

Examination of Estimates of Expenditure 2003-04
**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY TO
INITIAL WRITTEN QUESTION**

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Head: 707 New Towns and Urban Area
Development
Programme:

Subhead(No. & title):

Controlling Director of Territory Development
Officer:
Director of Bureau: Secretary for Housing, Planning and Lands

Question: When will the following project be submitted to the Public Works Subcommittee (PWSC) for consideration and the Finance Committee (FC) for approval of funding application? Please give a brief account of the processes (e.g. consultancy, design, tender, commencement of works, etc.) involved, the programme and the completion date.

7469CL: South East Kowloon development - infrastructure at north apron area of Kai Tak Airport

Asked by: Hon. LI Wah-ming, Fred

Reply: The design consultancy for the project 7469CL commenced in January 2002. Site investigation and detailed design works are in progress and actions under Roads (Works, Use & Compensation) Ordinance and Environmental Impact Assessment Ordinance are in hand. We plan to implement this project under a series of construction contracts and to seek funding approval from PWSC/FC for the first works package near the end of 2003. The first contract will start in early 2004 for completion in end 2006.

Signature _____

Name in block letters _____ H. K. Wong

Post Title _____ Director of Territory Development

Date _____ 20 March 2003