

CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY

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Head: (60) Highways Department
Subhead (No. & title): (-) Not Specified
Programme: (3) Railway Development
Controlling Officer: Director of Highways (K K LAU)
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Question (Member Question No. 12):

In Programme (3), it was stated that the Highways Department (HyD) would “co-ordinate with the Mainland authorities on cross-boundary infrastructure developments” in 2014-15. Please set out the relevant cross-boundary infrastructures already implemented and under planning, the modes and occasions of co-ordination and the money spent.

Asked by: Hon. LEONG Kah-kit, Alan

Reply:

As regards the cross-boundary infrastructure development under Programme (3) (i.e. Railway Development), the project in question is the implementation of the Guangzhou-Shenzhen-Hong Kong Express Rail Link project. The Department has established a number of liaison groups with the Mainland authorities to co-ordinate the implementation of the project. The relevant expenses are absorbed by in-house resources.