

CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY

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Question (Member Question No. 58):

Please advise whether there is any plan to provide additional toilets on the riverside outside Tin Chak Estate at Tin Shui Wai. If yes, please give the details of the plan and the expenditure to be involved; if not, the reason(s).

Asked by: Hon. HO Chun-yan, Albert

Reply:

In planning the provision of public toilets, the Food and Environmental Hygiene Department (the Department) will take into consideration various factors, including the availability of alternative toilet facilities nearby, whether the toilet facilities are in venues and facilities managed by other government departments or in private developments and shopping arcades. At present, toilet facilities are provided in Tin Chak Estate Shopping Centre and Tin Chak (Allmart) Chinese Market in Tin Chak Estate. The Department has no plan to provide additional public toilets on the riverside outside Tin Chak Estate.