#### SUBCOMMITTEE TO FOLLOW UP THE OUTSTANDING LEISURE AND CULTURAL SERVICES PROJECTS OF THE FORMER MUNICIPAL COUNCILS

Information on the procedures for implementing the 25 Leisure and Cultural Services Priority Projects and ways to speed up their implementation

#### Introduction

In response to the Subcommittee's request at the meeting on 31 October 2005, this note sets out a review of the administrative and planning procedures for implementing the 25 Leisure and Cultural Services (LCS) Priority Projects (the 25 Projects) and informs the Members of the fast-tracked programme for speeding up their implementation. The procedures involve –

- 1) Preparation of Project Definition Statement;
- 2) Completion of Technical Feasibility Statement;
- 3) Consultants selection;
- 4) Design and preparation of tender documents by consultants;
- 5) Planning application to Town Planning Board for change of land use; and
- 6) Tender invitation and assessment.

Appendix 1 shows the approximate durations required under the fast-tracked programme for completing these pre-construction processes for three typical project types amongst the 25 Projects, i.e. open space, library-cum-indoor recreation centre complex, and swimming pool complex.

# Improved administrative and planning procedures to speed up the implementation of the 25 Projects

#### Preparation of Project Definition Statement (PDS)

2. The Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD) would set out clearly in the PDS the proposed scope and the justification for the project. Before submitting the draft PDS to the Home Affairs Bureau (HAB) for endorsement, the LCSD would consult the respective District Council (DC) of the proposed scope to ensure that the proposed project receives support of the local community. To speed up the process, the LCSD would commence the drafting of PDS in parallel with DC consultation. The timing needed from drawing up to finalizing the PDS is about 3 to 4 months depending on whether a timely DC meeting can be arranged. Appendix 2 shows the typical programme of the process.

#### Completion of Technical Feasibility Statement (TFS)

3. Normally, works departments are required to complete and submit a TFS to the Environment, Transport and Works Bureau (ETWB) for approval within 4 months upon receipt of a PDS. For the 25 Projects, the ArchSD will expedite the preparation with a view to securing ETWB's approval within 3 months. Relevant departments will be requested to offer their comments within a compressed schedule. Appendix 3 shows a breakdown of the expedited programme.

#### **Consultants Selection**

4. To accelerate the process for selecting consultants for the 25 Projects, D of Arch S will exercise his discretion to initiate the consultant selection process before security of funding, and compress the duration required for preparation of submissions to the Architectural and Associated Consultants Selection Board (AACSB) where possible. These measures will shorten the whole selection process from 6 to 7 months under a normal programme to 5 months for the 25 Projects, as illustrated in Appendix 4.

#### Design and Preparation of Tender Documents by Consultants

5. Upon award of the consultancy, the consultants will be required to complete sketch design, detailed design, working drawings, and tender documentation before inviting tenders. We have carefully examined the process for the 3 typical types of the 25 Projects and are able to come up

with a further compressed programme for them: 10 to 15 months for open space (Appendix 5a), 15 to 19 months for library cum indoor recreation centre complex (Appendix 5b), and 17 to 19 months for swimming pool complex (Appendix 5c) depending on the scale and complexity of the individual project.

## <u>Planning Application to Town Planning Board (TPB) for Change of Land Use</u>

6. When a project involves change of land use, approval from the TPB will be required. Normally, such approval can be obtained in 2 months when there is no objection or particular issues to be addressed. Otherwise, the TPB will take another 3-month statutory period to process the review application. For the 25 Projects, the ArchSD will closely liaise with the LCSD when the project scope is to be finalized and will trigger the planning application at the earliest possible stage if change of land use has been identified. Appendix 6 shows a typical programme of the process.

#### Invitation of Tender and Tender Assessment

7. To accelerate the process, authority to call for tender before funding approval will be sought from the HAB. For simple open space projects not subject to WTO GPA requirement (i.e. estimated tender price less than \$51.951M), the tender process can be completed within 3 months. For projects subject to WTO GPA requirement, since a minimum period of 40 days must be allowed for tenderers to prepare their tender submissions, the tender selection process will be completed within 4 months. Appendix 7 shows the typical programmes of the process.

#### **Advice Sought**

8. Members are invited to note the updated position of the fast-tracked procedures for implementation of the 25 Projects. This fast-tracked programme is achievable by special resources arrangement and co-ordination amongst relevant parties involved in each process.

