## **TRAFFIC ADVICE**

## Special Traffic Arrangements for a Public Procession On Hong Kong Island on 29 May 2016

Members of the public are advised that to facilitate a public procession to be held on Hong Kong Island, the following special traffic arrangements will be implemented by the Police on 29 May 2016 (Sunday):

## A. Road Closure

- (i) The following roads will be intermittently closed to all vehicular traffic from about 2.15 pm onwards until the crowd is dispersed and the road closure is lifted:
  - (a) Hennessy Road westbound;
  - (b) Queensway westbound;
  - (c) Queen's Road Central westbound;
  - (d) Queen's Road West westbound;
  - (e) Connaught Road West westbound; and
  - (f) Western Street
- (ii) The following roads will be closed to all vehicular traffic from about 2.30 pm onwards until the crowd is dispersed and the road closure is lifted:
  - (a) The section of Thomson Road between its western junction with Johnston Road and Luard Road;
  - (b) The section of Luard Road between Johnston Road and Hennessy Road:
  - (c) The slip road leading from Justice Drive to Queensway;
  - (d) The slip road leading from Garden Road to Queen's Road Central (except franchised buses and green minibuses);
  - (e) The section of Lower Albert Road westbound between Garden Road and Ice House Street (except franchised buses and green minibuses);
  - (f) The section of Ice House Street between Lower Albert Road and Queen's Road Central (except franchised buses and green minibuses);
  - (g) The section of Wyndham Street northbound between Wellington Street and Queen's Road Central (except for vehicles accessing to On Lan Street carpark);
  - (h) The section of Cochrane Street between Stanley Street and Queen's Road Central;

- (i) The section of Chiu Kwong Street between Des Voeux Road West and Connaught Road West; and
- (j) The slow lane of Connaught Road West flyover westbound between Centre Street and Chiu Kwong Street.

## **B.** Traffic Diversion

The following traffic diversion will be implemented to all vehicular traffic from about 2.30 pm onwards until the crowd is dispersed and the road closure is lifted:

- (a) Traffic along Johnston Road eastbound will be prohibited from turning left onto Thomson Road;
- (b) Traffic along Johnston Road eastbound will be prohibited from turning left onto Luard Road;
- (c) Traffic along Johnston Road westbound will be prohibited from turning right onto Luard Road;
- (d) Traffic along Justice Drive northbound will be prohibited from turning left onto Queensway westbound;
- (e) Traffic along Garden Road northbound will be prohibited from turning left onto Queen's Road Central westbound (except for franchised buses and green minibuses);
- (f) Traffic along Garden Road northbound will be prohibited from turning left onto Lower Albert Road westbound (except for franchised buses and green minibuses);
- (g) Traffic along Upper Albert Road northbound must turn right onto Lower Albert Road eastbound (except for franchised buses and green minibuses);
- (h) Traffic along Lower Albert Road eastbound will be prohibited from turning onto Ice House Street (except for franchised buses and green minibuses);
- (i)Traffic along Wyndham Street northbound must turn left onto Wellington Street;
- (j)Traffic along Stanley Street must turn left onto Cochrane Street southbound;
- (k) Traffic along Queen's Road Central will be prohibited from turning left onto Possession Street southbound; and
- (l)Traffic along Connaught Road West westbound will be prohibited from turning left onto Chiu Kwong Street.

Vehicles parked in carparks within the closed areas may not be permitted to leave or enter the car parks during the road closure period until the crowd is dispersed and the road closure is lifted.

Actual implementation of and adjustments to the traffic control measures will be made by the Police at the time depending on the conditions in the areas.

Motorists are advised to be patient when driving in the vicinity and follow Police's instruction. The public are advised to use public transport services as far as possible, avoid driving to the affected area and watch out for the latest traffic news via media.