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Subject Tamar site

To The Hon Lau Wong-fat

Dear Sir

I understand that the Planning, Lands & Works Panel of LegCo will be meeting on Tuesday 22 November to discuss a Government Briefing Paper about the use of the Tamar site in Central.

I am deeply concerned that this incredibly important site on the harbour waterfront should be used for anything other than the lowest of developments, and should definitely provide continuous and pleasant public access to the harbour. When you go to the other cities, like Sydney or London that have worked hard to provide access to their harbour (or river), you realise how wonderful it is. And our harbour is a tremendous resource. It is already such a shame that the area in front of Star Ferry is disappearing away from Central - please don't let more damage be done.

I urge you to not let this paper pass through Legco and to find sympathetic development plans.

Yours faithfully Dr Adrian Raper