Home Affairs Bureau Architectural Services Department November 2005

#### Procedures and lead-time for implementing the 25 LCS Priority Projects

	Procedures (Note 1)	Open S	pace	Library cur Recreation Cen		Swimming Poo	ol Complex			
	Troccures			Approximate tin						
Proj	ect Scope Definition	'								
(1)	LCSD to prepare Project Definition Statement and obtain HAB's approval. (Note 2)	3-4		3-4		3-4				
(2)	LCSD to consult District Council on the project scope.	To implement in (1)	parallel with	To implement in (1)		To implement in (1)	parallel with			
Pre-	construction Planning and Design									
(3)	ArchSD to prepare the Technical Feasibility Statement and submit to ETWB for approval.	3		3		3				
(4)	To select and appoint consultants	5		5		5				
(5)	Upon inclusion in RAE (Note 3), consultants to prepare sketch design, detailed design, working drawings and tender documents.	10 - 1 (depending on t complex	he scale and	15 - (depending on t	he scale and	17 - 1 (depending on t complex	he scale and			
(6)	To submit planning application to Town Planning Board for change of land use, if required.	(if not required)	2 - 6 (if required)	0 (if not required)	2 - 6 (if required)	0 (if not required)	2 - 6 (if required)			
(7)	LCSD to consult District Council on the preliminary design of the project.	To implement in pa	arallel with (5)	To implement in (5)		To implement in (5)	parallel with			
(8)	To consult LegCo's HA Panel, then submit to PWSC and FC for funding approval.	To implement in pa	arallel with (5)	To implement in (5)	=	To implement in (5)	parallel with			
(9)	ArchSD to invite tenders and conduct tender assessment.	3 - 4	1	4		4				
	Lead time required for pre-construction planning and design (i.e. from (3) to (9)) (Note 4)	21 - 27 (if (6) is not required)	23 - 33 (if (6) is required)	27 - 31 (if (6) is not required)	29 - 37 (if (6) is required)	29 - 31 (if (6) is not required)	31 - 37 (if (6) is required)			
Cons	struction (Note 5)	18 - 3 (depending on t complex	he scale and	24 - (depending on t	he scale and	33 - 36 (depending on the scale and complexity)				

- Note 1) The above procedures and lead time only apply to normal priority projects. It has not included additional time required for special processes such as land resumption, environmental impact assessment, statutory gazettal, slope stabilisation works, etc.
- (Note 2) For building projects, it is necessary to optimize site utilization by seeking joint users. Otherwise, approval from the Property Strategy Group is required, which will take additional lead time varying from 6 to 18 months.
- (Note 3) LCSD to submit application for inclusion in the Resource Allocation Exercise (RAE).
- (Note 4) Time required for RAE process has been absorbed by assuming that it will be implemented in parallel with (4) and be completed before (5).
- (Note 5) Time includes allowance for slippage due to inclement weather and unforeseen circumstances.

#### 25 LCS Priority Projects

## **Fast-tracked Programme for Preparation of Project Definition Statement (PDS)**

## 25項優先推行的文康工程

## 編定工程界定書的加快程序

Item	Activity 工作			nth-1 } - 1				th-2 } - 2			Mon 月伤			Month-4 月份 - 4				
項目		1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	
	Drawing up of project scope 釐定工程範圍																	
	Drafting and fine-tuning of PDS 草擬及修飾工程界定書																	
	Preparation-and Consultation with DC <sup>Note</sup> 事前準備及諮詢區議會 <sup>註</sup>																	
//	Submission of PDS for HAB's endorsement 呈交工程界定書給民政事務局批核													1				
5	Finalization of PDS 完成工程界定書													7				

Legend:

Programme chart 程序

4 months if timely DC meeting can be arranged.
若能安排適時的區議會會議,需時3個月。

4 months if timely DC meeting cannot be arranged.
若未能安排適時的區議會會議,則需時4個月。

Note: The time for consultation with DC is about 1 to 2 months depending on whether a timely DC meeting can be arranged.

