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Question : It is noted that in the section "Matters Requiring Special Attention in 2005-06" that the Planning Department will substantially complete its work on Hong Kong 2030: Planning Vision and Strategy Study, which will provide a framework for guiding the physical development of Hong Kong up to the year 2030.

As the development blueprint will span over 20 years, will the government carry out reviews regularly so that amendments will be made to it in tune with the times? What is the annual expenditure to be incurred?

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Reply :

The Study on Hong Kong 2030 : Planning Vision & Strategy (the HK2030 Study) will produce a Development Strategy to guide the physical development of Hong Kong up to year 2030. The HK2030 Study will be substantially completed in 2005-06. As part of the Development Strategy, a monitoring and review mechanism will be recommended to regularly examine and update the various components of the Development Strategy. It is expected that future updating exercises, as with the HK2030 Study, will largely be undertaken with in-house resources.

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