NOTE FOR PUBLIC WORKS SUBCOMMITTEE OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

Supplementary information on 244ES – Secondary school in Area 38A, Sha Tin 297EP – Primary school in Area 38A, Sha Tin

INTRODUCTION

In considering the paper referenced PWSC(2003-04)31 at the Public Works Subcommittee meeting on 25 June 2003, Members requested the Administration to explore the feasibility of relocating the refuse collection point (RCP) adjacent to the proposed schools.

THE ADMINISTRATION'S RESPONSE

2. The RCP in question has been in use for years to provide daily refuse collection service for Tai Wai New Village opposite to the proposed schools. Sweepings are collected daily by refuse collection vehicles.

3. The Administration agrees to consider identifying a suitable site in the vicinity to relocate the RCP. Consultation with the village representatives of Tai Wai New Village will be necessary to ensure that the villagers will find the replacement site acceptable and convenient. Pending the identification of a site for relocation of the RCP, the relevant government departments will take every measure to maintain the RCP in a clean and tidy condition.

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