Panel on Transport

List of outstanding items for discussion

(position as at 14 April 2016)

Items Proposed timing for discussion 1. MTR fare adjustment for 2016 May 2016 Proposed by the Administration. The Administration plans to brief the Panel on MTR fare adjustment for 2016. 2. Installation of traffic detectors May 2016 Proposed by the Administration. The Administration plans to seek support for the funding application for installing traffic detectors in some sections of strategic routes. **3. Renewal of driving licences** May 2016 Proposed by the Administration. The Administration plans to brief the Panel on the arrangements for the second cycle of renewal of driving licence with a validity period of ten years. 4. Franchise of the network of the Kowloon Motor Bus June 2016 Co. (1933) Limited – views received through public engagement Proposed by the Administration. The Administration plans to brief the Panel on the public opinions on the requirements of the new franchise received during the public engagement exercise. 5. Public Transport Strategy Study ("PTSS")- Role and June 2016 **Positioning Review on premium taxis** Proposed by the Administration. The Administration plans to report to the Panel the progress of the study on premium taxis and the results of the review of hire car

permit application.

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6. PTSS – Role and Positioning Review on increasing the seating capacity of public light buses

June 2016

Proposed by the Administration. The Administration plans to report to the Panel the progress of the study on increasing the seating capacity of public light buses.

7. Review on fare adjustment arrangement for franchised buses

To be confirmed

The Administration plans to brief the Panel on the outcome of the review when ready.

8. Car parking spaces in urban areas

To be confirmed

Proposed by Dr KWOK Ka-ki and Mr Frankie YICK at the meeting on 10 October 2013. Dr KWOK and Mr YICK requested to discuss the adequacy of car parking spaces in urban areas, in particular those for heavy and large vehicles.

9. Central Kowloon Route

To be confirmed

Proposed by Mr CHAN Kam-lam in November 2013. Mr CHAN requested the Administration to report the progress of the Central Kowloon Route project to the Panel.

10. Certificate of Particulars of Motor Vehicle

To be confirmed

The Administration plans to propose legislative amendments for improving the arrangements for issuing Certificate of Particulars of Motor Vehicle in order to enhance the privacy protection for registered owners whose particulars are kept in the register and ensure that the personal data of registered vehicle owners contained in the register is properly used.

The item was last discussed at the Panel meeting on 11 July 2011.

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11. Cycling safety and consultancy study on cycling networks and parking facilities in existing new towns

To be confirmed

The Administration commissioned a consultancy study to review the existing cycle track networks in nine existing new towns. The study would identify deficiencies of the existing cycle track networks, propose remedial measures for improvements, and recommend an implementation programme for the proposed improvement works. The Administration plans to brief the Panel of the findings of the consultancy study upon its completion.

At the Panel meetings on 7 November 2011 and 16 October 2012 respectively, members considered that the issue of "cycling safety" should be revisited by the Panel and the Administration should consider formulating a policy to promote the use of bicycles as a means of transport in Hong Kong.

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