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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Background

MTR Corporation Limited (MTRCL) proposes to build a new railway line, the West Island Line (WIL) which is an extension of the Island Line to the Western District. The route length of the fully underground WIL is approximately 3 km with three new underground stations namely Sai Ying Pun Station (SYP), University Station (UNI) and Kennedy Town Station (KET).

Impact Assessment and Baseline Monitoring

With the development of the Environmental Monitoring and Audit Manual (EM&A Manual) in accordance with the guideline set out in the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) report prepared by ENSR Asia (HK) Limited in October 2008, Baseline Monitoring (Part 3) have been conducted for both dust and noise at the proposed monitoring locations in the vicinity of Works Areas G and J to establish baseline levels for both dust and noise for the civil construction work within Works Areas G and J respectively.

Results and Conclusions

Baseline monitoring (Part 3) had been carried out in accordance with the recommendations contained in the Technical Memoranda associated with EIAO, Air Pollution Control Ordinance and Noise Control Ordinance, where applicable. Results and Conclusions of the report were presented in the subsequent sections of the Baseline Monitoring Report.

1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 BACKGROUND

The West Island Line Project

MTR Corporation Limited (MTRCL) proposes to build a new railway line, the West Island Line (WIL) which is an extension of the Island Line to the Western District. The route length of the fully underground WIL is approximately 3 km with three new underground stations namely Sai Ying Pun (SYP), University (UNI) and Kennedy Town (KET).

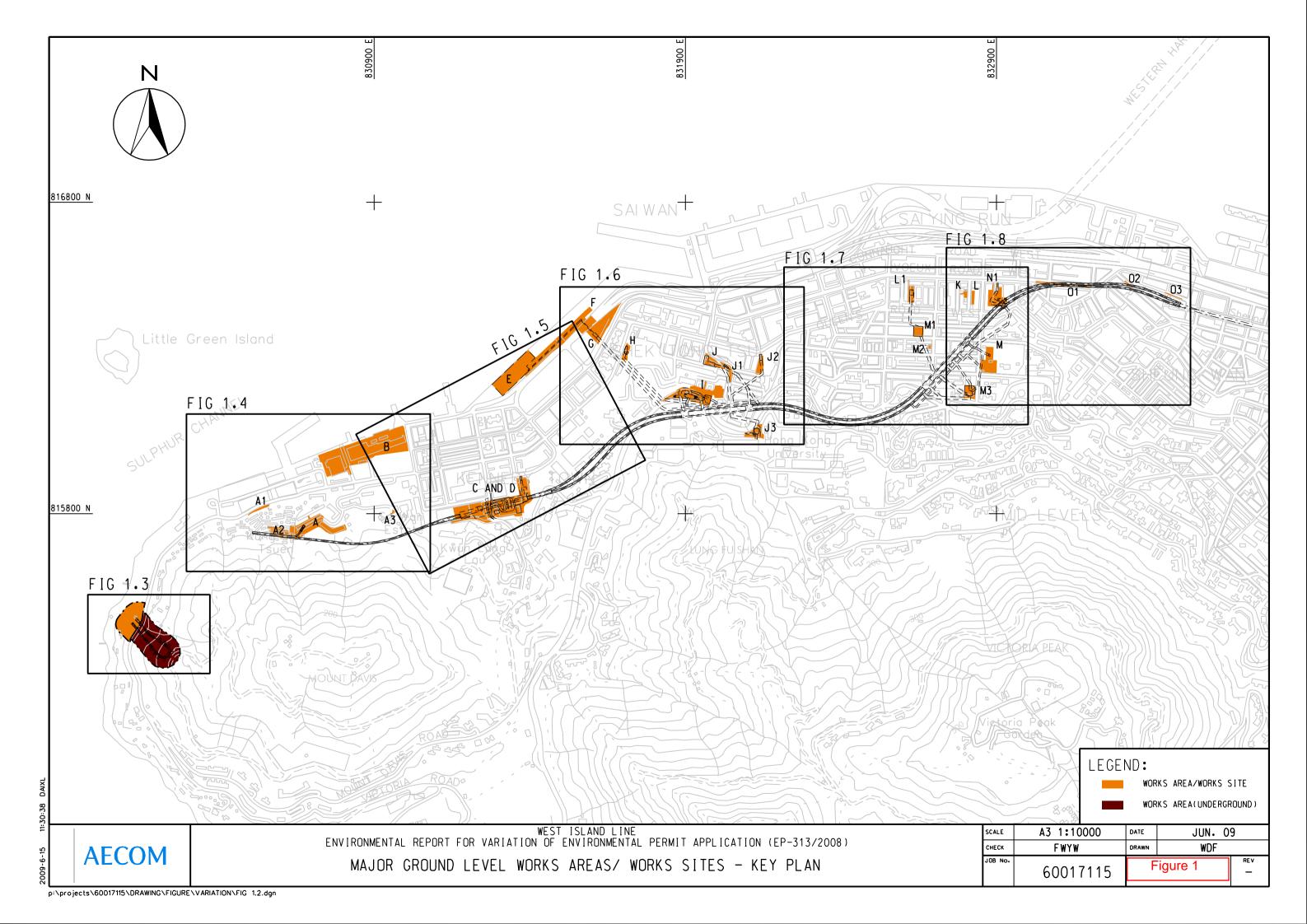
The location of works areas is shown in Figure 1.

- 1.1.1 An EIA study (refer to EIA Report dated October 2008) has been conducted by ENSR Asia (HK) Limited for the proposed WIL Project. An EM&A Manual has provided guidelines in the preparation of this baseline monitoring report.
- 1.1.2 Baseline levels have been established for both dust and noise, by which the performance of the construction Contractor may be measured in meeting the required environmental protection standards and requirements under the Environmental Permit, during the course of the construction work. These are presented in subsequent sections of this report.
- 1.1.3 This Baseline Monitoring Report (Part 3) presents the results for the baseline monitorings conducted for both dust and noise at the proposed monitoring locations in the vicinity of Works Areas G and J and establishes baseline levels for both dust and noise for the civil construction work within Works Areas G and J. Baseline monitorings for other works areas are to be conducted subsequently and the baseline monitoring reports for these works areas will be submitted accordingly.

1.2 ORGANISATION OF THE REPORT

Following the introduction, the remainder of this Report is arranged as follows:

_	Section 2	describes the air quality monitoring methodology and analyses the monitoring results;
_	Section 3	describes the noise quality monitoring methodology and analyses the monitoring results.
_	Section 4	Conclusions



2 AIR QUALITY

2.1 MONITORING METHODOLOGY

Monitoring was undertaken to establish baseline levels for both 1-hour and 24-hour Total Suspended Particulates (TSP) in the vicinity of the major works areas along WIL, namely the construction sites for stations/entrances and associated structures. This provides data against which any environmental impacts due to construction activities can be compared. During the construction period impact monitoring will only be conducted for 24-hour TSP, although 1-hour TSP monitoring may also be conducted and used in following up on complaints or exceedances, in order to provide a more rapid indication of the source of the problem at hand.

