FORESHORE AND SEA-BED (RECLAMATIONS) ORDINANCE (Chapter 127)

(Notice of authorization under section 9)

PROPOSED ASIA DIRECT CABLE SYSTEM—HONG KONG SEGMENT (ADC-HK) FROM CHUNG HOM KOK TO THE EASTERN BOUNDARY OF THE HONG KONG SPECIAL ADMINISTRATIVE REGION

It is hereby notified that the undertaking in relation to the foreshore and sea-bed described in the Schedule below as mentioned in G.N. 8029 published under section 5 on 24 and 31 December 2021 was authorized under section 7 on 8 April 2022.

A copy of the plan relating to the proposed undertaking and a copy of this notice may be inspected by the public free of charge on the Lands Department website (www.landsd.gov.hk) under Government Notices, at the Lands Department Survey and Mapping Office, 23rd Floor, North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong (where copies can be purchased on order); at the Southern Home Affairs Enquiry Centre, Southern District Office, Ground Floor, Ocean Court, 3 Aberdeen Praya Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong; at the Islands Home Affairs Enquiry Centre (Tung Chung), Islands District Office, 1st Floor, Tung Chung Post Office Building, 6 Mei Tung Street, Tung Chung, Lantau Island; and at the Sai Kung Home Affairs Enquiry Centre, Sai Kung District Office, Ground Floor, Sai Kung Tseung Kwan O Government Complex, 38 Pui Shing Road, Hang Hau, Tseung Kwan O, New Territories during the following hours:—

Lands Department Survey and Mapping Office

Monday to Friday Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays	9.00 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. closed
Southern Home Affairs Enquiry Centre	
Monday to Friday Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays	9.00 a.m. to 7.00 p.m. closed
Islands Home Affairs Enquiry Centre (Tung Chung)	
Monday to Friday Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays	9.00 a.m. to 7.00 p.m. closed
Sai Kung Home Affairs Enquiry Centre	
Monday to Friday Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays	9.00 a.m. to 7.00 p.m. closed

Any person who considers that he has an interest, right or easement in or over such foreshore and sea-bed that will be injuriously affected by the undertaking may deliver a written claim for compensation for the injurious affection to the Director of Lands, 20th Floor, North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong before the expiration of 1 year from the date of publication of this notice in the Gazette, stating the sum of money which he is willing to accept in full and final settlement of his claim together with such particulars as he may possess to substantiate the claim.

SCHEDULE

Foreshore and sea-bed affected

Approximately 1.73 hectares of foreshore and sea-bed from Chung Hom Kok to the eastern boundary of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region, as delineated and shown by a bold red line on a plan, numbered HKM10685, deposited in the Land Registry. Description of the undertaking and the manner in which the foreshore and sea-bed will be affected by the proposed undertaking

- (i) Installation of an optical fibre submarine cable of approximately 34.6 kilometres in length and 38 millimetres in diameter. A cable-laying barge will be employed to simultaneously lay and bury the submarine cable in a trench of about 0.5 metre in width at a target burial depth of about 5 metres below the sea-bed. For the cable section near the shore, the cable will be installed by divers and protected by articulated pipe.
- (ii) At the crossing of an existing gas pipeline, the proposed cable will be surface laid either by the burial tool or divers, over the top of the gas pipeline, for a section of approximately 200 metres to avoid any interference. Additional cable protection by 'Uraduct' will be employed.
- (iii) Where the proposed cable crosses with an existing submarine cable, burial depth of about 3 metres below the sea-bed on top of the existing cables will be required. The actual burial depth will be subject to the depth of the existing cables.

Personal Information Collection Statement

Any information, including the personal data, submitted to the Director of Lands in connection with any written claims served under section 12(1) of the Foreshore and Sea-bed (Reclamations) Ordinance (Chapter 127) will be used for the processing of the claims and other related purposes. The provision of the information, including the personal data, as required under section 12(1) of the Foreshore and Sea-bed (Reclamations) Ordinance (Chapter 127) is obligatory. If such information, including the personal data, as required under section 12(1) of the Foreshore and Sea-bed (Reclamations) Ordinance (Chapter 127) is not provided as requested, the claims may be rejected. Any information, including the personal data, so submitted may be disclosed to the relevant government departments and other organizations or agencies which are required to handle the claims and related matters. Persons who have so submitted their personal data have the rights to request access to and correction of their personal data held by us. Request for access to or correction of the personal data should be made in writing to the Departmental Personal Data Controlling Officer of Lands Department at 21st Floor, North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong.

14 April 2022

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