

**RAILWAYS ORDINANCE (Chapter 519)**  
**(Order under section 22(1))**

**SOUTH ISLAND LINE (EAST)**

**AUTHORIZATION FOR  
PERMANENT CLOSURE OF PARTS OF HARCOURT GARDEN AND  
HONG KONG PARK, AND  
PART OF A FOOTBRIDGE AT HARCOURT GARDEN; AND  
TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF PARTS OF HARCOURT GARDEN AND  
HONG KONG PARK, AND SECTIONS OF  
HARCOURT ROAD, RODNEY STREET AND QUEENSWAY**

In exercise of the powers delegated by the Secretary for Transport and Housing, I, by this order made under section 22(1)(a) of the Railways Ordinance (Chapter 519), authorize:—

- (I) (a) the permanent closure of parts of Harcourt Garden, as delineated and shown in red on the Plan numbered SILE/G01/0001/7; and  
  
(b) the permanent closure of part of the footbridge at Harcourt Garden connecting United Centre and CITIC Tower, as delineated and shown in dark brown on the Plan numbered SILE/G01/0001/7,  
  
with effect from 17 December 2016;
- (II) the permanent closure of part of Hong Kong Park, as delineated and shown in red on the Plan numbered SILE/G02/0001/7 with effect from 1 January 2017;
- (III) the temporary closure of part of Harcourt Garden, as delineated and shown in dark green on the Plan numbered SILE/G01/0001/7 during the period from 17 December to 31 December 2016;
- (IV) the temporary closure of parts of Harcourt Garden, as delineated and shown in orange on the Plan numbered SILE/G01/0001/7 during the period from 17 December 2016 to 16 December 2017;
- (V) the temporary closure of part of Hong Kong Park, as delineated and shown in purple on the Plan numbered SILE/G02/0001/7 during the period from 1 January to 31 March 2017; and
- (VI) (a) the temporary partial closure of the section of Harcourt Road between a point about 60 metres west of its junction with Tim Mei Avenue and a point about 180 metres east of the junction, as delineated and shown in pink on the Plan numbered SILE/G01/0001/7; and

- (b) the temporary partial closure of the section of Rodney Street, and the section of Queensway between a point about 60 metres west of its junction with Rodney Street and a point about 150 metres east of the junction (including the footpath adjacent to the southern side of Harcourt Garden), as delineated and shown in yellow and green respectively on the Plans numbered SILE/G01/0001/7 and SILE/G02/0001/7,

during the period from 1 January to 31 December 2017.

I further declare under section 22(1)(c) that all public or private rights in, upon, under or over (i) Harcourt Garden and the footbridge as described in (I) above with effect from 17 December 2016; (ii) Hong Kong Park as described in (II) above with effect from 1 January 2017; (iii) Harcourt Garden as described in (III) above during the period from 17 December to 31 December 2016; (iv) Harcourt Garden as described in (IV) above during the period from 17 December 2016 to 16 December 2017; (v) Hong Kong Park as described in (V) above during the period from 1 January to 31 March 2017; and (vi) the sections of the roads and the footpath as described in (VI) above during the period from 1 January to 31 December 2017, shall be extinguished, modified or restricted, as the case may be.

(Rebecca Pun)  
Deputy Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport)

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