

Fatal traffic accident in Central

Police are investigating a fatal traffic accident happened in Central this afternoon (October 2) in which a woman died.

At 2.20pm, a light goods vehicle (LGV) driven by a 36-year-old man was travelling along Des Voeux Road West towards Sheung Wan. When the LGV turned left to Wing Lok Street, it reportedly knocked down the 75-year-old woman who was crossing the road.

Sustaining multiple injuries, the woman was rushed to Queen Mary Hospital in unconscious state and was certified dead at 7.55pm.

The LGV driver was arrested for dangerous driving causing death and is being detained for enquiries.

Investigation by the Special Investigation Team of Traffic, Hong Kong Island is under way.

Anyone who witnessed the accident or has any information to offer is urged to contact the investigating officers on 3660 6814.