

CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY**FHB(FE)115****(Question Serial No. 0818)**Head: (49) Food and Environmental Hygiene DepartmentSubhead (No. & title): (-) Not specifiedProgramme: (3) Market Management and Hawker ControlControlling Officer: Director of Food and Environmental Hygiene (Miss Vivian LAU)Director of Bureau: Secretary for Food and HealthQuestion:

With regard to the implementation of “the Market Modernisation Programme to improve facilities of existing public markets”, the Department indicated in the replies to the estimates of expenditure 2019-20 that the replacement of aged lifts and escalators had been carried out in some public markets since 2015-16.

- Please set out the progress and details of the works concerned as per the table below;

District	Name of market	Number of facilities to be replaced		Commencement date	Completion date	Estimated expenditure
		lift	escalator			
Southern	Tin Wan Market					
	Yue Kwong Road Market					
	Ap Lei Chau Market					
Eastern	Sai Wan Ho Market					
	Java Road Market					
	Electric Road Market					
	Chai Wan Market					
Wanchai	Lockhart Road Market					
	Causeway Bay Market					
	Wong Nai Chung Market					
Central and Western	Sheung Wan Market					
	Shek Tong Tsui Market					
	Smithfield Market					
	Sai Ying Pun					

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	Market					
	Centre Street Market					
Mongkok	Fa Yuen Street Market					
Sham Shui Po	Po On Road Market					
	Pei Ho Street Market					
Yau Tsim	Kwun Chung Market					
Kowloon City	Hung Hom Market					
	To Kwa Wan Market					
Kwun Tong	Ngau Tau Kok Market					
	Shui Wo Street Market					
Wong Tai Sin	Tai Shing Street Market					
Tsuen Wan	Yeung Uk Road Market					
	Tsuen Wan Market					
North	Shek Wu Hui Market					
	Kwu Tung Market Shopping Centre					
Tai Po	Tai Po Hui Market					
Kwai Tsing	North Kwai Chung Market					
Yuen Long	Tung Yick Market					
Total						

- Apart from those listed in the above table, will there be any replacement of escalators and lifts in other public markets in the coming year? If yes, please set out the details.

Asked by: Hon KWOK Wai-keung (LegCo internal reference no.: 19)

Reply:

To ensure the smooth operation of lifts and escalators in public markets, the Food and Environmental Hygiene Department has been replacing aged lifts and escalators in phases since 2015-16. To date, we have earmarked about \$445 million for the replacement of 53 lifts and 125 escalators in 32 public markets. The replacement works will be completed progressively in the coming years. The information sought is provided at Annex.

Annex

Relevant information on the replacement of aged lifts and escalators in public markets

District	Name of market ¹	Number of facilities to be replaced		Commencement date ^{2&3}	Completion date ³	Funding earmarked (\$ million)
		Lifts	Escalators			
Southern	Tin Wan Market	-	2	Mar 2017	Jul 2017	5.0
		2	-	Jun 2020	Dec 2020	5.0
	Yue Kwong Road Market	-	1	Feb 2017	Jun 2017	2.5
		2	-	Oct 2019	Jun 2020	5.0
	Ap Lei Chau Market	2	-	Jun 2020	Dec 2020	5.0
-		2	Under preparation		5.0	
Eastern	Sai Wan Ho Market	-	1	May 2019	Sep 2019	2.5
		-	1	Apr 2020	Aug 2020	2.5
		2	2	Under preparation		10.0
	Java Road Market	-	4	Jul 2018	Dec 2018	10.0
		2	-	Apr 2020	Sep 2020	5.0
		-	2	Under preparation		5.0
	Electric Road Market	-	4	May 2019	Dec 2019	10.0
Chai Wan Market	-	2	Under preparation		5.0	
Wanchai	Lockhart Road Market	1	-	Jun 2020	Oct 2020	2.5
		1 [#]	-	Oct 2020	Jan 2021	2.5
		-	4	Feb 2021	Sep 2021	10
	Causeway Bay Market	-	2	Jul 2019	Nov 2019	5.0
		1 [#]	-	Jun 2020	Sep 2020	2.5
	Wong Nai Chung Market	-	2	Mar 2019	Jul 2019	5.0
		-	4	Feb 2021	Sep 2021	10.0
1 [#]		-	Aug 2020	Dec 2020	2.5	
Central and Western	Sheung Wan Market	-	4	Mar 2017	Nov 2017	10.0
		1	-	Jun 2019	Sep 2019	2.5
		2	2	Under preparation		10.0
	Shek Tong Tsui Market	2	-	Apr 2019	Dec 2019	5.0
		-	2	Sep 2019	Jun 2020	5.0
		1	4	Under preparation		12.5
	Smithfield Market	-	4	Aug 2018	Jan 2019	10.0
		1	-	Sep 2019	Jan 2020	2.5
		-	2	Jul 2020	Sep 2020	5.0
		-	4	Feb 2021	Jun 2021	10.0
	Sai Ying Pun Market	-	3	Mar 2020	Aug 2020	7.5
-		4	Under preparation		10.0	
Mongkok	Fa Yuen Street Market	-	8	Apr 2017	May 2018	20.0

