha Tin District Council requests the Transport Department to conduct a comprehensive review so as to expedite the retrofitting of covers for all the pedestrian walkways in the Sha Tin District with pedestrian flow reaching the standard stipulated in the *Transport Planning and Design Manual*, including Hung Mui Kuk Road (near Sun Chui Estate Section), and for all the plans proposed but not yet selected at the meeting of the Traffic and Transport Committee on 9 May 2017.” (Unanimously passed).

- (3) The Committee noted the following:
- (i) the responses of government departments and organisations to matters arising from the previous meeting;
 - (ii) the progress report submitted by the TD;
 - (iii) the minutes of the Working Groups on Public Transport and Road Safety under the Committee;
 - (iv) the report on the progress of works submitted by the Highways Department;
 - (v) *Population of Public Housing Estates and Private Sector Participation Scheme Courts in Sha Tin* submitted by the HD; and
 - (vi) *Prosecution Figures on Traffic Offences in Sha Tin, Tai Wai and Ma On Shan* submitted by the Hong Kong Police Force.
- (4) At the request of the members, the Chairman decided that the question on “*the Response to the Request of the Traffic and Transport Committee*” would be dealt with at the next meeting.

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