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Waterfront promenade adjacent to the Hong Kong Children's Hospital

The Hong Kong Children's Hospital ("HKCH") is located in the South Apron of Kai Tak Development. The construction of HKCH is targeted for completion in 2017. According to the Administration, the above project includes a pedestrian waterfront promenade; landscaped areas with benches, rain shelters, pavilions & flowering trees; children's play areas; and ancillary facilities such as toilets and a baby care room, etc.

2. In the 2017 Policy Address, the Administration announced that \$20 billion would be spent in the coming five years to launch 26 projects to develop new or improve existing sports and recreation facilities, and the Administration would also conduct technical feasibility studies for another 15 sports and recreation facility projects to prepare for their implementation in the future. The waterfront promenade project is amongst the 26 projects. According to the Administration, these 41 projects cover all the 18 districts, and will significantly increase the provision of and improve sports and recreation facilities as well as open spaces, so as to encourage members of the public to exercise regularly and improve the quality of living. Details of the 41 projects are provided at Annex I to LC Paper No. CB(2)649/16-17(03).

3. The Administration will consult the Panel on the funding proposal to develop the waterfront promenade adjacent to HKCH at the next meeting on 26 April 2017.

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