Baseline monitoring station (AM7a) which is approved as an alternative monitoring location to the original monitoring station (AM7) as specified in the EM&A Manual for both 1-hour and 24-hour TSP measurements has been established at the Hill Court, see figure 2.1.

Three separate 1-hour TSP measurements daily for a period of at least 14 days were made at the monitoring stations to establish the ambient 1-hour TSP levels

24-hour TSP measurements were carried out over a period of at least 14 days at the monitoring stations to establish the ambient 24-hour TSP levels.

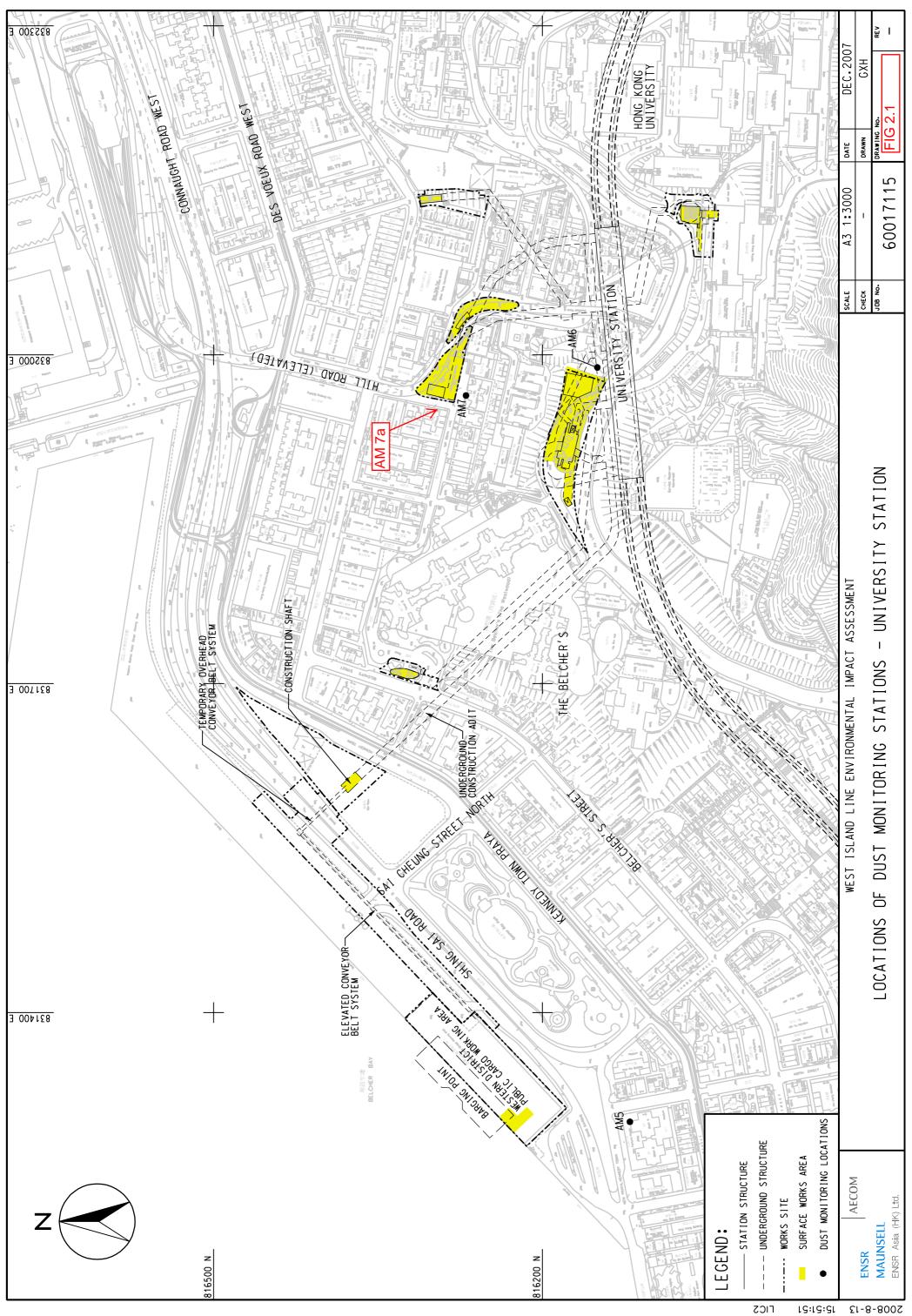
24-hour samples were collected by High Volume Sampler (Graseby-Andersen) following United Sates Environmental Protection Agency regulations and 1-hour TSP levels were measured by real time dust monitor (MIE - DataRam).

2.2 CALIBRATION REQUIREMENTS

The flow rate of the high volume sampler with mass flow controller will be calibrated using an orifice calibrator. Initial calibration (five points) will be conducted upon installation and prior to commissioning. Calibration will be carried out every six months. Calibration certificate is attached in Annex C.

The sensing system of MIE is calibrated by clean filtered air passing through the flow-sensing system, providing a controlled check of the zero-concentration condition. Calibration of the MIE by certified laboratory or manufacturer shall be carried out every two years and properly documented. Calibration certificate is attached in Annex C.

The samplers shall be properly maintained. Prior to dust monitoring commencing, appropriate checks shall be made to ensure that all equipment and necessary power supply are in good working condition.



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2.3 MONITORING PROCEDURES

1-Hour TSP Levels Monitoring

TSP is sampled by drawing air into the MIE where particulate concentrations are measured instantaneously with an in-built silicon detector sensing light scattered by the particles in the sampled air (optical sensing stage). Continuous TSP levels are indicated on the MIE along with a 'Time Weighted Average' value.

24-Hour TSP Levels Monitoring

The sampling procedure follows to that described in the App. B of Pt 50 in 40CFR Ch.1 (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency). TSP is sampled by drawing air through a conditioned, pre-weighed filter paper inside the high volume sampler at a controlled rate. After 24-hour sampling the filter paper with retained particles shall be collected and returned to the laboratory for drying in a desiccator followed by accurate weighing. TSP levels are calculated from the ratio of the mass of particulate retained on the filter paper to the total volume of air sampled.

2.4 MONITORING RESULTS

2.4.1 1-Hour TSP baseline monitoring was conducted at the monitoring station between 20 July 2009 and 4 August 2009. The average 1-hour TSP baseline levels have been established from the baseline data listed in *Annex A*, and are shown in *Table 2.4a* below.

