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Sha Tin District Council

Report on the special meeting of the
Traffic and Transport Committee held on 2 February 2021

- (1) The Committee discussed the following:
- (i) Sha Tin District Bus Route Programme 2020-2021 – Re-organisation of Airport Routes, with the following 3 provisional motions passed:

- (a) “Background: The population of Ma On Shan has been on the rise incessantly, rendering the current airport bus services seriously insufficient.

Motion: The Traffic and Transport Committee of the Sha Tin District Council strongly demands that the service frequency of Airbus Route No. A41P be increased; consideration be taken to add new A or E Airbus routes to avoid overly circuitous routes in the hopes of transporting Ma On Shan residents to and from the airport more conveniently and swiftly; and airbus stops be mandatorily provided at Villa Athena and Yan On Estate to serve the residents.” (Unanimously passed);

- (b) “regarding the estimated journey times of the Airbus services in the Sha Tin District submitted by the Transport Department (TD), Route No. A46 takes 10 minutes longer than the other two amended routes (A41 and A42) to travel to Terminal 1. Hence, the Traffic and Transport Committee of the Sha Tin District Council moves to demand that the TD and the bus company:

Consider adjusting the proposed Route No. A46 to stopping at Terminal 1 first before going to Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge Hong Kong Port.” (Unanimously passed);

- (c) “regarding the programme of re-organisation of airport routes, the service level proposal for Route No. A42 has not been in line with other routes’.

Motion

The Traffic and Transport Committee of the Sha Tin District Council demands that the service level of Route No. A42 be adjusted to approximately the same level as that of other Airbus routes in the Sha Tin District, including the times and frequency of the first and last buses.”
(Unanimously passed); and

- (ii) a fatal traffic accident at the junction of Yuen Wo Road and Sha Tin Rural Committee Road on 11 November.
- (2) The Chairman of the Committee decided to postpone the following issues to the resumption meeting for discussion.
- (i) Sha Tin District Bus Route Programme 2020-2021 – Follow-up on Other Routes;
 - (ii) Proposed Route Adjustments Regarding Route No. 286M; and
 - (iii) Question to be Raised by Mr YUNG Ming-chau, Michael on the Traffic Conditions of Various Road Sections in the Sha Tin District.

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