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Question:

Two potential sites have been identified on Hong Kong Island for the setting up of

LPG filling stations and a tendering exercise is planned in this connection. Please

provide information on the timetable for the project.

Asked by:

Hon. WONG Kwok-hing

Reply:

In a recent site search, we have found two potential sites on Hong Kong Island for setting up LPG-cumpetrol refilling stations – one at Fung Mat Road in the Western District and the other at Tin Wan. The site at Fung Mat Road is being used as a temporary carpark for commercial vehicles (including goods vehicles and coaches). To make way for setting up the LPG-cum-petrol refilling station at Fung Mat Road, we will soon consult the transport trades on the relocation of the temporary carpark. We will also consult the Central and Western District Council and Harbourfront Commission's Task Force on Harbourfront Developments on Hong Kong Island around mid-2012 about setting up the station. As for the Tin Wan site, which is being used as a temporary works area for the Harbour Area Treatment Scheme Stage 2A, we will consult the Southern District Council and the taxi and light bus trades around mid 2012 about our proposal.

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