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**Subcommittee on Road Traffic (Traffic Control)
(Amendment) Regulation 2007**

**Minutes of meeting on
Thursday, 1 March 2007, at 2:30 pm
in Conference Room B of the Legislative Council Building**

- Members present** : Hon WONG Kwok-hing, MH (Chairman)
Hon James TO Kun-sun
Hon Miriam LAU Kin-yee, GBS, JP
- Members absent** : Hon Andrew CHENG Kar-foo
Hon LI Fung-ying, BBS, JP
Hon CHEUNG Hok-ming, SBS, JP
- Public Officers
Attending** : Ms Annie CHOI, JP
Deputy Secretary for the Environment, Transport and Works
- Mr Donald NG
Principal Assistant Secretary for the Environment,
Transport and Works
- Mr Michael NG
Chief Transport Officer/Boundary
Transport Department
- Mr Ricky LEUNG
Senior Engineer/Standards
Transport Department

Clerk in attendance : Mr Andy LAU
Chief Council Secretary (1)2

Staff in attendance : Miss Monna LAI
Assistant Legal Adviser 7

Mr Noel SUNG
Senior Council Secretary (1)4

Action

I Election of Chairman

Mr WONG Kwok-hing was elected Chairman of the Subcommittee.

II Meeting with the Administration

- (LC Paper No. CB(1)1030/06-07(01) - Marked-up copy of regulation 27 and Schedule 1 to the Road Traffic (Traffic Control) Regulations (Cap. 374 sub. leg.G) as amended by L.N. 16 of 2007
- ETWB(T) CR 2/2/5593/98 - Legislative Council Brief issued by the Environment, Transport and Works Bureau
- LS35/06-07 - Legal Service Division Report dated 16 February 2007
- LC Paper No. CB(1)771/06-07(04) - Information paper entitled "Public Transport Arrangements at Sheung Shui to Lok Ma Chau Spur Line" provided by the Administration for the Transport Panel meeting on 26 January 2007
- LC Paper No. CB(1)1002/06-07 - Draft minutes of the meeting of the Transport Panel held on 26 January 2007)

2. The Subcommittee deliberated (index of proceedings attached at **Annex**).

3. The Subcommittee agreed to move a motion at the Council meeting on 7 March 2007 to extend the scrutiny period for the Road Traffic (Traffic Control) (Amendment) Regulation 2007 to 28 March 2007.

4. The Chairman said that the Subcommittee had completed its work and would report to the House Committee on 16 March 2007.

Action

III Any other business

5. There being no other business, the meeting ended at 3:20 pm.

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**Proceedings of the meeting of
the Subcommittee on Road Traffic (Traffic Control)
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Time marker	Speaker	Subject(s)	Action required
<i>Agenda Item I – Election of Chairman</i>			
000000 – 000151	Mr James TO Ms Miriam LAU Mr WONG Kwok-hing	Election of Chairman	
<i>Agenda Item II – Meeting with the Administration</i>			
000152 – 000233	Chairman	The Chairman welcomed members and representatives of the Administration to the meeting	
000234 – 000409	Administration	Briefing by the Administration	
000410 – 001332	Mr James TO Administration	Discussion on the scope and application of the Road Traffic (Traffic Control) (Amendment) Regulation 2007 (the Amendment Regulation) Discussion on the subsidiary legislation to be made under the Public Order Ordinance (Cap. 245) to allow drivers and cross-boundary passengers of urban and New Territories (NT) taxis to enter the public transport interchanges (PTIs) located within the closed area	
001333 – 002043	Chairman Administration	Discussion on the traffic arrangements associated with the proposal to allow urban and NT taxis to operate at the PTIs at the new control points	
002044 – 003213	Mr James TO Administration	Discussion on the appropriateness of deploying security guard for directing traffic and the security issues associated with the proposal to allow the 18 000 odd urban and NT taxis to operate at the new control points	
003214 – 003944	Mr James TO Administration	Expression of view by Mr TO that traffic wardens instead of security guards, who did not have any statutory power to regulate traffic, should be deployed to undertake duties relating to enforcement work Discussion on whether the Police's power to stop any vehicles from entering any	

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		sections of roads would be affected as a result of the enactment of the Amendment Regulation	
004807 -	Chairman	Scrutiny period for the Amendment Regulation	
<i>Agenda Item III – Any other business</i>			
	Chairman	The Subcommittee had completed its work and would report to the House Committee.	

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