

Examination of Estimates of Expenditure 2006-07
**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY TO
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Question : “Matters Requiring Special Attention in 2006-07” mentions “continue to provide technical input to the planning framework of Kai Tak Development for early commencement of engineering review”. What are the details of the support?

Asked by : Hon. HO Chun-yan, Albert

Reply :

Technical support is being provided by a team of three professionals. We will continue to use existing staff resources to provide technical support to the Planning Department for the Kai Tak planning review. We will provide advice on the consultants' preliminary assessments on technical viability, traffic and transport, environmental impacts etc. in conjunction with other concerned departments.

Signature _____

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Date _____ 11.3.2006

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