Weather conditions throughout the monitoring period were mild and relatively dry, with light wind normally from southwest, with some days from the east. Some rainy periods were recorded in the monitoring period, and the baseline monitoring period had to be extended.

Table 2.4a 1-hour TSP Baseline Level

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Monitoring Locat	Average 1-h TSP Level (μg/m³)			
Hill Court (AM7a)	51			

Note: TSP levels are to the nearest whole number, with values of 0.5 rounded up

It was noted that there were construction works at University of Hong Kong during the monitoring period. Road traffic was observed along Hill Road. The dust particulate generated from the construction works and the exhaust fumes from the road traffic contribute to the background TSP levels.

Action and Limit Levels

To provide an early indication of any deterioration in the Contractor's environmental performance, action levels were derived based on the measured baseline levels. Limit level is set at 500µg/m³ for the 1-hour TSP level as recommended for consideration in the EIAO-TM.

For 1-hour TSP the action level for baseline smaller than or equal to $384\mu g/m^3$ is the average of 130% of the baseline and the limit level. For baseline greater than $384\mu g/m^3$ the action level is $500\mu g/m^3$. The derived level for the monitoring station is shown in *Table 2.4b* below.

Table 2.4b Baseline, Action and Limit Levels for 1-hour TSP

Monitoring Location	Baseline Level (µg/m3)	Action Level (µg/m3)	Limit Level (µg/m3)
Hill Court (AM7a)	51	283	500 ⁽¹⁾

^{(1) - 1-}hour TSP criterion recommended in the EIAO-TM
Note: TSP levels are to the nearest whole number, with values of 0.5 rounded up

This baseline level can be expected to vary throughout the year, particularly with the weather changes between the wet and dry season, and changes in other construction works in the locality.

It is therefore recommended that baseline level be checked every six months, preferably when there are no MTRCL construction activities ongoing in the vicinity.

2.4.2 24-hour TSP

24-hour TSP baseline monitoring was conducted at the monitoring station in the vicinity of Works Area B between 20 July 2009 and 4 August 2009.

Weather conditions throughout 24hour-TSP monitoring period were mild and relatively dry, with light wind normally from southwest for the majority of the time, with some days from the east. Some rainy periods were recorded in the monitoring period, and the baseline monitoring period had to be extended.

The averaged 24-hour TSP baseline level has been established from the baseline data listed in *Annex A*, and are shown in *Table 2.4c* below.

Table 2.4c

24-hour TSP Baseline Levels

Monitoring Location	Average 24-h TSP Level (μg/m³)
Hill Court (AM7a)	32

Note: TSP levels are to the nearest whole number, with values of 0.5 rounded up

It was noted that there were construction works at University of Hong Kong during the monitoring period. Road traffic was observed along Hill Road. The dust particulate generated from the construction works and the exhaust fumes from the road traffic contribute to the background TSP levels.

Action and Limit Levels

To provide an early indication of any deterioration in the Contractor's environmental performance, action levels were derived based on the measured baseline levels. The Air Quality Objective limit level for 24-hour TSP is set at $260\mu g/m^3$.

For 24-hour TSP the action level for baseline smaller than or equal to $200\mu g/m^3$ is the average of 130% of the baseline and the limit level. For baseline greater than $200\mu g/m^3$ the action level is $260\mu g/m^3$. The derived levels for each monitoring station are shown in *Table 2.4d* below.

Table 2.4d Baseline, Action and Limit Levels for 24-hour TSP

Monitoring Location	Baseline Level (μg/m³)	Action Level (μg/m³)	Limit Level (μg/m³)
Hill Court (AM7a)	32	151	260

Note: TSP levels are to the nearest whole number, with values of 0.5 rounded up

This baseline level can be expected to vary throughout the year, particularly with the weather changes between the wet and dry season, and changes in other construction works in the locality.

It is therefore recommended that baseline level be checked every six months, preferably when there are no MTRC construction activities ongoing in the vicinity.

3 NOISE

3.1 MONITORING METHODOLOGY

Monitoring was undertaken to establish noise baseline levels in the vicinity of the Works Areas G and J, to provide data against which any environmental impacts due to construction activities can be compared.

The baseline monitoring stations as specified in the EM&A Manual were established at the following locations, see Figure 3.1:

CN6 - Yick Fung Garden Block A CN9 - Hill Court

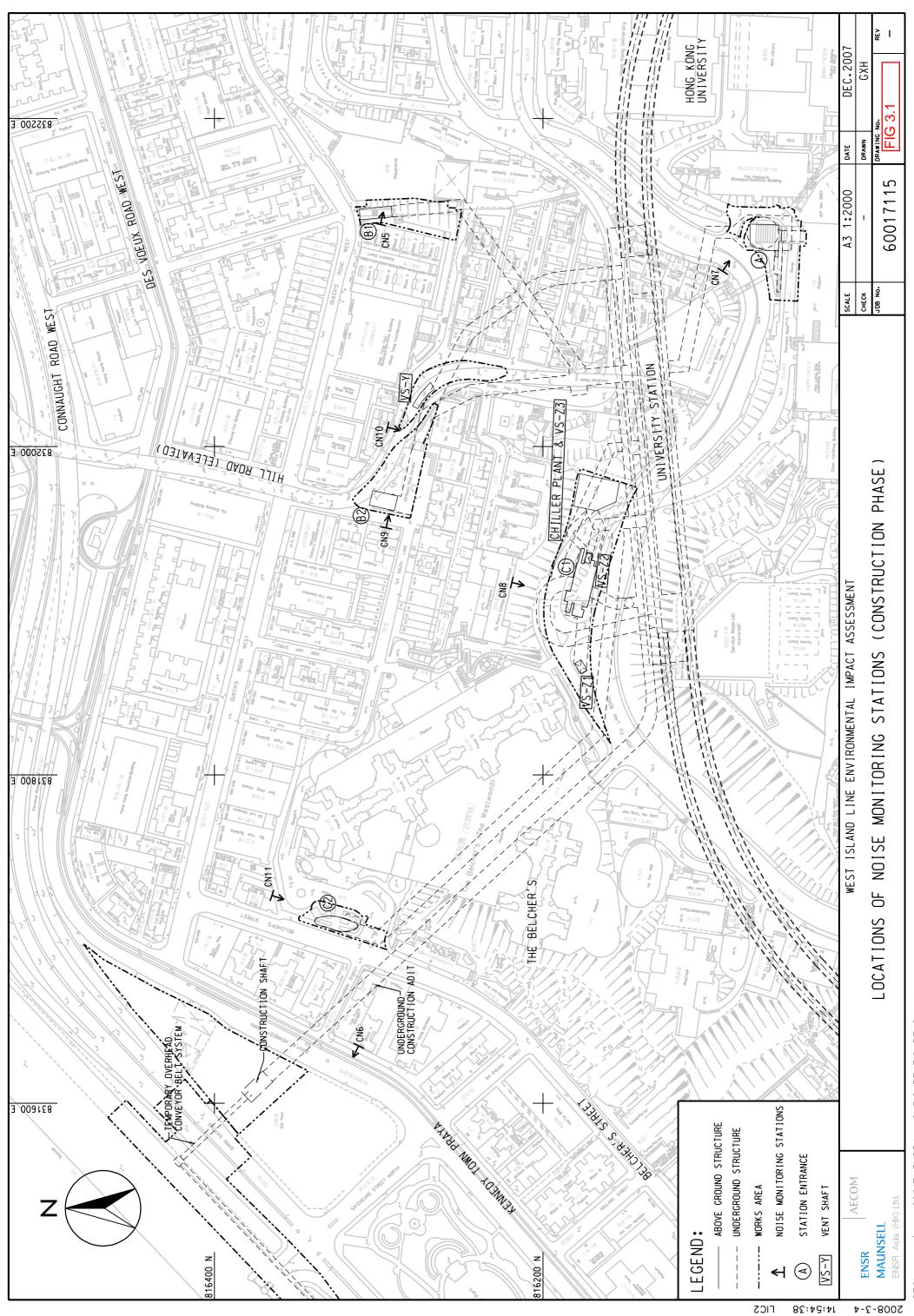
Consecutive noise measurements were undertaken over a period of at least 14 days to establish the ambient noise levels at representative nearest sensitive receivers. Continuous 5 minute A-weighted noise levels were recorded throughout the daytime, evening and night-time on weekdays (Monday to Saturday) and also on Sundays. The noise levels were then averaged for weekdays over each 30 minute period between 0700 and 1900hr to produce the baseline conditions.