註: 諮詢區議會所需時間約爲1至2個月,視乎能否安排適時的區議會會議。

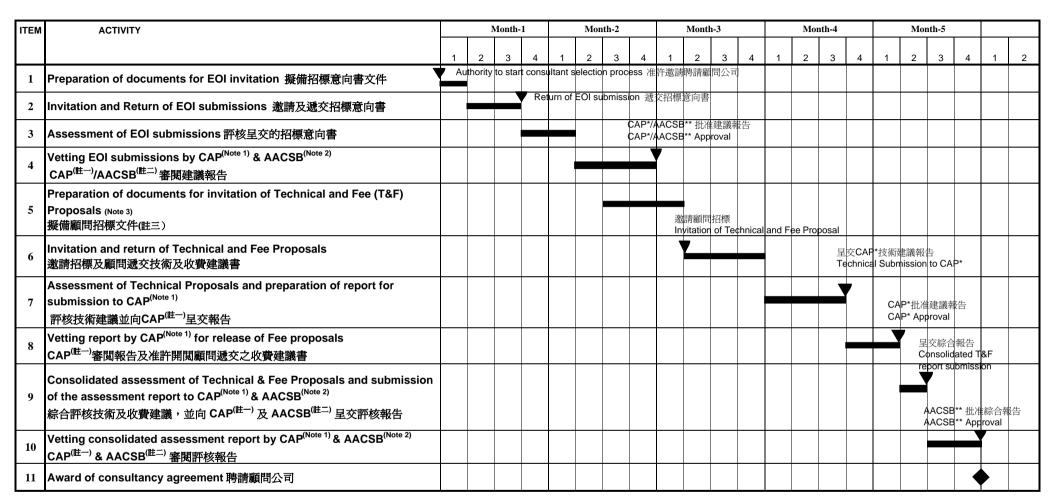
## 25 LCS Priority Projects 25項優先推行的文康工程 Fast-tracked Programme for Preparation of Technical Feasibility Statement (TFS)

## 編寫技術可行性說明書的加快程序

Item	Activity		Mon 月份					nth-2 } - 2				nth-3 } - 3		Month-4 月份 - 4			
		1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
1	Receipt of approved PDS 收妥批准的工程界定書	7															
	Topographical Survey 地形測量																
3	Tree Survey 樹木測量																
	Collection of utilities drawings/information																
4	蒐集公用設施記錄圖則/資料																
5	Conceptual Layout Plan Preparation & finalization with Client																
	概念規劃圖則準備及與業主共商最後修訂																
6	Cost Estimation 估價工作																
	Consultation with EPD on environmental issues																
7	就環境事宜諮詢環保署																
	Consultation with GPA on site utlisation issues																
	就土地運用事宜諮詢產業署																
	Consultation with DLO on land issues																
9	就土地需求事宜諮詢地政署																
	Preliminary Environmental Review (if required)																
10	初步環評報告(如需要)																
	TFS preparation 編寫技術可行性說明書																
12	Internal Vetting & Finalization 內部審閱及最後修訂									1							
	ETWB's Vetting and Approval																
13	環境運輸及工務局審閱及批核																

Legends: ▼ Milestone
Programme chart 程序

#### 25 LCS Priority Projects 25項優先推行的文康工程 Fast-tracked Programme for Consultant Selection 聘請顧問公司的加快程序



Note 1 / 註一: CAP\* - Consultancy Assessment Panel 顧問委任小組

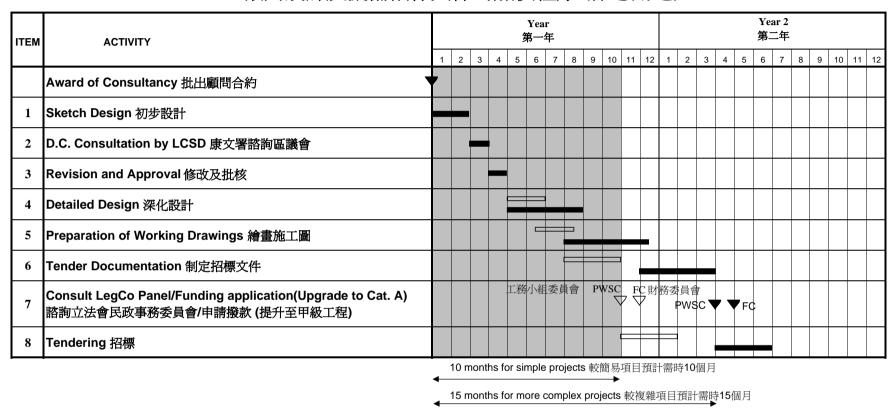
Note 2 / 註二: AACSB\*\* - Architectural and Associated Consultants Selection Board 建築及有關顧問潾潠委員會

Note 3: The documents will be prepared during Month 2 and be finalised in the 1st week of Month 3

註三: 擬備顧問招標文件可在第2個月開始進行並於第3個月首星期完成

## 25 LCS Priority Projects 25項優先推行的文康工程 Fast-tracked Programme for Consultant's Design and Preparation of Tender Documents (Open Space)

顧問設計及擬備招標文件的加快程序(休憩用地)



Note 1: Design programme subject to availability of approved Engineering Condition and Schedule of Accommodation.

