ITEM FOR FINANCE COMMITTEE

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE PUBLIC WORKS SUBCOMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS PROGRAMME AND CAPITAL SUBVENTION PROJECTS

At Enclosure 1 is a summary of the recommendations of the Public Works Subcommittee (PWSC) made at its meeting on 7 February 2007.
2. With regard to Enclosure 2, PWSC Members agreed at the meeting on 7 February 2007 that the recommendation on 582TH should be submitted to Finance Committee separately to facilitate voting on the subject.
3. The relevant papers considered by the PWSC have been forwarded to all Members and are therefore not enclosed.
4. Members are invited to approve the PWSC recommendations.

Financial Services and the Treasury Bureau April 2007

Summary of the Recommendations of the Public Works Subcommittee made at its meeting on 7 February 2007

Project code	Project description	Recommendation		
332EP PWSC(2006-07)72 (Head 703)	A 24-classroom primary school in Sham Tseng, Tsuen Wan	To recommend to Finance Committee the upgrading of 332EP to Category A at an estimated cost of \$111.2 million in money-of-the-day prices for the construction of a 24-classroom primary school in Sham Tseng, Tsuen Wan.		
108CD PWSC(2006-07)73 (Head 704)	West Kowloon drainage improvement – Lai Chi Kok Transfer Scheme	To recommend to Finance Committee – (a) the upgrading of part of 108CD, as 150CD, entitled "Inter-Reservoirs Transfer Scheme - environmental impact assessment, investigation and design" to Category A at an estimated cost of \$26.0 million in money-of-the-day prices; and		
		(b) the retention of the remainder of 108CD in Category B.		

Summary of the Recommendations of the Public Works Subcommittee made at its meeting on 7 February 2007

Project code	Project description	Recommendation
582TH PWSC(2006-07)74 (Head 706)	Central Kowloon Route – consultants' design fees and site investigations	To recommend to Finance Committee to expand the scope and to increase the approved project estimate for 582TH from \$99.0 million by \$93.3 million to \$192.3 million in money-of-the-day prices.