Monitoring was conducted using B&K sound analysis equipment – B&K SLM 2236. Microphones were extended 1.2 metres from building facades and oriented towards the works area.

Weather conditions throughout the monitoring period were mild and relatively dry, with light wind normally from southwest for the majority of the time, with some days from the east. Some rainy periods were recorded in the monitoring period, and the baseline monitoring period had to be extended.

3.2 CALIBRATION REQUIREMENTS

B&K 2236 sound level meters which complied with the International Electrotechnical Commission Publication 651:1979 (Type 1) and 804:1985 (Type 1), specification as referred to in the Technical Memoranda to the NCO were used for the baseline monitoring. The B&K sound level meters and B&K 4231 calibrator are verified by the certified laboratory or manufacturer once every two years to ensure they perform to the same level of accuracy as stated in the manufacturer's specifications. Calibration certificates are attached in Annex C.



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Immediately prior to and following each set of measurements at any NSR, the accuracy of the sound level meter was checked using an acoustic calibrator generating a known sound pressure level at a known frequency. If the calibration levels before and after the measurement differ by more than 1.0dB the measurement shall be repeated to obtain a reliable result (note: maximum deviation during this initial baseline monitoring period was 0.3dB). Periods of prolonged or repeated overloading of the sound level meter detector were avoided by setting the meter with adequate headroom prior to commencing measurements. Measurements were recorded to the nearest 0.1 dB, with values of 0.05 being rounded up.

Limit levels for these locations are shown in *Table 3.3 c*.

Table 3.3c Limit Levels for Construction Noise

Time Period	Noise Level (dB) f	or NSRs around Works Areas G,J
Daytime (0700-1900 through Saturday Public Holidays	,,	$L_{Aeq\ 30mins}75^{(1)}$
All evenings (1900-2	300)	Subject to control under the Noise Control Ordinance
General Holidays (in Sundays) during that and evening (0700-22)	e daytime	Subject to control under the Noise Control Ordinance
All night time perio	ods (2300-	Subject to control under the Noise Control Ordinance

⁽¹⁾ Limit level guideline, for educational establishments the limit level shall be 70, reduced to 65 during examination periods.

3.3 MONITORING RESULTS

Noise baseline monitoring was conducted at the monitoring station CN6 between 2 June 2009 and 16 June 2009. Noise baseline monitoring was conducted at the monitoring station CN9 between 20 July 2009 and 4 August 2009.

5 minute, "fast" detector response, levels were recorded in the following indices, L_{Aeq} , L_{A10} , L_{A90} . The baseline data was initially downloaded into a spreadsheet, directly from the noise loggers in ASCII format for checking, and then imported into the database. The L_{Aeq} , results for each 5 minute period of weekday were averaged. An average of two 24 hour Sunday periods was covered in the monitoring periods. 'Time Slot Averaged', 'Noise Control Period Averaged' baseline noise levels are presented for the monitoring location in *Annex B*.

At monitoring station CN6, it was observed that vehicular traffic along Kennedy Town Praya was the dominant noise sources contributed to the background noise. At monitoring station CN9, it was observed that traffic in the locality and construction works at University of Hong Kong contributed to the background noise.

3.4 MAXIMUM ACCEPTABLE IMPACT LEVEL

Maximum Acceptable Impact Levels are recommended in instances where baseline levels approach or exceed stipulated limit levels.

The Maximum Acceptable Impact Level incorporates the baseline noise value and the identified construction limit level by logarithmically summing the two values. This amended level will, therefore, be greater than the limit level and represents the maximum allowable noise level at a specific monitoring station.

As the baseline noise levels are lower than the limit level, the Maximum Acceptable Impact Levels for the noise monitoring stations CN6 and CN9 will not be adopted.

4 CONCLUSION

4.1 BASELINE LEVEL

4.1.1 Air

1-hour TSP

1-hour TSP baseline monitoring was conducted at the monitoring station, namely Hill Court (AM7a) between 20 July 2009 and 04 August 2009. Baseline TSP levels were recorded in the range of 36 μ g/m³ and 128 μ g/m³.

24-hour TSP

24-hour TSP baseline monitoring was conducted at the monitoring station at Hill Court (AM7a) between 20 July 2009 and 04 August 2009. Baseline TSP results between 19 μ g/m³ and 61 μ g/m³ had been recorded.

4.1.2 *Noise*

Baseline monitoring were conducted at the monitoring stations, namely Yick Fung Garden Block A (CN6) from 2 June 2009 to 16 June 2009, Hill Court (CN9) from 20 July 2009 and 04 August 2009. Baseline noise levels have been established for weekday and Sunday periods.

Baseline noise levels between 72.0 and 74.5 dB(A) had been recorded at the monitoring station CN6 from 0700 - 1900hr for the monitoring station. Baseline noise levels between 64.7 and 73.8 dB(A) had been recorded from 0700 - 1900hr for the monitoring station CN9.

The major noise sources were noticed from the vehicular traffic along Kennedy Town Praya at the monitoring station CN6. The major noise sources as observed at monitoring station CN9 were the vehicular traffic and the construction works at University of Hong Kong in the vicinity.

