

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 70.

Tenders are invited until the 22nd February by the Harbour Master for the construction of one, or of two, steam-launches for the Harbour Department of the following dimensions:—

Length, between perpendicular,	46'.0"
Breadth, extreme,	9'.3"
Depth, moulded,	5'.6"
Speed 9 knots on 2 hours' trial at mean draft of.....	4'.6"

Particulars and specification can be obtained at the Government Marine Surveyor's Office. The lowest or any tender will not of necessity be accepted.

By Command,

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 30th January, 1902.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 71.

The following is published.

By Command,

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 29th January, 1902.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

HONGKONG HARBOUR.

From 3rd February to 28th February, 1902, obstructions will be laid in an area to the south of Stonecutters' Island.

The area will be defined by two small black buoys with white flags laid about 1,200 yards south of the southernmost point of Stonecutters' Island. The east and west boundaries will be drawn due north to meet the Island.

Anchoring within this area is prohibited, but there will be no obstruction to navigation through the area except by a few buoys which will be visible on the surface.

R. MURRAY RUMSEY,
*Ret. Com., R.N.,
Harbour Master, &c.*

Harbour Department, Hongkong, 28th January, 1902.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 50.

Tenders will be received at this Office until Noon of Tuesday, the 11th February, 1902, for the general scavenging of the following Villages, namely:—

1. Hunghom, Kowloon Point, and Yaumati,
2. Shaukiwan and Quarry Bay,
3. Aberdeen and Aplichau,
4. Stanley and Taitam.

For specifications, period of contracts and full particulars apply at the Office of the Secretary to the Sanitary Board, "Beaconsfield."

For form of tender apply at this Office.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Command,

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 25th January, 1902.