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**YUNG SHUE WAN AND  
SOK KWU WAN VILLAGE SEWERAGE,  
STAGE 1 WORKS**

**QUARTERLY EM&A  
SUMMARY REPORT NO.5**

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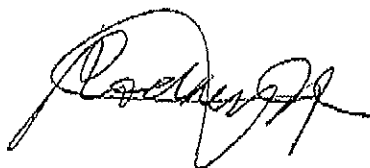
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Dear Sir

Agreement No. CE20/2005 (DS)  
Outlying Islands Sewerage Stage 1 Phase 1 Part 2 and Phase 2  
Yung Shue Wan and Sok Kwu Wan Sewerage, Sewage Treatment and Disposal – Design and Construction  
Quarterly EM&A Summary Report No. 5 (June 2009 to August 2009)

I refer to the Environmental Permit (EP-281/2007) and the email from the environmental team, ETS-Testconsult Limited with the revised report, dated 24 September 2009. I do not have further comment and have verified the captioned report.

Yours faithfully  
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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This is the fifth Quarterly Environmental Monitoring and Audit (EM&A) Summary Report prepared by ETS-Testconsult Ltd (ET) for the "Contract No. DC/2007/18 Yung Shue Wan and Sok Kwu Wan Village Sewerage, Stage 1 Works" (the Project) under the requirements and specifications of "the Environmental Permit (Application No. AEP-281/2007)" (the EP) and "the Final EM&A Manual – Outlying Islands Sewerage Stage 1 Phase 2 Package J – Sok Kwu Wan Sewage Collection, Treatment and Disposal Facilities" (the EM&A Manual).

This report documents the findings of EM&A Works conducted during the construction phase of the Project from June to August 2009.

### Construction Progress

The major construction works in this quarter were as below:

June 2009	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sewer drainage pipe &amp; manhole construction (include open cut &amp; trenchless method); and</li> <li>• Road reinstatement work.</li> </ul>
July 2009	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sewer drainage pipe &amp; manhole construction (include open cut &amp; trenchless method); and</li> <li>• Road reinstatement work.</li> </ul>
August 2009	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sewer drainage pipe &amp; manhole construction (include open cut &amp; trenchless method); and</li> <li>• Road reinstatement work.</li> </ul>

### Environmental Monitoring Progress

The summary of the monitoring activities in this quarter is listed below:

- Noise Monitoring (Day-time): 14 Occasions at 4 designated locations;
- 24-hour TSP Monitoring: 17 Occasions at 3 designated locations;
- 1-hour TSP Monitoring: 51 Occasions at 3 designated locations.

### Impact Air Quality Monitoring

No exceedances of Action and Limit levels were recorded for 24-hr and 1-hr TSP monitoring in the quarter.

### Impact Noise Monitoring

No exceedance of Action and Limit Level were recorded in this quarter.

### Environmental Complaints, Notifications of Summons and Successful Prosecutions

No environmental complaints, notifications of summons and successful prosecutions were received in this quarter.

### Internet Website

This Quarterly EM&A Summary Report can be accessed on the web at <http://www.skwsewer.com>.



## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

The Customer, Kaden Construction Limited (Kaden), appointed Environmental Team of ETS-Testconsult Limited to undertake the environmental impact monitoring for "Contract No. DC/2007/18 Yung Shue Wan and Sok Kwu Wan Village Sewerage, Stage 1 Works" (the Project) under the requirements and specifications of "the Environmental Permit (Application No. AEP-281/2007)" (the EP) and "the Final EM&A Manual – Outlying Islands Sewerage Stage 1 Phase 2 Package J – Sok Kwu Wan Sewage Collection, Treatment and Disposal Facilities" (the EM&A Manual).

This Quarterly EM&A Summary Report documented the findings of EM&A Works conducted during the construction phase of the Project in June to August 2009.

## 2.0 PROJECT INFORMATION

### 2.1 Background

Under this Project, Kaden is required to construct village sewerage in Yung Shue Wan and Sok Kwu Wan, Lamma Island.

Village sewage works will undertake in this Project. These will comprise laying approximately 1.4km of sewerage pipes from 220mm to 350mm diameter in Sok Kwu Wan Village.

As the main Contractor of the captioned project contracted by, Kaden will follow the environmental monitoring recommendation stated in the EM&A Manual that was prepared with reference to the EIA Report (Register No.: AEIAR-075/2003).

According to the EP and the EM&A Manual, the environmental programme is mainly focused on the construction activities of this Project in Sok Kwu Wan. At the same time, all air quality and noise monitoring stations proposed in the EM&A Manual are located in Sok Kwu Wan. The baseline report is prepared in accordance with EP (No. EP-281/2007) for the Designated Project "Outlying Islands Sewerage Stage 1 Phase 2 – Sok Kwu Wan Sewage Collection, Treatment and Disposal Facilities" and the EM&A Manual.

### 2.2 Site Description

The general layout plan of the project in Sok Kwu Wan is shown in Drawing No. 2005/C1/2004, 2005/C1/2005 and 2005/C1/2006.

Surrounding the construction site, there are air and noise sensitive receivers at Chung Mei Village, Sok Kwu Wan and Ta Shui Wan.

### 2.3 Construction Programme

The construction programme is shown in Appendix F.

### 2.4 Project Organization and Management Structure

The organization chart with respect to the on-site environmental management and monitoring program are shown in Appendix A.

### 2.5 Contact Details of Key Personnel

The key personnel contact names and telephone numbers, and construction programme are shown in table 2.1.



Table 2.1 Contact Details of Key Personnel

Organization	Project Role	Key Staff	Tel. No.	Fax No.
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ETS-Testconsult Ltd	Environmental Team	Mr. C L Lau	2946 7791	2695 3944

### 3.0 SUMMARY OF EM&A REQUIREMENTS

#### 3.1 EM&A Programme

In accordance with Section 5 of the EP, EM&A programme as set out in the EM&A Manual is required to be implemented. In accordance with the EM&A Manual, environmental monitoring of air quality and noise are required for the Project. The EM&A requirement for each parameter are described in details in subsequent sections, including:

- All monitoring parameters;
- Action and Limit levels for all environmental parameters;
- Event-Action Plans;
- Environmental mitigation measures, as recommended in the project EIA study report;
- Environmental requirements in contract documents.

The implementation status of environmental mitigation measures is summarized in Section 5.2 of the Report.

#### 3.2 Monitoring Stations and Parameters

The EM&A Manual designates several locations to monitor environmental impacts in terms of air quality and noise due to the Project. The description and detailed locations of monitoring stations for air quality and noise are shown in Figures 2005/C1/2004, 2005/C1/2005 and 2005/C1/2006 and relevant sections of this Report.

#### 3.3 Monitoring Methodology and Calibration Details

All monitoring works were conducted and monitoring equipment was calibrated in accordance with the EM&A Manual.

#### 3.4 Environmental Quality Performance Limits (Action/Limit Levels)

The environmental quality performance limits, i.e. Action/Limit Levels (AL Levels) were derived from the baseline monitoring results. If the measured environmental quality parameters exceed the AL Levels, the respective action plan will be implemented. The AL Levels for each monitoring parameter are given in Appendix D. The event action plan is given in Appendix E.

#### 3.5 Environmental Mitigation Measures

Relevant mitigation measures were recommended in the EM&A Manual for the Contractor to implement. A list of mitigation measures is given in Appendix G.

### 4.0 MONITORING RESULTS

#### 4.1 Air Quality

In accordance with the EM&A Manual, 1-hr and 24-hr TSP air quality monitoring are to be conducted three times and one time per six days correspondingly. In the reporting quarter, all the 1-hr and 24-hr TSP monitoring results complied with the AL Levels. The monitoring trends of air quality during the reporting quarter are given in Appendix B2.



Major dust sources in the Project were excavation works and vehicle used for moving sand, aggregates and construction waste.

Table 4.1 presents the number of exceedances recorded in each month of the reporting quarter.

Table 4.1 Summary of Number of Exceedances for 1-hr and 24-hr TSP Monitoring

Monitoring Parameter	Level of Exceedance	June 2009	July 2009	August 2009
24-hr TSP	No of monitoring events	6	5	6
	Action Level	0	0	0
	Limit Level	0	0	0
	Total	0	0	0
1-hr TSP	No of monitoring events	18	15	18
	Action Level	0	0	0
	Limit Level	0	0	0
	Total	0	0	0

## 4.2 Noise

Noise monitoring is required to be conducted at least once per week. Only daytime noise was monitored in the reporting quarter. All recorded noise levels complied with the AL Levels. The registered noise levels in the past three months are plotted in Appendix C2.

Table 4.2 presents the number of exceedances recorded in each month of the reporting quarter.

Table 4.2 Summary of Impact Monitoring results of Noise Daytime Monitoring

Level of Exceedance	June 2009	July 2009	August 2009
No of monitoring events	5	4	5
Action Level	0	0	0
Limit Level	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

The major noise sources in the reporting quarter were excavation works and vehicle used for moving sand, aggregates and construction waste near the site egress.

In this quarter, no exceedances of Action Level were recorded in this quarter. Besides, no exceedances in Limit Level were recorded according to the results from Day-time noise monitoring.

## 5.0 INSPECTION RESULTS

### 5.1 Summary of site inspection findings and Action(s) taken by Kaden and ET in this quarter

ET conducted weekly site inspections to monitor the Contractor's implementation of environmental mitigation measures. After each site inspection, the Contractor was notified of ET's observations and recommendations and then the Contractor will arrange related remedial works.

Summary of the site inspection findings in this quarter is shown in Table 5.1.

Table 5.1 Summary of Site Inspection Findings and Action(s) taken by Kaden and ET

Item	Aspect	Finding	Action(s) to be taken by the Contractor	ET Verification
<i>June 2009</i>				
1	Air	A village vehicle transporting construction material was found without cover during the weekly site inspection on 24/06/09.	The Contractor replied to provide tarpaulin sheets to cover the construction material during transportation.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 30/06/09, construction material inside the village vehicle was found covered properly.





Item	Aspect	Finding	Action(s) to be taken by the Contractor	ET Verification
<i>June 2009</i>				
2	Water	Follow up action to the outstanding finding in the previous month, the inlet pipe was pointed to the primal part of the sedimentation tank at S63 during the weekly site inspection on 08/06/09.	Since the finding was improved, no further action is required to be taken by the Contractor.	Since the finding was improved, no further verification is required to be taken by ET.
3	Water	During the weekly site inspection on 08/06/09, wastewater was found leaked out from a broken pipeline at S147 to the road surface and hence rusty water was noted on the road.	The Contractor replied to clean up the rusty water and repair the broken pipeline.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 18/06/09, no wastewater was leaked from the pipeline and the rusty water had been cleaned up.
4	Water	Stagnant water was found inside the sedimentation tank at S70 during the weekly site inspections on 08/06/09 and 18/06/09.	The Contractor replied to drained the stagnant water out or apply pesticide to avoid mosquito breeding.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 24/06/09, the sedimentation tank was found covered properly.
5	Water	Wigglers were found in stagnant water of a sedimentation tank at S143 during the weekly site inspection on 18/06/09.	The Contractor replied to drain the stagnant water or apply pesticide to avoid mosquito breeding.	During the next weekly site inspection on 24/06/09, the sedimentation was found operating and no wigglers were noted.
6	Water	The desilting performance of a sedimentation tank at S143 was found unsatisfactory since the discharge water was found muddy during the weekly site inspections on 24/06/06 and 30/06/09.	The Contractor replied to improve the design of the sedimentation tank to improve its performance.	Since the finding was still observed during the last weekly site inspection in this reporting month, it will be verified in the coming month.
7	Water	The pump rate of wastewater to the sedimentation tank at S165 was found too large during the weekly site inspection 24/06/09.	The Contractor replied to control the pump rate to an acceptable level.	During the next weekly site inspection on 30/06/09, the sedimentation tank at S165 was found not-in-use.
8	Chemical	Follow up action to the outstanding finding in the previous month, drip tray and labels were found proved for the chemicals at storage area during the weekly site inspections on 02/06/09 and 08/06/09.	Since the finding was improved, no further action is required to be taken by the Contractor.	Since the finding was improved, no further verification is required to be taken by ET.
9	Chemical	Some fuel drums at S64 were found without drip tray and cover during the weekly site inspections on 02/06/09 and 08/06/09.	The Contractor replied to provide appropriate drip tray and cover for all chemicals.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 18/06/09, some fuel drums were covered properly and other were relocated to an appropriate storage area.
10	Chemical	An air compressor and some oil drums were found without drip tray at S147 during the weekly inspections on 08/06/09 and 18/06/09.	The Contractor replied to provide the drip tray for all chemicals and air compressors.	During the next two weekly site inspections on 18/06/09 and 24/06/09, air compressor was removed and oil drums were covered properly.



Item	Aspect	Finding	Action(s) to be taken by the Contractor	ET Verification
July 2009				
1	Air	A village vehicle containing C&D materials was found without cover during transportation during the weekly site inspection on 22/07/09.	The Contractor replied to cover the C&D materials during the transportation by using village vehicle.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 28/07/09, cover was found provided for the village vehicle.
2	Air	White smoke with dust or mist like matters was observed from drilling works at an open manhole S73 although water spraying was provided during the weekly site inspection on 22/07/09.	The Contractor replied to provide mitigation measures, such as apply a enclosure to prevent any dust / mist like matters from escaping to the nearby environment.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 28/07/09, no dust or mist was observed at S73. However, the Contractor was still reminded that dust or moist should not be observed during the drilling works.
3	Water	Follow up action to the outstanding finding in the previous month, no muddy water was noted discharged from the sedimentation tank at S143 during the weekly site inspection on 06/07/09.	Since the finding was improved, no further action is required to be taken by the Contractor.	Since the finding was improved, no further verification is required to be taken by ET.
4	Water	Debris and refuse were found accumulated inside the u-channel along the slope at S58-S59 during the weekly site inspection on 06/07/09.	The Contractor replied to collect the debris and refuse in the u-channel immediately.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 16/07/09, the debris and refuse accumulated inside the u-channel at S58-S59 were cleaned up.
5	Water	Stagnant water was observed inside the drip tray at S165 during the weekly site inspection on 16/07/09.	The Contractor replied to drain the stagnant water out from the drip tray.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 22/07/09, no water was noted inside the drip tray.
6	Water	The capability of temporary sedimentation facility at S146 was found insufficient to treat the waste water during the weekly site inspection on 22/07/09.	The Contractor replied to improve the design of the sedimentation facilities.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 28/07/09, the sedimentation facility at S146 was re-designed (by using two sedimentation tanks) so as to improve the capacity of sedimentation.
7	Water	Stagnant water was noted inside an idle sedimentation tank at S144-146 during the weekly site inspection on 22/07/09.	The Contractor replied to pump the stagnant water out of the tank in order to avoid mosquito breeding.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 28/07/09, no stagnant water was noted inside the sedimentation tank.
8	Water	During the weekly site inspection on 22/07/09, the sedimentation tank made by an used oil drum at S86 was found not suitable for treating site runoff because of its incorrect design (the outlet point is located at the lower part of the tank but the inlet pipe is at the top)	The Contractor replied to provide adequate sedimentation tanks in order to improve the treatment of wastewater.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 28/07/09, an adequate sedimentation tank was used.



Item	Aspect	Finding	Action(s) to be taken by the Contractor	ET Verification
<i>July 2009</i>				
9	Chemical	A drip tray was noted place on the top of the air compressor at S151-S165 during weekly site inspection on 22/07/09.	The Contractor replied to re-place the drip tray under the air-compressor.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 28/07/09, the drip tray was noted placed under the air-compressor.
<i>August 2009</i>				
1	Air	Stockpiles of fill materials at S135 were found without cover during weekly site inspections on 13/08/09 and 19/08/09.	The Contractor replied to cover all stockpiles properly.	During the next weekly site inspection on 25/08/09, the stockpiles were found covered.
2	Noise	Noise label of an air compressor at S102 was found damaged during the weekly site inspection on 13/08/09.	The Contractor replied to provide new noise label immediately.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 19/08/09, the air compressor was removed for maintenance.
3	Noise	The construction works at S162 outside RE site office was found noisy during the weekly site inspection on 19/08/09.	The Contractor replied to provide more mitigation measures to reduce the noise impact.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 25/08/09, portable noise barrier was found provided during the construction work.
4	Water	The sedimentation tank at S81 was found too small during the weekly site inspection on 19/08/09.	The Contractor replied to provide a larger sedimentation tank.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 25/08/09, the sedimentation tank was replaced by a larger one.
5	Water	The drainage at S135 was found full of sands and debris during the weekly site inspection on 19/08/09.	The Contractor replied to clean up the sand and debris inside the drainage.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 25/08/09, the sands and debris inside the drainage were cleaned up.
6	Water	Rocks and soil were noted accumulated inside the sedimentation tank at S64 during the weekly site inspection on 19/08/09.	The Contractor replied to clean up the rocks and soil inside the sedimentation tank.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 25/08/09, the rocks and soil were cleaned up.
7	Chemical	Oil stain was noted on the ground at S73-S75 during the weekly site inspection on 03/08/09.	The Contractor replied to clean up the oil stain as chemical waste.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 13/08/09, no oil stain was noted on the ground.
8	Chemical	An oil drum at S73-S75 was found without drip tray during the weekly site inspection on 03/08/09.	The Contractor replied to provide drip tray for all chemicals.	During the subsequent weekly site inspection on 13/08/09, no oil drum was found at S73-S75.
9	Chemical	A diesel drum and chemical containers at S73-S75 were found without drip tray during the weekly site inspection on 31/08/09	The Contractor replied to provide drip trays for all chemicals.	Since the finding was observed in the last weekly site inspection, it will be verified in the coming month.
10	Site Inspection	C&D materials were noted accumulated at S147 without cover during the weekly site inspection on 19/08/09.	The Contractor replied to collect the C&D materials and store them properly.	During the same inspection, the C&D materials were collected and no further action was required.



## 5.2 Implementation Status of Environmental Mitigation Measures

According to the summary of the weekly site inspections carried out in this quarter, it indicated that site practices of the Kaden were generally undertaken in an environmentally acceptable manner and the overall site environmental performance was satisfactory.

Excavation works and vehicle used for moving sand, aggregates and construction waste were the major dust sources in the Project. Generally, the Contractor implemented adequate dust mitigation measures in this quarter, such as dampening of unpaved areas and fill material prior to handling or delivery and well maintenance of plant and equipment to avoid black smoke emission.

Vehicle traffic and construction activities near the site egress were the major noise sources. The powered mechanical equipment were generally operated and maintained properly.

## 5.3 Status of Environmental Licensing and Permitting

The status of licences and permits is summarized in Table 5.2.

Table 5.2 Summary of environmental licensing and permit status

Description	Permit No.	Valid Period		Section
		From	To	
Environmental Permit	EP-281/2007	29/06/07	End of Project	Valid
Water Discharge Licence	EP890/W2/XD 026	23/05/08	31/03/12	Valid Discharge of Industrial Trade Effluent arising from Construction Site to communal storm water drain
Notification under APCO	Application had been submitted to EPD on 15 April 2008			

## 5.4 Advice on Solids and Liquid Waste Management Status

The Contractor usually disposed of non-inert wastes such as general refuses and materials segregated to Sok Kwu Wan Re-fill Transfer Station (SKWRTS).

Table 5.3 summarizes data on offsite waste disposal in this quarter.

Table 5.3 Offsite Waste Disposal in this Quarter

Type of Waste		Quantity	Disposal Location	Cumulative Quantity
Inert C&D Materials	Total Quantity Generated (in '000m <sup>3</sup> )	0.6545		1.1438
	Broken Concrete (in '000m <sup>3</sup> )	0.015	SKWRTS	0.0358
	Reused in the Contract (in '000m <sup>3</sup> )	0.3355	For Stockpile / Reuse	0.4955
	Reused in other Projects (in '000m <sup>3</sup> )	0.118	N/A	0.208
	Disposal as Public Fill (in '000m <sup>3</sup> )	0.2009	SKWRTS	0.3692
C&D Waste	Metals (in '000kg)	0	N/A	0
	Paper/Cardboard Packaging (in '000kg)	0	N/A	0
	Plastics (in '000kg)	0	N/A	0
	Chemical Waste (in '000kg)	0	N/A	0
	Other, e.g. General Refuse (tonne)	1.64	SKWRTS	5.38

The Contractor should provide sufficient preventive measures during equipment maintenance works so as to avoid oil leakage on the ground. In the event of any oil leakage, the Contractor should clean up the polluted soil and handle all the materials used for this cleaning works as chemical waste.

