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Question (Member Question No. 162):

Please advise this Committee of the expenditure involved and the details of the investigation and preliminary design for the pedestrian footbridge system in Mong Kok? What are the anticipated dates of completion for the investigation and design?

Asked by: Hon. WU Chi-wai

Reply:

Following the completion of the preliminary technical feasibility study, the Highways Department engaged a consultant in October 2013 to carry out the investigation and preliminary design for the pedestrian footbridge system in Mong Kok, covering the programme and method of construction, traffic impact during construction, utility diversion requirements, etc. The consultancy is expected to take about two years to complete, at an estimated cost of \$4.8 million.