

## COMMENTS ON KEY CONSTRUCTION STATISTICS

### 建造業主要統計資料的評註

The total number of manual workers engaged at construction sites increased from 76,524 in the 3rd quarter 2001 to 76,601 in the 4th quarter 2001, or about 0.1%.

在二零零一年第四季內，建築地盤工人總數為 76,601，比對二零零一年第三季所錄得的數字 76,524，上升約 0.1%。

During the 4th quarter 2001, the Building Cost Index (BCI), Civil Engineering Works Index (CEWI), Highways Department Construction Cost Index (HyD CCI), Building Services Tender Price Index (BSTPI) and Building Works Tender Price Index (BWTPI) decreased by about 0.2%, 1.0%, 1.2%, 6.2% and 10.7% respectively.

在二零零一年第四季內，建築成本指數、土木工程指數、路政署建造成本指數、屋宇設備投標價格指數和建築工程投標價格指數則分別下降約 0.2%，1.0%，1.2%，6.2% 和 10.7%。

The 1999/2000 based Consumer Price Index (CPI(C)) dropped from 97.4 at the end of the 3rd quarter 2001 to 96.9 at the end of the 4th quarter 2001, or about 0.5%.

以一九九九/二零零零年為基準的丙類消費物價指數，在二零零一年第四季末時為 96.9 點，比對二零零一年第三季末時的 97.4 點，下降約 0.5%。