

ROADS (WORKS, USE AND COMPENSATION) ORDINANCE (Chapter 370)

(Notice under section 8(2))

PWP ITEM NO. 7861TH/B  
WIDENING OF TAI PO ROAD (SHA TIN SECTION)

Notice is hereby given that under powers delegated by the Secretary for Transport and Housing under section 3(3) of the Roads (Works, Use and Compensation) Ordinance (Chapter 370), the Permanent Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport) proposes to execute the road works within the limit of works area as shown on Plans Nos. ST2075, ST2076 and ST2077 ('the Plans') and described in the scheme annexed thereto, which the Plans and scheme have been deposited in the Land Registry.

The general nature of the proposed works is as follows:—

- (i) widening of Tai Po Road of about 1.1 kilometres between Sha Tin Plaza near Sha Tin Rural Committee Road and Man Wo House of Wo Che Estate near Fo Tan Road from dual two-lane carriageway to dual three-lane carriageway;
- (ii) modification of the existing interchange at Sha Tin Rural Committee Road;
- (iii) modification of the substructure and staircase of the existing footbridge No. NF40 at Wo Che Street;
- (iv) modification of the substructure of the existing footbridge No. NF66 connecting Ha Wo Che and Wo Che Estate;
- (v) construction of at-grade carriageways, elevated carriageways, footpaths, cycle tracks, subway for cycle track, central median, semi-enclosure noise barriers, semi-enclosure noise barriers with 2-metre cantilevers, vertical noise barriers, vertical noise barriers with 2-metre cantilevers and staircases;
- (vi) construction of lifts at the junction of Tai Po Road/Sho Tin Rural Committee Road;
- (vii) permanent closure and conversion of sections of the existing at-grade carriageways into central medians and cycle tracks;
- (viii) permanent closure and conversion of sections of the existing elevated carriageways into at-grade carriageways, footpath and central medians;
- (ix) permanent closure and conversion of sections of the existing footpaths into elevated carriageways and cycle tracks;
- (x) permanent closure and conversion of sections of the existing cycle tracks into at-grade carriageway and elevated carriageways;
- (xi) permanent closure and conversion of a section of the existing subway into footpath;
- (xii) permanent closure and conversion of a section of the existing subway for cycle track into cycle track;
- (xiii) permanent closure and conversion of sections of the existing central medians into at-grade carriageways and elevated carriageways;
- (xiv) permanent closure and conversion of sections of the existing staircases into footpath and cycle tracks;
- (xv) permanent closure and demolition of sections of the existing at-grade carriageways, elevated carriageways, footpaths, cycle tracks, subway for cycle track and staircases;
- (xvi) temporary closure and reconstruction of sections of the existing at-grade carriageways, elevated carriageways, footpaths, cycle tracks, central medians and staircase; and
- (xvii) ancillary works including construction of retaining walls, drainage, sewerage, water, utilities, street lighting and landscaping works and installation of traffic control and surveillance system.

The Plans and scheme 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:—

<i>Places</i>	<i>Opening Hours (except on public holidays)</i>
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.
Sha Tin District Office, Public Enquiry Service Centre, Ground Floor, Sha Tin Government Offices, 1 Sheung Wo Che Road, Sha Tin, New Territories	
District Lands Office, Sha Tin, 11th Floor, Sha Tin Government Offices, 1 Sheung Wo Che Road, Sha Tin, New Territories	Monday to Friday 8.45 a.m.–12.30 p.m. and 1.30 p.m.–5.30 p.m.

Further enquiries regarding the proposed works can be addressed to the New Territories East Development Office, Civil Engineering and Development Department, Suite 1213, Chinachem Golden Plaza, 77 Mody Road, Tsim Sha Tsui East, Kowloon and at telephone number 3106 2764.

Any person who wishes to object to the works or the use, or both, is required to address his objection in writing to the Secretary for Transport and Housing, 22nd Floor, East Wing, Central Government Offices, 2 Tim Mei Avenue, Tamar, Hong Kong so as to reach the office of the Secretary not later than the 13th day of October 2015, describing his interest and the manner in which he alleges that he will be affected by the works or the use. Objectors are requested to provide contact details to the Secretary to facilitate communication.

Personal Information Collection Statement

Any information, including the personal data, submitted to the Secretary for Transport and Housing in connection with any written objections/comments will be used for the processing of the objections/comments and other related purposes. The provision of any information, including the personal data, other than the information as required under section 10(2) of the Roads (Works, Use and Compensation) Ordinance (Chapter 370) is voluntary. However, it may not be possible to process the objections/comments if such information, including the personal data, is not sufficiently provided. Any information, including the personal data, so submitted may be disclosed to the relevant government departments and other persons, organizations or agencies which are required to handle the objections/comments 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.

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and Housing (Transport)*