<u>Public reminded to keep venues clean</u> <u>during fireworks display</u>

The Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD) today (January 28) appealed to members of the public to keep places clean and mind their safety while watching the Chinese New Year Fireworks Display on January 30 (the second day of the Chinese New Year).

The LCSD, together with the law enforcement teams of relevant departments, will strengthen patrols at LCSD venues where large crowds are expected.

These venues include the Hong Kong Cultural Centre Piazza, Salisbury Garden, the Avenue of Stars, Tsim Sha Tsui Promenade, Urban Council Centenary Garden, Kai Tak Cruise Terminal Park, Kai Tak Sky Garden, Kai Tak Promenade, Kwun Tong Promenade and Cha Kwo Ling Promenade along the Kowloon waterfront, as well as Tamar Park, the Central and Western District Promenade (Central Section), the Wan Chai Temporary Promenade and East Coast Park (Phase 1) on the waterfront of Hong Kong Island.

The LCSD reminded members of the public to take their belongings with them when leaving the venues and not to leave trash behind.

The LCSD also reminded people that the above venues will be very crowded during the fireworks display. Visitors should be careful and patient, pay attention to their safety, observe the crowd management measures at the venues, and comply with the Police's instructions.