Railways Ordinance (Chapter 519)

(Notice under section 23)

HONG KONG SECTION OF GUANGZHOU-SHENZHEN-HONG KONG EXPRESS RAIL LINK

NOTICE OF ORDER AUTHORIZING THE WORKS OVER AND UPON THE GOVERNMENT FORESHORE AND SEA-BED AT VICTORIA HARBOUR OFF THE WEST KOWLOON CULTURAL DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that under section 22(1) of the Railways Ordinance (Chapter 519), the Deputy Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport) has, by order made on 19 March 2012 (the 'Order'), authorized the works over and upon the Government foreshore and sea-bed at Victoria Harbour off the West Kowloon Cultural District during the period from 1 April 2012 to 31 March 2013 for the purposes of or incidental to the railway scheme of the Hong Kong Section of Guangzhou-Shenzhen-Hong Kong Express Rail Link. A description of the works to be carried out, the area of the foreshore and sea-bed to be affected and the manner in which it will be affected is given in the Schedule below.

A copy of the Order and the Plan numbered XRL/G47/0010/2 (the 'Plan') delineating and showing in red the Government foreshore and sea-bed affected, may be inspected by the public free of charge at the following places and during the following hours when those offices are normally open to the public:—

Opening Hours **Places** (except public holidays) Central and Western District Office, Public Enquiry Service Centre, Unit 5, Ground Floor, The Center, 99 Queen's Road Central, Central, Hong Kong. Monday to Friday 9.00 a.m.–7.00 p.m. Yau Tsim Mong District Office, Public Enquiry Service Centre, Ground Floor, Mong Kok Government Offices, 30 Luen Wan Street, Mong Kok, Kowloon. District Lands Office, Kowloon West, Monday to Friday 10th Floor, Yau Ma Tei Carpark Building, 8.45 a.m.–12.30 p.m. 250 Shanghai Street, Kowloon. 1.30 p.m.-5.30 p.m.

Copies of the Order and the Plan may be purchased from the Railway Development Office of the Highways Department. Enquiries on purchasing details can be made to the Highways Department at telephone number 2762 3976. The electronic version of the Order and the Plan are viewable on the Highways Department's website (http://www.hyd.gov.hk/eng/major/road/rail/index.htm).

A copy of this notice will be affixed on or near the Government foreshore and sea-bed affected by the Order on 23 March 2012.

Any person having a compensatable interest under the Railways Ordinance (Chapter 519) may serve a written claim upon the Secretary for Transport and Housing on 22nd Floor, East Wing, Central Government Offices, 2 Tim Mei Avenue, Tamar, Hong Kong so as to reach the Secretary before the expiration of one year from the date of extinction, modification or restriction of his private right in respect of the Government foreshore and sea-bed affected by the Order.

SCHEDULE

The foreshore and sea-bed to be affected

An area of Victoria Harbour off the West Kowloon Cultural District at its south western side, as delineated and shown in red on the Plan. Description of the works and the manner in which the foreshore and sea-bed will be affected

The works involve the operation of two temporary barge loading facilities at waterfront, where parts of its structures are extended to over and upon the foreshore and sea-bed (above sea level), to facilitate the construction of the terminus of the Hong Kong Section of Guangzhou-Shenzhen-Hong Kong Express Rail Link.

Statement on Personal Data

Any information, including the personal data, submitted to the Secretary for Transport and Housing in connection with any written claims as required under section 34 of the Railways Ordinance (Chapter 519) 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 34 of the Railways Ordinance is obligatory. If such information, including the personal data, as required under section 34 of the Railways Ordinance 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. For access to or correction of the personal data, please write to the Transport and Housing Bureau at 22nd Floor, East Wing, Central Government Offices, 2 Tim Mei Avenue, Tamar, Hong Kong.

19 March 2012

Maisie CHENG Deputy Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport)