Notice to the public attending the hearing on 7 December 2012

The Commission of Inquiry will hold a hearing at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, 7 December 2012 at the hearing room on the 1st floor, Main Wing, Central Government Offices, Lower Albert Road, Central, Hong Kong.

Access

2. The hearing is open to the public. The public attending the hearing are advised to use the Battery Path entrance to go to the hearing room or the hearing transmission gallery. Please see the attached **Map** and **Photos**.

Proceedings of the hearing

3. The Commission has directed that the proceedings of the hearing will be conducted in English, although witnesses may give their evidence in any language or dialect that they wish to do so. Then, the testimony will be translated into English.

Seats for the public

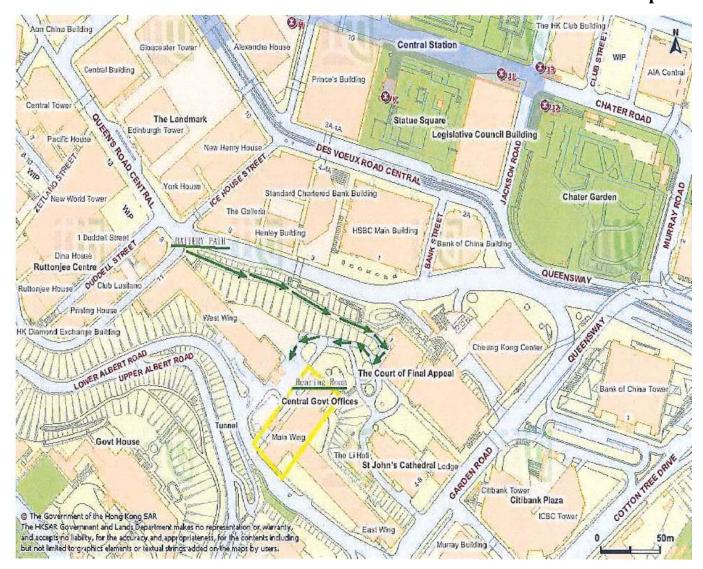
- 4. There will be seats provided for the public inside the hearing room on the 1st floor, and there will also be a simultaneous closed-circuit video/audio broadcast of proceedings to the hearing transmission gallery (the overflow room) on the 4th floor of the same building.
- 5. A seat will be reserved in the hearing room for one representative of each of the families of the deceased persons on their prior indication to the Secretariat that they wish to avail themselves of that arrangement. Some seats will also be reserved for the parties participating in the hearing and the media. The balance of the available seating for the public will be made available on a first-come-first-served basis. The registration counter will open at 9:30 a.m. Seating in the hearing transmission gallery will be available on the same basis.
- 6. Those who have not secured a seat in the hearing room are advised to go to the hearing transmission gallery.

Photography and recording

7. The Commission has directed that, without its authorisation, no photographs may be taken or audio/video recordings be made in the hearing room, the overflow room or the other rooms in the Main Wing of the Central Government Offices used for the purposes of this inquiry.

Secretariat, Commission of Inquiry December 2012

Map





Entrance at Battery Path



G/F entrance to the Hearing Room and Hearing Transmission Gallery (overflow room) in Main Wing, Central Government Offices