The Contractor was reminded to increase the frequency of inspection and cleaning of the site drainage system and desilting facilities. Moreover, the Contractor should apply approved pesticides in the stagnant water ponds.



The Contractor should use suitable containers with proper labels to store chemical wastes in accordance with Code of Practice on the Packaging, Labeling and Storage of Chemical Waste. The Contractor should also advise their workers of the proper procedures in handling the chemical waste. All the trip tickets for chemical waste disposal were properly kept in the site office. No chemical waste disposal was undertaken in this quarter.

All the runoff should be pumped to the desilting facilities to remove suspended solids prior to discharge.

## 6.0 ECOLOGY

A comprehensive tree survey was carried out by Kaden in mid 2008. The two uncommon tree species (*Celtis timorensis* and *Celtis biondii*) could not be identified on site as per the Figure 4 of the EP.

A joint visit amongst EPD, AFCD, Kaden, DSD and RE was subsequently held on 24 March 2009 and some immature *Celtis timorensis* plants were identified at certain locations at Chung Mei. It was agreed that a full vegetation survey (in addition to the previous tree survey) should be conducted to identify the immature uncommon species.

Kaden had employed a landscape subcontractor "Bluet" and carried out a vegetation survey on 17 April 2009. Some immature uncommon species had been identified at Chung Mei near the Works Area. Regarding the comments from EPD, an updated vegetation survey report prepared on 07 August 2009.

The uncommon plants have been labelled and fenced off with safety net and notices have been posted for warning the site personnel of the presence of the uncommon tree species. Photos attached in Appendix I present the fencing and protection provided for those uncommon species.

## 7.0 ARCHAEOLOGY AND CULTURAL HERITAGE

Refer to the Section 9 of EM&A Manual, watching brief works were conducted in Chung Mei, Sok Kwu Wan by Archaeological Assessments Limited on 01 September 2008 and 12 June 2009.

The watching brief works took place along approximately 50m long alignment in two segments, MHS52 to MHS54 on 1<sup>st</sup> September 2008 and MHS50 to MHS52 on 12<sup>th</sup> June 2009. In overview, the steep lower hill slope area traversed by the MHS50 and MHS54 has seen little or no human activity prior to the 20<sup>th</sup> century and in contrast to the valley to the west, can be considered to have no archaeological potential. Details of the watching brief works present in Appendix H.

## 8.0 NON-COMPLIANCE OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY PERFORMANCE LIMITS

### 8.1 Summary of Non-compliance

No exceedances of Action and Limit Level of 24-hour and 1-hour TSP monitoring results were recorded during the reporting period.

No exceedance of Action Level of noise monitoring was recorded in this quarter since no complaint on noise issue was received. Besides, no exceedances in Limit Level were recorded according to the results from Day-time noise monitoring..

No evening-time, night-time and holiday noise monitoring were required since no construction works were processed during these periods.

### 8.2 Review of the Reasons for and the Implications of Non-compliance

Since there were no exceedances on air quality and noise monitoring parameters recorded in this monitoring quarter, the review of the reasons for the non-compliance was not required.

### 8.3 Summary of Actions Taken

Since no exceedances were recorded, no further actions were required.



#### 8.4 Summary of Environmental Complaint, Notifications of Summons and Successful Prosecutions Handling

No environmental complaints, notifications of summons and successful prosecutions were received in this quarter.

A summary of environmental complaints and prosecutions was given in Table 6.1.

Table 8.1 Summary of Environmental Complaints and Prosecutions

<i>Period</i>	<i>Complaints logged</i>	<i>Summon served</i>	<i>Successful Prosecution</i>
<i>June 2009</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>July 2009</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>August 2009</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Cumulative</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>

#### 9.0 COMMENTS, CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATION

In this quarter, major site activities were excavation and pipe-laying works. Noise and air quality were the major environmental issues in the Project. Generally, the Contractor implemented most of the mitigation measures to minimize the dust impact.

No exceedances of Action and Limit Level of air quality and noise monitoring were recorded in this quarter.

No environmental complaints, notification of summons and prosecutions with respect to environmental issues were received in this quarter.

According to the ET weekly site inspections carried out in this quarter, it was indicated that site practices of the Contractor were generally undertaken in an environmentally acceptable manner and the overall site environmental performance was up to standard. The Contractor generally implemented sufficient dust mitigation measures.

According to the environmental site inspections performed in this quarter, the following recommendations were provided:

##### **Air Quality**

- Ensure the frequency of water spraying on unpaved/unloading areas and stockpiles to be sufficient to suppress the dust sources;
- Undertake water spraying on stockpiling area;
- Provide proper maintenance for the powered mechanical equipment and barges to avoid emission of dark smoke;
- Erect adequate speed limit signs to advise the truck drivers of the speed limit; and
- Implement the dust mitigation measures for the construction activities.

##### **Noise**

- Conduct noisy activities at a farther location from the NSRs.

##### **Water Quality**

- Provide proper treatment for the wastewater discharged; and
- Remove the stagnant water or provide pesticide for the stagnant water in the permanent desilting chambers, if any.

##### **Chemical and Waste Management**

- Remove waste materials from the site to avoid accumulation regularly;
- Handle and store chemical wastes properly;
- Provide and maintain sufficient drip trays for diesel drums, chemical containers, chemical waste storage drums and diesel operated generator set;
- Maintain good housekeeping; and
- Avoid oil being polluted during oil filling and equipment maintenance; hence, properly remove and store the contaminated soil, if any.



## **Appendix A**

### **Organization Chart and Lines of Communication**

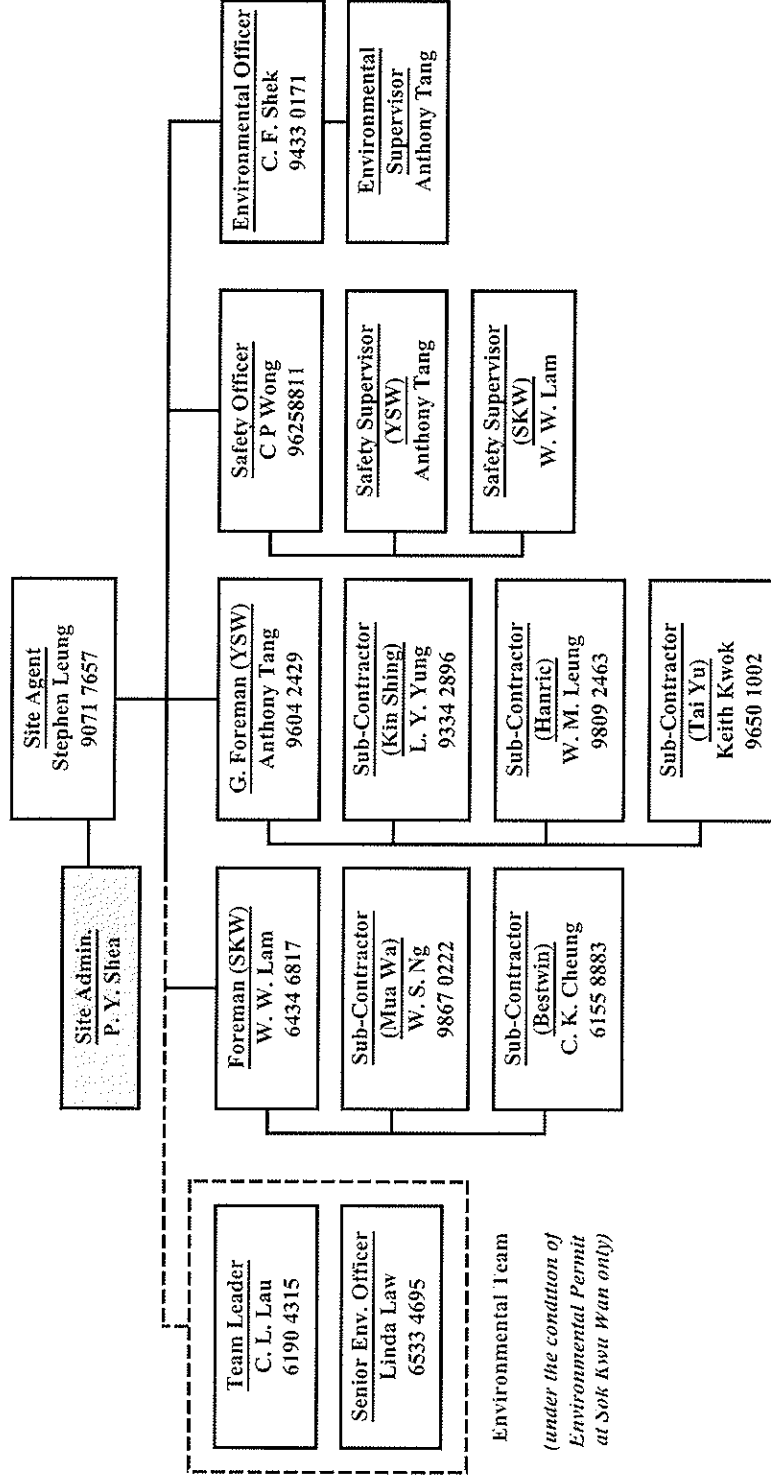
# Kaden Construction Limited



DSD Contract No. DC/2007/18

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## Organization Structure for Environmental Management (EMP Rev. 18.00)



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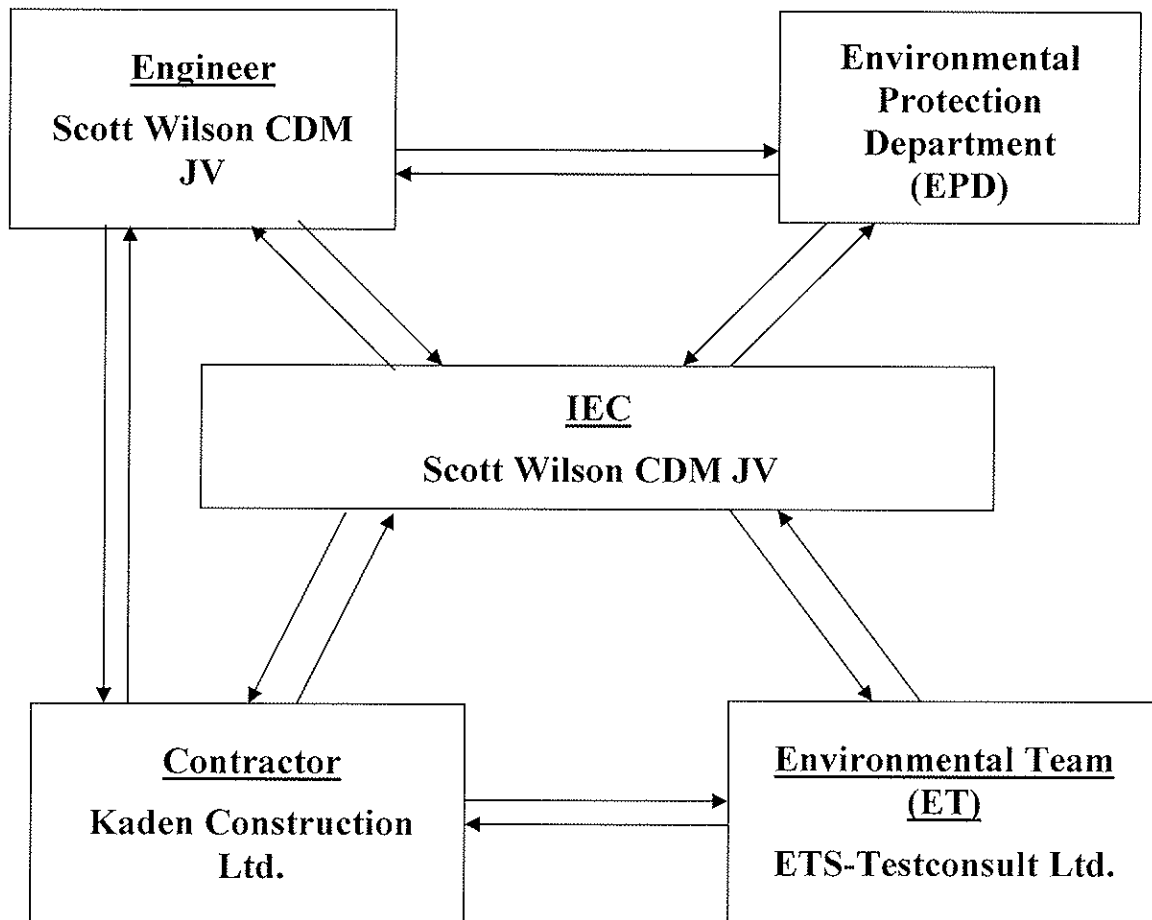
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# Lines of Communication





## **Appendix B1**

### **Impact Air Quality Monitoring Results in this Quarter**

## Summary of 24-hr TSP Monitoring Results

Monitoring Station : AM1

Start		Finish		Elapsed Time		Sampling Time (hrs)	Flow Rate (m <sup>3</sup> /min.)		Average (m <sup>3</sup> /min.)	Filter Weight (g)		Conc. (µg/m <sup>3</sup> )	Weather Condition
Date	Time	Date	Time	Initial	Final		Initial	Final		Initial	Final		
02/06/09	12:01	03/06/09	12:01	14231.25	14255.25	24.00	1.0304	1.0304	1.0304	2.8605	2.9334	49	Fine
08/06/09	12:10	09/06/09	12:10	14255.25	14279.25	24.00	1.0304	1.0304	1.0304	2.8781	2.9347	38	Cloudy
12/06/09	09:50	13/06/09	09:50	14279.25	14303.25	24.00	1.1052	1.1052	1.1052	2.9054	2.9593	34	Cloudy
18/06/09	10:19	19/06/09	10:25	14303.25	14327.35	24.10	0.9780	0.9780	0.9780	2.7511	2.8163	46	Sunny
24/06/09	12:00	25/06/09	12:00	14327.35	14351.35	24.00	0.9287	0.9287	0.9287	2.7442	2.7924	36	Fine
30/06/09	09:25	01/07/09	09:25	14351.35	14375.35	24.00	1.0274	1.0274	1.0274	2.8248	2.8675	29	Sunny
06/07/09	18:00	07/07/09	18:00	14375.35	14399.35	24.00	1.0274	1.0274	1.0274	2.8012	2.8389	25	Sunny
10/07/09	12:00	11/07/09	12:00	14399.35	14423.35	24.00	1.0520	1.0520	1.0520	2.8174	2.8959	52	Sunny
16/07/09	14:00	17/07/09	14:00	14423.35	14447.35	24.00	1.0274	1.0274	1.0274	2.8325	2.8775	30	Sunny
22/07/09	13:03	23/07/09	13:03	14447.35	14471.35	24.00	1.0520	1.0520	1.0520	2.7914	2.8330	27	Fine
28/07/09	11:48	29/07/09	11:48	14471.35	17795.35	24.00	1.0274	1.0274	1.0274	2.8196	2.8800	41	Sunny
03/08/09	09:25	04/08/09	09:25	14495.35	14519.35	24.00	1.0274	1.0274	1.0274	2.8332	2.9109	53	Cloudy
07/08/09	13:00	08/08/09	13:00	14519.35	14543.35	24.00	1.0027	1.0027	1.0027	2.8521	2.9164	45	Sunny
13/08/09	13:00	14/08/09	13:00	14543.35	14567.35	24.00	1.0643	1.0643	1.0643	2.8257	2.8719	30	Rainy
19/08/09	13:00	20/08/09	13:00	14567.35	14591.35	24.00	1.3078	1.3078	1.3078	2.7912	2.8573	43	Sunny
25/08/09	12:20	26/08/09	12:20	14591.35	14615.35	24.00	1.0907	1.0907	1.0907	2.8568	2.9206	41	Sunny
31/08/09	10:44	01/09/09	10:44	14615.35	14639.35	24.00	1.0907	1.0907	1.0907	2.8571	2.9598	65	Fine

Monitoring Station : AM2

Start		Finish		Elapsed Time		Sampling Time (hrs)	Flow Rate (m <sup>3</sup> /min.)		Average (m <sup>3</sup> /min.)	Filter Weight (g)		Conc. (µg/m <sup>3</sup> )	Weather Condition
Date	Time	Date	Time	Initial	Final		Initial	Final		Initial	Final		
02/06/09	12:05	03/06/09	12:05	18267.24	18291.24	24.00	1.2005	1.2005	1.2005	2.8429	2.9204	45	Fine
08/06/09	12:15	09/06/09	12:15	18291.24	18315.24	24.00	1.2303	1.2303	1.2303	2.8832	2.9642	46	Cloudy
12/06/09	09:45	13/06/09	09:45	18315.24	18339.24	24.00	1.2602	1.2602	1.2602	2.8804	2.9305	28	Cloudy
18/06/09	10:28	19/06/09	10:28	18339.24	18363.24	24.00	1.2707	1.2707	1.2707	2.7576	2.8157	32	Sunny
24/06/09	12:10	25/06/09	12:10	18363.24	18387.24	24.00	1.1816	1.1816	1.1816	2.7428	2.7905	28	Fine
30/06/09	09:18	01/07/09	09:18	18387.24	18411.24	24.00	1.2113	1.2113	1.2113	2.7924	2.8357	25	Sunny
06/07/09	18:00	07/07/09	18:00	18411.24	18435.24	24.00	1.1816	1.1816	1.1816	2.7733	2.8214	28	Sunny
10/07/09	12:00	11/07/09	12:00	18435.24	18459.24	24.00	1.2113	1.2113	1.2113	2.8143	2.8984	48	Sunny
16/07/09	14:02	17/07/09	14:02	18459.24	18483.24	24.00	1.1816	1.1816	1.1816	2.7899	2.8432	31	Sunny
22/07/09	12:56	23/07/09	12:56	18483.24	18507.24	24.00	1.1816	1.1816	1.1816	2.8056	2.8553	29	Fine
28/07/09	11:56	29/07/09	11:56	18507.24	18531.24	24.00	1.1816	1.1816	1.1816	2.8203	2.8995	47	Sunny
03/08/09	09:33	04/08/09	09:33	18531.24	18555.24	24.00	1.1816	1.1816	1.1816	2.8123	2.8801	40	Cloudy
07/08/09	13:00	08/08/09	13:00	18555.24	18579.24	24.00	1.0628	1.0628	1.0628	2.8647	2.9359	47	Sunny
13/08/09	13:00	14/08/09	13:00	18579.24	18603.24	24.00	1.3716	1.3716	1.3716	2.8226	2.8682	23	Rainy
19/08/09	13:00	20/08/09	13:00	18603.24	18627.24	24.00	1.3078	1.3078	1.3078	2.8045	2.8850	43	Sunny
25/08/09	12:35	26/08/09	12:35	18627.24	18651.24	24.00	1.2440	1.2440	1.2440	2.8716	2.9473	42	Sunny
31/08/09	10:47	01/09/09	10:47	18651.24	18675.24	24.00	1.2759	1.2759	1.2759	2.8486	2.9510	56	Fine

