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Both Engines Failed on Cathay Jet

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HONG KONG—Both engines on the Cathay Pacific Airways Ltd. jet that made an emergency landing in Hong Kong on Tuesday malfunctioned during the approach to the airport, according to Hong Kong's civil-aviation department, in a rare incident that ended without serious injury to the hundreds on board.

After the pilots of the Airbus A330-300 aircraft shut off one malfunctioning engine, the aircraft's remaining engine suffered technical problems and wasn't producing the thrust needed to properly operate the plane, Director-General of Civil Aviation Norman Lo said Wednesday.

"The engine was stuck at a certain thrust level and the pilots weren't able ...

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