

**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY**

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Question:

The Government stated in 2017 Policy Address that planning was underway to conduct a technical feasibility study for the “Sports Centre and Open Space at Aldrich Bay” project in Shau Kei Wan. However, while it has almost been 4 years since the study, no construction work for development of the site has yet been confirmed. In this connection, please provide information on the latest progress on the “Sports Centre and Open Space at Aldrich Bay” project and the expected implementation timetable.

Asked by: Hon CHEUNG Kwok-kwan (LegCo internal reference no.: 28)

Reply:

The Government announced the Five-Year Plan for Sports and Recreation Facilities (the Five-Year Plan) in 2017 Policy Address, launching 26 projects to develop new or improve existing sports and recreation facilities in the coming 5 years, and conducting technical feasibility study (TFS) for another 15 sports and recreation facility projects. The “Sports Centre and Open Space at Aldrich Bay” is one of the projects for conducting TFS under the Five-Year Plan. The Leisure and Cultural Services Department, in conjunction with the Transport Department, will consult the Planning, Works and Housing Committee under the Eastern District Council on the proposed project scope in the first half of 2021. Subject to the support of the members of the Committee for the proposed scope in mid-2021, the technical feasibility study on the project will be conducted by the end of 2021.

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