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		Lifts	Escalators			
				Mar 2019	Feb 2020	
		1	-	Apr 2020	Sep 2020	2.5
		-	2	Under preparation		5.0
Sham Shui Po	Po On Road Market	-	8	Dec 2017 May 2019	Mar 2018 Nov 2019	20.0
		-	4	Mar 2020	Aug 2020	10.0
		2	-	Under preparation		5.0
	Pei Ho Street Market	-	4	Feb 2019	Jul 2019	10.0
		-	2 [#]	May 2020	Sep 2020	5.0
		2	-	Under preparation		5.0
Yau Tsim	Kwun Chung Market	-	6	May 2017 May 2018	Oct 2017 Aug 2018	15.0
Kowloon City	Hung Hom Market	-	2	Jun 2016 Apr 2017	Aug 2016 Jul 2017	5.0
		-	2 [#]	Under preparation		5.0
		2	-	Apr 2020	Dec 2020	5.0
		1	-	Under preparation		2.5
	To Kwa Wan Market	2	-	Under preparation		5.0
Kwun Tong	Ngau Tau Kok Market	2 [#]	1	Under preparation		7.5
	Shui Wo Street Market	2	-	Oct 2019	Jun 2020	5.0
Wong Tai Sin	Tai Shing Street Market	2	-	Mar 2019	Nov 2019	5.0
		-	2	May 2020	Oct 2020	5.0
		2 [#]	-	Under preparation		5.0
	Sheung Fung Street Market	1 [#]	-	Aug 2020	Dec 2020	2.5
Tsuen Wan	Yeung Uk Road Market	2	8	Apr 2016 Jul 2017 Mar 2018 Sep 2018 Mar 2019	Sep 2016 Dec 2017 Aug 2018 Jan 2019 Jun 2019	25.0
		2	-	Apr 2020	Oct 2020	5.0
		2	-	Under preparation		5.0
	Tsuen Wan Market	1	-	Nov 2019	Apr 2020	2.5
North	Shek Wu Hui Market	-	2	Jul 2017	Dec 2017	5.0
		-	2	Mar 2018	Aug 2018	5.0
		2	-	Apr 2019	Dec 2019	5.0
	Luen Wo Hui Market	-	2 [#]	Under preparation		5.0
	Kwu Tung Market Shopping Centre	-	2	May 2017	Dec 2017	5.0

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		Lifts	Escalators			
Tai Po	Tai Po Hui Market	1	-	Apr 2020	Aug 2020	2.5
		1	2	Under preparation		7.5
Kwai Tsing	North Kwai Chung Market	-	2	Aug 2016	Nov 2016	5.0
		1	-	Under preparation		2.5
Yuen Long	Tung Yick Market	1	2 [#]	Under preparation		7.5
Total		53	125			445.0

¹ The operation of markets, cost-effectiveness of works and actual needs of replacement of facilities will be examined from time to time. Items that require further examination are not included in the table.

² Replacement projects may be conducted in phases taking into account the actual situation of the markets concerned and the views of stakeholders.

³ Subject to the progress of tendering, liaison with stakeholders on the works arrangement, manufacturing and delivery of materials, as well as other preparation work, etc., the commencement/completion dates may need to be adjusted.

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