ROADS (WORKS, USE AND COMPENSATION) ORDINANCE (Chapter 370)
(Notice under section 18)

PWP CATEGORY D ITEM UNIVERSAL ACCESSIBILITY PROGRAMME— PROVISION OF LIFT AT FOOTBRIDGE NO. HF154 ACROSS GLOUCESTER ROAD AND PERCIVAL STREET NEAR SINO PLAZA IN WAN CHAI DISTRICT

TAKE NOTICE that under powers delegated by the Chief Executive, the Permanent Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport) has ordered under section 17(1)(a) of the Roads (Works, Use and Compensation) Ordinance (Chapter 370) ('the Ordinance') to close permanently an existing staircase; and temporarily sections of the existing carriageways and footpaths within the limit of works area as shown on Plan No. CE58/GAZ/HF154/0001 ('the Plan') and described in the scheme annexed thereto. The Plan and scheme were referred to in G.N. 4413 published on 1 August 2014 and 8 August 2014. The Permanent Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport) has further declared under section 17(1)(c) of the Ordinance that as from 2 April 2016, all public or private rights in, upon, under or over the existing staircase to be permanently closed, shall be extinguished; and from 2 April 2016 to 1 April 2017, all public or private rights in, upon, under or over the sections of the existing carriageways and footpaths to be temporarily closed, shall be extinguished, modified or restricted, as the case may be, during that period.

The works to be carried out in association with this closure mainly involve the construction of a lift at the existing footbridge No. HF154 across Gloucester Road and Percival Street near Sino Plaza, the construction of an elevated platform to connect the proposed lift with the existing footbridge, the construction of a staircase to connect the proposed elevated platform with the existing footpath and other ancillary works.

A copy of the order and the Plan may be inspected by members of the public free of charge at the following places and during the following hours when those offices are normally open to the public:—

Opening Hours Places (except on public holidays) Central and Western District Office, Public Enquiry Service Centre, Ground Floor, Harbour Building, 38 Pier Road, Central, Hong Kong. Monday to Friday 9.00 a.m.-7.00 p.m. Wan Chai District Office, Public Enquiry Service Centre, Ground Floor, 2 O'Brien Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong District Lands Office, Monday to Friday Hong Kong East, 8.45 a.m.-12.30 p.m. 19th Floor, Southorn Centre, and 130 Hennessy Road. 1.30 p.m.-5.30 p.m. Wan Chai, Hong Kong

This notice will be affixed on or near the affected carriageways, footpaths and staircase on 24 March 2016.

Any person entitled to compensation under the Ordinance may serve a written claim upon the Secretary for Transport and Housing, 22nd Floor, East Wing, Central Government Offices, 2 Tim Mei Avenue, Tamar, Hong Kong, before the expiration of one year from the date of closure.

Personal Information Collection Statement

Any information, including the personal data, submitted to the Secretary for Transport and Housing in connection with any written claims served under section 29 of the Roads (Works, Use and Compensation) Ordinance (Chapter 370) will be used for the processing of the claims and other related purposes. The provision of the information, including the personal data, as required under section 29 of the Roads (Works, Use and Compensation) Ordinance (Chapter 370) is obligatory. If such information, including the personal data, as required under section 29 of the Roads (Works, Use and Compensation) Ordinance (Chapter 370) is not provided as required under section 29 of the Roads (Works, Use and Compensation) ordinance (Chapter 370) is not provided as requised, the claims may be rejected. Any information, including the personal data, so submitted that we disclosed to the relevant government departments and other organizations or agencies which are required to handle the claims and related matters. Persons who have so submitted their personal data have the rights to request access to and correction of their personal data held by us. Request for access to or correction of the personal data should be made in writing to the Personal Data Privacy Officer of the Transport and Housing Bureau (Transport Branch) at 20th Floor, East Wing, Central Government Offices, 2 Tim Mei Avenue, Tamar, Hong Kong.

18 March 2016

Joseph Y. T. LAI Permanent Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport)