

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

PWP ITEM NO. 6850TH
NEW WANG TONG RIVER BRIDGE

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 the existing footbridge and sections of the existing footpaths, cycle track, amenity area and beach; and temporarily sections of the existing footpaths, cycle track, amenity area and beach within the limit of works area as shown on Plan No. HWDIS101A-GZ0001 ('the Plan') and described in the scheme annexed thereto. The Plan and scheme were referred to in G.N. 8699 published on 23 November 2018 and 30 November 2018. The Permanent Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport) has further declared under section 17(1)(c) of the Ordinance that as from 28 September 2020, all public or private rights in, upon, under or over the existing footbridge and sections of the existing footpaths, cycle track, amenity area and beach to be permanently closed, shall be extinguished; and from 28 September 2020 to 29 September 2021, all public or private rights in, upon, under or over the sections of the existing footpaths, cycle track, amenity area and beach 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 footbridge of approximately 35 metres (m) long across Wang Tong River, a cycle bridge of approximately 35m long across Wang Tong River and pedestrian crossings, 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:—

| <i>Places</i> | <i>Opening Hours (except public holidays)</i> |
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| Central and Western Home Affairs Enquiry Centre, Ground Floor, Harbour Building, 38 Pier Road, Central, Hong Kong | Monday to Friday 9.00 a.m.–7.00 p.m. |
| Islands District Office Main Office, 20th Floor, Harbour Building 38 Pier Road, Central, Hong Kong | Monday to Friday 8.45 a.m.–6.00 p.m. |
| Islands Home Affairs Enquiry Centre (Mui Wo), Ground Floor, Mui Wo Government Offices, 2 Ngan Kwong Wan Road, Mui Wo, Lantau Island, Hong Kong | Monday, Wednesday and Friday 9.00 a.m.–6.00 p.m. |
| District Lands Office, Islands, 19th Floor, Harbour Building, 38 Pier Road, Central, Hong Kong | 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 footbridge, footpaths, cycle track, amenity area and beach on 25 September 2020.

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 requested, 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.

17 September 2020

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