

Examination of Estimates of Expenditure 2006-07
**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY TO
INITIAL WRITTEN QUESTION**

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Question: The land involved in the 2006-07 estimate for Rural Planning and Improvement Strategy/Village Improvement is 2 hectares in area. Please advise this Committee of: (a) the types of works mainly to be carried out; (b) the estimated amount of costs for such works; and (c) the approximate number of people who will be benefited.

Asked by: Hon. CHEUNG Hok-ming

Reply:

- (a) The types of works to be carried out are mainly for provision, improvement and upgrading of access roads to the villages in Sha Tin, Tai Po, Yuen Long and North districts.
- (b) The estimated amount of costs for the works is \$63 million.
- (c) The number of people to be benefited by these projects is not readily available.

Signature _____

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