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### **Harbour-front Enhancement Committee**

## Register of Public Enquiries received by the Harbour-front Enhancement Committee ("HEC")

### **PURPOSE**

At the second meeting of the HEC on 8 July 2004, Members requested the Secretary to prepare a summary progress report on public enquiries received. A report is now prepared at <u>Annex</u> for Members' reference.

### **ADVICE SOUGHT**

2. Members are requested to note the contents of the report.

Secretariat, Harbour-front Enhancement Committee August 2004

<u>Annex</u>

# **Progress Report on Public Enquiries Received**

Date received	From	Subject of enquiry	Follow-up action
3 May 2004	Mr Gerard Blitz	Suggestion on Land Use. Tamar Site is ideal to make a boat basin for restaurants, bar and shopping arcades etc. for tourist such as the one in Cape Town, South Africa.	To be considered by the HEC Sub-committee on WDII.
19 June 2004	Mr Ken Cheung Chi-kit	The "Flags Park" Proposal. To erect a column of flag poles at the promenade of the Victoria Harbour after the completion of Central Reclamation Phase III ("CRIII").	To be considered by the HEC Sub-committee on Harbour Plan Review.
31 May 2004	Mr John Herbert	Dissatisfaction with HEC Web Site Music. To add an option to switch off the background music of the HEC website.	Action completed.
1 June 2004	Mr Wong Wing-chi	Suggestion to use an  "undersea bypass".  ◆ To use an undersea bypass instead of reclamation to build the Central – Wan Bypass ("CWB").	◆ Report on review of CRIII sent to Mr Wong. Action completed.

		◆ To request details of the discussions of the three Sub-committees.	♦ Minutes of the Sub-committee meetings will be uploaded to the relevant websites.
4 July 2004	Ms Chow Ping-kuen	Suggestion on CRIII. To build the CWB in the form of double deck tunnel.	Report on review of CRIII sent to Ms Chow. Action completed.
8 July 2004	Save Our Shoreline ("SOS")	Distributing copies of SOS's publication and request for presentation at HEC meetings.	Request rejected as the content of the publication is outside the purview of the HEC.
20 July 2004	Mr M Lau	Waterfront at Hampton Place. To relocate the Yuen Fat Pier to Stonecutter Island and use the pier site as a District Open Area for sitting out area or a park.	Reply issued to Mr Lau. The land use of that part of West Kowloon was fixed long before the residential developments in the vicinity were completed and occupied.
26 July 2004	Mr Lam Chi-keung	Suggestion to build a Dragon Ball Tower at SEKD. To build a "Dragon Ball" City in South East Kowloon and in which a	To be considered by the HEC Sub-committee on SEKD Review.

		Dragon Ball Tower (龍珠 塔) can be built as a new land mark for Hong Kong and a new tourist spot.	
26 August 2004	Mr I T Brownlee	To request for presentation on the development proposals of "Old Hong Kong" – a proposal aimed at developing harbour-front tourism, entertainment and commercial facilities at Hoi Yu Street, Quarry Bay, Hong Kong.	The HEC house rules are still being considered. The recommendation at this stage is not to discuss the private-initiated proposals at the HEC. Request rejected.

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