G.N. 6503 Lands Department

FORESHORE AND SEA-BED (RECLAMATIONS) ORDINANCE (Chapter 127)
(Notice of authorization under section 9)

PROPOSED INSTALLATION OF PENG CHAU CABLE SYSTEM FROM NIM SHUE WAN TO TAI LEI IN THE HONG KONG SPECIAL ADMINISTRATIVE REGION WATERS

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. 4201 published under section 5 on 5 and 12 August 2022 was authorized under section 7 on 25 October 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 Islands Home Affairs Enquiry Centre (Cheung Chau), Islands District Office, Ground Floor, 22 San Hing Street, Cheung Chau; at the Islands Home Affairs Enquiry Centre (Mui Wo), Islands District Office, Ground Floor, Mui Wo Government Offices, 2 Ngan Kwong Wan Road, Mui Wo, Lantau Island; and 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 during the following hours:—

Lands Department Survey and Mapping Office

Monday to Friday
Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays

Islands Home Affairs Enquiry Centre (Cheung Chau)

Monday to Friday
Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays
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Islands Home Affairs Enquiry Centre (Mui Wo)

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays
Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays

Islands Home Affairs Enquiry Centre (Tung Chung)

Manday to Friday

9.00 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. closed

Monday to Friday 9.00 a.m. to 7.00 p.m. Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays 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 900 square metres of foreshore and sea-bed from Nim Shue Wan to Tai Lei, as delineated and shown by a bold red line on a plan, numbered ISM3221b, 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 1.5 kilometres in length and 60 millimetres in diameter.
- (ii) 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 3 to 5 metres below the sea-bed. For the cable section approaching the landing sites where the foreshore is rocky, the cable will be installed by diver(s) and protected by articulated pipe.
- (iii) When the proposed cable crosses with the sub-cropping rock area, a shallower burial depth of about 2 to 3 metres below the seabed may be required. Additional cable protection will be employed, which may include placing reinforced precast concrete mattresses on top of the submarine cable, placing the submarine cable in articulated pipe or 'Uraduct' prior to cable burial. The affected area will be of approximately 100 metres in length and approximately 2 metres in width.

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.

11 November 2022

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