## Summary of 24-hr TSP Monitoring Results

Monitoring Station : AM3

Date	Start Time	Finish Date	Finish Time	Elapse Time		Sampling Time (hrs)	Flow Rate (m <sup>3</sup> /min.)		Average (m <sup>3</sup> /min.)	Filter Weight (g)		Conc. (µg/m <sup>3</sup> )	Weather Condition
				Initial	Final		Initial	Final		Initial	Final		
02/06/09	11:44	03/06/09	11:44	2327.51	2351.51	24.00	1.2888	1.2888	1.2888	2.8577	3.0380	97	Fine
08/06/09	13:00	09/06/09	13:00	2351.51	2375.51	24.00	1.1368	1.1368	1.1368	2.8721	2.9467	46	Cloudy
12/06/09	13:50	13/06/09	13:50	2375.51	2399.51	24.00	1.1368	1.1368	1.1368	2.8860	2.9496	39	Cloudy
18/06/09	10:49	19/06/09	10:49	2399.51	2423.51	24.00	1.0998	1.0998	1.0998	2.7624	2.8473	54	Sunny
24/06/09	14:45	25/06/09	14:45	2423.51	2447.51	24.00	1.1280	1.1280	1.1280	2.7498	2.8098	37	Fine
30/06/09	13:00	01/07/09	13:00	2447.51	2471.51	24.00	1.2127	1.2127	1.2127	2.8030	2.8468	25	Sunny
06/07/09	11:06	07/07/09	11:06	2471.51	2495.51	24.00	1.0998	1.0998	1.0998	2.7908	2.8372	29	Sunny
10/07/09	16:00	11/07/09	16:00	2495.51	2519.51	24.00	0.9868	0.9868	0.9868	2.8036	2.9393	95	Sunny
16/07/09	11:29	17/07/09	11:29	2519.51	2543.51	24.00	1.0151	1.0151	1.0151	2.7844	2.8965	77	Sunny
22/07/09	14:27	23/07/09	14:27	2543.51	2567.51	24.00	1.0151	1.0151	1.0151	2.7819	2.8087	18	Fine
28/07/09	12:06	29/07/09	12:06	2567.51	2591.51	24.00	1.0151	1.0151	1.0151	2.7893	2.8582	47	Sunny
03/08/09	09:08	04/08/09	09:08	2591.51	2615.51	24.00	0.9021	0.9021	0.9021	2.8271	2.9271	77	Cloudy
07/08/09	13:00	08/08/09	13:00	2615.51	2639.51	24.00	1.1280	1.1280	1.1280	2.8249	2.8802	34	Sunny
13/08/09	09:58	14/08/09	09:58	2639.51	2663.51	24.00	1.2800	1.2800	1.2800	2.8432	2.8825	21	Rainy
19/08/09	13:00	20/08/09	13:00	2663.51	2687.51	24.00	1.1890	1.1890	1.1890	2.8471	2.8982	30	Sunny
25/08/09	17:04	26/08/09	17:04	2687.51	2711.51	24.00	1.2194	1.2194	1.2194	2.8351	2.8858	29	Sunny
31/08/09	09:25	01/09/09	09:25	2711.51	2735.51	24.00	1.1890	1.1890	1.1890	2.8312	2.9594	75	Fine



**Summary of 1-hr TSP Monitoring Results** Monitoring Station: AM1

Date	Monitoring Period		1-hr TSP ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ )				Weather
	Start	Finish	Minimum	Maximum	Average		
02/06/09	08:48	09:48	48	298	83	Fine	
02/06/09	09:48	10:48	46	276	81	Fine	
02/06/09	10:48	11:48	42	314	96	Fine	
08/06/09	09:15	10:15	98	372	129	Cloudy	
08/06/09	10:15	11:15	112	356	142	Cloudy	
08/06/09	11:15	12:15	106	324	122	Cloudy	
12/06/09	09:13	10:13	102	419	157	Cloudy	
12/06/09	10:13	11:13	98	436	171	Cloudy	
12/06/09	11:13	12:13	100	404	163	Cloudy	
18/06/09	13:05	14:05	58	366	96	Sunny	
18/06/09	14:05	15:05	56	409	101	Sunny	
18/06/09	15:05	16:05	60	430	105	Sunny	
24/06/09	13:00	14:00	106	372	172	Cloudy	
24/06/09	14:00	15:00	97	416	159	Cloudy	
24/06/09	15:00	16:00	95	407	166	Cloudy	
30/06/09	09:20	10:20	67	416	171	Fine	
30/06/09	10:20	11:20	72	472	211	Fine	
30/06/09	11:20	12:20	88	361	175	Fine	
06/07/09	13:30	14:30	92	529	216	Sunny	
06/07/09	14:30	15:30	73	453	201	Sunny	
06/07/09	15:30	16:30	65	376	195	Sunny	
10/07/09	09:15	10:15	92	413	118	Sunny	
10/07/09	10:15	11:15	116	467	132	Sunny	
10/07/09	11:15	12:15	83	384	125	Sunny	
16/07/09	09:08	10:08	41	378	84	Fine	
16/07/09	10:08	11:08	42	400	86	Fine	
16/07/09	11:08	12:08	54	479	99	Fine	
22/07/09	13:00	14:00	82	392	115	Sunny	
22/07/09	14:00	15:00	90	361	135	Sunny	
22/07/09	15:00	16:00	87	326	124	Sunny	
28/07/09	09:20	10:20	72	369	104	Overcast	
28/07/09	10:20	11:20	85	378	123	Overcast	
28/07/09	13:05	14:05	94	422	134	Overcast	
03/08/09	09:15	10:15	82	427	163	Sunny	
03/08/09	10:15	11:15	97	456	193	Sunny	
03/08/09	11:15	12:15	106	382	182	Sunny	
07/08/09	09:20	10:20	92	462	166	Sunny	
07/08/09	10:20	11:20	89	423	178	Sunny	
07/08/09	11:20	12:20	100	500	146	Sunny	
13/08/09	09:22	10:22	62	326	163	Rainy	
13/08/09	10:22	11:22	70	317	161	Rainy	
13/08/09	11:22	12:22	82	289	142	Rainy	
19/08/09	13:00	14:00	102	587	183	Fine	
19/08/09	14:00	15:00	97	524	198	Fine	
19/08/09	15:00	16:00	85	480	155	Fine	
25/08/09	09:18	10:18	86	419	156	Sunny	
25/08/09	10:18	11:18	104	435	184	Sunny	
25/08/09	11:18	12:18	121	568	216	Sunny	
31/08/09	13:00	14:00	100	422	180	Sunny	
31/08/09	14:00	15:00	97	447	190	Sunny	
31/08/09	15:00	16:00	92	416	151	Sunny	

**Summary of 1-hr TSP Monitoring Results** Monitoring Station: AM2

Date	Monitoring Period		1-hr TSP ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ )			Weather
	Start	Finish	Minimum	Maximum	Average	
02/06/09	09:05	10:05	53	308	85	Fine
02/06/09	10:05	11:05	60	329	94	Fine
02/06/09	11:05	12:05	55	340	97	Fine
08/06/09	09:18	10:18	102	391	128	Cloudy
08/06/09	10:18	11:18	97	360	141	Cloudy
08/06/09	11:18	12:18	106	317	121	Cloudy
12/06/09	09:16	10:16	104	440	156	Cloudy
12/06/09	10:16	11:16	95	422	171	Cloudy
12/06/09	11:16	12:16	90	385	159	Cloudy
18/06/09	13:12	14:12	55	417	86	Sunny
18/06/09	14:12	15:12	63	453	101	Sunny
18/06/09	15:12	16:12	57	500	109	Sunny
24/06/09	13:00	14:00	110	402	156	Cloudy
24/06/09	14:00	15:00	99	447	149	Cloudy
24/06/09	15:00	16:00	102	428	136	Cloudy
30/06/09	09:24	10:24	71	432	173	Fine
30/06/09	10:24	11:24	82	516	197	Fine
30/06/09	11:24	12:24	75	380	151	Fine
06/07/09	13:40	14:40	84	584	201	Sunny
06/07/09	14:40	15:40	79	519	187	Sunny
06/07/09	15:40	16:40	62	433	175	Sunny
10/07/09	09:18	10:18	98	409	117	Sunny
10/07/09	10:18	11:18	131	487	135	Sunny
10/07/09	11:18	12:18	86	376	123	Sunny
16/07/09	09:13	10:13	50	419	97	Fine
16/07/09	10:13	11:13	55	509	108	Fine
16/07/09	11:13	12:13	54	504	104	Fine
22/07/09	13:06	14:06	91	417	113	Sunny
22/07/09	14:06	15:06	95	395	127	Sunny
22/07/09	15:06	16:06	86	360	122	Sunny
28/07/09	09:30	10:30	82	385	104	Overcast
28/07/09	10:30	11:30	89	393	117	Overcast
28/07/09	13:12	14:12	99	463	129	Overcast
03/08/09	09:20	10:20	96	429	141	Sunny
03/08/09	10:20	11:20	85	472	163	Sunny
03/08/09	11:20	12:20	89	396	171	Sunny
07/08/09	09:24	10:24	86	469	161	Sunny
07/08/09	10:24	11:24	92	512	170	Sunny
07/08/09	11:24	12:24	87	482	142	Sunny
13/08/09	09:27	10:27	65	335	159	Rainy
13/08/09	10:27	11:27	75	328	146	Rainy
13/08/09	11:27	12:27	86	316	130	Rainy
19/08/09	13:06	14:06	110	592	170	Fine
19/08/09	14:06	15:06	106	581	185	Fine
19/08/09	15:06	16:06	95	521	151	Fine
25/08/09	09:30	10:30	95	472	146	Sunny
25/08/09	10:30	11:30	138	615	197	Sunny
25/08/09	11:30	12:30	124	543	171	Sunny
31/08/09	13:00	14:00	107	436	176	Sunny
31/08/09	14:00	15:00	92	459	190	Sunny
31/08/09	15:00	16:00	87	397	160	Sunny

**Summary of 1-hr TSP Monitoring Results** Monitoring Station: AM3

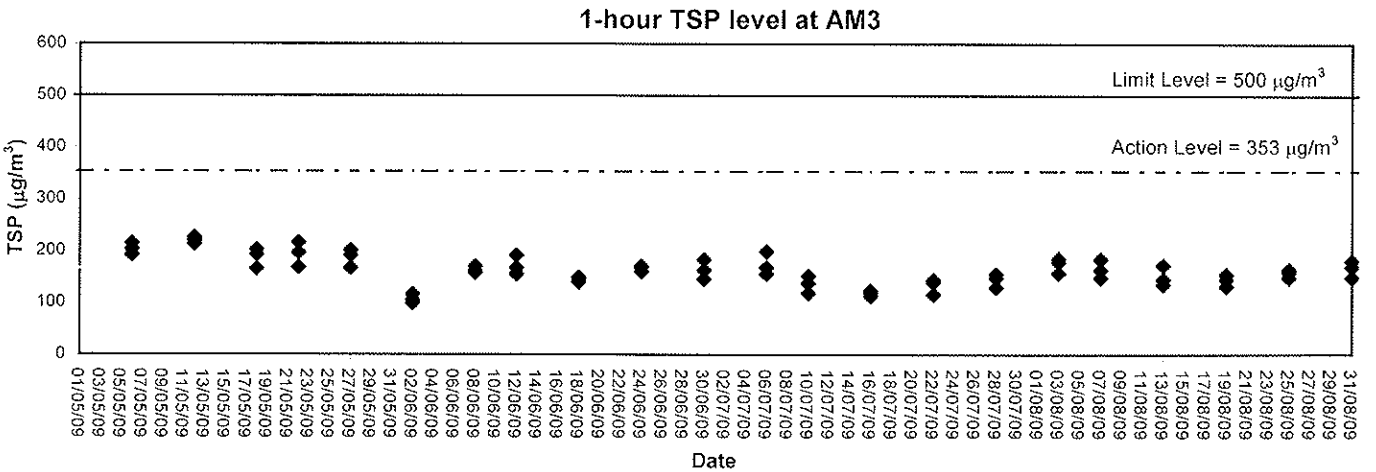
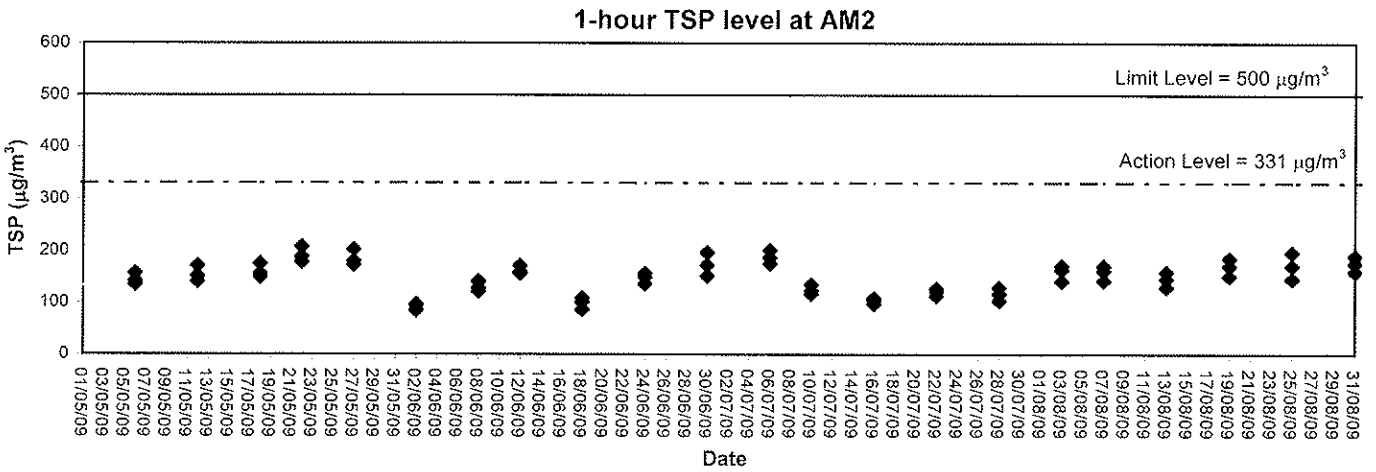
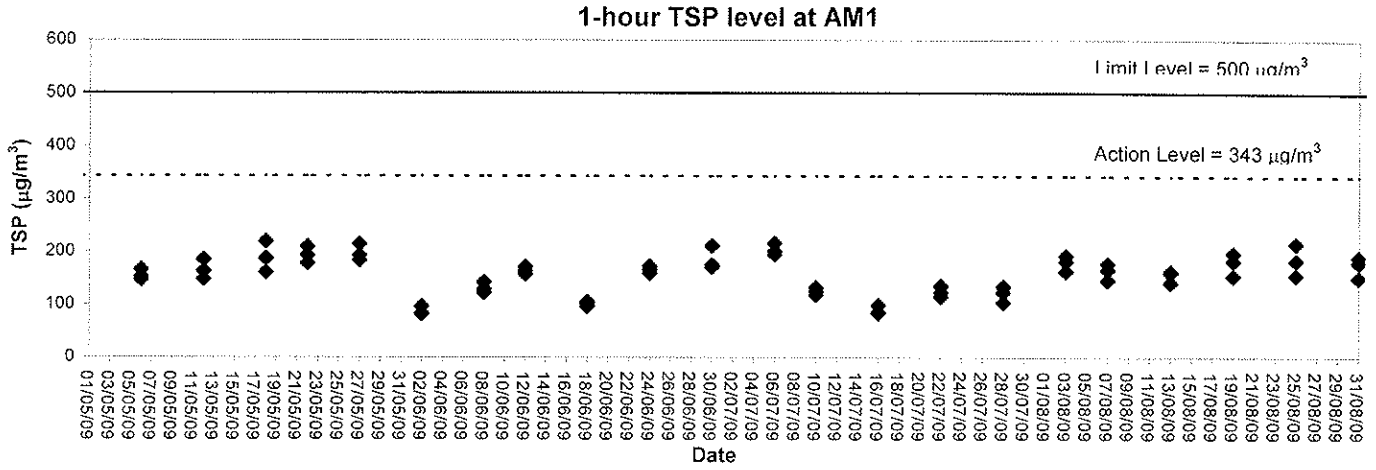
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	Start	Finish	Minimum	Maximum	Average	
02/06/09	13:00	14:00	85	434	99	Fine
02/06/09	14:00	15:00	58	418	116	Fine
02/06/09	15:00	16:00	53	405	105	Fine
08/06/09	13:00	14:00	89	392	161	Cloudy
08/06/09	14:00	15:00	95	386	158	Cloudy
08/06/09	15:00	16:00	100	345	170	Cloudy
12/06/09	13:00	14:00	97	422	191	Cloudy
12/06/09	14:00	15:00	92	382	167	Cloudy
12/06/09	15:00	16:00	101	417	155	Cloudy
18/06/09	09:10	10:10	76	574	140	Sunny
18/06/09	10:10	11:10	72	603	145	Sunny
18/06/09	11:10	12:10	78	621	149	Sunny
24/06/09	09:16	10:16	98	398	171	Cloudy
24/06/09	10:16	11:16	112	412	169	Cloudy
24/06/09	11:16	12:16	105	405	160	Cloudy
30/06/09	13:00	14:00	86	414	163	Fine
30/06/09	14:00	15:00	79	432	184	Fine
30/06/09	15:00	16:00	72	376	146	Fine
06/07/09	09:15	10:15	83	429	168	Sunny
06/07/09	10:15	11:15	94	561	199	Sunny
06/07/09	11:15	12:15	75	415	156	Sunny
10/07/09	13:00	14:00	87	406	119	Sunny
10/07/09	14:00	15:00	96	436	152	Sunny
10/07/09	15:00	16:00	106	421	138	Sunny
16/07/09	13:00	14:00	66	559	120	Fine
16/07/09	14:00	15:00	69	584	124	Fine
16/07/09	15:00	16:00	60	566	113	Fine
22/07/09	09:12	10:12	102	406	144	Sunny
22/07/09	10:12	11:12	89	382	139	Sunny
22/07/09	11:12	12:12	95	324	116	Sunny
28/07/09	14:38	15:38	96	504	155	Sunny
28/07/09	15:38	16:38	88	426	148	Sunny
28/07/09	16:38	17:38	103	415	130	Sunny
03/08/09	13:00	14:00	106	506	157	Sunny
03/08/09	14:00	15:00	116	452	185	Sunny
03/08/09	15:00	16:00	107	418	178	Sunny
07/08/09	13:00	14:00	86	416	163	Sunny
07/08/09	14:00	15:00	104	428	184	Sunny
07/08/09	15:00	16:00	97	378	148	Sunny
13/08/09	13:00	14:00	72	327	172	Rainy
13/08/09	14:00	15:00	83	316	135	Rainy
13/08/09	15:00	16:00	80	330	145	Rainy
19/08/09	09:15	10:15	89	417	154	Fine
19/08/09	10:15	11:15	92	472	144	Fine
19/08/09	11:15	12:15	78	398	131	Fine
25/08/09	14:00	15:00	92	396	158	Sunny
25/08/09	15:00	16:00	97	359	163	Sunny
25/08/09	16:00	17:00	86	313	148	Sunny
31/08/09	09:20	10:20	106	406	168	Sunny
31/08/09	10:20	11:20	112	318	180	Sunny
31/08/09	11:20	12:20	99	305	148	Sunny



## Appendix B2

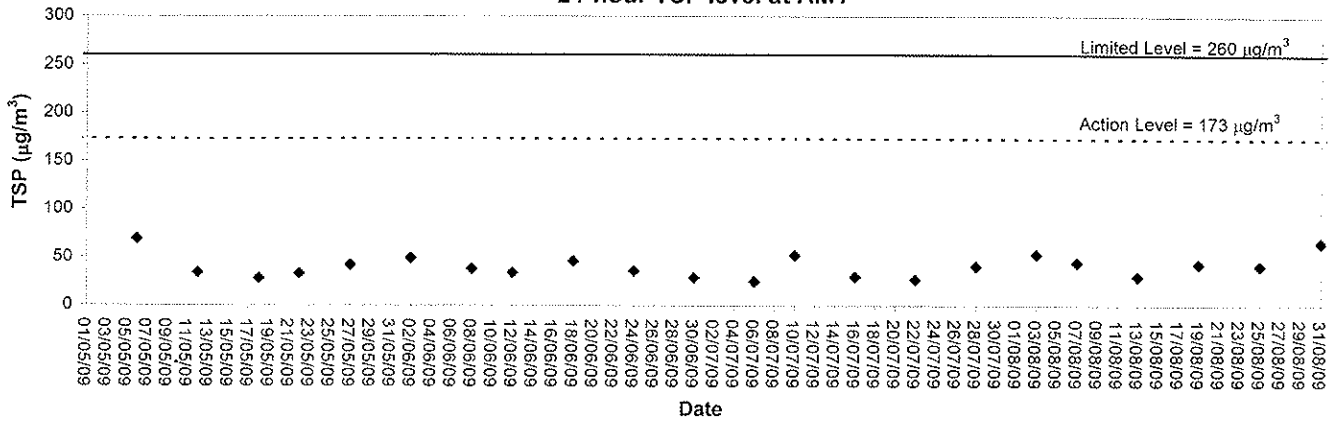
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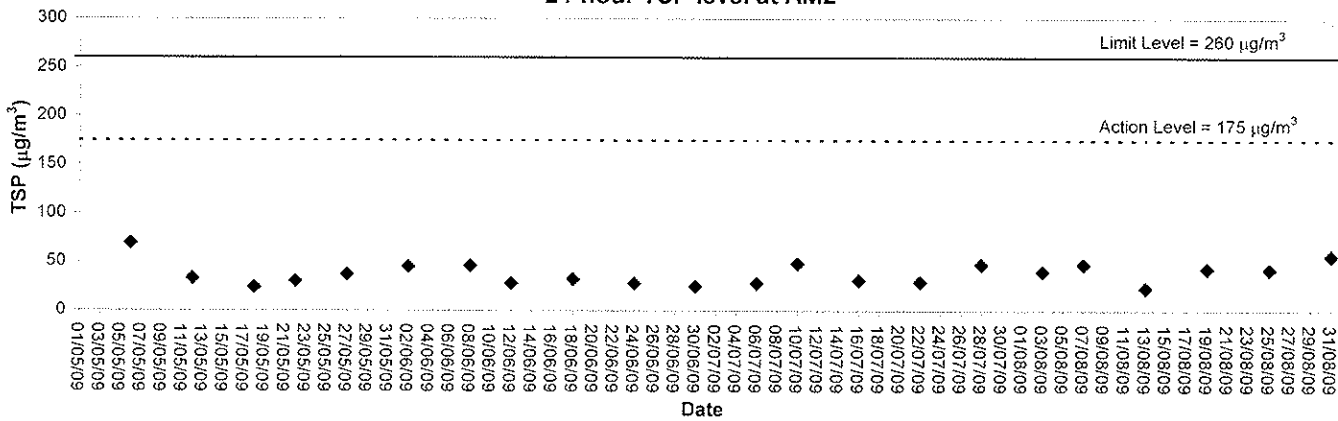