4.2 ACTION AND TARGET LEVELS

4.2.1 Air

1-hour TSP

The 1-hour TSP action level have been calculated from baseline levels and presented in Table 2.4b. Limit level is set at $500 \,\mu\text{g/m}^3$ for the 1-hour TSP limit suggested in the EIAO-TM. The 1-hour TSP monitoring is intended to use in following up on complaints or exceedances, in order to provide a more rapid indication of the source of the problem at hand.

24-hour TSP

24-hour TSP action levels have been calculated from baseline levels and are presented in Table 2.4d. The Air Quality Objective limit level for 24-hour TSP is set at $260 \,\mu g/m^3$.

4.2.2 *Noise*

Action level exceedance occurs when one or more documented complaints are received.

Limit level is set at $L_{Aeq\ 30mins}75^{(1)}$ for normal working hours (i.e. 0700-1900 hours on any day not being a Sunday or general holiday), as suggested in EIAO-TM and the Practice Note for Professional Persons ProPECC PN2/93. For restricted hours (i.e. 1900-0700 hours for weekdays and all day on Sundays and general holidays), limit level shall be subjected to control under the Noise Control Ordinance (NCO).

⁽¹⁾ Limit level guideline, for educational establishments the limit level shall be 70, reduced to 65 during examination periods.

ANNEX A TSP Baseline Measurements

Project: West Island Line

Report for Location: Hill Court (AM7a)

Samples between: 20/07/2009 and 04/08/2009

Report Date 20/08/2009

Sample Code	<u>Date</u>	Start Time	<u>Parameter</u>	Value Unit
Location:	Н	ill Court		
Sample Type:	D	ust Sample		
AM7a/001	20/07/2009	13:30	Total Suspended Particulate (1 hr)	44.3 μg/cu.m
AM7a/002	21/07/2009	14:45	Total Suspended Particulate (1 hr)	44.1 μg/cu.m
AM7a/003	22/07/2009	14:30	Total Suspended Particulate (1 hr)	44.4 μg/cu.m
AM7a/004	23/07/2009	14:45	Total Suspended Particulate (1 hr)	42.1 µg/cu.m
AM7a/005	24/07/2009	14:15	Total Suspended Particulate (1 hr)	42.5 µg/cu.m
AM7a/006	25/07/2009	14:15	Total Suspended Particulate (1 hr)	40.8 μg/cu.m
AM7a/007	26/07/2009	14:15	Total Suspended Particulate (1 hr)	40.6 µg/cu.m
AM7a/008	27/07/2009	15:15	Total Suspended Particulate (1 hr)	41.1 µg/cu.m
AM7a/009	28/07/2009	12:45	Total Suspended Particulate (1 hr)	106.3 µg/cu.m
AM7a/010	29/07/2009	13:45	Total Suspended Particulate (1 hr)	43.8 µg/cu.m
AM7a/011	30/07/2009	15:00	Total Suspended Particulate (1 hr)	38.8 µg/cu.m
AM7a/012	31/07/2009	15:45	Total Suspended Particulate (1 hr)	36.6 µg/cu.m
AM7a/013	01/08/2009	13:45	Total Suspended Particulate (1 hr)	38.5 µg/cu.m
AM7a/014	02/08/2009	12:45	Total Suspended Particulate (1 hr)	38.0 µg/cu.m
AM7a/015	03/08/2009	10:30	Total Suspended Particulate (1 hr)	39.3 µg/cu.m
AM7a/016	04/08/2009	11:30	Total Suspended Particulate (1 hr)	127.9 μg/cu.m

Project: West Island Line

Report for Location: Hill Court (AM7a)

Samples between: 20/07/2009 and 04/08/2009

Report Date: 20/08/2009

Sample Code	<u>Date</u>	Start Time	Parameter	Value <u>Unit</u>
Location:	H	lill Court		
Sample Type:	D	oust Sample		
AM7a/001	20/07/2009	13:30	Total Suspended Particulate (24 hr)	28.3 μg/cu.m
AM7a/002	21/07/2009	15:45	Total Suspended Particulate (24 hr)	36.9 µg/cu.m
AM7a/003	22/07/2009	15:30	Total Suspended Particulate (24 hr)	35.2 µg/cu.m
AM7a/004	23/07/2009	14:45	Total Suspended Particulate (24 hr)	32.2 µg/cu.m
AM7a/005	24/07/2009	14:15	Total Suspended Particulate (24 hr)	38.2 µg/cu.m
AM7a/006	25/07/2009	14:15	Total Suspended Particulate (24 hr)	32.2 µg/cu.m
AM7a/007	26/07/2009	14:15	Total Suspended Particulate (24 hr)	27.3 μg/cu.m
AM7a/008	27/07/2009	15:15	Total Suspended Particulate (24 hr)	19.2 μg/cu.m
AM7a/009	28/07/2009	12:45	Total Suspended Particulate (24 hr)	44.9 μg/cu.m
AM7a/010	29/07/2009	13:45	Total Suspended Particulate (24 hr)	61.0 µg/cu.m
AM7a/011	30/07/2009	16:30	Total Suspended Particulate (24 hr)	28.2 μg/cu.m
AM7a/012	31/07/2009	15:45	Total Suspended Particulate (24 hr)	28.0 μg/cu.m
AM7a/013	01/08/2009	13:45	Total Suspended Particulate (24 hr)	26.5 μg/cu.m
AM7a/014	02/08/2009	12:45	Total Suspended Particulate (24 hr)	27.3 μg/cu.m
AM7a/015	03/08/2009	10:15	Total Suspended Particulate (24 hr)	27.2 μg/cu.m
AM7a/016	04/08/2009	11:30	Total Suspended Particulate (24 hr)	

Note: 1. The air sampler is operated in constant flow rate

ANNEX B Noise Baseline Measurements

Noise Baseline Report

Project: West Island Line

Report for Location: Yick Fung Garden Block A (CN6)

Baseline between: 02/06/09 - 16/06/09

Report date: 20/08/09

Parameter: Leq

Time Slot Averaged Baselines
Weekdays Noise Level dB(A)

