



## **LAM, Albert Kwong-yu**

Albert Lam joined the Civil Aviation Department as a Control Assistant in 1962 and rose through the ranks to Airport Manager in 1994. Lam became the Deputy Director-General of Civil Aviation in 1996 and Director General in 1998 till 2003.

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Talks of his upbringing and education in China and his career working in the Civil Aviation Department. Recalls his fond memories of Kai Tak Airport, and talks of the 1997 Handover's impact on the aviation scene in Hong Kong and Asia. Further discusses Hong Kong Airport's strategic importance in Asia and the difficulties in his work in maintaining a world class civil aviation regime.

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