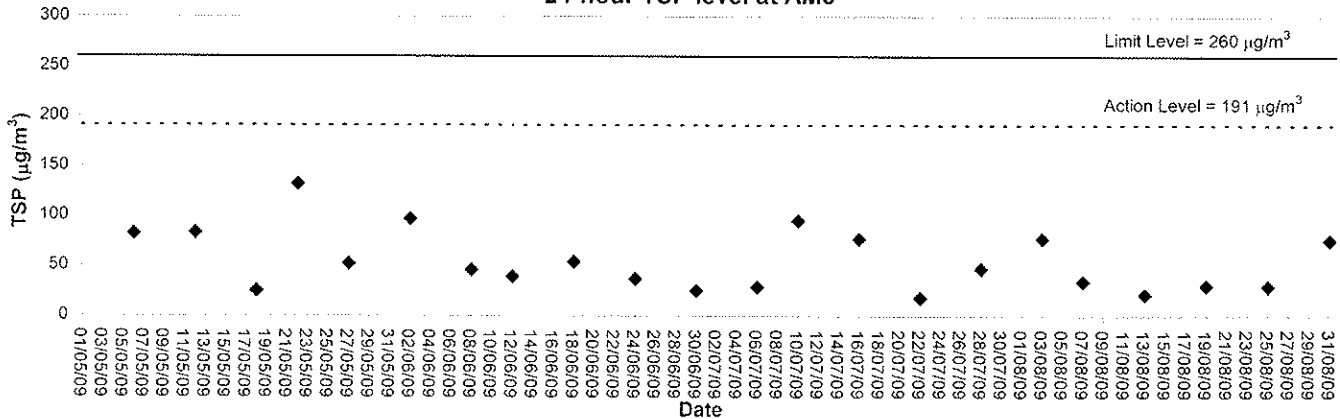
### 24-hour TSP level at AM1



### 24-hour TSP level at AM2



### 24-hour TSP level at AM3





## Appendix C1

### Impact Noise Monitoring Results in this Quarter



## Day-time Noise Monitoring

### Monitoring Station: NM1

Date	Weather Condition	Start Time (hh:mm)	End Time (hh:mm)	Noise Level at the monitoring point, dB (A)			Wind Speed (m/s)
				Leq (30min)	L10	L90	
02/06/09	Fine	09:14	09:44	52.7	55.8	47.0	1.2
08/06/09	Cloudy	09:33	10:03	65.8	68.8	58.5	0.8
18/06/09	Sunny	13:25	13:55	53.6	58.9	50.2	1.0
24/06/09	Fine	11:25	11:55	55.2	57.1	46.5	0.2
30/06/09	Fine	09:34	10:04	73.8	77.6	70.4	0.5
06/07/09	Sunny	13:52	14:22	69.4	74.0	66.8	1.4
16/07/09	Fine	09:15	09:45	55.6	58.4	51.8	1.8
22/07/09	Sunny	15:09	15:39	75.0	78.1	67.2	0.4
28/07/09	Overcast	09:40	10:10	71.2	76.4	67.5	0.6
03/08/09	Cloudy	14:16	14:46	75.0	77.8	69.7	0.8
13/08/09	Cloudy	15:20	15:50	74.7	78.0	58.4	0.6
19/08/09	Fine	13:32	14:02	74.9	76.8	68.7	0.2
25/08/09	Sunny	16:10	16:40	71.8	74.1	67.0	1.2
31/08/09	Fine	10:53	11:23	60.5	60.9	47.2	0.5

### Monitoring Station: NM2

Date	Weather Condition	Start Time (hh:mm)	End Time (hh:mm)	Noise Level at the monitoring point, dB (A)			Wind Speed (m/s)
				Leq (30min)	L10	L90	
02/06/09	Fine	09:55	10:25	63.4	68.9	56.8	0.9
08/06/09	Cloudy	10:08	10:38	66.2	66.8	59.7	1.0
18/06/09	Sunny	10:10	10:40	57.8	65.9	55.2	0.8
24/06/09	Fine	13:40	14:10	64.1	65.9	60.1	0.2
30/06/09	Fine	10:08	10:38	67.5	69.3	58.0	0.7
06/07/09	Sunny	15:30	16:00	72.5	76.1	67.9	0.6
16/07/09	Fine	10:00	10:30	65.9	73.1	62.5	1.1
22/07/09	Sunny	13:45	14:15	66.2	69.5	62.6	0.6
28/07/09	Overcast	10:20	10:50	67.9	70.0	65.3	0.9
03/08/09	Cloudy	10:22	10:52	72.1	74.5	64.0	0.7
13/08/09	Cloudy	16:00	16:30	68.4	69.8	58.9	0.5
19/08/09	Fine	14:10	14:40	64.1	65.8	59.6	0.2
25/08/09	Sunny	15:30	16:00	65.6	68.4	61.9	1.0
31/08/09	Fine	13:00	13:30	60.7	61.2	58.0	0.4

### Monitoring Station: RNM3

Date	Weather Condition	Start Time (hh:mm)	End Time (hh:mm)	Noise Level at the monitoring point, dB (A)			Wind Speed (m/s)
				Leq (30min)	L10	L90	
02/06/09	Fine	10:40	11:10	64.3	69.3	60.7	0.7
08/06/09	Cloudy	10:42	11:12	62.5	64.5	55.2	0.5
18/06/09	Sunny	10:50	11:20	63.6	70.5	59.1	1.2
24/06/09	Fine	13:06	13:36	66.8	67.9	57.9	0.4
30/06/09	Fine	11:26	11:56	62.3	63.5	59.7	0.3
06/07/09	Sunny	10:05	10:35	65.3	69.2	62.4	0.9
16/07/09	Fine	10:43	11:13	66.8	72.5	63.6	1.4
22/07/09	Sunny	14:30	15:00	64.2	66.1	60.7	0.5
28/07/09	Sunny	13:50	14:20	63.8	65.9	60.9	1.2
03/08/09	Cloudy	15:10	15:40	68.7	70.6	62.4	0.5
13/08/09	Cloudy	14:35	15:05	65.0	67.2	59.2	1.0
19/08/09	Fine	11:33	12:03	61.8	63.6	56.6	0.0
25/08/09	Sunny	14:52	15:22	58.9	59.9	56.3	0.4
31/08/09	Fine	10:06	10:36	62.6	63.2	59.2	0.5

### Monitoring Station: NM4

Date	Weather Condition	Start Time (hh:mm)	End Time (hh:mm)	Noise Level at the monitoring point, dB (A)			Wind Speed (m/s)
				Leq (30min)	L10	L90	
02/06/09	Fine	11:26	11:56	58.8	64.1	53.6	1.4
08/06/09	Cloudy	11:18	11:48	60.8	61.4	47.1	0.5
18/06/09	Sunny	11:30	12:00	53.9	56.8	49.5	1.6
24/06/09	Fine	14:18	14:48	53.3	58.0	40.2	0.3
30/06/09	Fine	10:48	11:18	59.2	61.1	55.7	0.5
06/07/09	Sunny	09:25	09:55	60.4	65.5	57.0	1.3
16/07/09	Fine	11:25	11:55	54.8	57.1	51.2	1.9
22/07/09	Sunny	15:55	16:25	59.2	62.2	54.6	0.5
28/07/09	Sunny	14:45	15:15	58.7	62.2	56.4	1.7
03/08/09	Cloudy	11:13	11:43	75.0	78.2	68.6	0.8
13/08/09	Cloudy	16:45	17:15	58.1	59.5	52.1	0.7
19/08/09	Fine	11:00	11:30	58.1	60.3	50.2	0.0
25/08/09	Sunny	14:10	14:40	63.3	67.2	59.8	0.6
31/08/09	Fine	09:29	09:59	67.2	69.1	49.3	0.7



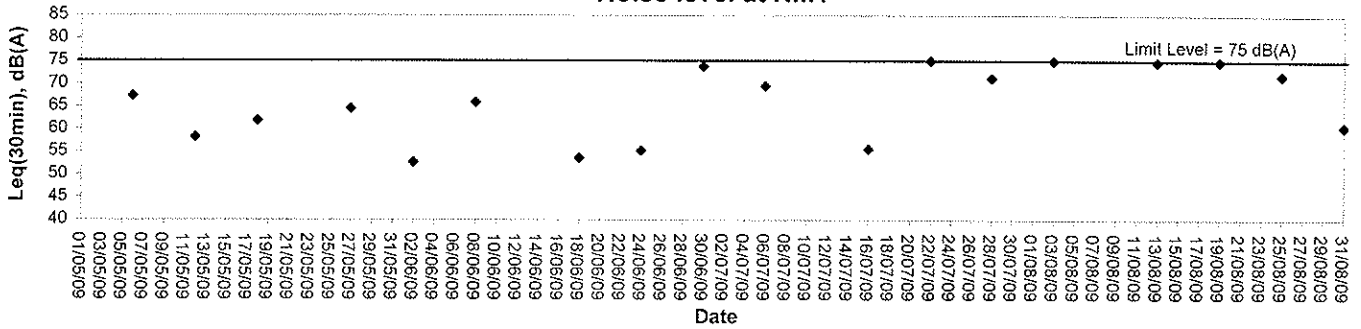
## Appendix C2

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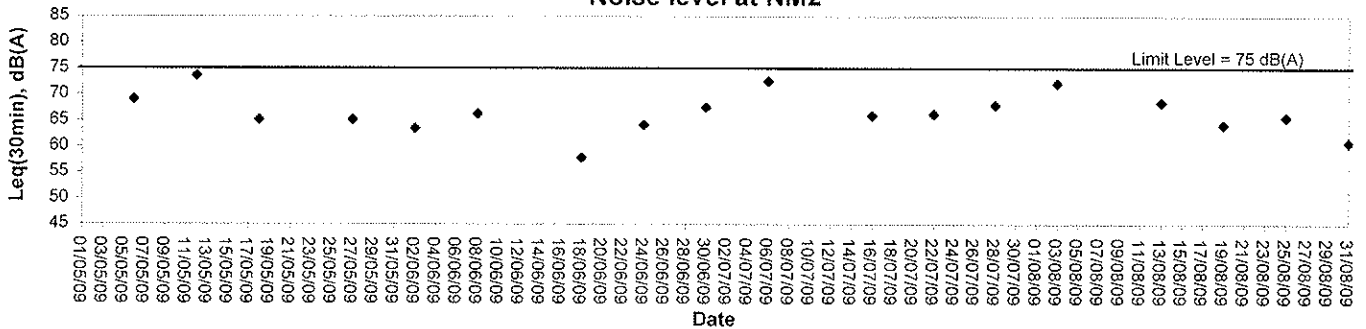


### Noise Monitoring (Day-time)

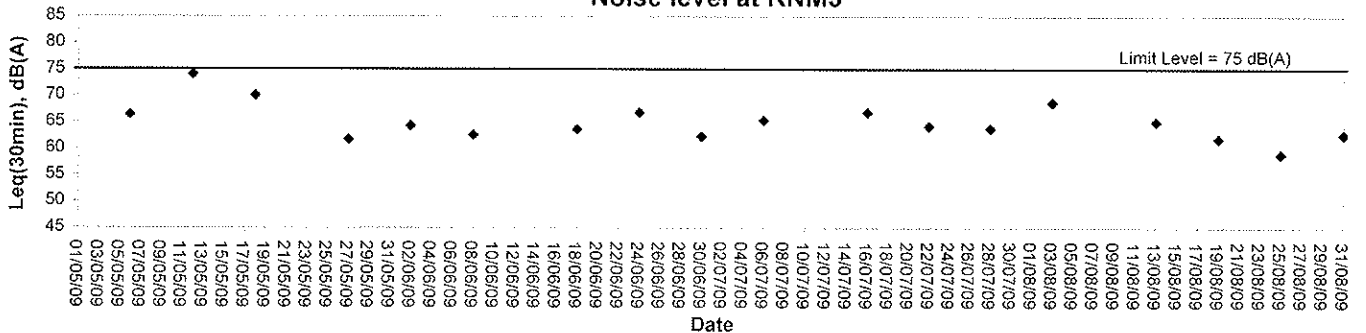
#### Noise level at NM1



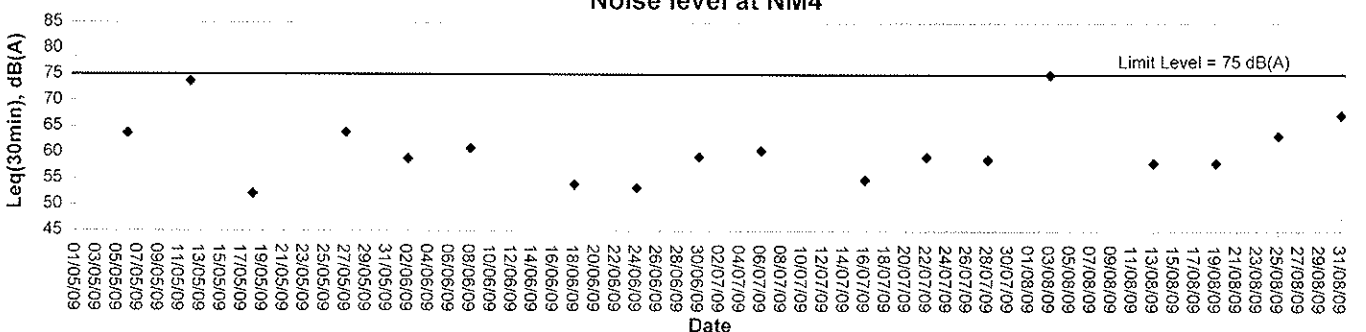
#### Noise level at NM2



#### Noise level at RNM3



#### Noise level at NM4





## Appendix D

### Environmental Quality Performance (Action / Limit Levels)



### Action and Limit levels for 24-hr TSP and 1-hr TSP

<i>Monitoring Station</i>	<i>24-hr TSP (<math>\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3</math>)</i>		<i>1-hr TSP (<math>\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3</math>)</i>	
	<i>Action Level</i>	<i>Limit Level</i>	<i>Action Level</i>	<i>Limit Level</i>
AM1	173	260	343	500
AM2	175	260	331	500
AM3	191	260	353	500

### Action and Limit Levels for Noise Monitoring

<i>Time Period</i>	<i>Action</i>	<i>Limit</i>
0700 – 1900 hrs normal weekdays	When one documented complaint is received	75 dB(A)





## **Appendix E**

### **Event-Action Plans**



**Event / Action Plan for Air Quality**

EVENT	ACTION				CONTRACTOR
	ET	IC(E)	ER	ER	
<b>Action Level</b>					
Action Level being exceeded for one sample	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identify source, investigate the causes of Exceedance and propose remedial measures;</li> <li>Inform IC(E) and ER;</li> <li>Repeat measurement to confirm finding;</li> <li>Increase monitoring frequency to daily</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check monitoring data submitted by ET;</li> <li>Check Contractor's working method.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Notify Contractor.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rectify any unacceptable practice;</li> <li>Amend working methods if appropriate.</li> </ol>	
Action Level being exceeded for two or more consecutive samples	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Same as the above;</li> <li>Advise the ER on the effectiveness of proposed remedial measures;</li> <li>Discuss with IC(E) and Contractor on remedial actions required;</li> <li>If exceedance continues, arrange meeting with IC(E) and ER;</li> <li>If exceedance stops, cease additional monitoring.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Same as the above;</li> <li>Discuss with ET and Contractor on possible remedial measures;</li> <li>Advise the ET on the effectiveness of the proposed remedial measures;</li> <li>Supervise implementation of remedial measures.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Same as the above;</li> <li>Confirm receipt of notification of failure in writing;</li> <li>Ensure remedial measures properly implemented.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Submit proposals for remedial actions to ER within 3 working days of notification;</li> <li>Implement the agreed proposals;</li> <li>Amend proposal if appropriate.</li> </ol>	
<b>Limit Level</b>					
Limit Level being exceeded for one sample	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identify source;</li> <li>Inform ER, Contractor and EPD;</li> <li>Repeat measurement to confirm finding;</li> <li>Increase monitoring frequency to daily;</li> <li>Assess effectiveness of Contractor's remedial actions and keep IC(E), EPD and ER informed of the results.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Checking monitoring data submitted by ET;</li> <li>Check Contractor's working method;</li> <li>Discuss with ET and Contractor on the possible remedial measures;</li> <li>Advise the ER on the effectiveness of the proposed remedial measures;</li> <li>Supervise the implementation of remedial measures.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Confirm receipt of notification of failure in writing;</li> <li>Notify Contractor;</li> <li>Ensure remedial actions properly implemented.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Take immediate action to avoid further exceedance;</li> <li>Submit proposals for remedial actions to IC(E) within 3 working days of notification;</li> <li>Implement the agreed proposals;</li> <li>Amend proposal if appropriate.</li> </ol>	
Limit Level being exceeded for two or more consecutive samples	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Same as the above;</li> <li>Carry our analysis of Contractor's working procedures to determine possible mitigation to be implemented;</li> <li>Arrange meeting with IC(E) and ER to discuss the remedial actions to be taken;</li> <li>If exceedance stops, cease additional monitoring.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discuss with ER, ET and Contractor on the potential remedial actions;</li> <li>Review Contractor's remedial actions whenever necessary to assume their effectiveness and advise the ER accordingly;</li> <li>Supervise the implementation of remedial measures.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Same as the above;</li> <li>In consolidation with the IC(E), agree with the Contractor on the remedial measures to be implemented;</li> <li>If exceedance continues, consider what portion of the work is responsible and instruct the Contractor to stop that portion of work until the exceedance is abated.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Same as the above;</li> <li>Resubmit proposals if problem still not under control;</li> <li>Stop the relevant portion of works as determined by the ER until the exceedance is abated.</li> </ol>	