Weekdays Noise L	evel, dB(A)		
	LAeq,30min	L10	L90
07:00-07:30	72.0	75.5	64.7
07:30-08:00	72.5	75.9	65.1
08:00-08:30	73.3	76.3	67.6
08:30-09:00	73.4	76.3	67.8
09:00-09:30	73.4	76.5	67.6
09:30-10:00	73.8	76.5	69.0
10:00-10:30	74.5	76.9	70.4
10:30-11:00	74.2	76.7	70.2
11:00-11:30	74.2	76.8	70.3
11:30-12:00	74.3	76.8	70.3
12:00-12:30	74.1	76.6	70.1
12:30-13:00	74.0	76.6	69.7
13:00-13:30	73.9	76.5	69.9
13:30-14:00	74.1	76.5	69.7
14:00-14:30	73.6	76.1	69.5
14:30-15:00	73.7	76.3	69.5
15:00-15:30	73.9	76.5	69.5
15:30-16:00	73.7	76.4	69.5
16:00-16:30	73.9	76.6	69.5
16:30-17:00	74.0	76.7	69.6
17:00-17:30	73.8	76.5	69.4
17:30-18:00	73.9	76.6	69.5
18:00-18:30	73.7	76.4	69.3
18:30-19:00	73.7	76.3	69.3
Noise Control Per	riod Averaged Baselines		
Weekdays Noise L	evel, dB(A)		
	LAeq,30min	L10	L90
07:00-19:00	73.8	76.5	69.2
	LAeq,5min	L10	L90
19:00-23:00	72.6	75.3	68.3
23:00-07:00	67.4	70.7	60.1
Sundays/General H	Holidays Noise Level, dB(A)		
	LAeq,5min	L10	L90
07:00-19:00	73.6	76.2	69.1
19:00-23:00	72.6	75.2	68.7
23:00-07:00	67.7	71.0	60.6

Logarithmic Averaging is being used.

Noise Baseline Report

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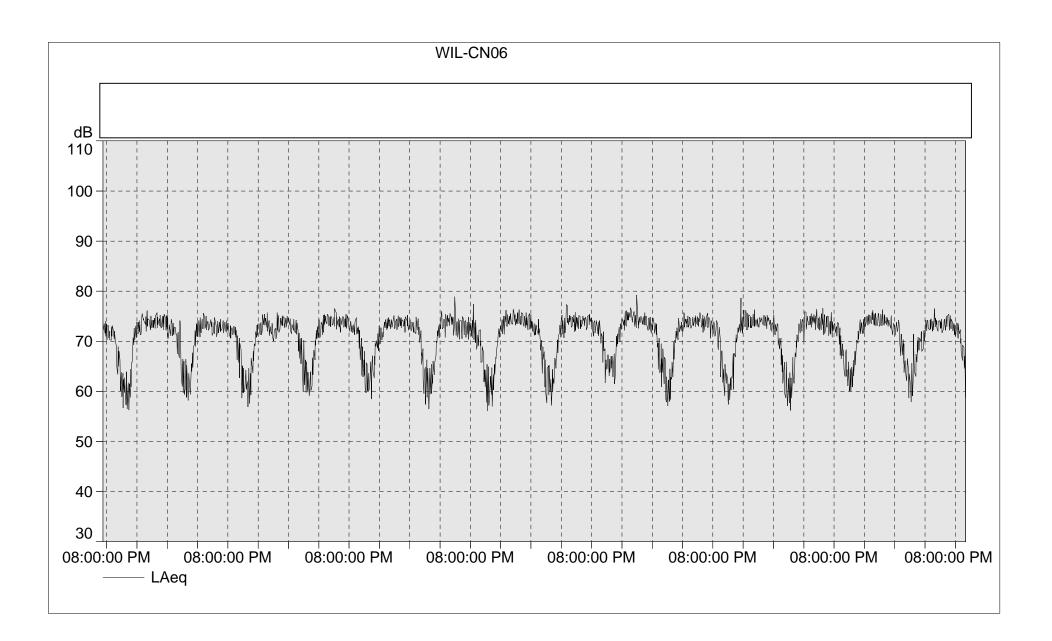
Report for Location: Hill Court (CN9) Baseline between: 20/07/09 - 04/08/09

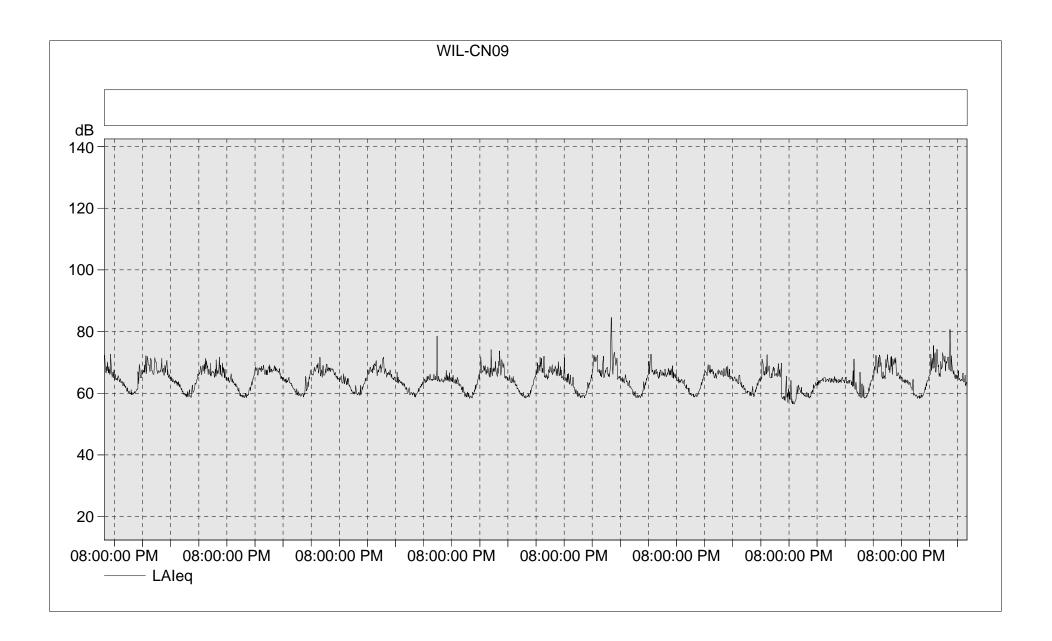
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Time Slot Averaged l	Baselines		
Weekdays Noise Lev	el, dB(A)		
	LAeq,30min	L10	L90
07:00-07:30	64.7	65.7	62.1
07:30-08:00	65.8	66.5	63.6
08:00-08:30	67.3	67.9	65.1
08:30-09:00	68.4	69.1	66.1
09:00-09:30	69.0	69.7	66.4
09:30-10:00	68.3	68.9	66.1
10:00-10:30	68.9	69.5	66.1
10:30-11:00	68.8	69.4	65.8
11:00-11:30	68.3	69.1	65.7
11:30-12:00	67.4	68.0	65.1
12:00-12:30	66.3	66.9	64.1
12:30-13:00	67.0	67.7	64.5
13:00-13:30	67.7	68.4	65.3
13:30-14:00	68.2	68.9	65.2
14:00-14:30	68.2	68.9	65.4
14:30-15:00	67.7	68.4	65.4
15:00-15:30	67.6	68.3	64.9
15:30-16:00	69.4	70.5	65.2
16:00-16:30	73.8	74.1	72.3
16:30-17:00	68.0	68.8	65.1
17:00-17:30	68.3	69.2	65.3
17:30-18:00	67.6	68.3	65.0
18:00-18:30	67.2	67.7	64.7
18:30-19:00	65.9	66.7	63.5
Noise Control Period	d Averaged Baselines		
Weekdays Noise Lev	el, dB(A)		
	LAeq,30min	L10	L90
07:00-19:00	68.3	68.9	65.8
	LAeq,5min	L10	L90
19:00-23:00	64.2	65.0	61.8
23:00-07:00	61.1	62.1	58.9
Sundays/General Hol	idays Noise Level, dB(A)		
	LAeq,5min	L10	L90
07:00-19:00	64.6	65.0	61.9
19:00-23:00	64.0	64.7	61.7
23:00-07:00	61.1	61.7	58.6

Logarithmic Averaging is being used.





