

Progress Report of the 20th Meeting of Wong Tai Sin District Council
held on 6 January 2015

Rationalisation of Post Office Service in Wong Tai Sin District

(WTSDC Paper No. 1/2015)

Regarding the rationalisation of post office service in Wong Tai Sin District, Members passed the following motion:

“Regret that the Hongkong Post (HKPO) disregards public opinion and insists on shrinking its business hours, and urging the HKPO to suspend the implementation of its plan and consult Wong Tai Sin District Council (WTSDC) again before reaching any decision.”

2. Besides, Members agreed that the WTSDC should write to Mr. SO Kam-leung, Gregory, GBS, JP, Secretary for Commerce and Economic Development, to reflect its views on the issue. The said letter was sent out on 15 January 2015 (Annex 1). On 27 January 2015, the Secretariat received a reply from the Bureau (Annex 2), which was then forwarded to Members for reference on the same day.

Proposed Land Exchange for the Development of the Kowloon City Baptist Church

(WTSDC Paper No. 2/2015)

3. WTSDC welcomed very much the Baptist Church’s development of a new church building in Wong Tai Sin. Members expressed their views on the use of new church facilities and traffic arrangement, and requested the Church to provide traffic impact assessment documents for reference. Upon receipt of the supplementary information from the Church and Transport Department, Members would have a detailed discussion again on the traffic arrangement in respect of the new church building at the meeting of Traffic and Transport Committee under WTSDC.

WTSDC's Views on Inadequacy in Medical Services and Facilities in Wong Tai Sin District

4. Members agreed that WTSDC should write to the Chief Executive, detailing the views that the development of a new hospital at the Kai Tak Development Area could not meet the needs of the residents in Wong Tai Sin for Accident & Emergency Department and night medical consultation services, and that the WTSDC would continue to ask for such medical services and facilities for the district. The said letter was sent out on 27 January 2015 (Annex 3). On 2 February 2015, the Private Secretary to the Chief Executive acknowledged receipt of the letter. Reply would be forwarded to Members for information once available.

Wong Tai Sin District Council Secretariat
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