**Event / Action Plan for Construction Noise**

EVENT	ACTION				CONTRACTOR
	ET	IC(E)	ER	ER	
<b>Action level</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Notify IC(E) and Contractor;</li> <li>2. Carry out investigation;</li> <li>3. Report the results of investigation to the IC(E), ER and Contractor;</li> <li>4. Discuss with the Contractor and formulate remedial measures ;</li> <li>5. Increase monitoring frequency to check mitigation effectiveness.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Review and investigation results submitted by the ET;</li> <li>2. Review the proposed remedial measures by the Contractor and advise the ER accordingly;</li> <li>3. Supervise the implementation of remedial measures.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Confirm receipt of notification of failure in writing;</li> <li>2. Notify Contractor;</li> <li>3. Require Contractor to propose remedial measures for the analysed noise problem;</li> <li>4. Ensure proper implementation of remedial measures.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Submit noise mitigation proposal to IC(E);</li> <li>2. Implement noise mitigation proposals.</li> </ol>	
<b>Limit level</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Identify source;</li> <li>2. Inform IC(E), ER, EPD and Contractor;</li> <li>3. Repeat measurement to confirm findings;</li> <li>4. Increase monitoring frequency;</li> <li>5. Carry out analysis of Contractor's working procedures to determine possible mitigation to be implemented;</li> <li>6. Inform IC(E), ER and EPD the causes and actions taken for the exceedances;</li> <li>7. Assess the effectiveness of Contractor's remedial actions and keep IC(E), EPD and ER informed of the results;</li> <li>8. If exceedance stops, cease additional monitoring.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Discuss amongst ER, ET, and Contractor on the potential remedial actions;</li> <li>2. Review Contractor's remedial actions to ensure their effectiveness and advise the ER accordingly;</li> <li>3. Supervise the implementation of remedial measures.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Same as above;</li> <li>2. If exceedances continue, consider what portion of the work is responsible and instruct the Contractor to stop that portion of work until the exceedance is abated.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Take immediate action to avoid further exceedance;</li> <li>2. Submit proposals for remedial actions to IC(E);</li> <li>3. Implement the agreed proposals;</li> <li>4. Resubmit proposals if problem still out of control;</li> <li>5. Stop the relevant portion of works as determined by ER, until the exceedance is abated.</li> </ol>	



## **Appendix F**

### **Construction Programme**

**Preliminary**

Item No.	Activity Description	Start Date	End Date	Early Start	Early Finish	Late Start	Late Finish
W000	Contract/Order of Commencement	31 JAN 08	31 JAN 08				
W001	Contract/Order of Completion	31 MAR 10	31 MAR 10				

**Works Order**

Item No.	Activity Description	Start Date	End Date	Early Start	Early Finish	Late Start	Late Finish
W002	Contract/Order of Commencement	31 JAN 08	31 JAN 08				
W003	Contract/Order of Completion	31 MAR 10	31 MAR 10				

**General and Preparation**

Item No.	Activity Description	Start Date	End Date	Early Start	Early Finish	Late Start	Late Finish
G001	Approval of IFA drawings by IP Address	01 FEB 08	01 FEB 08				
G002	Submission of IFA drawings to IP Address	01 FEB 08	01 FEB 08				

**Works by Utilities Undertakers**

Item No.	Activity Description	Start Date	End Date	Early Start	Early Finish	Late Start	Late Finish
U001	AC Work on Main SWW 150 x 150 x 5000	01 FEB 08	01 FEB 08				

**Site Works of Works Area W1A/W1B/W2A/W2B**

Item No.	Activity Description	Start Date	End Date	Early Start	Early Finish	Late Start	Late Finish
W1A	Excavation and Installation of Manhole	01 FEB 08	01 FEB 08				

**YUNG SHUE WAN**

**WO 005 (Hung Shue Wan Main Street & Clinic)**

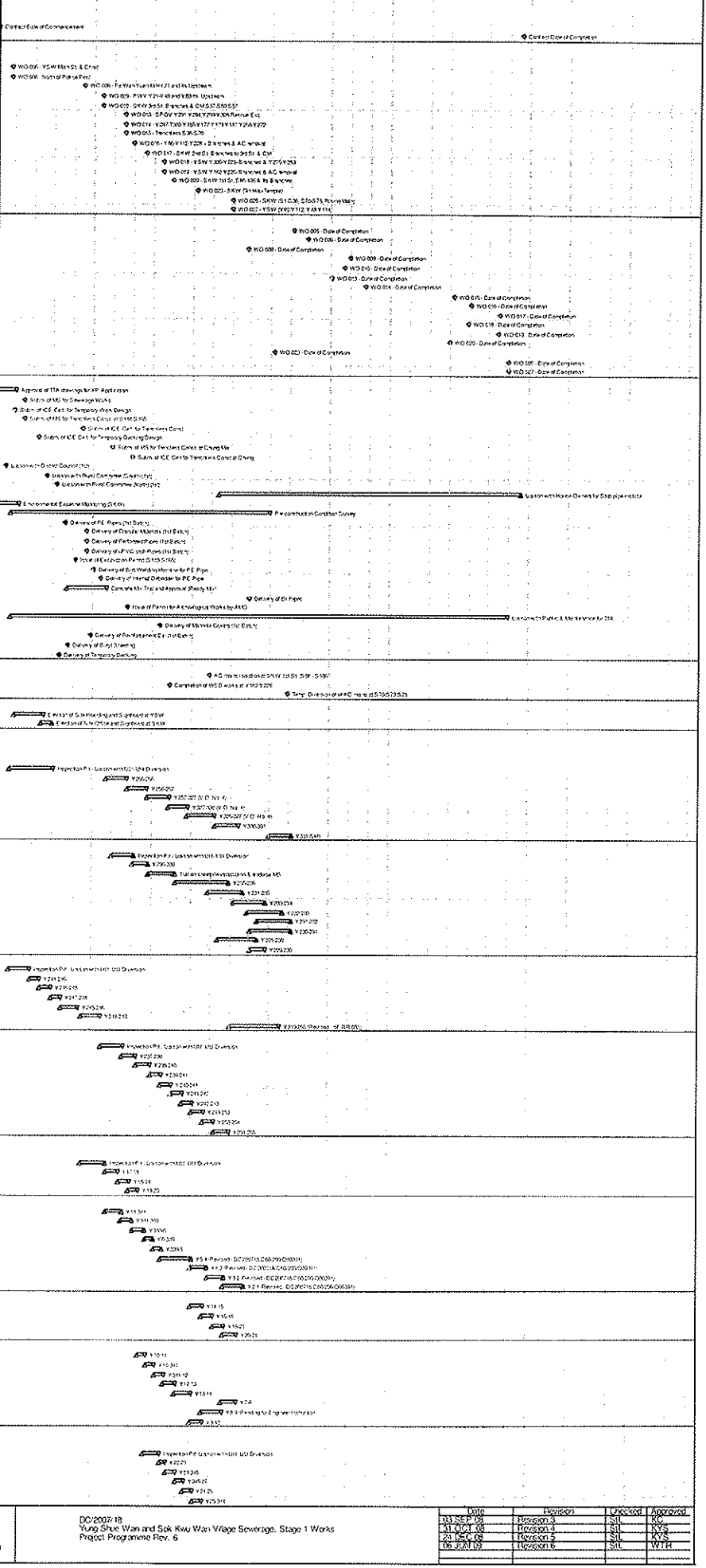
Item No.	Activity Description	Start Date	End Date	Early Start	Early Finish	Late Start	Late Finish
ME101	Excavation and Installation of Manhole	01 FEB 08	01 FEB 08				
ME102	Excavation and Installation of Manhole	01 FEB 08	01 FEB 08				

**WO 006 (P/W Main Y21Bits Upstream)**

Item No.	Activity Description	Start Date	End Date	Early Start	Early Finish	Late Start	Late Finish
Y11	Excavation and Installation of Manhole	01 FEB 08	01 FEB 08				
Y12	Excavation and Installation of Manhole	01 FEB 08	01 FEB 08				

**WO 008 (P/W Y21-Y48 & Y83bits Upstream)**

Item No.	Activity Description	Start Date	End Date	Early Start	Early Finish	Late Start	Late Finish
Y22	Excavation and Installation of Manhole	01 FEB 08	01 FEB 08				
Y23	Excavation and Installation of Manhole	01 FEB 08	01 FEB 08				

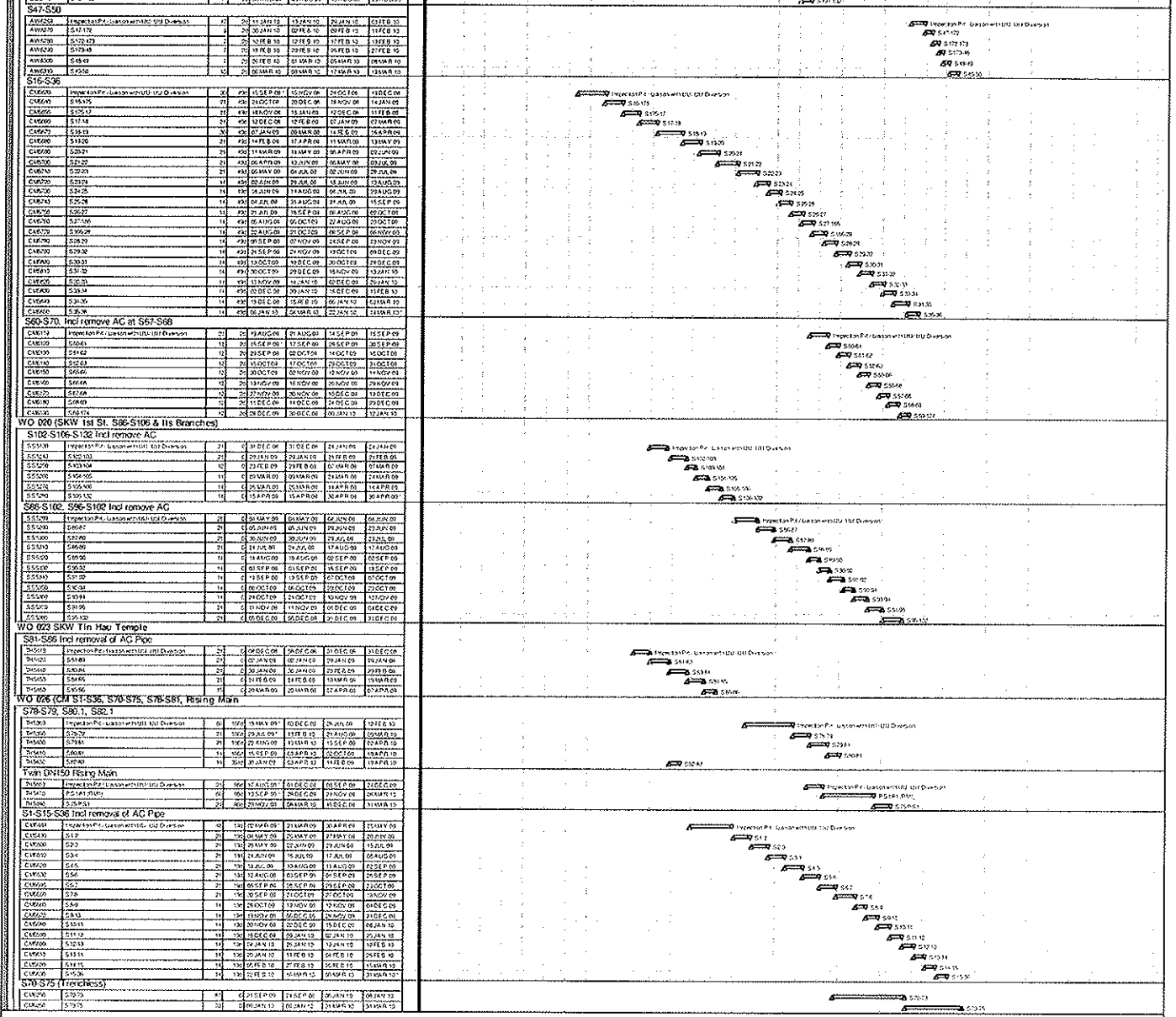












Item	Start	End	Notes
S47-S50	24 AUG 09	24 AUG 09	
S16-S36	24 AUG 09	24 AUG 09	
S60-S70	24 AUG 09	24 AUG 09	
WO 000 (SKW 1st St, S86-S106 & Its Branches)	24 AUG 09	24 AUG 09	
S86-S102	24 AUG 09	24 AUG 09	
S86-S102 Ind remove AC	24 AUG 09	24 AUG 09	
WO 022 SKW Tin Hsu Temple	24 AUG 09	24 AUG 09	
S81-S86	24 AUG 09	24 AUG 09	
WO 026 (CM S1-S36, S70-S75, S78-S81, Rising Man)	24 AUG 09	24 AUG 09	
S78-S79, S80.1, S82.1	24 AUG 09	24 AUG 09	
Trench DN150 Rising Man	24 AUG 09	24 AUG 09	
S1-S15	24 AUG 09	24 AUG 09	
S15-S36 Ind remove of AC Pipe	24 AUG 09	24 AUG 09	
S78-S75 (Trenchless)	24 AUG 09	24 AUG 09	



## **Appendix G**

### **Summary of Implementation Status of Mitigation Measures during Site Inspection**



## Environmental Mitigation Implementation Schedule

Environmental Protection Measures	Location	Implementation Status		
		Implemented	Partially implemented	Not Implemented Not Applicable
<b>Air Quality</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Stockpiles of imported material kept on site should be contained within hoarding, dampened and / or covered during dry and windy weather.</li> <li>Material stockpiled alongside trenches should be covered with tarpaulins whenever works are close to village houses.</li> <li>Water sprays should be used during the delivery and handling of cement, sands, aggregates and the like.</li> <li>Any vehicle used for moving sands, aggregates and construction waste should have properly fitting side and tail boards. Materials should not be loaded to a level higher than the side and tail boards, and should be covered by a clean tarpaulin.</li> <li>Unpaved areas should be watered regularly to avoid dust generation.</li> <li>The enclosures should be around the main dust-generating activities.</li> <li>All plant and equipment should be well maintained e.g. without black smoke emission.</li> <li>Open burning should be prohibited.</li> </ul>	All areas	√		
<b>Noise Impact</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quite powered mechanical equipment (PME) or method should be used.</li> <li>The number plant should be restricted (1 item for each type of plant).</li> <li>Only well maintained plant should be operated on-site and plant should be serviced regularly during the construction works.</li> <li>Mobile plant, if any, should be sited as far away from NSRs as possible.</li> <li>Machines and plants that may be in intermittent use should be shut down between work periods or should be throttled down to a minimum.</li> <li>Plant known to emit noise strongly should be orientated so that the noise is directed away from nearby NSRs.</li> <li>The constructions works should be scheduled to minimize noise nuisance.</li> <li>Air compressors and hand held breakers should have noise labels.</li> <li>Compressors and generators should operate with door closed.</li> </ul>	All areas	√		
<b>Water Quality</b>				
<b>General Construction Works</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Debris and rubbish generated on-site should be collected, handled and disposed of properly to avoid entering the nearby coastal water and stormwater drains.</li> <li>All fuel tanks and storage areas should be provided with locks and be sited on sealed area, within bunds of a capacity equal to 110% of the storage capacity of the largest tank.</li> <li>Open drainage channels and culverts near the works areas should be covered to block the entrance of large debris and refuse.</li> </ul>	All areas	√		



Environmental Protection Measures	Location	Implementation Status		
		Implemented	Partially implemented	Not Implemented
<b>Waste Management</b>				
<b>General Site Wastes</b>				
• Appropriate measures, such as transporting wastes in enclosed containers, should be taken to minimize windblown litter and dust to nearby environment.	All areas	✓		
• Sufficient waste disposal points and regular waste collection for disposal should be provided.	All areas	✓		
• A collection area for construction site waste should be provided where waste can be stored prior to removal from site.	All areas	✓		
• Good site practices should be adopted to clean the rubbish and litter on a regular basis so as to prevent the rubbish and litter from dropping into the nearby environment.	All areas	✓		
• Records of the quantities of waste generated, recycled and disposed should be kept and maintained.	All areas	✓		
• Different types of waste should be segregated and stored in different containers, skips or stockpiles to enhance reuse or recycling of material and their proper disposal.	All areas	✓		
<b>Chemical Wastes</b>				
• After use, chemical waste should be handled according to the Code of Practice on the Package, Labelling and Storage of Chemical Wastes.	All areas	✓		
• Any unused chemicals or those with remaining functional capacity should be recycled.	All areas	✓		
• Waste should be properly stored on site within suitably designed containers and should be collected by an approved licensed waste collectors for disposal at the Chemical Waste Treatment Facility or other licensed facility in accordance with the Waste Disposal (Chemical Waste) (General) Regulation under the Waste Disposal Ordinance.	All areas	✓		
• Any service shop and minor maintenance facilities should be located on hard standing within a bunded area, and sumps and oil interceptors should be provided.	All areas	✓		
• Maintenance of vehicles and equipment involving activities with potential for leakage and spillage should be undertaken within the designated areas equipped control these discharges.	All areas	✓		
<b>Construction and Demolition (C&amp;D) Wastes</b>				
• C&D waste should be separated on site before disposal.	All areas	✓		
• Inert material, such as concrete and rubble, should be re-used on site.	All areas	✓		
• Steel and other metals should be separated for re-use and / or recycling prior to disposal of C&D material.	All areas	✓		
<b>Ecological Impact</b>				
• Labelling and fencing of the uncommon tree species.	All areas	✓		
• Avoidance of use of woodland habitats as Works Area, in particular where trees located.	All areas	✓		

Environmental Protection Measures	Location	Implementation Status			
		Implemented	Partially implemented	Not implemented	Not Applicable
<b>Landscape and Visual Impact</b>					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Existing trees should be retained.</li> <li>Damage to vegetation should be minimized by close coordination and on site alignment adjusted of rising main and gravity sewer pipelines.</li> <li>Short excavation and immediate backfilling section upon completion of works should be performed to reduce active site area.</li> </ul>	All areas	√			
<b>Site Practice</b>					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Contractor assigned worker is responsible for good site practices, arrangements for collection and effective disposal to an appropriate facility, of all wastes generated at the site.</li> <li>Proper storage and site practices to minimise the potential for damage or contamination of construction materials.</li> <li>All generators, fuel and oil storage are within bundle areas.</li> <li>Oil leakage from machinery, vehicle and plant should be prevented.</li> <li>The Environmental Permit should be displaced conspicuously on site.</li> </ul>	All areas	√			
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## **Appendix H**

### **Draft Report of**

### **Archaeological Watching Brief at Chung Mei, Sok Kwu Wan**

**DSD Contract No. DC/2007/18  
Yung Shue Wan & Sok Kwu Wan  
Village Sewerage,  
Stage 1 Works**

**Archaeological Watching Brief  
at Chung Mei, Sok Kwu Wan**

**Draft Report**

**Prepared for Kaden Construction Ltd.  
By Archaeological Assessments Ltd.**

**July 2009**

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## **1. Non-Technical Summary**

As part of the above captioned project, an archaeological watching brief was conducted in Chung Mei, Sok Kwu Wan on 1<sup>st</sup> September 2008 and 12<sup>th</sup> June 2009 (Figure 1). The monitoring works were required as a result of previous findings of kiln-oven debris and Tang Dynasty pottery in the small valley to the west (AAL 2003).

The alignment in question ran across the west facing slope of a steep, wooded hillside – the southern half following an existing concrete-surfaced footpath, while the northern half crossed the natural slope. The contractor's groundworks consisted of a c.0.6m wide by c.1.2m deep machine-excavated pipe trench, which was monitored over a total length of approximately 50m.

No cultural layers were found and there was just one surface find of undiagnostic pottery.

由於2003年進行的考古調查在西面的小山谷發現了一些窯具及唐代陶片，因此，是次污水管敷設工程須在索罟灣涌尾進行考古監察。索罟灣涌尾之考古監察分別在2008年9月1日及2009年6月12日進行。

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而北半部路線則繞過自然山坡。是次考古監察範圍包括：承建商用機挖掘約0.6米闊、1.2米深之地溝，而監察範圍長約50米。

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## **2. Introduction**

As part of the Drainage Services Department's Contract No. DC/2007/18 – Yung Shue Wan and Sok Kwu Wan Village Sewerage, Stage 1 Works – it was required that an archaeological watching brief be undertaken in the village of Chung Mei, which lies approximately 0.5km south of Sok Kwu Wan on the eastern side of Lamma Island (Figure 1). The archaeological monitoring works were required following findings of kiln-oven debris and Tang Dynasty pottery in an adjoining area during an earlier archaeological survey (AAL 2003). The watching brief works on the approximately 50m long alignment were conducted in two segments, the first on 1st September 2008 and the second on 12th June 2009 (Figure 2).

## **3. Project Aims**

The aim of this project was to ensure that any archaeological remains encountered during construction works within the study area alignment were properly identified, recorded and recovered whilst, at the same time, minimising delays to the engineering schedule.

The objectives of the study were as follows:

- To implement a monitoring strategy designed to fulfil the above aim;
- To process and analyse the results in light of previous findings;
- To report on the results of the fieldwork; and
- If required, to recommend mitigation measures.