ANNEX C

Calibration Certificates for Monitoring Equipment

ThermoFisher

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DR2000 CALIBRATION CERTIFICATE

This calibration is traceable to the National Institute of Standards and Testing

SERIAL NUMBER:	<u>2003</u>
CALIBRATION RATIO:	0.991
AVG. DR CONCENTRATION:	2.47 mg/m3
_MASTER AVG CONCENTRATION:	2.04 mg/m3
PDR BACKROUND CONCENTRATION:	0.332 mg/m3

TEMPERATURE: 73 F RH: 39 %

CALIBRATION MASTER: D187 LAST CALIBRATED: 5/1/2009

TECHNICIAN: ____ KL DATE: ____ 5/19/2009

ANDERSEN INSTRUMENTS INC.

GS2310 Series Sampler Calibration

- (Dic:	kson	Reco	rder)
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(Dickson Recorder)						
			SITE			
Location ->	> Hill Co	urt		Date ->	> 23-Jun-09	
Sampler ->	> 694-060	52		Tech ->	Chan Kin Fung	
***************************************		CC	NDITIO	NS		
Sea Level Pressure	(hpa)	1004		Sampler Elevat	ion (feet)	414
Sea Level Pressure	(in Hg)	29.65		Corrected Press	sure (mm Hg)	742.90
Temperature	(deg C)	31		Temperature	(deg K)	304.00
Seasonal SL Pressur	e (in Hg)	29.65		Corrected Seas	onal (mm Hg)	742.90
Seasonal Temperatu	r (deg C)	31.00		Seasonal Temp	erature(deg K)	304.00
		CALIBR	ATION	ORIFICE		•••••
Make ->	Anderse	en Instrumer	nts Inc.		Qstd Slope ->	1.5%
Model ->	25A				Qstd Intercept ->	-(),014
Serial# ->	> 5303		_		Date Certified ->	
•		CA	LIBRAT	ION		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
Plate or	H_2O	Qstd	I	IC	LINEAR	
Test #	(in)	(M ³ /min)	(chart)	(corrected)	REGRESSION	
1 18	11	1.638	58	56.775	Slope =	35.4656
2 13	8.9	1.475	52	50.902	Intercept =	-1.3303
3 10	7	1.308	46	45.028	Corr. Coeff. =	0.9999
4 7	4.5	1.051	37	36.219		
5 5 *	2.7	0.815	28	27.409		

Calculations

Qstd = 1/m [Sqrt (H₂O (Pa/Pstd) (Tstd/Ta)) - b]

IC = I [Sqrt (Pa/Pstd) (Tstd/Ta)]

Qstd = standard flow rate

IC = corrected chart response

I = actual chart response

m = calibrator Qstd slope

b = calibrator Qstd intercept

Ta = actual temperature during calibration (deg K)

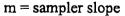
Pa = actual pressure during calibration (mm Hg)

Tstd = 298 deg K

Pstd = 760 mm Hg

For subsequent calculation of sampler flow:

1/m ((I) [Sqrt (298/Tav) (Pav/760)] - b)



b = sampler intercept

I = chart response

Tav = daily average temperature

Pav = daily average pressure

This is to certify that the above equipment has been calibrated in accordance with manufacturer's procedure.





Balance Calibration Report Tested to MTRC Method WI/707M/01

Laboratory Equipment Identification Number			BA0011			
Manufacturer	Sartorius	Model	A200S-**DIB	1065989		
Capacity	120g Discrimination		0.1mg	Type Top Loadin		
Location	Concrete Testing Area		Temperature 25°C			

Reference Mass Set U	Jsed (Equip. ID. No.)	RM001			
Manufacturer	Troemner	OIML Classification	F1		
Last Calibration Date	29-04-2002	Calibrated By	South China National Centre of Metrology		

(1) Repeatability of Reading

Reference Mass (g)	Standard Deviation of Balance Reading (g)	Maximum Difference Between Successive Readings (g)
10	0.000071	0.0002
60	0.0001333	0.0002
120	0.0001287	0.0003

Standard Deviation of the Balance = 0.0001333

(2) Departure from Nominal Value

Reading (g)	Correction (g)	Uncertainty (g)
10.0001	-0.0001	(3)
20.0001	-0.00005	1
30.0001	-0.00005	-
40.0001	0.00003	
50.0002	-0.00028	±0.000361
60.0001	-0.00018	1
70.000	0.00002	
80.0001	-0.00008	
90.0000	0.00005]
100.0001	-0.00025	

Maximum Correction = -0.00028

MTR Corporation Internal Calibration



(3) Off-Centre Loading

A mass of approximately 60 was moved to various position on the balance pan. The balance readings obtained at different position are given in the table.

Centre	re Front		Left	Right	
60.0001	60.0001 60.0001		59.9997	59.9997	

Maximum Difference = 0.0007

(4) Hysteresis

Load (g)	Hysteresis (g)
50	-0.0001333

(5) Limit of Performance of the Balance = ± 0.000680

Checked by :	Kenny Li	Certified by :	(dy HO	
Date :	13-02-2009	Date :	16 /2/2009	

Notes:

- 1. The balance has been tested according to the specifications laid down in Chapter 6 of the CSIRO Publication "The Calibration of Balances by David B. Prowse".
- 2.Uncertainties quoted in this report have been estimated on the basis of there being not more than one chance in one hundred that any value differs from the true value by more than the stated uncertainty.
- 3. The Limit of Performance is the tolerance band within which all readings of the balance will fall.



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CALIBRATION CERTIFICATE

Certificate Information

Date of Issue

30th December, 2008

Certificate Number

MLCN081193S

Customer Information

Company Name

Address

MTR Corporation Limited MTR Tower, Telford Plaza,

33 Wai Yip St., Kowloon Bay,

Kowloon, Hong Kong

Unit Under Test (UUT)

Description

Precision Integrating Sound Level Meter

Manufacturer

Brüel & Kjær

Model Number Serial Number Type 2236 1814957

Equipment Number

1014

Calibration Result

- * All calibration results are within the manufacturer's specification.
- * Calibration data are detailed on the attached sheet(s).

