

RAILWAYS ORDINANCE (Chapter 519)

(Notice under section 23)

SOUTH ISLAND LINE (EAST)

NOTICE OF ORDER AUTHORIZING
TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF SECTIONS OF SHING SAI ROAD,
NEW PRAYA, KENNEDY TOWN AND SANDS STREET

Notice is hereby given that under section 22(1) of the Railways Ordinance (Chapter 519), the Deputy Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport) has, by order made on 8 May 2012 (the 'Order'), authorized the temporary partial closure of sections of Shing Sai Road between its junction with New Praya, Kennedy Town and a point about 170 metres northeast of the junction; sections of New Praya, Kennedy Town between its junction with Sands Street and a point about 120 metres west of the junction; and sections of Sands Street between its junction with New Praya, Kennedy Town and a point about 40 metres southeast of the junction during the period from 27 May 2012 to 26 May 2013 for the purposes of or incidental to the railway scheme of the South Island Line (East). A description of the works to be carried out and the sections of the roads to be affected and the manner in which they will be affected is given in the Schedule below.

A copy of the Order and the Plan numbered SILE/G18/0001/1 (the 'Plan') delineating and showing in yellow, green and orange respectively the sections of the roads affected may be inspected by the public free of charge at the following places and during the following hours when those offices are normally open to the public:—

<i>Places</i>	<i>Opening Hours (except public holidays)</i>
Central and Western District Office, Public Enquiry Service Centre, Unit 5, Ground Floor, The Center, 99 Queen's Road Central, Central, Hong Kong.	Monday to Friday 9.00 a.m.–7.00 p.m.
District Lands Office/Hong Kong West and South, 19th Floor, Southorn Centre, 130 Hennessy Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong.	Monday to Friday 8.45 a.m.–12.30 p.m. and 1.30 p.m.–5.30 p.m.

Copies of the Order and the Plan may be purchased from the Railway Development Office of the Highways Department. Enquiries on purchasing details can be made to the Highways Department at telephone number 2762 3976. The electronic version of the Order and the Plan are viewable on the Highways Department's website (http://www.hyd.gov.hk/eng/road_and_railway/railway_projects/index.htm).

A copy of this notice will be affixed on or near the roads affected by the Order on 11 May 2012.

Any person having a compensatable interest under the Railways Ordinance (Chapter 519) may serve a written claim upon the Secretary for Transport and Housing on 22nd Floor, East Wing, Central Government Offices, 2 Tim Mei Avenue, Tamar, Hong Kong so as to reach the Secretary before the expiration of one year from the closure of the relevant part or parts of the roads or the extinction, modification or restriction of his private right in respect of the relevant part or parts of the roads affected by the Order.

Notice is hereby given that further closure of the same part or parts of the roads or any of such part or parts may be required upon expiration of the Order. Details of any further order for closure will be published if and when such an order is made.

SCHEDULE

The roads to be affected

Sections of Shing Sai Road between its junction with New Praya, Kennedy Town and a point about 170 metres northeast of the junction; sections of New Praya, Kennedy Town between its junction with Sands Street and a point about 120 metres west of the junction; and sections of Sands Street between its junction with New Praya, Kennedy Town and a point about 40 metres southeast of the junction, as delineated and shown in yellow, green and orange respectively on the Plan.

Description of the works and the manner in which the roads will be affected

Parts of the carriageway and footpath widths will be temporarily closed for the road improvement works at Shing Sai Road, New Praya, Kennedy Town and Sands Street for the South Island Line (East).

Statement on Personal Data

Any information, including the personal data, submitted to the Secretary for Transport and Housing in connection with any written claims as required under section 34 of the Railways Ordinance (Chapter 519) will be used for the processing of the claims and other related purposes. The provision of the information, including the personal data, as required under section 34 of the Railways Ordinance is obligatory. If such information, including the personal data, as required under section 34 of the Railways Ordinance is not provided as requested, the claims may be rejected. Any information, including the personal data, so submitted may be disclosed to the relevant government departments and other organizations or agencies which are required to handle the claims and related matters. For access to or correction of the personal data, please write to the Transport and Housing Bureau at 22nd Floor, East Wing, Central Government Offices, 2 Tim Mei Avenue, Tamar, Hong Kong.

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