

**RAILWAYS ORDINANCE (Chapter 519)
(Order under section 22(1))**

**MASS TRANSIT RAILWAY ('MTR')
WEST ISLAND LINE**

**AUTHORIZATION FOR
PERMANENT CLOSURE OF PARTS OF THE OPEN SPACE IN
FORBES STREET TEMPORARY PLAYGROUND,
PARTS OF THE OPEN SPACE IN KENNEDY TOWN PLAYGROUND,
A SECTION OF FOOTPATH OF POK FU LAM ROAD,
A SECTION OF FOOTPATH NEAR THE BELCHER'S AND
A SECTION OF FOOTPATH OF BELCHER'S STREET**

In exercise of the powers delegated by the Secretary for Transport and Housing, I, by this order made under section 22(1)(a) of the Railways Ordinance (Chapter 519), authorize:–

- (I) the permanent closure of parts of the open space in Forbes Street Temporary Playground and parts of the open space in Kennedy Town Playground, as delineated and shown in pink and blue respectively on the Plan numbered WIL/G02/0003/3 with effect from 11 December 2014;
- (II) the permanent closure of the section of footpath of Pok Fu Lam Road near the Haking Wong Building of the University of Hong Kong and the section of footpath near The Belcher's, as delineated and shown in yellow and green respectively on the Plan numbered WIL/G03/0005/4 with effect from 1 January 2015; and
- (III) the permanent closure of the section of footpath of Belcher's Street between a point about 80 metres south of the junction of Belcher's Street and Queen's Road West and a point about 100 metres south of the junction, as delineated and shown in red on the Plan numbered WIL/G07/0005/4 with effect from 1 January 2015.

I further declare under section 22(1)(c) that all public or private rights in, upon, under or over (i) the parts of the open spaces as described in (I) above with effect from 11 December 2014; and (ii) the sections of footpaths as described in (II) and (III) above with effect from 1 January 2015, shall be extinguished, modified or restricted, as the case may be.

(Rebecca Pun)
Deputy Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport)

2 December 2014