Transport Department Notice

Special Traffic And Transport Arrangements For

15th National Games Cross-Boundary Marathon Test Event

Notice is hereby given that in order to facilitate the 15th National Games Cross-boundary Marathon test event, the following special traffic and transport arrangements will be implemented on 23 February 2025 (Sunday):

I. SPECIAL TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENT

A. Suspension of clearance services at Shenzhen Bay Port

The immigration and customs clearance services (including passenger and goods vehicle clearance services) at Shenzhen Bay Port ("SBP") will be temporary suspended from 2.00 am to 11.00 am on 23 February 2025.

B. Road Closures

Depending on the actual finishing time of the race, and complete clearance for safe re-opening of roads to vehicular traffic, the following road sections will be closed to all vehicular traffic on from 2.00 am to 11.00 am on 23 February 2025:

- (i) Shenzhen Bay Bridge (both bounds);
- (ii) Kong Sham Western Highway (both bounds); and
- (iii) Access roads from Ha Tsuen Roundabout to Kong Sham Western Highway.

Please refer to Figure 1 for the extent of the road closures.

C. Traffic Diversions

During the road closure periods, the following traffic diversions will be implemented:

(i) Affected vehicles on Kong Sham Western Highway northbound and southbound via Ha Tsuen Roundabout will be diverted via Ping Ha Road, Tin Ha Road and Yuen Long Highway;

D. Traffic and Transport Arrangements at Other Boundary Control Points

During the suspension of immigration and customs clearance services at SBP from 2:00 am to 11:00 am on 23 February 2025 (Sunday), cross-boundary vehicles (goods vehicles, passenger vehicles and private cars) holding valid Closed Road Permits for Shenzhen Bay Port may use Lok Ma Chau (Huanggang) Control Point, Man Kam To Control Point and Heung Yuen Wai

Control Point, in accordance with the operating hours of the respective boundary control points. The temporary arrangement will cease after the resumption of customs clearance at the Shenzhen Bay Port at 11:00 am on 23 February 2025.

II. PUBLIC TRANSPORT ARRANGEMENTS

(A) Suspension of public transport services

In response to the suspension of immigration and customs clearance services at Shenzhen Bay Port, the following public transport services will be suspended on 23 February 2025 (Sunday) from the first departure until 11:00 am.

Routes	Bound	First departure on 23 February 2025
NLB B2, B2P and B2X		11:00 am to tie in with the resumption of
CTB B3, B3A,		immigration and customs
B3X and B3M	Both bounds	clearance services at the
GMB 618		Shenzhen Bay Port
Cross-boundary		
coach services via		
SBP		

(B) Other public transport services

Public transport services to and from other boundary control points (Lo Wu, Lok Ma Chau Spur Line, Lok Ma Chau (Huanggang) and Heung Yuen Wai) including the MTR East Rail Line, KMB Route B1 (Tin Tsz - Lok Ma Chau Station (Futian)), KMB Route B9 (Tuen Mun Station - Heung Yuen Wai Control Point (Liantang)), the Lok Ma Chau - Huanggang Cross-boundary Shuttle Bus Service as well as the various cross-boundary coach services will be strengthened when required to meet the passenger demand.

III. REMOVAL OF ILLEGAL PARKED VEHICLES

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

IV. ATTENTION AND APPEAL

Members of the public should pay particular attention to the temporary road closures, traffic control and public transport arrangements on that day. Due to suspension of immigration and customs clearance services at SBP, TD anticipates that traffic at other boundary control points will be busier when compared with normal Sundays. Members of the public and tourists planning to go to Shenzhen

are advised to use railway services as far as possible. Motorists are advised to avoid driving to the affected areas, and in case of traffic congestion, motorists should exercise patience and drive with care, and follow the instructions of the Police on site. Passengers should allow more travelling time for their journey to / from Shenzhen and Urban/New Territories. Appropriate traffic signs and traffic aids will be erected to guide motorists. Notices will be displayed by public transport operators to advise passengers of the above temporary traffic and transport arrangements. Actual road closure time will depend on actual finishing time of the event, and complete clearance for safe re-opening of roads to vehicular traffic. The TD and the Police will closely monitor the traffic situation. Other temporary road and traffic control measures, including adjusting the extent of road closure, and alteration or suspension of public transport services may be implemented by the Police at short notice depending on the actual traffic conditions. Members of the public are advised to stay alert to the latest traffic news through the media, or may browse the TD's website (www.td.gov.hk) or mobile application "HKeMobility" for information about the special traffic and transport information, or may also browse relevant public transport operators' website or mobile application for details of service changes.

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