Housing Channel

Title: Drainage Enhancement Programme

| Super: | Drainage Enhancement Programme   |
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| VO:    | The Hong Kong Housing Authority will implement<br>the Drainage Enhancement Programme<br>We will go an extra mile to<br>enhance the existing drainage system<br>where feasible in domestic blocks<br>or flats of public housing estates |
| VO:    | The Programme includes three enhancement works   |
| Super: | To improve open ends of vent pipes on the roof   |
| VO:    | The first item is to improve the location of open ends of vent pipes on the roof to address the possible building wake effect  |
| Super: | Addition of connecting pipes   |
| VO:    | Besides, connecting pipes will be added<br>to collect used water from cleansing discharge<br>to replenish the water inside the U-traps of floor drains<br>to prevent loss of water seal  |
| Super: | Addition of an independent U-trap  |
| VO:    | An independent U-trap will also be added to the floor drain  |

|     | in one of the flats which has been sharing a single U-trap             |
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|     | with its adjacent flat   |
|     | so as to prevent gas and odour from passing from one flat to the other |
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| VO: | Housing Department staff and its contractors                           |
|     | may need to enter into flats to carry out inspection and works         |
|     | Affected tenants will be notified before the works take place          |
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| VO: | By then, we appeal for tenants' cooperation                            |
|     | for letting us enter the flats for the arrangement of related works    |
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| VO: | If residents have any enquiry on this Programme                        |
|     | please contact the estate management office                            |