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Question : Could the Government inform this Council of the details and the time for completion of the Area Improvement Plan for the Shopping Areas of Mong Kok?

Asked by : Hon. CHAN Kam-lam

Reply :

The study aims to formulate an integrated plan to improve the overall environment of the shopping areas of Mong Kok through better land use integration, more convenient pedestrian circulation, better traffic management, more comfortable pedestrian environment and an enhanced streetscape. Six projects for early implementation will be identified in the area improvement plan and developed into detailed schemes for implementation in the short-term.

The study commenced in February 2006 and is scheduled for completion in early 2008.

Signature

Name in block letters

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Director of Planning

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