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Mr Lau,

Cross-Country Motorcycling Activities

I refer to the discussion of the captioned subject by the LegCo Panel on Transport at its meeting on 17 December 1999. As requested by the Panel, I am pleased to provide information on the number of private clubs offering cross-country motorcycling activities in Hong Kong.

According to the Police and the Lands Department, there are three cross-country motorcycling clubs in operation in Hong Kong. Details are as follows -

Name of Association	Address	Remarks
Hong Kong Trials Club 香港技術爬山電單車會	No. 10, First Lane, Shing Mun New Village, Kam Tin, Yuen Long	No training courses or rental of motorcycle is provided. Only admits newcomers introduced by existing members and who have acquired relevant skills.
Super Scooter Motorcross Club 越野綿羊會	No. 2A Hung Kiu Shan Tsuen, Sheung Shui	Provides training courses, rental of motorcycle and membership.

Hong Kong Trials and
Motorcross Club
香港越野電單車聯會

No. 350, Lai Road,
Ping Che, Ta Ku Ling,
N.T.

Offer annual and one-
day membership, rental
and sale of motorcycle.

Under section 22 of the Road Traffic Ordinance (Cap. 374), every vehicle of a class specified in the Ordinance, including motorcycle, which is used on any road shall be licensed. However, since the activities organised by these clubs are held within private premises, the vehicles they use are not required to be licensed under Cap. 374 as long as they are not used on “roads” as defined by the Ordinance.

Yours sincerely,

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