Roads (Works, Use and Compensation) Ordinance (Chapter 370)

Scheme annexed to Plans Nos. GZ001 to GZ003 under section 5 describing

PWP Item No. 7100CX Pedestrian Walkway Linking West Kowloon Cultural District and Tai Kok Tsui

General Description of the Works

Under powers delegated by the Secretary for Transport and Logistics under section 3(3) of the Roads (Works, Use and Compensation) Ordinance (Chapter 370) ("the Ordinance"), the Permanent Secretary for Transport and Logistics proposes to execute the road works within the limit of works area as shown on Plans Nos. GZ001 to GZ003 ("the Plans") annexed hereto and described hereunder. The proposed road works are required to provide infrastructure necessary to serve the development of West Kowloon Cultural District.

- 2. The general nature of the proposed works is as follows:
 - (i) construction of footpaths and pedestrian crossings;
 - (ii) permanent closure and conversion of a section of the existing at-grade carriageway into a traffic island;
 - (iii) temporary closure and reconstruction of sections of the existing footpaths and amenity areas; and
 - (iv) ancillary works including drainage, water, utilities, landscaping and street lighting works.

Roads to be Closed

3. For the purposes of or incidental to the works or the use, the Permanent Secretary for Transport and Logistics proposes that powers under section 17 of the Ordinance may be exercised to close permanently a section of the existing at-grade carriageway; and to close temporarily sections of the existing at-grade carriageways, elevated carriageways, footpaths, run-ins/run-outs and amenity areas within the limit of works area as shown on the Plans. Temporary alternative access will be provided and temporary diversions will be carried out during the construction period as and when required. Further notice, setting out the manner in which such at-grade carriageways, elevated carriageways, footpaths, run-ins/run-outs and amenity areas are to be closed, will be issued under section 18 of the Ordinance as and when required.

Apparatus whose Course or Position to be Altered

4. For the purposes of or incidental to the works or the use, the Permanent Secretary for Transport and Logistics proposes that powers under section 20 of the Ordinance may be exercised to require alteration of the course or position of any gas, electricity, water or telecommunications service apparatus, such as electricity cables and ducts, telecommunication cables and ducts, water mains, drainage pipes, gas pipes and any other apparatus lying within the limit of works area, and to require repairing of any road surface thereby disturbed. Further notice, setting out the manner in which the course or position of such apparatus is to be altered and such road surface is to be repaired, will be issued under section 20 of the Ordinance as and when required.

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Permanent Secretary for Transport and Logistics

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