Approved By

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Laboratory Manager

- * Calibration equipment used for this calibration are traceable to national / international standards.
- * The results on this Calibration Certificate only relate to the values measured at the time of the calibration and the uncertainties quoted will not include allowance for the UUT long term drift, variation with environmental changes, vibration and shock during transportation, overloading, mishandling, misuse, and the capacity of any other laboratory to repeat the measurement.
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CALIBRATION CERTIFICATE

Certificate Information

Date of Issue

30th December, 2008

Certificate Number

MLCN081193S

Calibration Status

Date of Calibration

Calibration Equipment Used

Calibration Procedure

Calibration Uncertainty

30th December, 2008

4231 (MLTE008)/ CA0801167/ 24th Feb 2010

MLCG00 & MLCG15.

±0.2 dB

Calibration Condition

Lab

UUT

Temperature

Relative Humidity

Stabilizing Time Warm-up Time

Supply Voltage

23 °C ± 5 °C

 $55\% \pm 25\%$ 24 hours

10 minutes

Not applicable

Calibration 1	Data											
	UUT Setti	ng								XIXION YO		
Frequency Wt.	Parameter	Response	Range (dB)	UUT R	UUT Rdg		UUT Rdg		,	UUT Error		UUT Error Limit
A	SPL	F	20 - 100	93.9	ďΒ	94	ďΒ	-0.1	dB	0.7 dB		
(1 kHz Input)		S		93.9	dB	94	dB	-0.1	dB	0.7 dB		
		I		93.9	dB	94	dB	-0.1	dB	0.7 dB		
С		F	20 - 100	93.9	dB	94	ďΒ	-0.1	dB	0.7 dB		
(1 kHz Input)		S		93.9	dB	94	dB	-0.1	dB	0.7 dB		
		I		93.9	dΒ	94	dB	-0.1	dB	0.7 dB		
L		F	20 - 100	93.9	dB	94	dB	-0.1	dB	0.7 dB		
(1 kHz Input)		S		93.9	ďΒ	94	dΒ	-0.1	dB	0.7 dB		
		I		93.9	dB	94	dB	-0.1	dB	0.7 dB		
A		F	40 - 120	113.9	dB	114	dB	-0.1	dB	0.7 dB		
(1 kHz Input)		· s		113.9	dΒ	114	dB	-0.1	dB	0.7 dB		
		Ţ		113.9	dB	114	dB	-0.1	dB	0.7 dB		



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CALIBRATION CERTIFICATE

Certificate Information

Date of Issue

30th December, 2008

Certificate Number

MLCN081195S

Customer Information

Company Name

Address

MTR Corporation Limited

MTR Tower, Telford Plaza, 33 Wai Yip St., Kowloon Bay,

Kowloon, Hong Kong

Unit Under Test (UUT)

Description

Precision Integrating Sound Level Meter

Manufacturer

Brüel & Kjær

Model Number

Type 2236

Serial Number

1814960

Equipment Number

Calibration Result

- * All calibration results are within the manufacturer's specification.
- * Calibration data are detailed on the attached sheet(s).

Approved By

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Laboratory Manager

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Certificate Information

Date of Issue

30th December, 2008

Certificate Number

MLCN081195S

Calibration Status

Date of Calibration

Calibration Equipment Used

Calibration Procedure

Calibration Uncertainty

30th December, 2008

4231 (MLTE008)/ CA0801167/ 24th Feb 2010

MLCG00 & MLCG15.

±0.2 dB

Calibration Condition

Lab

UUT

Temperature

Relative Humidity Stabilizing Time

Warm-up Time Supply Voltage 23 °C ± 5 °C

 $55\% \pm 25\%$

24 hours

10 minutes Not applicable

Calibration Data											
UUT Setting										UUT Error	
Frequency Wt.	Parameter	Response	Range (dB)	UUT Rdg		Std Rdg		UUT Error		Limit	
Α	SPL	F_	20 - 100	94.1	dB	94	dΒ	0.1	dB	0.7 dB	
(1 kHz Input)		S		94.1	dB	94	dB	0.1	dB	0.7 dB	
		I		94.1	dΒ	94	dΒ	0.1	dB	0.7 dB	
.C		F	20 - 100	94.1	dB	94	dΒ	0.1	dB	0.7 dB	
(1 kHz Input)		S		94.1	dB	94	dΒ	0.1	dB	0.7 dB	
		I		94.1	dB	94	dB	0.1	dB	0.7 dB	
L		F	20 - 100	94.1	dΒ	94	dΒ	0.1	dB	0.7 <u>d</u> B	
(1 kHz Input)		S		94.1	dΒ	94	dB	0.1	dB	0.7 dB	
		I		94.1	ďΒ	94	dB	0.1	dB	0.7 dB	
Α		F	40 - 120	114.0	dB	114	dB	0.0	dB	0.7 dB	
(1 kHz lnput)		·S		114.0	dB	114	dB	0.0	dB	0.7 dB	
		I		114.0	dB	114	dB	0.0	dB	0.7 dB	

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Certificate Information

Date of Issue

6th November, 2008

Certificate Number

MLCN080969S

Customer Information

Company Name

Address

MTR Corporation Limited MTR Tower, Telford Plaza,

33 Wai Yip St., Kowloon Bay,

Kowloon, Hong Kong

Unit Under Test (UUT)

Description

Sound Level Calibrator

Manufacturer

Brüel & Kjær

Model Number

4231

Serial Number

1795385

Equipment Number

Calibration Result

- * All calibration results within the manufacturer's specification.
- * Calibration data are detailed on the attached sheet(s).

Approved By

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Laboratory Manager

- * Calibration equipment used for this calibration are traceable to national / international standards.
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Certificate Information

Date of Issue

6th November, 2008

Lab

Certificate Number

MLCN080969S

Calibration Status

Date of Calibration

6th November, 2008

Calibration Equipment Used

4231 (Spec) (MLTE008)/ CA0801167/ 24th Feb 2008 1351 (MLTE049)/ MLEC08/06/02/ 14th Jun 2009

MLCG00 & MLCG15.

Calibration Procedure
Calibration Uncertainty

 $\pm 0.1 dB$

Calibration Condition

Temperature

23 °C ± 5 °C

Relative Humidity

 $55\% \pm 25\%$

UUT Stabilizing Time

24 hours

Warm-up Time

Not applicable

Supply Voltage

Not applicable

Calibration Data											
UUT Setting		STD Rdg	UUT Error	UUT Error Limit							
94	dB	94.0 dB	0.0 dB	0.2 dB							
114	dB	114.0 dB	0.0 dB	0.2 dB							