#### **4. Topographical, Geological, Historical and Archaeological background**

##### **4.1 Topography**

The Chung Mei area comprises a small flat valley surrounded by steep wooded hillsides to the west, south and east, the latter reaching up to the peak of Ling Kok Shan at 250m PD. To the north, the ground falls gradually away to the sandy shallows of Picnic Bay (Sok Kwu Wan). The sewer alignment in question traversed the lower west facing hill slope overlooking the small valley mentioned above. The c.50m long alignment ran downhill from manhole (MH) S50 (surface level 10.06mPD) at its southern end to manhole S54 (surface level 5.75mPD) at its northern end.

##### **4.2 Geology**

In the following short discussion, the codes in brackets are those used for the various rocks/sediments depicted on the geological map (Figure 3). The solid geology at Chung Mei consists of fine to medium grained granite (gfm) with east-west running feldsparphyric rhyolite (rf) dykes. In terms of drift geology, the small valley of Chung Mei, to the west of and below the study alignment, is filled with alluvium (Qa), while debris flow deposits (Qd) are recorded in a narrow valley to the northeast of the study area (Hong Kong Government 1987). The monitored alignment was located as shown on Figure 3, crossing the western edge of the granite bedrock close to where sank beneath the alluvial fill of the valley bottom.

##### **4.3 History**

According to Hase (2002, 7), although the sheltered anchorage at Sok Kwu Wan was used by generations of boat-people, there were just seven residents on land in 1911 and it was not until the 1950s and 1960s that the settlement expanded to the landward side. The few houses dotted across the hillside at Chung Mei appear to be later 20<sup>th</sup> century in date.

##### **4.4 Archaeology**

The one previous campaign of archaeological fieldwork in the Chung Mei area was centred on the aforementioned small alluvium-filled valley just below the present study area. Eight 2x2m test pits were excavated and two of their number (TP1 and TP2) revealed evidence for historical kiln-oven debris and Tang Dynasty pottery, whilst a lower layer produced a single sherd of Bronze Age hard geometric pottery (AAL 2003).

## **5. Methodology**

The watching brief was in general conducted following the specification as set out in Section 11.1, but further details of the field implementation are provided below. As previously mentioned, the watching brief on the c.50m long alignment was conducted in two segments to fit in with the contractor's work programme – the lower segment first spanning MH S54 and S52, followed by the uphill segment from MH S52 and up to and including MH S50 (see Figure 2). Between MH S54 and S52 the trench was machine excavated forming a c.0.60m wide square-sectioned slot down to between 1-1.2m below the modern surface when measured at the downhill side of the trench and 2m+ on the uphill side. A sketch profile in the environs of MH S53, where the trench was locally stepped to avoid a lighting cable, is shown in Figure 4. At the southern end of the downhill half of the alignment on the site of MH S52, a locally deeper area was excavated to approximately 2.4m below surface, which further confirmed the depth of the completely decomposed granite (CDG) beneath the alignment. Between MH S52 and S50 the trench followed the existing concrete raft-surfaced footpath, the construction of which had necessitated the terracing of the hillside. Here, the trench was machine excavated to form a c.0.60 wide slot with sides c.1.2m deep (when measured from the modern footpath surface). Given that the alignment between MH S54 and S52 was off the main footpath, it was possible to excavate that length as one continuous open cut. In contrast, the length between MH S52 and S50 effectively closed the footpath in that area for the duration of the works, and the client therefore requested that the trench be dug, monitored and recorded, and then backfilled. During the monitoring works a full written, video and photographic record was taken, which will form the core of the project archive.

## **6. Results**

### **6.1 Introduction**

The results of the watching brief are presented in two sub-sections: one for the length of trench excavated in September 2008 (MH S54 to S52), and the other for the length excavated in June 2009 (MH S52 to S50). For each length of alignment, the sequence of deposits is introduced and then the various layers are interpreted with reference to any finds recovered.

In the text below, the following conventions should have been used: the alphanumeric codes used in deposit descriptions are taken from the Munsell system of soil colour charts (Gretagmacbeth 2000) and deposit depths are maximum values. During the discussion below reference should be made to the following illustrations: Figures 2 and 4, which respectively show the overall alignment and sketch section; Figures 5 & 6 showing the surveyors' plans of the watching brief alignment; Plates 1 and 2 respectively offering pre-excavation overviews of the alignment between MH S54 and MH S52 and between MH S51A to MH S50; and Plate 3 showing a post-excavation overview of the MH S54 to S52 alignment. NB: no post-excavation overview of the MH S51A to S50 alignment is available as the trench was excavated, recorded and immediately backfilled (but see photographs recording this process below).

## **6.2 Alignment between MH S54 and S52**

The excavation of the down-slope half of the sewer trench revealed a simple sequence of three naturally-formed deposits (see Plates 4-6), the lowest of which was a 0.20-0.30m thick band reddish yellow (7.5YR 6/8) clayey gravel (103), which extended beyond the 1.2m below surface general limit of excavation (l.o.e.) and, in the 2.4m deep sondage excavated at MH S52, was shown to be at least 1.5m thick and continuing beyond the sondage l.o.e. Over 103 there was a 0.70-0.80m thick layer of strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) gravelly clay (102), which was sealed by an approximately 0.1m thick greyish brown (10YR 5/2) slightly sandy, clayey silt (101). A modern electricity cable trench was noted running along the eastern side of the sewer trench, but was not allocated a context number.

The lower two deposits were completely sterile and can be interpreted as *in situ* decaying granite (103), overlain by an associated clay-rich layer (102), which had all the appearances of mass-transported decayed granite (slope deposits). Sealing the above granite-derived layers was a naturally-accumulating forest soil (101). No cultural horizons/deposits were identified, but one undiagnostic sherd of village ware pottery was recovered from the surface of 101 (see Plate 7).

## **6.3 Alignment between MH S52 and S50**

The excavation of the up-slope half of the sewer trench alignment also revealed a sequence of naturally-formed deposits, which exhibited some variation moving downhill from south to north.

Broadly between MHs S50 and S51, the sequence was as follows: a lower layer of c.0.40m thick (at l.o.e.) strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) slightly gravelly clay (204), overlain by a c.0.80m thick layer of reddish yellow (7.5YR 6/8) very gravelly clay (203), which was then sealed by a thin raft of concrete forming the temporary path surface (201) – see Plates 8-10.

Between MH S51 and S52 – in the environs of MH S51A, the sequence was as follows: c.0.60m thick (at l.o.e.) strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) slightly gravelly clay (204); overlain by a c.0.50m thick layer of reddish yellow (7.5YR 6/8) very gravelly clay (203); which was covered by an approximately 0.1m thick greyish brown (10YR 5/2) slightly sandy, clayey silt (202), which was in turn sealed by the concrete raft surfacing of the footpath (201) – see Plates 11 and 12. A modern water pipe was noted running along the eastern side of the sewer trench and an electricity cable along the west, but neither was allocated a context number.

The lower two deposits (204 & 203) were completely sterile and can be interpreted as mass-transported decayed granite, with clay-rich layer 204 perhaps reflecting water-borne finer material and layer 203 a more gravelly debris flow-type component. Layer 202 can be interpreted as a thin forest soil equivalent to 101 above. On the upper portion of the alignment, between MH S50 and S51, Layer 202 had apparently been removed during levelling works for the path. No finds were recovered and no cultural horizons/deposits were therefore identified.

## **7. Conclusions**

In summary, it can be concluded that the steep lower hill slope area traversed by the MH S50 to MH S54 sewer trench at Chung Mei has seen little or no human activity prior to the 20<sup>th</sup> century and, in contrast to the valley to the west, can be considered to have no archaeological potential.

## **8. References**

AAL 2003 *Agreement No. CE 20/96 Outlying Islands Sewerage Stage 1 Phase II Package J – Sok Kwu Wan Sewage Collection, Treatment & Disposal Facilities, Archaeological Investigation*. Unpublished excavation report.

Gretagmacbeth 2000 *Munsell Soil Colour Charts*. Gretagmacbeth: New Windsor, NY.

## 9. Supporting Illustrations

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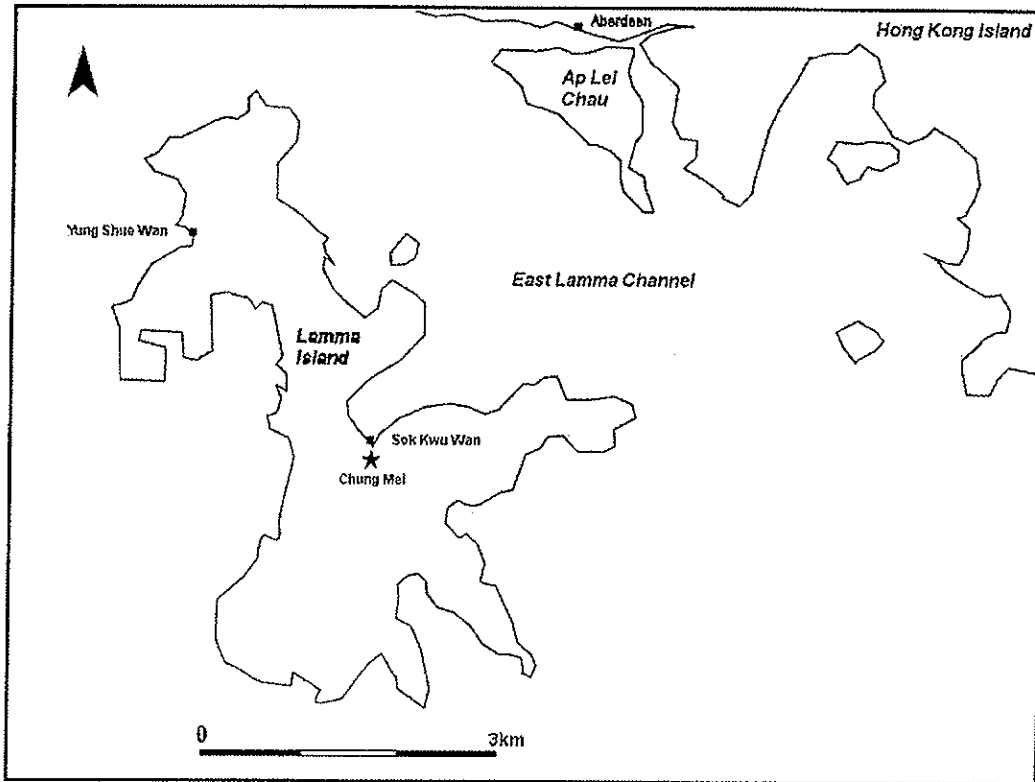


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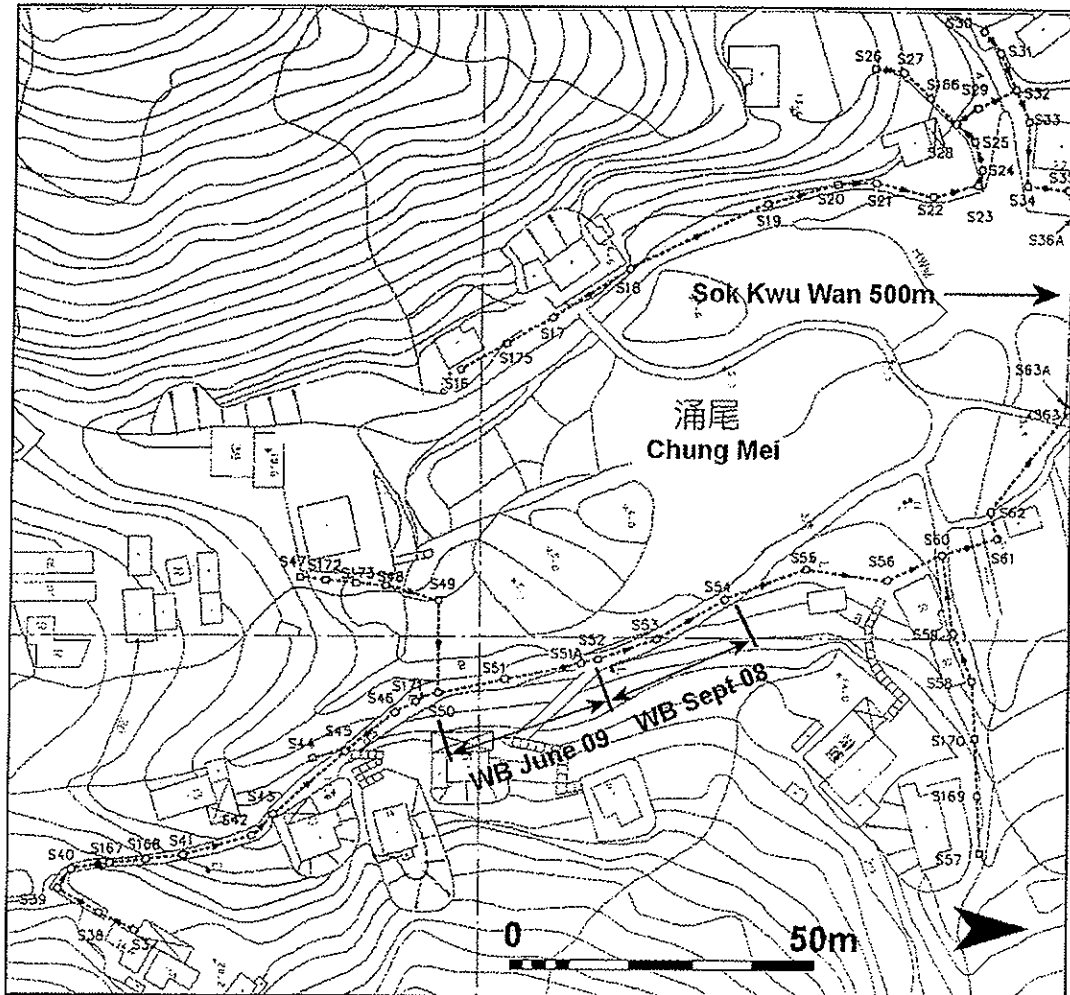


Figure 2: Plan showing location of sewer trench alignment at Chung Mei, with September 2008 and June 2009 watching brief areas highlighted



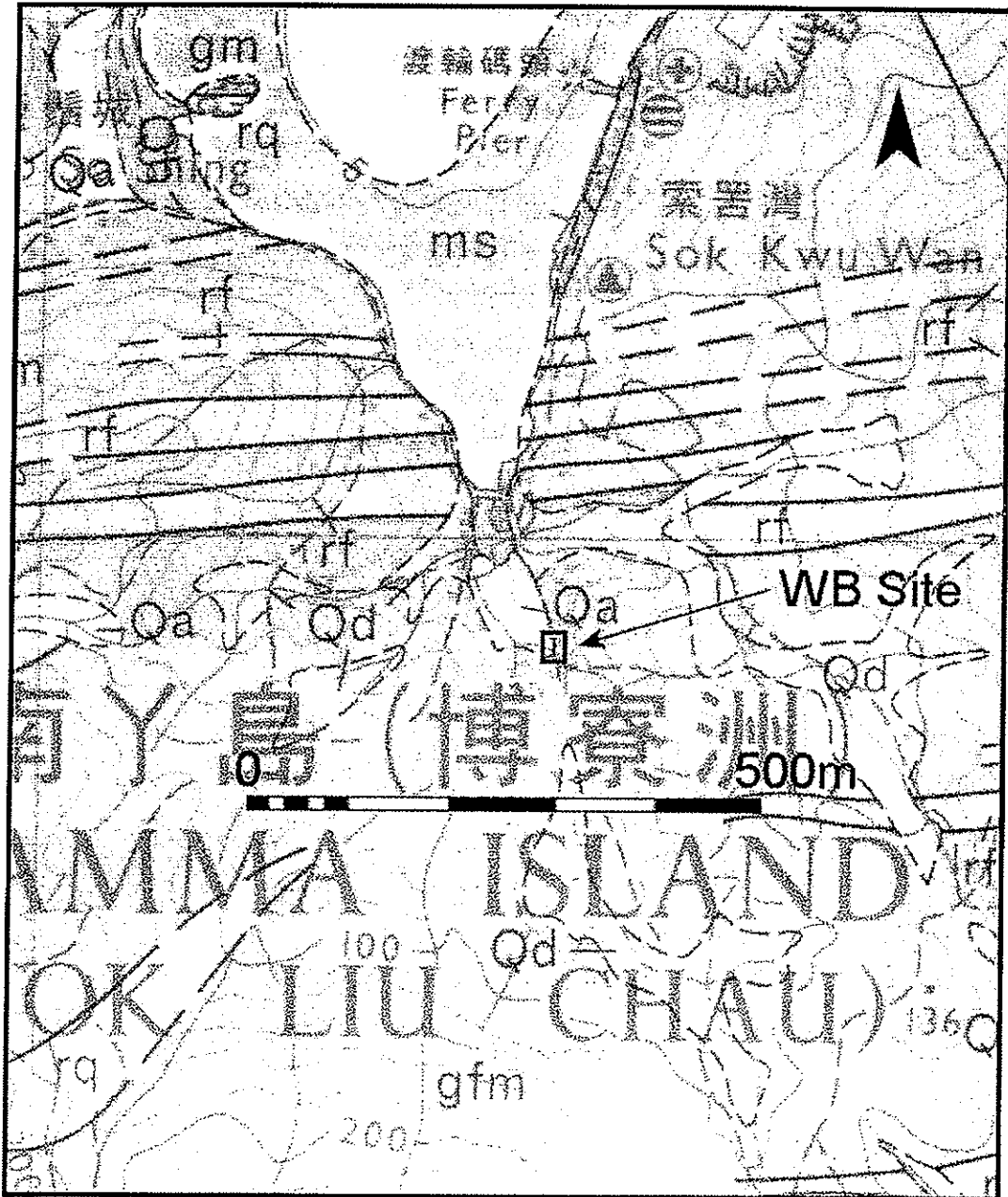


Figure 3: Geology of Study Area – alignment followed western edge of granite bedrock

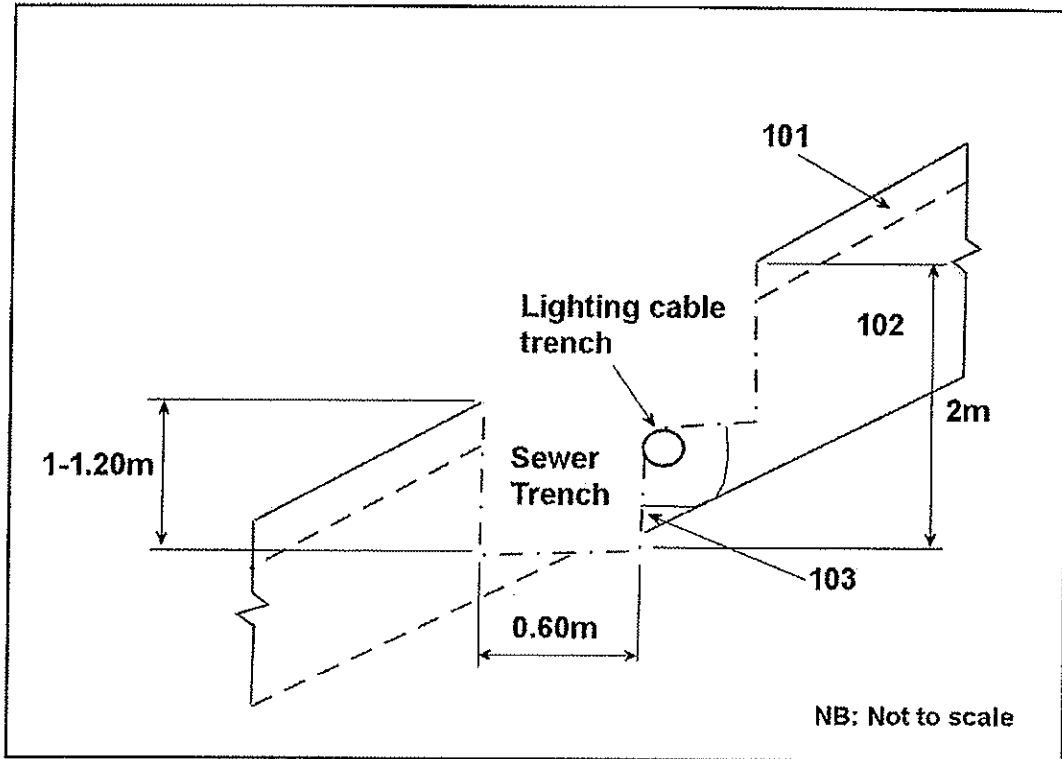


Figure 4: Transverse sketch section of sewer trench in environs of MH S53 – looking north