註1: 此設計時間表的可行性是基於該項目已具有政府撥地工程方面的條款及該項目設施細明表

Note 2: Consultant's design process could range from 10 months for simple projects to 15 months depending on project complexity;

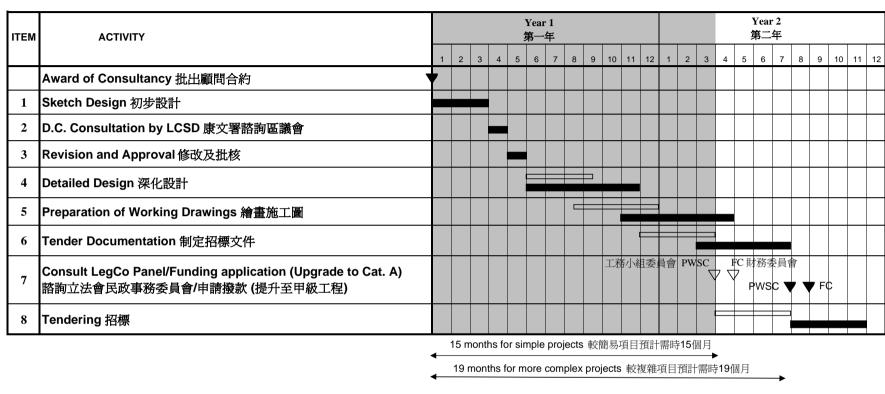
Tso Kung Tam Ecological Park (32 hectare/\$274 M) & DOS Development at Po Kong Village Road (9.46 hectare/\$405 M) would take even longer period.

註2: 基於項目的複雜性,顧問設計過程需時由10個月至15個月不等。曹公潭生態公園 (32公頃/2.74億)及蒲崗村道地區休憩用地 (9.46 公頃/4.05億) 所需時間將會更長。

Project of simple nature 較簡易項目
Project of more complex nature 較複雜項目

## 25 LCS Priority Projects 25項優先推行的文康工程 Fast-tracked Programme for Consultant's Design and Preparation of Tender Documents (Library-cum-IRC)

顧問設計及擬備招標文件的加快程序(圖書館兼室內康樂中心)



Note 1: Design programme subject to availability of approved of Engineering Condition and Schedule of Accommodation.

註1: 此設計時間表的可行性是基於該項目已具有'政府撥地工程方面的條款及該項目設施細明表

Note 2: Consultant's design process could range from 15 to 19 months depending on project complexity.

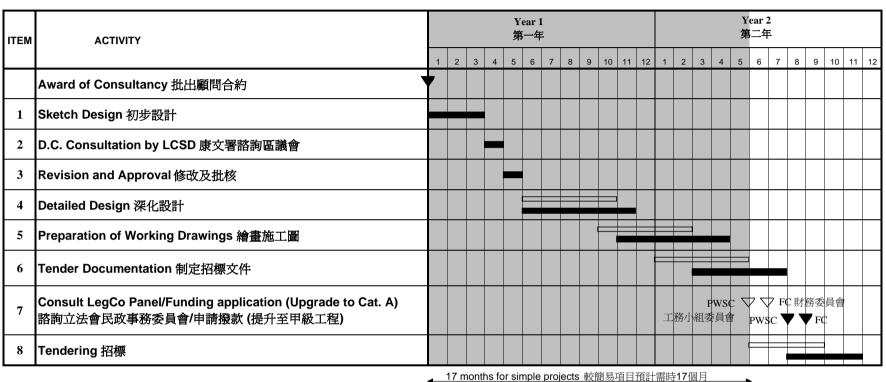
註2: 基於項目的複雜性,顧問設計過程需時由15個月至19個月不等。

── Project of simple nature 較簡易項目

■ Project of more complex nature 較複雜項目

## 25 LCS Priority Projects 25項優先推行的文康工程 **Fast-tracked Programme for Consultant's Design** and Preparation of Tender Documents (Swimming Pool Complex)

顧問設計及擬備招標文件的加快程序(游泳池場館)



19 months for more complex projects 較複雜項目預計需時19個月

Note 1: Design programme subject to availability of approved Engineering Condition and Schedule of Accommodation.

註1: 此設計時間表的可行性是基於該項目已具有政府撥地工程方面的條款及該項目設施細明表

Note 2: Consultant's design process could range from 17 to 19 months depending on project complexity.

