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

PROPOSED ROAD WORKS AT GAGE STREET, GUTZLAFF STREET, STAVELEY STREET, PEEL STREET, GRAHAM STREET AND COCHRANE STREET, CENTRAL

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 sections of the existing footpaths at a site at Graham Street/Gage Street ('Site C') within the limit of works area as shown on Plan No. H18-RDWK-01 ('the Plan') and described in the scheme annexed thereto. The Plan and scheme were referred to in G.N. 6489 published on 14 November 2014 and 21 November 2014. The Permanent Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport) has further declared under section 17(1)(c) of the Ordinance that as from 26 January 2018, all public or private rights in, upon, under or over the sections of the existing footpaths to be permanently closed, shall be extinguished.

The works to be carried out in association with this closure mainly involve the construction of a footbridge over Graham Street connecting the proposed Urban Renewal Authority redevelopment project at Site C and a site at Peel Street/Graham Street/Gage Street ('Site B') and the conversion of a section of the existing footpath into public open space with associated footpath, staircase and ramp connecting with the existing side passage of Nos. 108–110 Wellington Street, as well as 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:—

Places

Central and Western Home Affairs Enquiry Centre, Ground Floor, Harbour Building, 38 Pier Road, Central, Hong Kong

District Lands Office, Hong Kong West and South, 20th Floor, Southorn Centre, 130 Hennessy Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong Opening Hours (except on public holidays)

Monday to Friday 9.00 a.m.—7.00 p.m.

Monday to Friday 8.45 a.m.–12.30 p.m. and 1.30 p.m.–5.30 p.m.

This notice will be affixed on or near the affected footpaths on 12 January 2018.

Any person entitled to compensation under the Ordinance may serve upon the Secretary for Transport and Housing a written claim, which can be submitted via one of the following means, before the expiration of one year from the date of closure, extinction, modification or restriction:—

- (1) By post or by hand to the Transport and Housing Bureau's Drop in Box No. 6 located at the 2nd Floor Entrance, East Wing, Central Government Offices, 2 Tim Mei Avenue, Tamar, Hong Kong. The box is available for use between 8.00 a.m. and 7.00 p.m. from Monday to Friday (except public holidays);
- (2) By fax to (852) 2868 4643; or
- (3) By email to (gazettethb@thb.gov.hk).

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 required the claims may be rejected. Any information, including the personal data, so submitted may be 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.

2 January 2018

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