

TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT NOTICE

Special Traffic and Transport Arrangements for the 58th Hong Kong Brands and Products Expo at Victoria Park

Notice is hereby given that the following special traffic and transport arrangements will be implemented in the vicinities of Causeway Bay and Tin Hau to facilitate the holding of the 58th Hong Kong Brands and Products Expo at Victoria Park from 14 December 2024 to 6 January 2025:-

I. Traffic Arrangements

A. Road Closure

Depending on the on-site crowd and traffic conditions, the following road closures may be partially implemented or implemented simultaneously from 4.00 pm to 10.00 pm between 14 December 2024 and 6 January 2025 to all vehicular traffic (except for authorised vehicles):-

1. Part 1

- (a) The section of Gloucester Road southbound between Kingston Street and Causeway Road; and
- (b) Sugar Street.

2. Part 2

- (a) The section of Gloucester Road northbound between Kingston Street and Causeway Road (except northbound traffic from Moreton Terrace flyover) ; and
- (b) Sugar Street.

3. Part 3

- (a) Great George Street;
- (b) The section of Paterson Street between Kingston Street and Great George Street; and
- (c) The section of Kingston Street westbound between Gloucester Road northbound and Paterson Street.

4. Part 4

- (a) Cleveland Street;
- (b) Kingston Street; and
- (c) The section of Paterson Street between Gloucester Road westbound and Kingston Street.

5. Part 5

- (a) Intermittent closure of Hing Fat Street (except franchised buses and green minibuses);
- (b) Intermittent closure of the section of Electric Road between Yacht Street and Hing Fat Street (except taxis and vehicles accessing to Park Towers);
- (c) Intermittent closure of the section of Lau Li Street between Hing Fat Street and Ngan Mok Street; and
- (d) The general lay-by at Hing Fat Street northbound near Tsing Fung Street.

B. Traffic Diversion

To facilitate the aforementioned road closure arrangements, the following traffic diversions may be partially implemented or implemented simultaneously in the concerned periods:-

1. Part 1

- (a) Traffic along Victoria Park Road flyover will be diverted via Gloucester Road westbound; and
- (b) Traffic along Yee Wo Street eastbound will be prohibited from entering Sugar Street.

2. Part 2

- (a) Traffic along Moreton Terrace flyover northbound will be prohibited from making left turn onto Kingston Street westbound; and
- (b) Traffic along Yee Wo Street eastbound will be prohibited from entering Sugar Street.

3. Part 3

- (a) Traffic along Paterson Street southbound will be diverted via Kingston Street eastbound; and
- (b) Traffic along Cleveland Street southbound will be diverted via Kingston Street eastbound.

4. Part 4

Traffic along Gloucester Road westbound will be prohibited from entering Cleveland Street and Paterson Street.

5. Part 5

Traffic along Causeway Road will be prohibited from entering Hing Fat Street.

C. Implementation of Pedestrianization

Pedestrianization will be continued to be implemented on the following road sections from 4.00 pm to 12.00 midnight on Mondays to Fridays (except Public Holidays), and from 12.00 noon to 12.00 midnight on Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays during the holding of the above event same as current arrangements:-

1. Lockhart Road east of Cannon Street;
2. East Point Road; and
3. Great George Street west of Paterson Street.

II. Transport Arrangements

A. Bus Stop Arrangements

The stopping points of the following bus routes will be arranged from 10.00 am on 13 December 2024 to 10.00 am on 7 January 2025:-

1. The bus stops at Causeway Road outside Victoria Park will be temporarily re-arranged. The bus routes involved are as follows:-

Citybus Routes	2, 2A, 2X, 5X, 8, 8H, 8P, 8X, 10, 15B, 23, 25, 38, 42, 42C, 63, 65, 77, 81, 99, N8, N8P, N8X and N72.
Cross Harbour Routes	103, 112, 116, 170, 601, 601P, 603, 603A, 619, 619X, 621, 671, 673, 678, 679, 680, 680X, 681, 681P, 690, 690S, 914, 914P, 914X, 948, 948A, 948B, 948P, 948X, 960C, 960P, 960S, 961, 961P, 961S, 968, 968A, A11, E11, E11A, E11B, E11S, N122, N170, N307, N368, N619, N680, N691 and NA11.

2. The bus stop for Cross Harbour Route Nos. 102 and 106 (Eastern District bound) at Causeway Road outside Victoria Park will be suspended ; and
3. An additional bus stop will be provided for Cross Harbour Route No. 307 (Tai Po Centre bound) at Causeway Road outside Victoria Park.

B. Suspension of Public Light Bus (PLB) and Taxi Stands

Depending on the on-site crowd and traffic conditions, the PLB stands at Paterson Street and Sugar Street and taxi stands at Paterson Street and Lau Li Street may be suspended from 4.00 pm to 10.00 pm between 14 December 2024 and 6 January 2025.

C. Suspension of Parking Spaces

The entire Hing Fat Street Public Carpark (except parking spaces designated for the disabled) will be suspended at the times specified below (except for authorised vehicles) :-

1. From 8.00 am to 8.59 pm daily from 11 to 13 December 2024;
2. From 8.00 am to 7.59 pm daily from 14 December 2024 to 5 January 2025;
3. From 8.00 am to 11.59 pm on 6 January 2025; and
4. From 8.00 am to 8.59 pm on 7 January 2025.

D. Restrictions on Access to / Exit from Carparks and Hotels

Vehicles access to and from all carparks along Great George Street and the Park Lane Hotel may be restricted at short notice during implementation of the above road closure by the Police. Vehicles parked in carparks within the road closure areas and the hotel may not be permitted to leave the car parks until the road closure is lifted.

III. Attention and Appeal

Appropriate traffic signs will be erected to guide motorists. Notices will also be displayed by public transport operators to advise passengers of the above temporary public transport arrangements. The actual implementation of road closures, traffic control and diversion measures will be exercised or altered by the Police depending on the prevailing crowd and traffic conditions. Strict enforcement on illegal parking, including multiple ticketing and towing, will be taken by Police when necessary. Motorists are advised to be patient when driving in the vicinities and follow the Police's instructions.

The Transport Department anticipates that the traffic in the vicinities of Causeway Bay and Tin Hau will be relatively busy during the holding of the above event. Members of the public are

advised to use public transport services as far as possible and avoid driving to the affected areas. Public transport passengers are advised to pay attention to the special public transport arrangements.

Members of the public can browse Transport Department's website at www.td.gov.hk or mobile application "HKeMobility" for the information of the special traffic and transport arrangements, and should watch out for the latest traffic news through the media.

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