註2: 基於項目的複雜性,顧問設計過程需時由17個月至19個月不等。

Project of simple nature 較簡易項目

Project of more complex nature 較複雜項目

# 25 LCS Priority Projects 25項優先推行的文康工程 Fast-tracked Programme of Planning Application to Town Planning Board for Change of Land Use

向城市規劃委員會提交申請更改土地用途規劃的加快程序

ITEM	ACTIVITY					Month-1 月份-1			Month-2 月份-2			lont 月份			lonth- 月份-4	-	11101	ith-5 分-5		Month-6 月份-6			/lont 月份	
		4	1 2	3	4 1	2	3 4	1	2	3 4	1	2	3 4	1	2 :	3 4	1 2	3	4	1 2	3	4 1	2	3 4
	LCSD's Confirmation of Change of Land Use 康文署確認需要更改土地用途																							
2	Liaison with end-users 與最終用家商討有關資料																							
	Preparation of Master Layout Plan & supporting details 準備整體配置圖及輔助文件																							
	TPB to publish application for public consultation & comment 城規會印制申請文件以供公眾咨詢及評論																							
_	TPB to hold a meeting & advise the outcome 城規會舉行會議及公佈結果										Re	view	v Арр	licatio	on 覆木	亥申詞	iii							
6	Preparation of Review Application to TPB (in case the 1st submission is not approved) 準備申請覆核文件呈交城規 (若第一次申請未予批核)										1	<b>7</b> <b>3 ←</b>	-Mon	th sta	utory	proc	essing p	eriod.	法例	規定 <b>&gt;</b>	三個月	房處理	里期阻	T X
	TPB to arrange the Review Application for public consultation 城規會安排覆核申請予公眾咨詢																							
	TPB to hold a meeting & advise the outcome 城規會舉行會議及公佈結果																							

2-Month statutory processing period\*

| 法例規定兩個月處理期限 |

<sup>\*</sup> TPB approval could be obtained in 2 months assuming no public objection or particular issues to be addressed; otherwise another 3-month process should be allowed for the review ap plication & resolution of any further public objection / particular issues.

<sup>\*</sup>若公眾對該項目沒有反對或其他特別問題,城規會的批核可於二個月內完成;否則,程序內需額外預留三個月作爲覆核申請 ,以解決 公眾反對及其他特別問題。

## 25 LCSD Priority Projects 25項優先推行的文康工程 Fast-tracked Programme of Tender Selection 招標加快程序

工程項目需須依據世貿採購協議定規限的招標時間表(即工程項目不少於5,195萬1千元)

Programme for Projects subject to WTO GPA requirements, (i.e. project cost not less than \$51.951M)

ITEM	TEM ACTIVITY				Month-1 月份-1				Month-2 月份-2				Month-3 月份-3					Month-5 月份-5			
		1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
1	Invitation of Tender 招標					/標		Ret	urn of	Tender	Subm	issions	返標								
7	Preparation of tender submissions by tenderers 投標者準備標書呈報		•	Inv	vitation	of Ten	der			7						評估報 mission					
3	Tender Assessment <sup>(Note)</sup> 標書審核 <sup>(註)</sup>															7		委員會 der Boa	批准 ard App	oroval	
	Vetting Tender Report by Central Tender Board 中央投標委員會審査標書評估報告																	7			
5	Award of Contract 批予工程																•		予工程 vard of (	Contrac	t

較簡易工程項目的招標時間表(即無須依據世貿採購協定條例規限)

**Programme for Simple Project (i.e. not subject to WTO GPA requirements)** 

ITEM	ACTIVITY	Month-1 月份-1				Month-2 月份-2				Month-3 月份-3				Month-4 月份-4				Month-5 月份-5			
		1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
1	Invitation for Tender 招標		招標																		
• •	Preparation of tender submissions by tenderers 投標者準備標書呈報	1	Invita	ation of	Tende	r	,		ender n 返標						投標委 Repor	員會 t to TB					
3	Tender Assessment <sup>(Note)</sup> 標書審核 <sup>(註)</sup>											7	Te	ender E	Board A	Approva	I 投標	委員會	批准		
	Vetting Tender Report by Tender Board 中央投標委員會審査標書評估報告													7							
5	Award of Contract 批予工程												•	Awa	ard of 0	Contract	批予	工程			

Note: Tender assessment includes obtaining all the supporting information for the tender report, such as contractors' conviction records, past performance reports and financial vetting.

註: 標書審核過程包括蒐集編寫標書評估報告所需的相關資料,如承建商過往判罪記錄、過去工作往續報告及財政審查。