

It is hereby notified that sealed tenders are invited for **the agreement for management, operation and maintenance of Tate's Cairn Tunnel for the Transport Department (Tender Reference: TD 4/2017)**. The duration of the agreement shall be three years commencing on 11 July 2018 or on a date the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region shall specify.

Tenders must be clearly marked with the tender reference and the subject of the tender on the outside of the envelope (but should not bear any indication which may relate the tender to the tenderer) addressed to the Chairman, Central Tender Board, and placed in the Government Logistics Department Tender Box situated on the Ground Floor of the North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong before 12.00 noon on Friday, 3 November 2017. Late tenders will not be accepted. If a black rainstorm warning signal or tropical cyclone signal No. 8 or above is hoisted at any time between 9.00 a.m. and 12.00 noon on Friday, 3 November 2017, the tender closing time will be postponed to 12.00 noon on the first working day after the black rainstorm warning signal has ceased to be in effect or the tropical cyclone signal No. 8 is lowered.

Forms of tenders and further particulars are obtainable during office hours from Business Management Section of Transport Department at Room 3404, 34th Floor, Immigration Tower, 7 Gloucester Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong (Tel.: 2294 2587; Fax: 2877 5768).

Open tendering is adopted. All interested contractors/suppliers/service providers are invited to tender.

The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region does not bind itself to accept the lowest tender or any tender, and reserves the right to negotiate with any tenderer about the terms of the offer.

Details of the award of this agreement will be published on the Internet at (http://www.gld.gov.hk/eng/services_2_c.htm).

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TANG Wai-leung *Commissioner for Transport (Acting)*