Missing woman in Yau Ma Tei located

A woman who went missing in Yau Ma Tei was located.

Yau Choi-lai, aged 64, went missing after she was last seen at Queen Elizabeth Hospital on May 30. Her family made a report to Police on the same day.

The woman returned to her residence yesterday (June 6) afternoon. She sustained no injuries and no suspicious circumstances were detected.

Public urged to report flooding

Attention duty announcers, radio and TV stations:

Please broadcast the following as soon as possible and repeat it at suitable intervals:

Members of the public are advised to report any street flooding that comes to their notice to the Drainage Services Department by calling the 24-hour drainage hotline on 2300 1110.

Flag-raising ceremony cancelled

Owing to the thunderstorm warning, the flag-raising ceremony to be conducted at Golden Bauhinia Square, Wan Chai at 8am today (June 7) will be cancelled.

Transcript of remarks by STH

Following is the transcript of remarks by the Secretary for Transport and Housing, Mr Frank Chan Fan, at a media session after attending the Legislative Council meeting today (June 6):

Reporter: Is it acceptable that it's taken even longer for the MTR to submit

the report?

Secretary for Transport and Housing: I would say that it would be required for them to submit a very detailed and comprehensive report to the Government. Therefore if they require more time to acquire the information from their main contractor and subcontractor, we would allow for that because there's a need for us and the entire community to clearly understand what had happened, and whether or not any wrongdoings had been committed.

(Please also refer to the Chinese portion of the transcript.)

[Hong Kong and Austria explore new collaboration opportunities in Bay Area](#)

The Hong Kong Economic and Trade Office in Berlin (HKETO Berlin) hosted a cocktail reception on June 5 in Vienna together with the Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce (HKGCC) and the Vienna Chamber of Commerce and Industry. Staged on the occasion of the visit by an HKGCC delegation to Austria, the event had close to 100 guests from Austrian businesses and start-up companies as well as the Austrian Government and local associations in attendance.

The HKGCC delegation travelled from Hong Kong to Vienna to explore possible collaboration with the Austrian business sector, particularly in innovation and technology as well as creative industries — areas in which Hong Kong is the perfect partner for Austria.

Highlighting the recent visit of the President of the Austrian Federal Economic Chamber (WKÖ), Dr Harald Mahrer, and the Vice President of the WKÖ, Mr Jürgen Roth, to Hong Kong earlier this year, the Director of HKETO Berlin, Ms Betty Ho, highlighted the growing ties between Hong Kong and Austria over the years.

Striking similarities between the two regions are obvious, she said. While Austria connects the economies in Central and Eastern Europe, Hong Kong serves as a gateway to the abundant markets in Mainland China and the whole Asia-Pacific region. In its role as a facilitator, Hong Kong serves as the entry point for goods and services of Austrian companies to tap the immense opportunities presented by the Chinese market.

Ms Ho took the opportunity to introduce the various new infrastructure projects in Hong Kong and how they will enhance connectivity in the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Bay Area. The Chairman of the HKGCC's Europe Committee and head of the delegation to Austria, Mr Stephen Weatherseed, added that Austria has been "in the vanguard of the global technology race

and the city of Vienna is considered a leader in smart city development worldwide, from which we in Hong Kong are keen to learn more".

In addition to travelling to Austria, the HKGCC delegation will also visit Prague in the Czech Republic and meet with companies and institutions there.

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