### **Transport Department Notice**

# Special Traffic and Transport Arrangements for Cheung Chau Jiao and Bun Festival 2017

Notice is hereby given that the following special traffic and transport arrangements will be implemented in Central, Aberdeen and Cheung Chau in connection with Cheung Chau Jiao and Bun Festival 2017:

## (A) Ferry Services

- (i) The ferry service plying between Central and Cheung Chau will be strengthened on 3 May 2017 to meet passenger demand as and when required. To cope with the passenger demand after the "Bun Scrambling Competition", the ferry operator will arrange an additional sailing from Cheung Chau to Central at 1.15 a.m. on 4 May 2017.
- (ii) The Cheung Chau berthing point of the ferry service plying between Aberdeen and Cheung Chau will be temporarily relocated to the landing step outside Cheung Chau Municipal Services Building on 3 May 2017. The ferry service will be strengthened on the same day to meet passenger demand.

#### (B) Bus Services

# (i) From about 1.10 a.m. to 2.30 a.m. on 4 May 2017

A special bus service of Cross Harbour Route (XHT) No. 104R will be operated from Central Pier No. 5 to Mong Kok by KMB/NWFB.

## (ii) From the first departure to about 2.50 a.m. on 4 May 2017

The overnight bus service of CTB Route Nos. N8X (to Siu Sai Wan) and N90 (to South Horizons), XHT Nos. N182 (to Kwong Yuen) ,N619 (to Shun Lee) and N368 (to Yuen Long West) on their journeys from Central (Macau Ferry) will be diverted from Connaught Road Central eastbound to operate via Man Kwong Street, Man Yiu Street, Man Cheung Street, Jubilee Street underpass, Connaught Road Central westbound and Rumsey Street before resuming their original routeings. A temporary bus stop will be designated outside Central Pier No. 5.

#### (C) Temporary Suspension of Taxi Stands

Taxi stand and cross-harbour taxi stand outside Central Pier No. 5 and 6 will be temporarily suspended from 4.00 a.m. to 8.59 p.m. on 3 May 2017.

## (D) Attention and Appeal

As the passenger demand will be high, passengers of "Central – Cheung Chau" and "Aberdeen – Cheung Chau" ferry routes may need to queue for a longer time for the ferry services. Passengers are advised to plan their journey in advance and pay attention to the latest traffic news, and follow the instructions of the Police or pier staff on site for boarding the ferries.

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