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Re: (ii) expansion of no smoking area to 8 bus interchange at tunnel portal areas

The Asian Consultancy on Tobacco Control strongly supports the proposal to extend Hong Kong's smoke-free areas to include the bus interchanges, in keeping with government's public health policies. This will have the immediate effect of:

- a) Protecting non-smokers from the dangers of second-hand smoke
- b) Standardising smoke-free areas in transport areas

Yours sincerely,

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