ITEM FOR FINANCE COMMITTEE

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

Encl. 1	At the Enclosure 1 is the summary of the recommendations of the Public Works Subcommittee (PWSC) made at its meeting on 29 January 2003.		
		For the following three proposals at Enclosures 2 to 4 respectively, mbers agreed that such recommendations be submitted to mittee separately to facilitate voting on the subject -	
Encl. 2	(a)	PWSC(2002-03)82 458CL – Sha Tin New Town, stage 2 - construction of Road T3	
Encl. 3	(b)	PWSC(2002-03)80 759TH – Shenzhen Western Corridor 736TH – Deep Bay Link	
Encl. 4	(c)	PWSC(2002-03)83 323WF – Provision of water supply to Ngong Ping	
	3. forwarded to	The relevant papers considered by the PWSC have previously been all Members and are therefore not enclosed.	
	4.	Members are invited to approve the PWSC recommendations.	

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Enclosure 1 to FCR(2002-03)55

Summary of the Recommendations of the Public Works Subcommittee made at its meeting on 29 January 2003

Project code	Project description	Recommendation
46TR PWSC(2002-03)79 (Head 706)	East Rail Extension - essential public infrastructure works for the Sheung Shui to Lok Ma Chau Spur Line	To recommend to Finance Committee the upgrading of 46TR to Category A at an estimated cost of \$656.5 million in money-of-the-day prices for the essential public infrastructure works for the Sheung Shui to Lok Ma Chau Spur Line.
721TH PWSC(2002-03)81 (Head 706)	Widening of Yuen Long Highway between Lam Tei and Shap Pat Heung Interchange	To recommend to Finance Committee the upgrading of 721TH to Category A at an estimated cost of \$931 million in money-of-the-day prices for the widening of Yuen Long Highway between Lam Tei and Shap Pat Heung Interchange.
PWSC(2002-03)86 (Heads 701 – 711)	Capital Works Reserve Fund Head 701 — Land Acquisition Head 702 — Port and Airport Development Head 703 — Buildings Head 704 — Drainage Head 705 — Civil Engineering Head 706 — Highways Head 707 — New Towns and Urban Area Development Head 708 — Capital Subventions and Major Systems and Equipment Head 709 — Waterworks Head 710 — Computerisation Head 711 — Housing Block allocations	To recommend to Finance Committee the approval of a total allocation of \$9,700 million for 2003-04 for block allocations under the various Heads of Expenditure in the Capital Works Reserve Fund.

Summary of the Recommendation of the Public Works Subcommittee made at its meeting on 22 January 2003

Project code	Project description	Recommendation
458CL PWSC(2002-03)82 (Head 707)	Sha Tin New Town, stage 2 - construction of Road T3	To recommend to Finance Committee the upgrading of 458CL to Category A at an estimated cost of \$2,120.2 million in money-of-the-day prices for the construction of Road T3.

Enclosure 3 to FCR(2002-03)55

Summary of the Recommendation of the Public Works Subcommittee made at its meeting on 29 January 2003

Project code	Project description	Recommendation
759TH PWSC(2002-03)80 (Head 706)	Shenzhen Western Corridor) To recommend to Finance Committee -) (a) the upgrading of 759TH to) Category A at an estimated cost
736TH PWSC(2002-03)80 (Head 706)	Deep Bay Link	 of \$3,188 million in money-of- the-day prices for construction of the Shenzhen Western Corridor; and
		 (b) the upgrading of 736TH to Category A at an estimated cost of \$4,594.6 million in money-of- the-day prices for construction of the Deep Bay Link.

Enclosure 4 to FCR(2002-03)55

Summary of the Recommendation of the Public Works Subcommittee made at its meeting on 22 January 2003

Project code	Project description	Recommendation
323WF PWSC(2002-03)83 (Head 709)	Provision of water supply to Ngong Ping	To recommend to Finance Committee the upgrading of 323WF to Category A at an estimated cost of \$72.5 million in money-of-the-day prices for the provision of water supply to Ngong Ping.