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(Attn: Ms Alice AU)

Dear Ms Au,

Public Works Subcommittee Meeting on 24 November 2004

**6019TC - Area Traffic Control and Closed Circuit Television System
for Tuen Mun and Yuen Long Districts**

At the captioned meeting, the Hon Miriam LAU suggested that the area traffic control (ATC) and closed circuit television (CCTV) system for Tuen Mun and Yuen Long Districts be expedited to tie in with the commissioning of Hong Kong-Shenzhen Western Corridor/Deep Bay Link (HK-SWC/DBL) in early 2006.

This project which comprises about 280 signalized junctions and 48 CCTV cameras is highly complex. It involves civil and electrical works, control centre preparation, and complex system integration to interface with KCRC's Light Rail Transit equipment. While we will attempt to compress the implementation programme as far as possible, the project is unlikely to be completed in early 2006.

While we do not anticipate the commissioning of HK-SWC/DBL to have substantial traffic impact on the Tuen Mun and Yuen Long town centres as most of the additional traffic generated would use the expressway network, we will put in place traffic management schemes and new traffic signal plans as

appropriate to alleviate the impact of additional traffic flow in Tuen Mun and Yuen Long town centres due to the commissioning of HK-SWC/DBL.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Anthony LOO', written in a cursive style.

(Anthony LOO)
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