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Application No. : [redacted]
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FORM 5
ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT ORDINANCE
(CHAPTER 499)
SECTION 13(1)

Application for Variation of an Environmental Permit

PART A PREVIOUS APPLICATIONS

☑ No previous application for variation of an environmental permit.

☐ The environmental permit was previously amended.

Application No. : .....

PART B DETAILS OF APPLICANT

B1. Name : (person or company)

Drainage Services Department

[Note : In accordance with section 13(1) of the Ordinance, the person holding an environmental permit or a person who assumes responsibility for the designated project may apply for variation of the environmental permit.]

B2. Business Registration No. : (if applicable) ☐☐☐☐☐☐☐☐ — ☐☐☐ — ☐☐ — ☐☐ — ☐

B3. Correspondence Address :

[redacted]

B4. Name of Contact Person :

[redacted]

B5. Position of Contact Person :

[redacted]

B6. Telephone No. :

[redacted]

B7. Fax No. :

[redacted]

B8. E-mail Address : (if any) [redacted]

PART C DETAILS OF CURRENT ENVIRONMENTAL PERMIT

C1. Name of the Current Environmental Permit Holder :

Drainage Services Department

C2. Application No. of the Current Environmental Permit : EP-605/2022

C3. The Current Environmental Permit was Issued in : month / year

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Important Notes : Please submit the application together with

(a) 3 copies of this completed form; and

(b) appropriate fee as stipulated in the Environmental Impact Assessment (Fees) Regulation

to the Environmental Protection Department at the following address :

The EIA Ordinance Register Office,
27th floor, Southorn Centre,130 Hennessy Road,
Wan Chai, Hong Kong.

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☐ Tick (✓) the appropriate box

PART D PROPOSED VARIATIONS TO THE CONDITIONS IN CURRENT ENVIRONMENTAL PERMIT

D1. Condition(s) in the Current Environmental Permit :	D2. Proposed Variation(s) :	D3. Reason for Variation(s) :	D4. Describe the environmental changes arising from the proposed variation(s) :	D5. Describe how the environment and the community might be affected by the proposed variation(s) :	D6. Describe how and to what extent the environmental performance requirements set out in the EIA report previously approved or project profile previously submitted for this project may be affected :	D7. Describe any additional measures proposed to eliminate, reduce or control any adverse environmental impact arising from the proposed variation(s) and to meet the requirements in the Technical Memorandum on Environmental Impact Assessment Process :
Condition 2.12 The Permit Holder shall, no later than 2 months before the issue of tender for construction of the Project, deposit with the Director 3 hard copies and 1 electronic copy of a Construction Noise Management Plan (CNMP). The CNMP shall include an implementation schedule in table form to clearly list out the mitigation measures to be implemented, and the implementation party, location, timing and environmental performance required for implementation of the mitigation measures. The deposited CNMP shall be included in the tender document. If there is any change to the construction noise mitigation measures and/or plant inventory recommended in the CNMP, the Permit Holder shall, no later than 1 month before the implementation of any such change, deposit with the Director 3 hard copies and 1 electronic copy of an updated CNMP. The CNMP and updated CNMP shall be certified by the ET Leader and verified by the IEC as conforming to the relevant information and recommendations of the EIA	**Proposed Condition 2.12** Unless otherwise agreed by the Director, the Permit Holder shall, no later than 3 months before the commencement of construction of the Project, deposit with the Director 3 hard copies and 1 electronic copy of a Construction Noise Management Plan (CNMP). If there is any change to the construction noise mitigation measures and/or plant inventory recommended in the CNMP, the Permit Holder shall, no later than 1 month before the implementation of any such change, deposit with the Director 3 hard copies and 1 electronic copy of an updated CNMP. The CNMP / updated CNMP shall contain a quantitative construction noise impact assessment, a list of the quieter construction method(s) and equipment and other noise mitigation measures to be adopted, a proposed construction noise impact monitoring and audit programme, with reference to the latest construction programme, methodology and plant inventory. The CNMP / updated CNMP shall also assess the effectiveness of the recommended construction noise mitigation measures, and	The Project would be developed through a Design-Build-Operate (DBO) contract package. The detailed design phase, which establishes the final design / layout and the actual construction programme of the effluent polishing plant, would be carried out by the DBO Contractor post-contract award, together with the preparation of other submission(s) as required under the Environmental Permit No. EP-605/2022. At this stage, the tender documents of the DBO contract currently being prepared by DSD would not contain binding design / layout for the whole Project. To align with the procurement arrangement of the Project, the proposed variation is necessary to ensure the preparation and submission of CNMP would be at a suitable timeframe which would genuinely reflect the construction noise impact and the requirements on mitigation measures based on the detailed design to be established at later stage of the Project, so as to fulfill the intention of Condition 2.12 of	As the proposed variation only involves changing the submission timeframe and requirements of the CNMP(s), no environmental changes will arise, given that the proposed mitigation measures set out in the CNMP will be fully implemented during the construction stage of the Project. (Note: The proposed variation does not include any design change of the Project.)	As the proposed variation only involves changing the submission timeframe and requirements of the CNMP(s), the environment and the community will not be affected, given that the proposed mitigation measures set out in the CNMP will be fully implemented during the construction stage of the Project. (Note: The proposed variation does not include any design change of the Project.)	As the proposed variation only involves changing the submission timeframe and requirements of the CNMP(s), the environmental performance requirements set out in the EIA report previously approved or project profile previously submitted for this project will not be affected. (Note: The proposed variation does not include any design change of the Project.)	As the proposed variation only involves changing the submission timeframe and requirements of the CNMP(s), no additional measures are required or proposed.

