

# Police conduct dispersal operation in Tsuen Wan

Attention duty announcers, radio and TV stations:

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

Radical protestors have hurled bricks and petrol bombs at Police officers outside Yeung Uk Road Market, Tsuen Wan, seriously threatening the safety of people and Police officers at scene.

Having given repeated warnings to the protestors in vain, Police officers have deployed tear gas and used minimum respective force to disperse the protestors.

Police appeal to everyone at scene to leave immediately and strongly condemn all violent acts of the protestors.

Residents of the area are advised to stay tuned to the latest situation and if necessary, keep their windows shut and stay indoors.

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## CE congratulates Chief Executive (Elect) of Macao SAR

The Chief Executive, Mrs Carrie Lam, today (August 25) congratulated Mr Ho Iat-seng on his election as the fifth-term Chief Executive of the Macao Special Administrative Region (SAR).

"Mr Ho has been committed to serving Macao and making significant contributions. In addition to his active participation in such areas of social services as education and culture, he has served in a number of important offices since the establishment of the Macao SAR, including as the President of the fifth- and sixth-term of the Legislative Assembly. With Mr Ho's devotion to social services and wealth of experience in public offices, he will certainly lead Macao to scale new heights.

"As the country's SARs, both Hong Kong and Macao enjoy the advantages of "One Country, Two Systems". The two places have close ties and have fostered deep bonds between the people. The opening of the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge last year has remarkably shortened the distance between the two cities. Playing important roles in the country's reform and opening up, Hong

Kong and Macao as core cities in the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area development can complement each other, contributing to the Bay Area and bringing about better life for the people in the two places. I look forward to working closely with Mr Ho in the future to advance together the development of the two places," Mrs Lam said.

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## **Protestors in Tsuen Wan escalate violence**

Attention duty announcers, radio and TV stations:

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

Some radical protestors continue to block various roads in Tsuen Wan, including Luen Yan Street, Yeung Uk Street and Texaco Road, paralysing traffic at scene.

Having escalated their violence, protestors hurl bricks and aim strong laser beams at Police officers, apart from setting up barricades. They have also dug up bricks from pavements. Such acts may threaten the safety of people and Police officers at scene.

Police reiterate again that they will soon use the minimum respective force to conduct a dispersal operation. Police appeal to everyone at scene to leave immediately and condemn all violent acts of protestors.

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## **Protestors in Tsuen Wan blocked roads in Yeung Uk Street and Texaco Road**

Attention duty announcers, radio and TV stations:

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

During a public event being held in Tsuen Wan this afternoon (August 25), some radical protestors have removed railings from Yeung Uk Street and Texaco Road, and set up barricades with water-filled barriers, bamboo sticks,

traffic cones, and other objects. Such acts neglect the safety of members of the public and road users, paralysing traffic at scene.

Police warn the protestors concerned to stop all illegal acts and appeal to everyone at scene to leave immediately. Police will soon conduct a dispersal operation and condemn all violent acts of protestors.

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## **Tsuen Wan Police Station Report Room service suspended**

Attention duty announcers, radio and TV stations:

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

The report room services of Tsuen Wan Police Station are now temporarily suspended. Police appeal to members of the public not to obstruct the emergency vehicle access so as to avoid affecting the emergency services provided to the public. In case of emergency, please call 999.