Examination of Estimates of Expenditure 2013-14

CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY TO INITIAL WRITTEN QUESTION

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<u>Head</u>: 60 - Highways Department <u>Subhead (No. & title)</u>:

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<u>Director of Bureau</u>: Secretary for Transport and Housing

Question:

What are the works progress, expenditure and manpower involved and the date of completion of the reclamation works for the Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities (HKBCF) of the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge (HZMB)? What are the works progress, expenditure and manpower involved, and the anticipated date of completion for the whole HZMB project?

Asked by: Hon. KWOK Ka-ki

Reply:

The details of the various projects of the HZMB are as follows:

Project	Estimated Project	Works progress	Manpower of Consultant and	
	Cost		Contractor engaged by the	
	(\$ million)		Highways Department	
			(HyD)	
			Professional	Technical
HZMB Main	9,280	Works commenced	Not	Not
Bridge (within	(cost shared by the	in 2009. Under	applicable ¹	applicable ¹
Mainland	Hong Kong Special	construction.		
waters)	Administrative			
	Region)			
HKBCF	30,434	Reclamation	230	1 180
reclamation and		commenced in late		
superstructures		2011. Design of		
		superstructures		
		underway.		
Hong Kong	25,047	Works commenced	140	720
Link Road		in May 2012.		

Note 1: The works are overseen by the HZMB Authority in the Mainland.

The HyD deploys internal staff to monitor the consultants and contractors.

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