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**Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Ordinance (Cap.499)
Application for Permission to Apply Directly for Environmental Permit**

Project Title: South-East Asia Hainan-Hong Kong (SEA-H2X) Submarine Cable System
(Application No. DIR-310/2025)

I refer to your above application received on 10 March 2025 for permission to apply directly for environmental permit under Section 5(1)(b) of the EIA Ordinance.

With the consent of the Secretary for Environment and Ecology under Section 5(11) of the EIA Ordinance, I now permit you to apply directly for an environmental permit subject to the attached conditions.

Under Section 15 of the EIA Ordinance, the decision on the application will be placed on the EIA Ordinance Register. It will also be placed on the EIA Ordinance website (<https://www.epd.gov.hk/eia/>).

Please note that if you are aggrieved by any of the conditions imposed in this permission you may appeal under Section 17 of the EIA Ordinance within 30 days of receipt of this permission.

Should you have any queries on the application, please contact my colleague Mr. Alex TANG at 2835 1140.

Yours sincerely,

(Queenie Y.C. NG)

Principal Environmental Protection Officer
for Director of Environmental Protection

Encl.
c.c. AA/SEE (Attn.: Miss CHENG Yi-ka, Jessica)

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Conditions Imposed under Section 5(12) of the EIA Ordinance
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1. All measures described in the Project Profile (No. PP-680/2025) submitted with the application (No. DIR-310/2025) on 10 March 2025 shall be fully implemented; and
2. The applicant shall employ an Environmental Team to carry out the Environmental Monitoring and Audit (EM&A) requirements, and an Independent Environmental Checker to audit the overall environmental performance of the Project and the implementation of the measures recommended in the Project Profile (No. PP-680/2025), and submit EM&A results to the Director during and upon completion of the construction works.

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