

Press in January 1996

<i>Press January 5, 1996</i>	
Headline :	<i>Public Hearing Sessions on Housing Resources Allocation (Issued on behalf of the Housing Authority)</i>
Content :	<p>The Housing Authority will hold a number of open hearings to collect public views on the Rational Allocation Of Public Housing Resources consultation document. Three sessions will be held in the afternoon of January 26 1996 (Friday) and three others in the evening of February 5 1996 (Monday). Each session will last three hours. To encourage public attendance, the hearings will take place at three locations concurrently across the territory. The first round of hearings on January 26 will start at 3:30 pm in the District Board Conference Rooms in Tai Po, Wan Chai and Tsuen Wan. The hearings on February 5 will begin at 6:30 pm in the District Board Conference Rooms in Sha Tin, Yau Tsim Mong and Tuen Mun. Interested groups and members of the public who wish to attend the hearings are requested to make telephone booking through the Housing Department hotline 27617343 from 9 am to 5 pm on weekdays and from 9 am to noon on Saturdays between January 12 and Fthe allocation of time slots is on a first-come-first- served basis. Individuals will each be allocated 15 minutes while groups will be given 30 minutes to express their opinions on the consultation document. Registered participants will have to give their names and Identity Card numbers before attending the hearing sessions. Senior officials from the Housing Department and members of the Ad Hoc Committee on Private Domestic Property Ownership by Public Rental Housing Tenants will listen to the views and will answer questions during the sessions. To ensure that the hearings can be conducted in an orderly manner, participants are not allowed to bring into the venues loudhailers, banners, tape recorders and video cameras. Also, for better communication, the size of each group attending the hearin. END</p> <p>Friday, January 5, 1996</p>

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