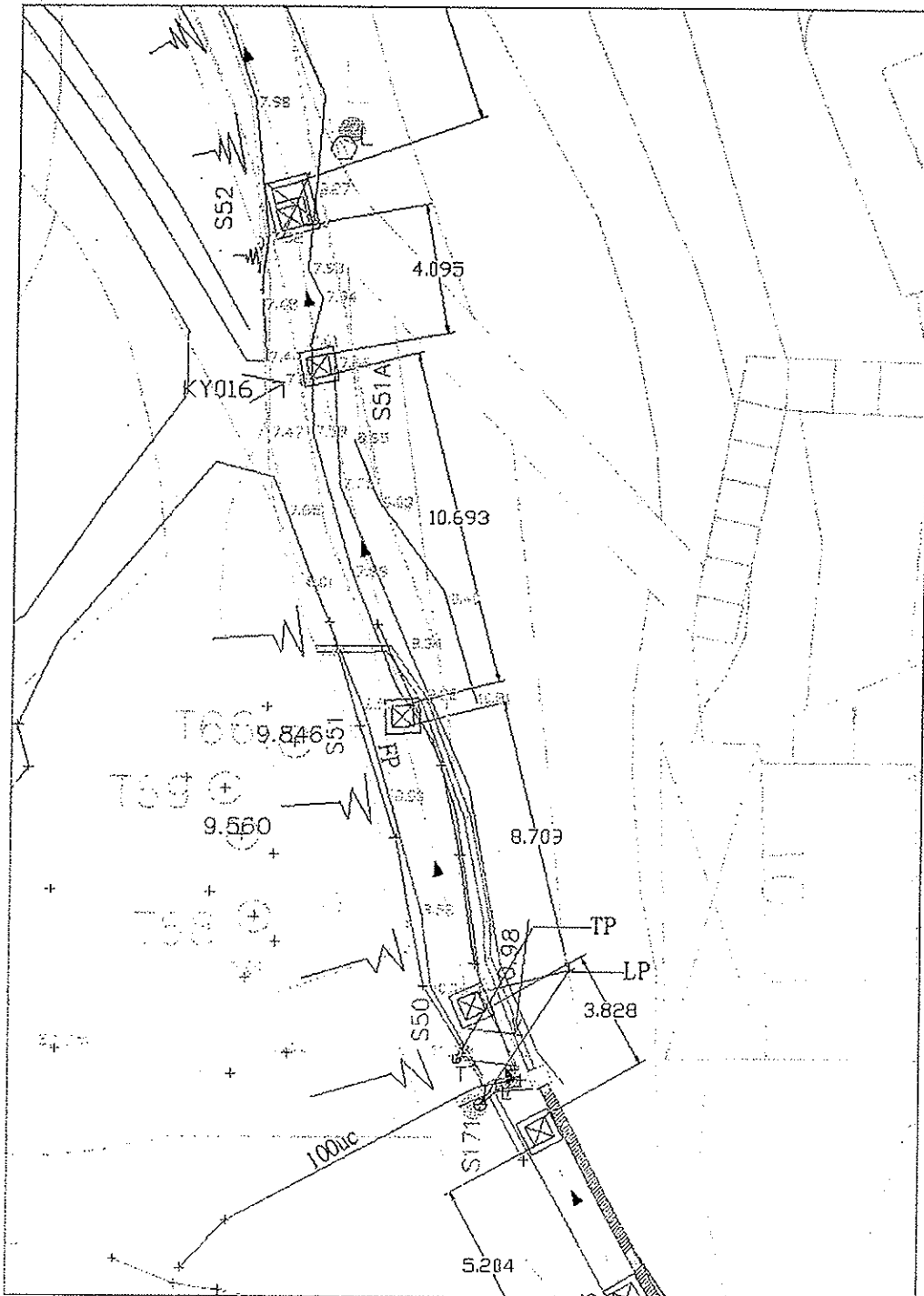


Figure 5: Surveyors' plan of the MH S50 to S52 alignment (kindly supplied by Kaden Engineering Ltd)

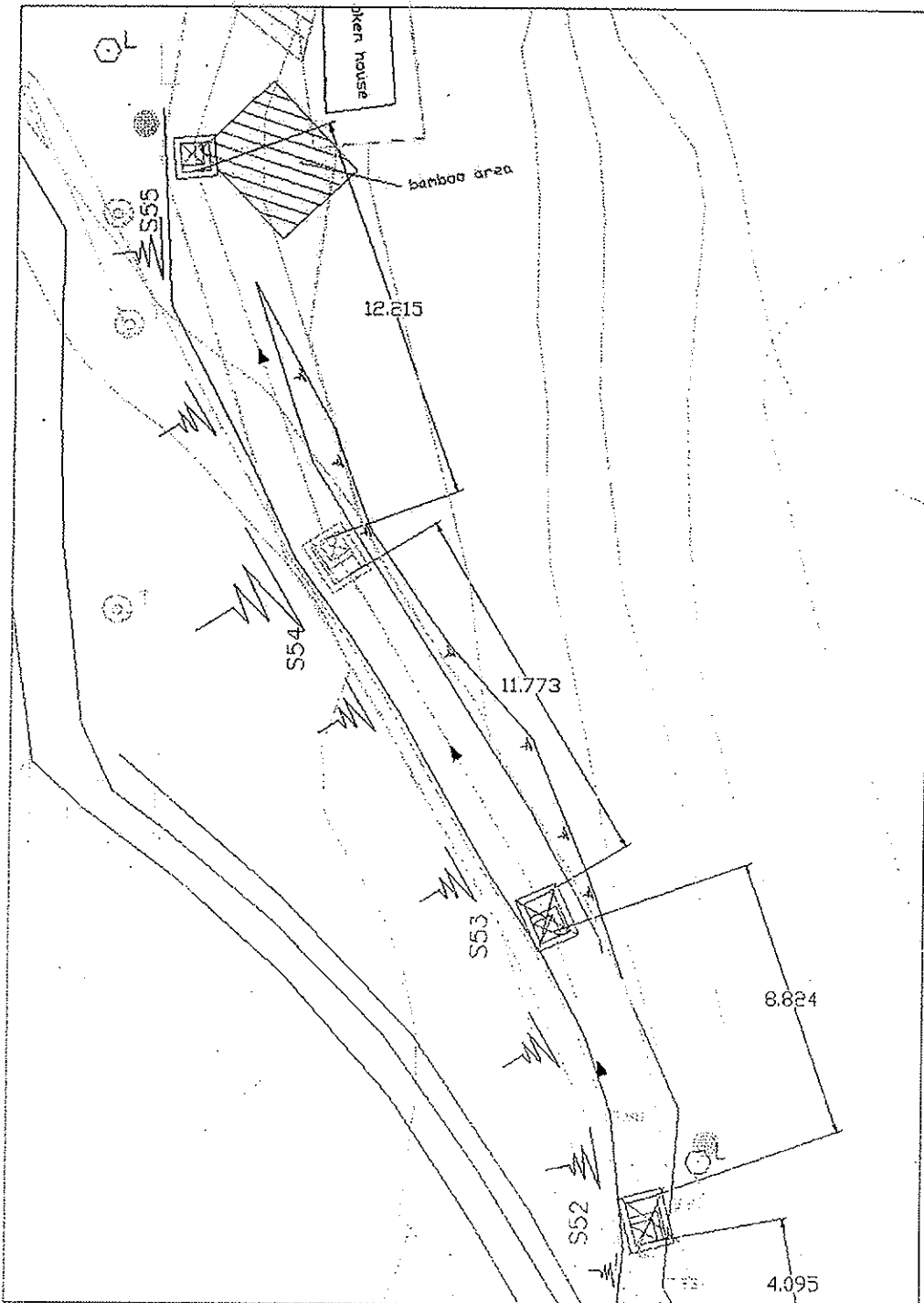


Figure 6: Surveyors' plan of the MH S52 to S54 alignment (kindly supplied by Kaden Engineering Ltd)

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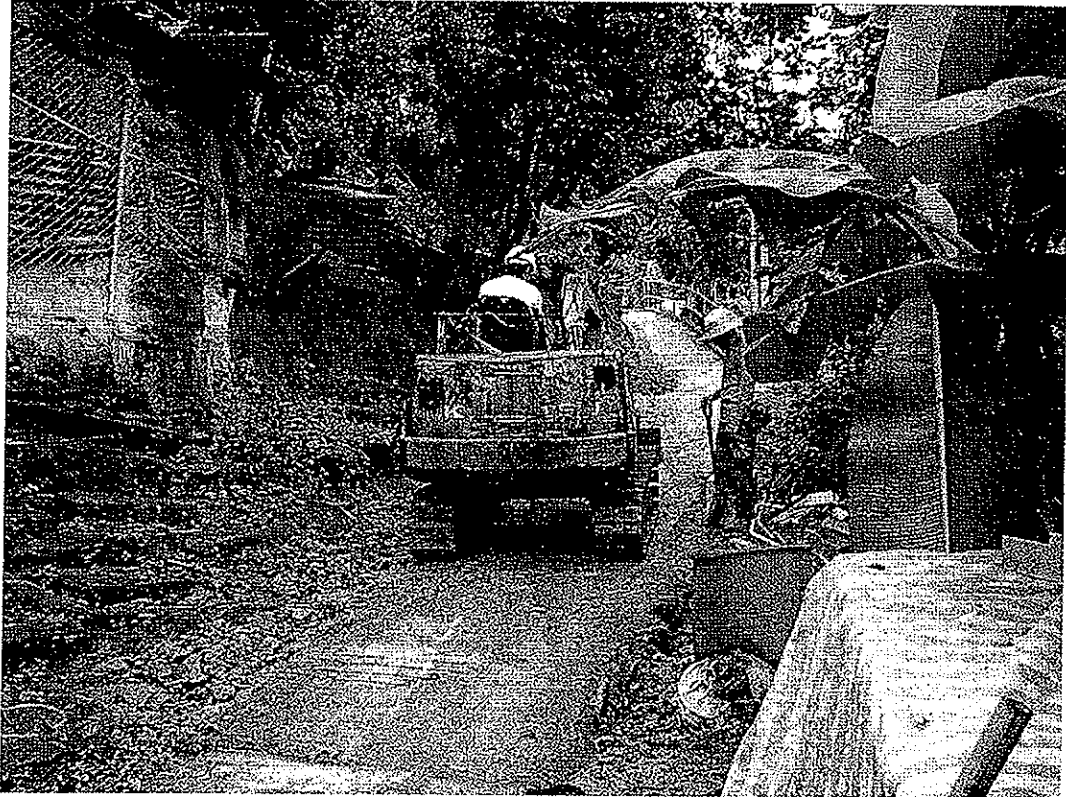


Plate 2: Pre-excitation view of alignment between MHs S51A and S50 – looking south



Plate 3: Post-excavation view of the alignment between MHs S54 and S52 – looking south



