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CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY

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Head: (60) Highways Department

Subhead (No. & title): (-) Not Specified

Programme: (1) Capital Projects

<u>Controlling Officer</u>: Director of Highways (Jimmy P M CHAN)

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

Question:

Regarding the footbridge connecting Tsuen Wan Plaza, Skyline Plaza and adjacent landscaping area project which was completed last year, will the Administration inform this Committee of the following:

- (1) The final expenditure of the footbridge project;
- (2) Regarding the claims arising from the construction of various items under the footbridge project so far, please provide the following information in table form:

Scope of works	Contract No.	Contract sum	Contractor	No. of claims	Amount claimed	Amount awarded

(3) Please list in table form the various over-budget items of works, the expenditures under the original approved project estimates, the projected amount of cost overrun and the actual amount of cost overrun under the footbridge project.

Asked by: Hon KWOK Ka-ki (LegCo internal reference no.: 810)

Reply:

The footbridge connecting Tsuen Wan Plaza, Skyline Plaza and adjacent landscaping area was open for public use in November 2019.

Finalisation of project account is underway and it is expected that the total project cost will be within the Approved Project Estimate of \$146.2 million. No claims arising from the contract have been received.