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Dear Mr. WONG,



### Taxi Malpractice in Central

I write to invite your assistance in combating taxi malpractice occurs in Lan Kwai Fong and Peak Terminus in Garden Road and Peak Road by informing members of your council and tourists regarding relevant laws and encouraging them to report to Hong Kong Police and/or Transport Department if they are victimized or ready to provide information in this regard.

There are a series of offence concerning taxi malpractice in Hong Kong. In accordance with the Road Traffic (Public Service Vehicles) Regulations, Cap. 374D, Laws of Hong Kong, the following offences are the most prevalent:

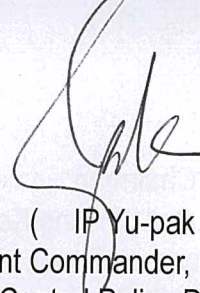
- (a) charging of taxi hiring fare exceeding prescribed scale of fares (Regulations 47[2] and 57[4]);
- (b) failing to display taximeter indicator (Regulations 49[1][a] and 57[1]);
- (c) failing to move the taximeter indicator (Regulation 49[2] and 57[3]);
- (d) failing to display of taxi driver identify plate (Regulations 51[1][c] and 51[5]); and
- (e) soliciting passengers (Regulations 40 and 57[4]).

Whilst police will certainly spare no effort in taking stringent traffic enforcement action, support from the public and tourists in preventing and reporting such offences is of paramount importance. Therefore, please feel free to encourage your members and tourists to report taxi malpractice activities/offences to Duty Officer, Central Police Station at 2859 9213 or Transport Complaint Unit at 2889 9999, or e-mail info@tcu.gov.hk for immediate investigation.

To be continued / P.T.O.....

Your assistance is very much appreciated. Should you have any enquiries, please feel free to contact me or Ms. PANG Siu-chun Evita, District Operations Officer of Central Police District at 3660 1110 or e-mail: doo-cdist@police.gov.hk.

Yours sincerely,



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