

L.N. 54 of 2009**PRISONS (AMENDMENT) ORDER 2009**

(Made by the Secretary for Security under section 4 of the Prisons Ordinance (Cap. 234))

1. Commencement

(1) This Order (other than sections 4 and 5(b)) comes into operation on 15 June 2009.

(2) Sections 4 and 5(b) come into operation on 21 May 2009.

2. Discontinuance of the use of Sha Tsui Detention Centre as a prison

The use of the Sha Tsui Detention Centre (the place and buildings situated at 35 Shek Pik Reservoir Road, Lantau Island, except those parts of the buildings that are known as Blocks C, D and E and Workshops No. 1 and 2) as a prison is discontinued.

3. Setting apart of Sha Tsui Correctional Institution as a prison

The Sha Tsui Correctional Institution (the place and buildings situated at 35 Shek Pik Reservoir Road, Lantau Island) is set apart for the purposes of a prison.

4. Discontinuance of the use of Tai Tam Gap Correctional Institution as a prison

The use of the Tai Tam Gap Correctional Institution (the site and buildings situated at the junction of Shek O Road and Cape Collinson Road at the place known as Dragon's Back, except those parts of the buildings known as Dormitories C2 and C3) as a prison is discontinued.

5. Schedule amended

The Schedule to the Prisons Order (Cap. 234 sub. leg. B) is amended—

(a) by repealing the item relating to Sha Tsui Detention Centre;

(b) by repealing the item relating to Tai Tam Gap Correctional Institution;

(c) by adding—

“Sha Tsui Correctional Institution (the place and buildings situated at 35 Shek Pik Reservoir Road, Lantau Island)”.

Ambrose S. K. LEE
Secretary for Security

23 March 2009

Explanatory Note

This Order sets apart the Sha Tsui Correctional Institution as a prison. The Order discontinues the use of the Sha Tsui Detention Centre and the Tai Tam Gap Correctional Institution as prisons.

2. The Schedule to the Prisons Order (Cap. 234 sub. leg. B) is amended accordingly.