CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE

Hong Kong is one of the world's most densely populated cities. A safe, efficient and reliable transport system that meets the economic, social and recreational needs of the community is of pivotal importance to the smooth running of the city. The Transport Advisory Committee is responsible for tendering advice on broad issues of transport policy and major transport-related proposals to facilitate the continuous development of Hong Kong. Since its establishment in 1965, the Transport Advisory Committee has been working closely with the Government in striving to achieve such objectives.

In 2006/07, the Transport Advisory Committee was consulted on a wide range of major transport issues. Members offered advice in their personal capacities to assist the Government in mapping out transport strategies that meet public needs. I would like to take this opportunity to express my gratitude to all my colleagues serving on the Transport Advisory Committee. Their dedication and support contributes to the smooth operation of the Committee. We will continue to tender impartial advice to the Government for maintaining and developing a transport system that meets the aspirations of the community and sharpens Hong Kong's edge as a transportation hub.

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