

## **TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT NOTICE**

### **Special Traffic and Transport Arrangements for the Public Parades in Causeway Bay on 11 and 12 November 2017**

Notice is hereby given that the following special traffic and transport arrangements will be implemented in connection with the public parades in Causeway Bay on 11 and 12 November 2017:

#### **Public Parade on 11 November 2017**

##### **A. Road Closure**

The following roads will be closed to all vehicular traffic from about 7.30 pm to 10.00 pm:

- (i) Yun Ping Road between Lan Fong Road and Kai Chiu Road; and
- (ii) Kai Chiu Road between Yun Ping Road and Lee Garden Road.

The following roads may be intermittently closed by the Police from about 8.00 pm onwards depending on the traffic and crowd conditions in the area:

- (i) Hysan Avenue; and/ or
- (ii) Yun Ping Road between Lan Fong Road and Hysan Avenue.

##### **B. Traffic Diversion**

Traffic along Yun Ping Road must turn left onto Lan Fong Road from about 7.30 pm to 10.00 pm.

#### **Public Parade on 12 November 2017**

##### **I. Special Traffic Arrangements**

##### **A. Road Closure**

The following roads will be closed to all vehicular traffic from about 2.30 pm onwards until the road closure is lifted:

- (i) Great George Street;
- (ii) Kingston Street westbound between Paterson Street and Gloucester Road; and
- (iii) Paterson Street between Kingston Street and Great George Street.

The following roads may be closed to all vehicular traffic by the Police from about 2.30 pm onwards depending on the traffic and crowd conditions in the area:

- (i) Sugar Street;
- (ii) Cleveland Street;
- (iii) Kingston Street eastbound between Paterson Street and Gloucester Road;
- (iv) Paterson Street between Gloucester Road and Kingston Street;
- (v) Gloucester Road northbound between Causeway Road and Gloucester Road service road;
- (vi) The U-turn slip road between Gloucester Road southbound and Gloucester Road northbound;
- (vii) Gloucester Road southbound between Causeway Road and Gloucester Road service road; and
- (viii) Tai Hang Road flyover southbound.

## **B. Traffic Diversion**

The following traffic diversion will be implemented from about 2.30 pm onwards until the road closure is lifted:

- (i) Traffic along Cleveland Street southbound will be prohibited from turning right onto Kingston Street westbound;
- (ii) Traffic along Paterson Street southbound must turn left onto Kingston Street eastbound; and
- (iii) Traffic along Gloucester Road northbound will be prohibited from turning left onto Kingston Street westbound.

The following traffic diversions may be implemented by the Police from about 2.30 pm onwards depending on the traffic and crowd conditions in the area:

- (i) Traffic along Yee Wo Street eastbound will be prohibited from turning left onto Sugar Street;
- (ii) Traffic along Gloucester Road service road westbound will be prohibited from turning left onto Cleveland Street;
- (iii) Traffic along Gloucester Road service road westbound will be prohibited from turning left onto Paterson Street;
- (iv) Traffic along Victoria Park Road flyover will be prohibited from turning right onto Gloucester Road southbound. Vehicles heading for Tai Hang will be diverted via Victoria Park Road eastbound, Wing Hing Street, King's Road and Tung Lo Wan Road; and
- (v) Traffic along Victoria Park Road flyover must turn right onto Gloucester Road service road westbound.

## **II. Special Public Transport Arrangements**

### **A. Bus and Green Minibus Diversion**

- (i) Bus Service

The following temporary bus service arrangements will be implemented from about 2.30 pm onwards until the crowd is dispersed and traffic resumes normal:

Route	Direction	Diversion and Bus Stop Arrangements
Citybus Route No. A11, and New World First Bus Route No. 2	To Airport / Central	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● via Tung Lo Wan Road, Moreton Terrace, Causeway Road eastbound, Hing Fat Street, Victoria Park Road and Gloucester Road westbound.</li> <li>● The bus stop at Gloucester Road near Kingston Street for Citybus Route No. A11 will be suspended.</li> <li>● Passengers may use the temporary bus stop at Gloucester Road near Paterson Street.</li> </ul>
New World First Bus Route No. 2, Cross Harbour Route Nos. 102 and 106	To Eastern District	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● via Victoria Park Road and Wing Hing Street.</li> <li>● The following bus stops will be suspended: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Gloucester Road outside the western gate of Victoria Park;</li> <li>(ii) Causeway Road outside the main entrance of Victoria Park; and</li> <li>(iii) King's Road near Ngan Mok Street.</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Passengers may use the temporary bus stops at Victoria Park Road near Causeway Bay Typhoon Shelter and Wing Hing Street outside Hing Yue Mansion.</li> </ul>
Cross Harbour Route No. 307	To Tai Po	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● via Gloucester Road, Victoria Park Road flyover, Gloucester Road westbound, Percival Street, Hennessy Road and Yee Wo Street.</li> <li>● The bus stop at Gloucester Road outside the western gate of Victoria Park will be suspended.</li> <li>● Passengers may use the temporary bus stops at Yee Wo Street outside Hong Kong Mansion and Causeway Road outside the main entrance of Victoria Park.</li> </ul>

(ii) Green Minibus Service

Green Minibus Route No. 25 (Causeway Bay bound) will be diverted via Tai Hang Road northbound, Tung Lo Wan Road, Moreton Terrace, Causeway Road, Tung Lo Wan Road, Tung Lo Wan Drive and Tai Hang Road southbound from about 2.30 pm onwards until the crowd is dispersed and traffic resumes normal. Its terminal point at Paterson Street will be suspended. Passengers may use the temporary stopping point on Tung Lo Wan Road opposite to St. Paul's Convent School.

**B. Suspension of Public Light Bus Stand**

The public light bus stands at Sugar Street and Paterson Street will be suspended from about 2.30 pm onwards until the crowd is dispersed and traffic resumes normal.

**C. Suspension of Taxi Stands**

The taxi stands at Paterson Street will be suspended from about 2.30 pm onwards until the crowd is dispersed and traffic resumes normal.

**III. Restriction on Access to / Exit from Car Parks**

All car parks within the road closure areas will be suspended from about 2.30 pm onwards until the crowd is dispersed and traffic resumes normal. Vehicles will not be permitted to leave or access the car parks within the affected areas until the roads are re-opened to traffic.

**IV. Removal of Illegal Parking Vehicles**

Any vehicles found illegally parked within the precinct of the special traffic arrangements specified above will be towed away by the Police without prior notice.

**V. Attention and Appeal**

Appropriate traffic signs will be erected to guide motorists. Public transport operators will display notices at the stops and inside vehicle compartments to advise passengers of the above temporary arrangements. Actual implementation of and adjustments to road closures, traffic controls and public transport diversions will be made by the Police at the time depending on conditions in the areas.

The Transport Department anticipates that the traffic in the vicinity of Causeway Bay will be significantly congested. Members of the public who plan to go to the affected areas are advised to use public transport services as far as possible. Motorists are advised to avoid driving to the affected areas and should exercise tolerance and patience in case of traffic

congestion, follow the instruction given by the Police, and watch out for the latest traffic news through the media.

For enquiries on special traffic and transport arrangements, members of the public can call 1823 or browse through Transport Department website [www.td.gov.hk](http://www.td.gov.hk) for more details.

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