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Report (Register No. AEIAR-237/2022). All mitigation measures recommended and requirements specified in the CNMP and the updated CNMP shall be fully implemented.	include an implementation schedule in table form to list out the construction noise mitigation measures to be implemented as well as the responsible party, location, timing and environmental performance required for the implementation of the mitigation measures. The CNMP / updated CNMP shall be prepared using Web-CNMP platform and checked by a Certified / Qualified Noise Modelling Professional as recognised by the Hong Kong Institution of Engineers (HKIE), the Hong Kong Institute of Qualified Environmental Professionals (HKIQEP), Hong Kong Institute of Acoustics (HKIOA) or other professional as agreed by the Director. The CNMP / updated CNMP shall be certified by the ET Leader or other professional as agreed by the Director, and verified by the IEC or other professional as agreed by the Director, as conforming to the relevant information and recommendations of the approved EIA Report (Register No. AEIAR-237/2022). All mitigation measures recommended and requirements specified in the CNMP / updated CNMP shall be fully implemented.	the Environmental Permit No. EP-605/2022. The proposed variation is also in line with the latest CNMP submission requirements (e.g. CNMP / updated CNMP shall be prepared using Web-CNMP platform and checked by a Certified / Qualified Noise Modelling Professional as recognised by the Hong Kong Institution of Engineers (HKIE), the Hong Kong Institute of Qualified Environmental Professionals (HKIQEP), Hong Kong Institute of Acoustics (HKIOA) or other professional as agreed by the Director).				

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Part B Nature of Designated Project (1) Sewage treatment works with an installed capacity of more than 15,000m^3 per day (Item F.1 of Part I of Schedule 2 of the EIAO); and (2) An activity for the reuse of treated sewage effluent from a treatment plant (Item F.4 of Part I of Schedule 2 of the EIAO).	**Part B Nature of Designated Project** (1) Sewage treatment works with an installed capacity of more than 15,000m^3 per day (Item F.1 of Part I of Schedule 2 of the EIAO)~~;~~ ~~and~~ ~~(2) An activity for the reuse of treated sewage effluent from a treatment plant (Item F.4 of Part I of Schedule 2 of the EIAO).~~	The scope of the Project includes the construction and operation of effluent reuse facilities and reuse of treated sewage for non-potable purposes within the treatment plant. Following the amendments to the EIAO (Cap. 499) which come into operation on 30 June 2023 after the issuance of the Environmental Permit No. EP-605/2022, the original Item F.4 of Part I of Schedule 2 of the EIAO has been replaced with the following description: "A facility for generating, from sewage effluent treated by a sewage treatment plant, reclaimed water for use by the general public", which does not apply to the Project. The proposed variation updates the categorisation of the designated project according to the amended Schedule 2 to the EIAO.	As the proposed variation only involves updating the categorisation of the designated project according to the amended Schedule 2 to the EIAO, no environmental changes will arise. (Note: The proposed variation does not include any design change of the Project.)	As the proposed variation only involves updating the categorisation of the designated project according to the amended Schedule 2 to the EIAO, the environment and the community will not be affected. (Note: The proposed variation does not include any design change of the Project.)	As the proposed variation only involves updating the categorisation of the designated project according to the amended Schedule 2 to the EIAO, the environmental performance requirements set out in the EIA report previously approved or project profile previously submitted for this project will not be affected. (Note: The proposed variation does not include any design change of the Project.)	As the proposed variation only involves updating the categorisation of the designated project according to the amended Schedule 2 to the EIAO, no additional measures are required or proposed.

PART E DECLARATION BY APPLICANT

E1. I hereby certify that the particulars given above are correct and true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand the environmental permit may be suspended, varied or cancelled if any information given above is false, misleading, wrong or incomplete.

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Signature of Applicant | Full Name in Block Letters | Position

DRAINAGE SERVICES DEPARTMENT – HARBOUR AREA TREATMENT SCHEME DIVISION
渠務署 – 淨化海港計劃部

on behalf of Drainage Services Department 30.09.2026

Company Name and Chop (as appropriate) | Date

NOTES :

1. A person who constructs or operates a designated project in Part I of Schedule 2 of the Ordinance or decommissions a designated project listed in Part II of Schedule 2 of the Ordinance without an environmental permit or contrary to the permit conditions commits an offence under the Ordinance and is liable to a maximum fine of $5,000,000 and to a maximum imprisonment for 2 years.

2. A person for whom a designated project is constructed, operated or decommissioned and who permits the carrying out of the designated project in contravention of the Ordinance commits an offence and is liable to a maximum fine of $5,000,000 and to a maximum imprisonment for 2 years.