

Appointment of Town Planning Board Members

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The Chief Executive has appointed 45 members to the Town Planning Board (TPB) for a two-year term from April 1, 2000 to March 31, 2002. Compared with the last term, the number of non-official members has been increased from 26 to 37. The Secretary for Planning and Lands has been appointed as Chairman.

Following is the list of membership, which is published in the Gazette today (March 31):

Official Members:

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- Secretary for Planning and Lands (Chairman)
- Director of Planning (Vice-Chairman)
- Secretary for Housing, or his/her representative
- Deputy Secretary for Transport, or his/her representative
- Director of Home Affairs, or his/her representative
- Director of Environmental Protection, or his/her representative
- Director of Lands, or his/her representative
- Deputy Director of Planning (District) (Secretary)

Non-official Members:

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Name	Background
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Mr Charles Nicholas BROOKE, BBS, J.P.	Surveying
Mr Daniel CHAM Ka-hung	Business
Mr CHAN Ka-kui, BBS, J.P.	Surveying
Dr Alex CHAN Siu-kun	Engineering
Dr CHAN Wai-kwan	Business/Commerce
Mr Christopher CHENG Wai-chee, J.P.	Industry
Dr Rebecca CHIU Lai-har	Environment, Planning, HKU
Professor Anthony COORAY	Law, CityU
Dr Leonard John ENDICOTT	Engineering
Mr Daniel HEUNG Cheuk-kei	Architecture
*Dr HO Kin-chung	Environment
Professor JIM Chi-yung, J.P.	Environment, Geography, HKU
Mr KWOK Kwok-chuen, BBS	Transport Advisory Committee (TAC) Member, Economist
Mr Michael LAI Kam-cheung, J.P.	Social work
Mr LAM Kwok-cheong	Legal practice
Professor Patrick LAU Sau-shing	Architecture, HKU
Mrs Angelina LEE WONG Pui-ling, J.P.	Legal practice

Professor LEUNG Tin-pui, J.P.	Engineering, PolyU
Professor LEUNG Yee	Environment, Geography, CUHK
Dr Eddy LI Sau-hung	Industry
*Mr LO Man-tuen, J.P.	Industry
*Prof Alex LUI Chun-wan	Architecture, CUHK
Mr Frederick LUI Lai-cheung, J.P.	Architecture
*Mr Francis LUI Yiu-tung	Engineering
*Mr Keith Gordon McKinnell	Surveying
*Mr Anthony NG Heung-hung	Architecture
*Mr NG Shui-lai, J.P.	Social Work
*Mrs Anna PAO-SOHMEN	Business/Commerce
Mr Edward PONG Chong, J.P.	Industry
Mr Almon POON Chin-hung	TAC Member, Legal practice
*Ms Pamela Rumball Rogers	Heritage
*Dr Greg WONG Chak-yan	Engineering
*Mr WONG Chi-kui	Architecture, HKU
Dr Peter WONG King-keung	Engineering
*Mr YU Kwok-chun, SBS, J.P.	Business/Commerce
*Dr Jose YU Sun-say, SBS, J.P.	Industry
Professor Shane ZEE Sze-yong	Environment, Botany, HKU
* New appointees (Total = 13)	

A Government spokesman said that the TPB membership has been expanded from 34 to 45, comprising 8 official and 37 non-official members.

He said that the expanded membership is to cope with the heavy workload of the Board, to strengthen representation of the relevant fields such as engineering, architecture, environment, etc.

“The interests of planning-related sectors which have not previously been represented such as landscape architect and heritage preservation will also be covered,” the spokesman added.

He noted that all TPB members are appointed on an ad personum basis.

“The Government looks forward to a very productive new two-year term of the Board. We have confidence in the ability, independence and dedication of all the members appointed,” he said.

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