Plate 4: Deeper sondage excavated at MH S52 – looking south



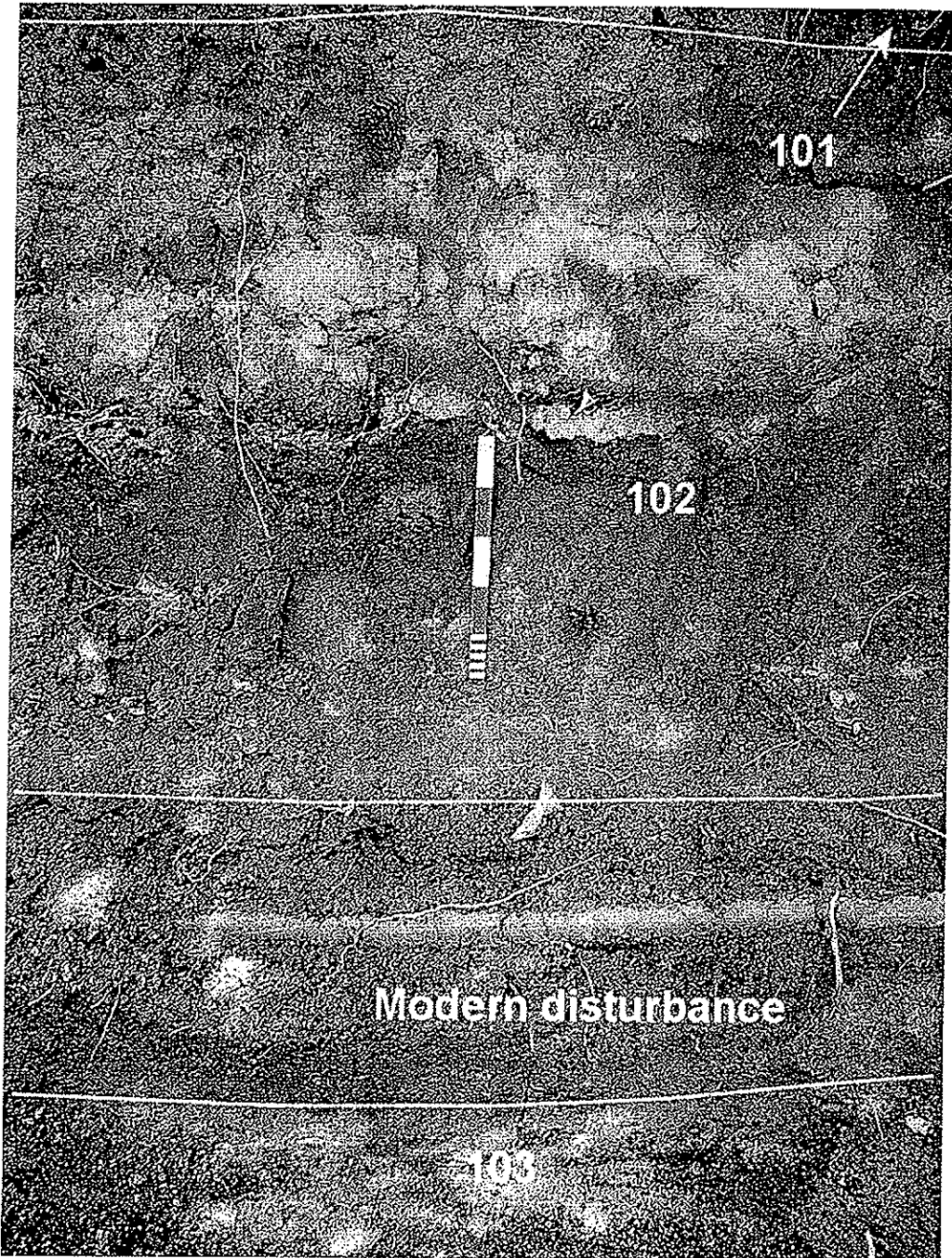


Plate 5: West facing section at MH S53 – trench stepped at base of 0.5m scale

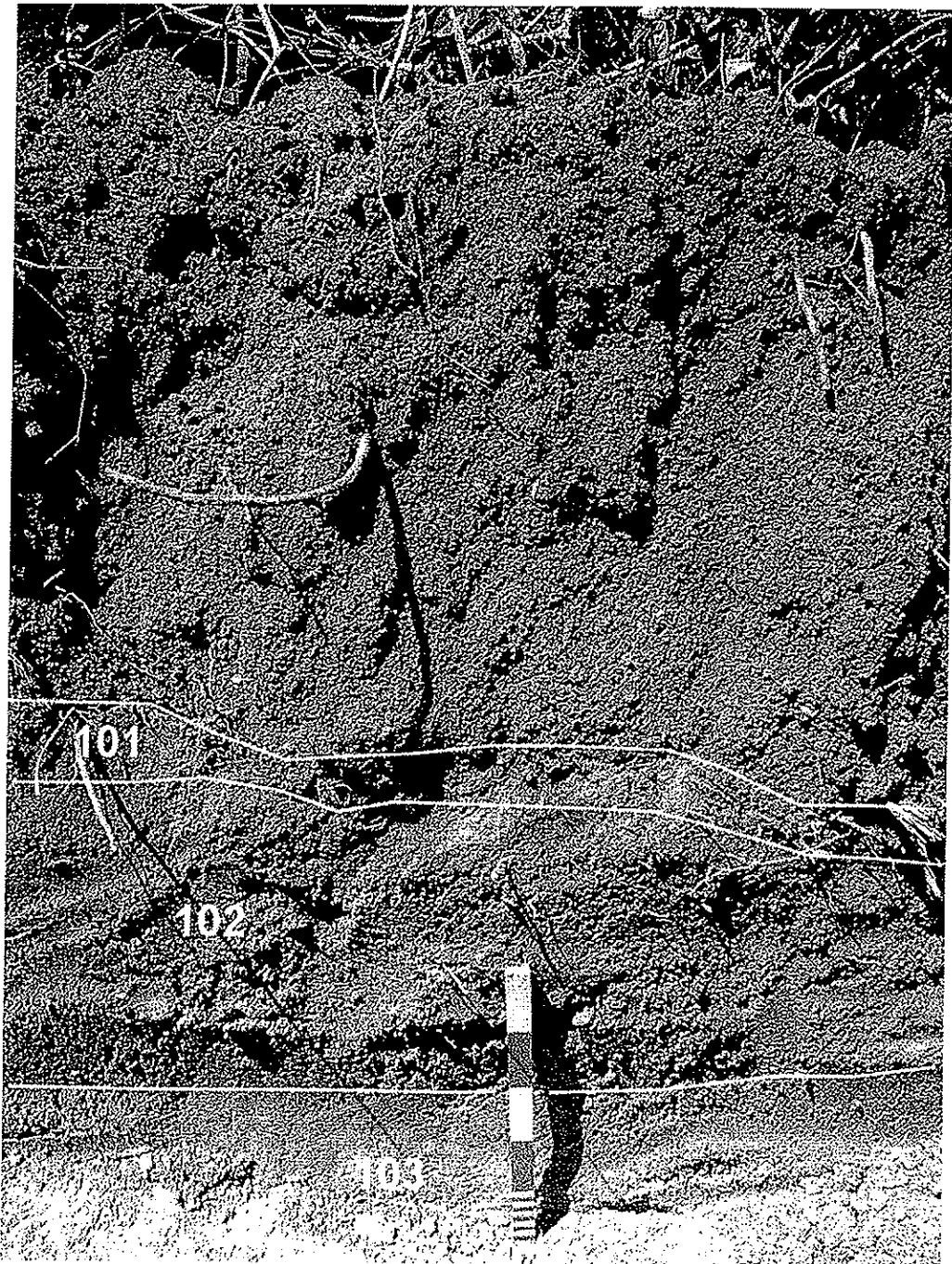


Plate 6: East facing section at MH S54



Plate 7: Undiagnostic village ware sherd found on surface of topsoil 101

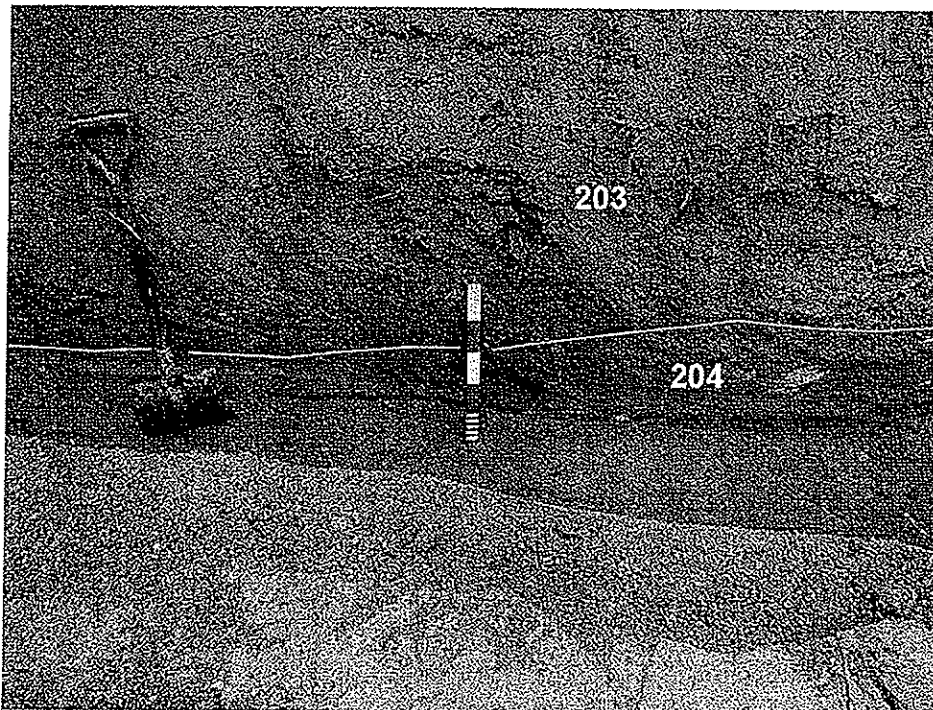


Plate 8: West facing section in environs of MH S50



Plate 9: Post-excavation view in environs of MH S50 – looking north

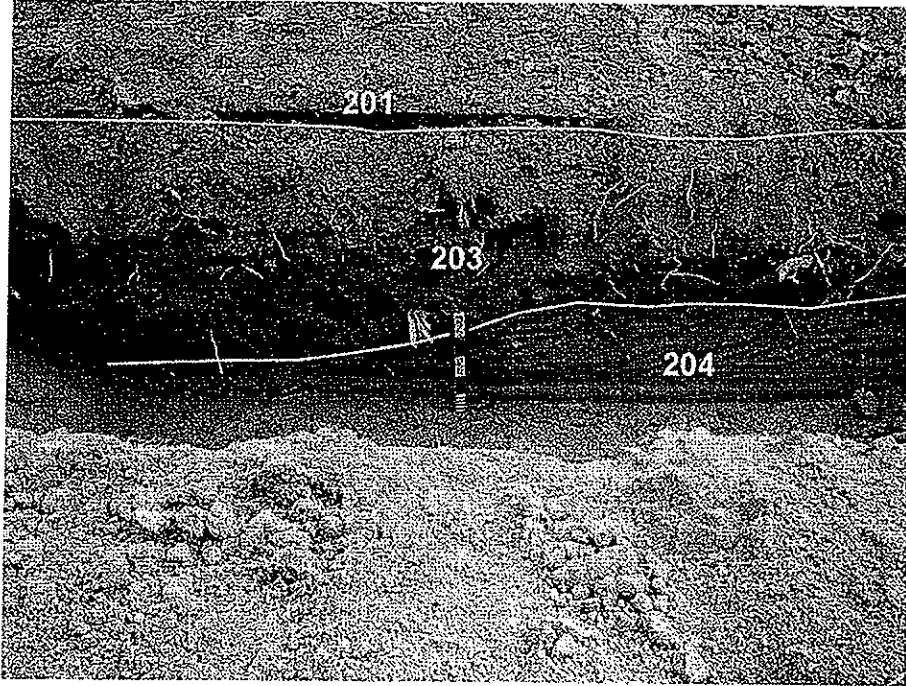


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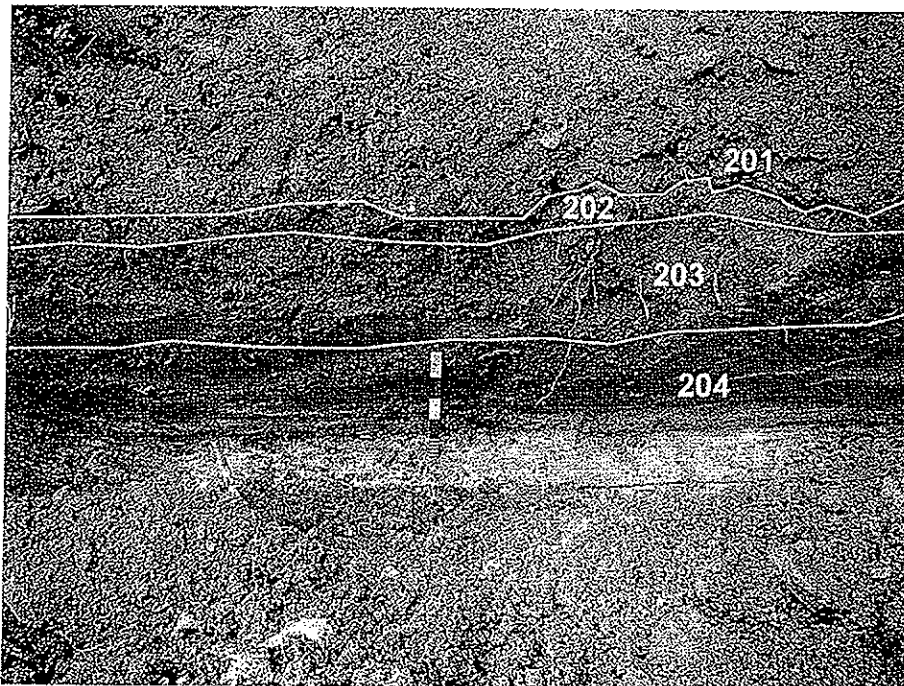


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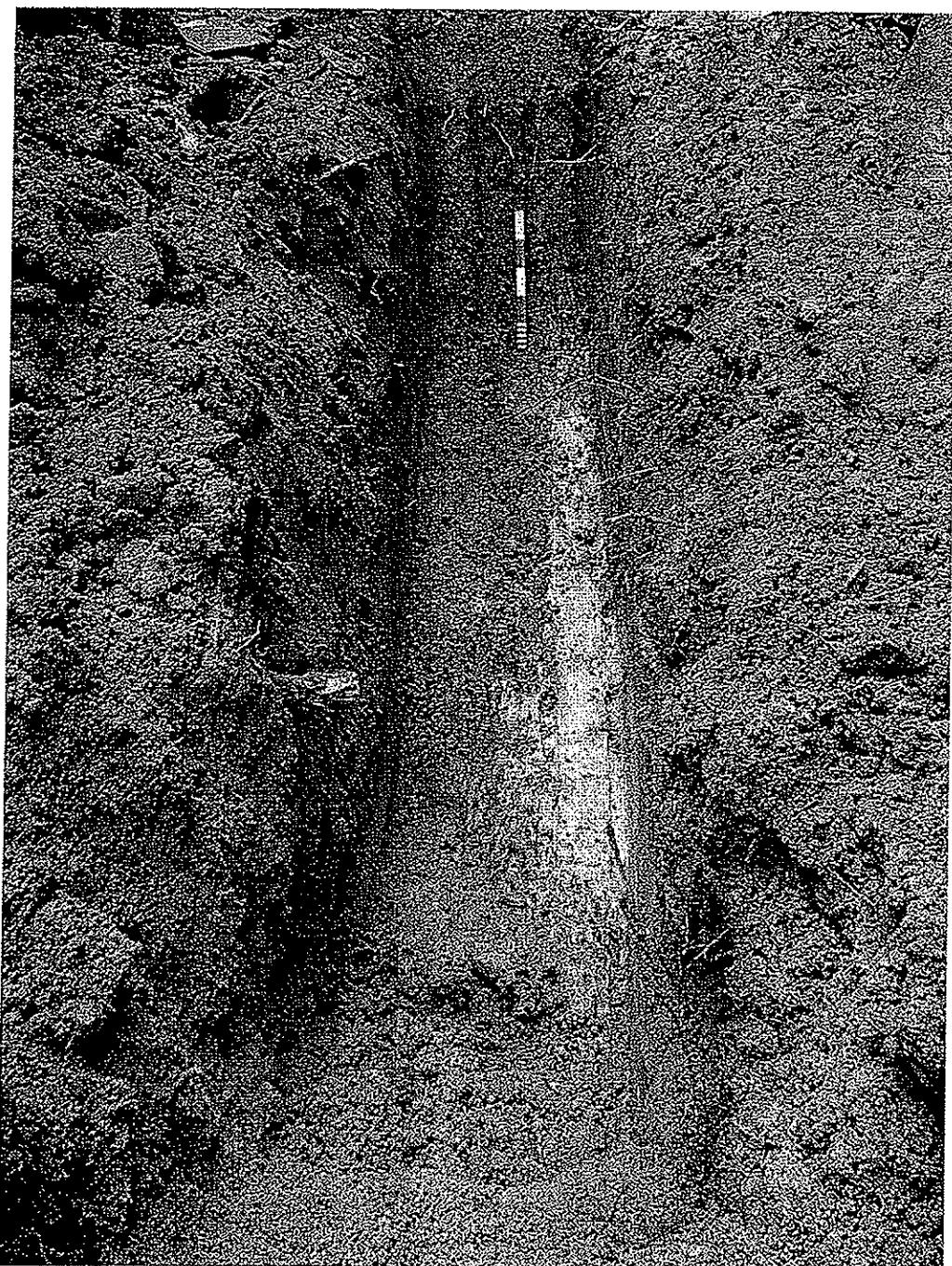


Plate 12: Post-excavation view in environs of MH S51A – looking south

## 10. Supporting Data

### 10.1 MHs S52 to S54: Tabulated stratigraphic, contextual and finds summary

Context	Description	Finds & Dating	Thickness
101	Topsoil: Greyish brown (10YR 5/2) slightly sandy, clayey SILT	1 sherd of undiagnostic VW: date unknown	0.10m max.
102	Slope Deposits: Strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) gravelly CLAY	None: date unknown	0.70-0.80m
103	CDG: Reddish Yellow (7.5YR 6/8) clayey GRAVEL	None: date unknown	1.5m at l.o.e

### 10.2 MHs S50 to S51A: Tabulated stratigraphic, contextual and finds summary

Context	Description	Finds & Dating	Thickness
201	Footpath Surfacing: Grey concrete	None: modern	0.03-0.05m
202	Topsoil: Greyish brown (10YR 5/2) slightly sandy, clayey SILT	None: date unknown	0.10 max
203	Slope Deposits: Reddish yellow (7.5YR 6/8) very gravelly CLAY	None: date unknown	0.50m max.
204	Slope deposits: Strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) slightly gravelly CLAY	None: date unknown	0.60m at l.o.e.

## 11. Supporting Documents

### 11.1 Requirements for Archaeological Watching Brief

## 12. Comments and Responses



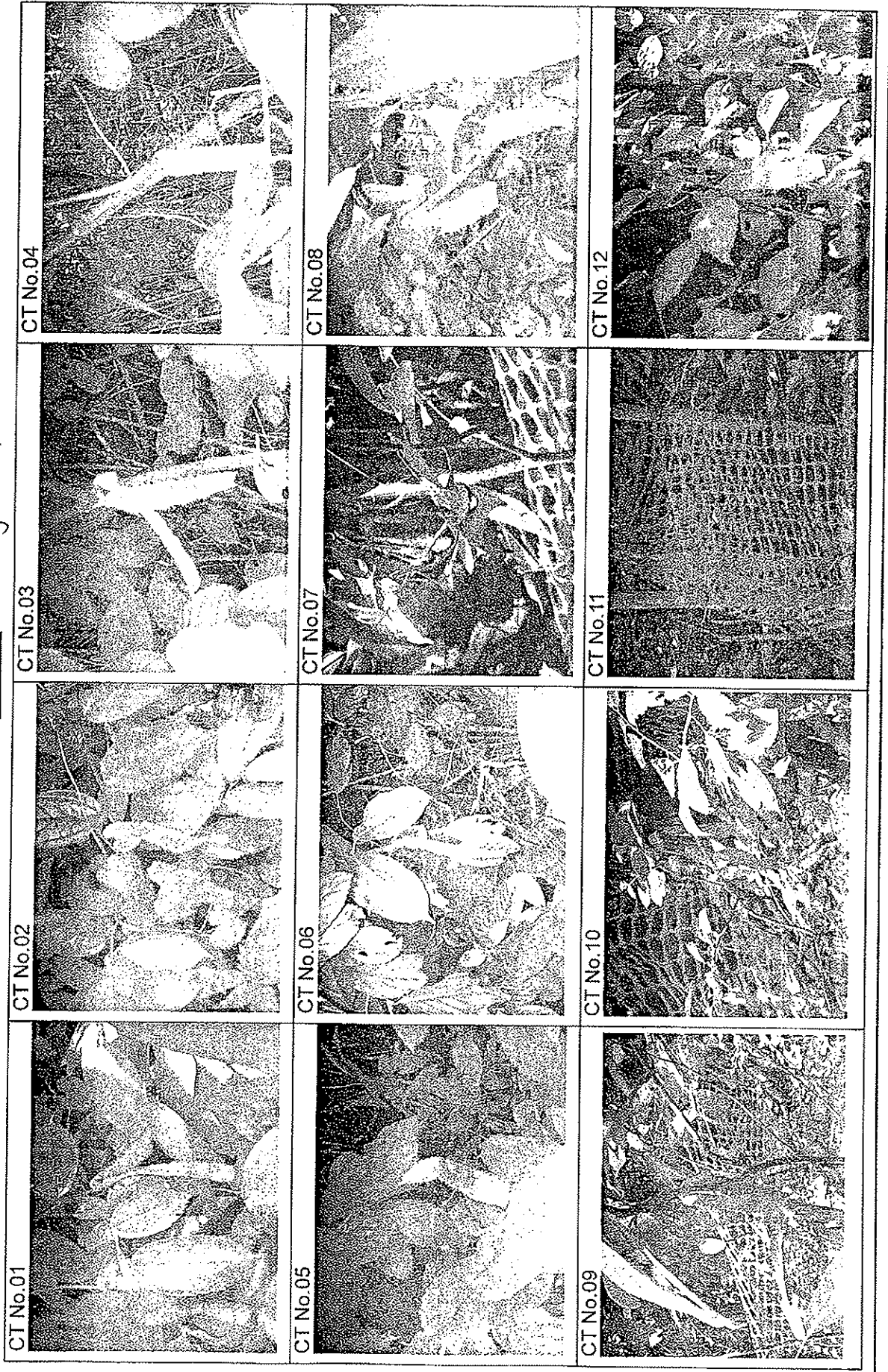
## **Appendix I**

### **Photographic Records of the Uncommon Tree Species**





Photos (31 Aug 2009)





## **Appendix J**

# **Vegetation Survey Report and Photographic Records of the Uncommon Tree Species**



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Date: 7 August 2009

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Attn: Ir. Ian J. Jones

By Hand

Dear Sir,

**Drainage Services Department**  
**Contract No. DC/2007/18**  
**Yung Shue Wan and Sok Kwu Wan Village Sewerage, Stage 1 Works**  
**Y.O. No. 016 – Vegetation and Plant Species Survey Report**

We refer to our letter ref. K0801/01.01.00.00/1876/L dated 2 June 2009 and the tele-conversations between your Ms. Fairy Wang (ARE) and the undersigned on 24 July 09 regarding the comments from EPD on the VEP application.

Enclosed please find herewith the photographic records showing the whole plant and a close-up with numbering for each plant and revised figure with correct locations for your action.

Thank you for your kind attention.

Yours faithfully,  
For and on behalf of  
**Kaden Construction Limited**

**Stephen Leung**  
**Site Agent**

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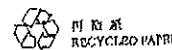
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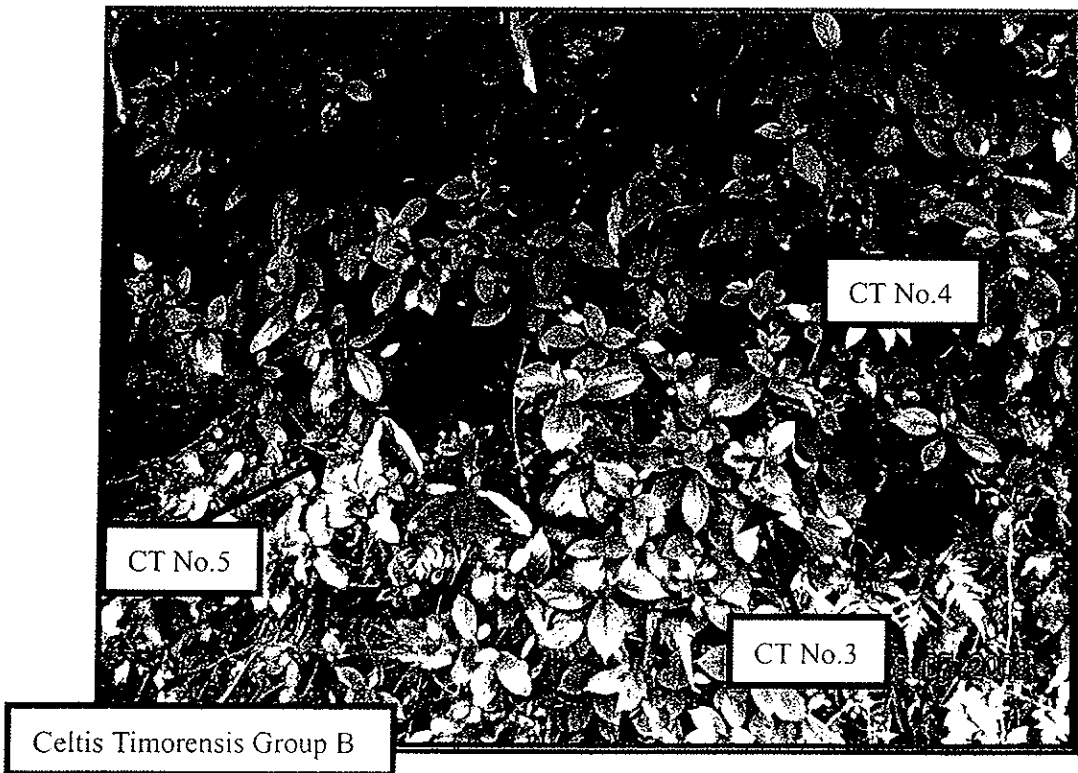
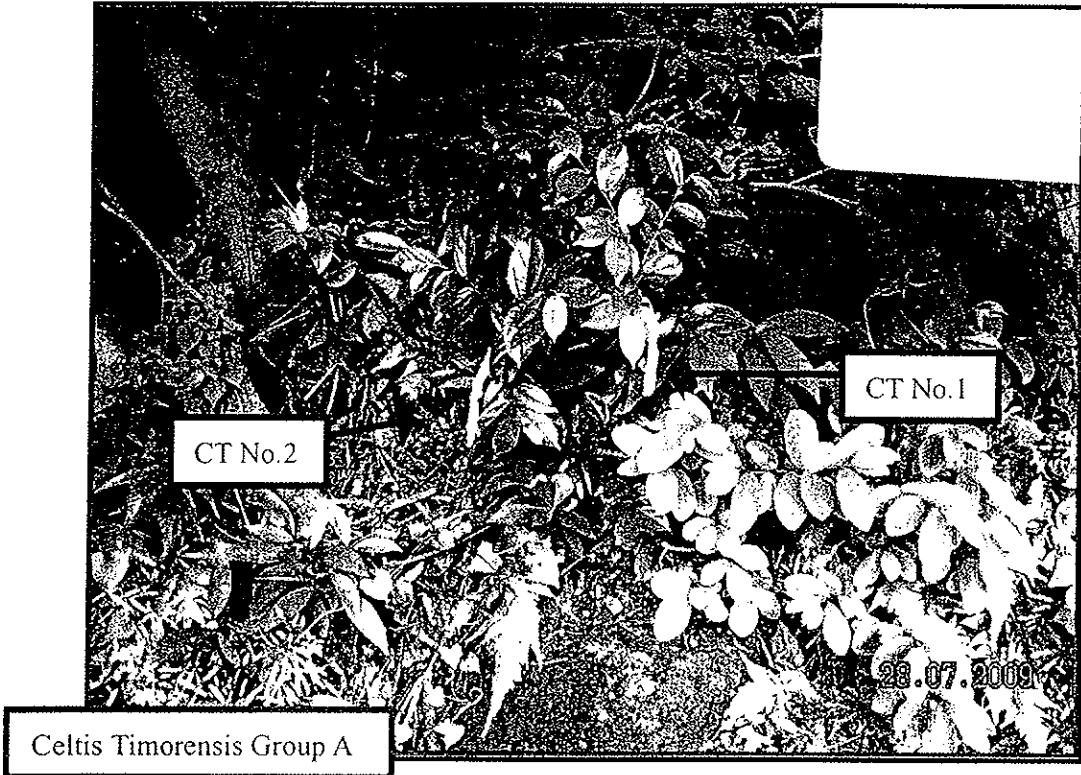
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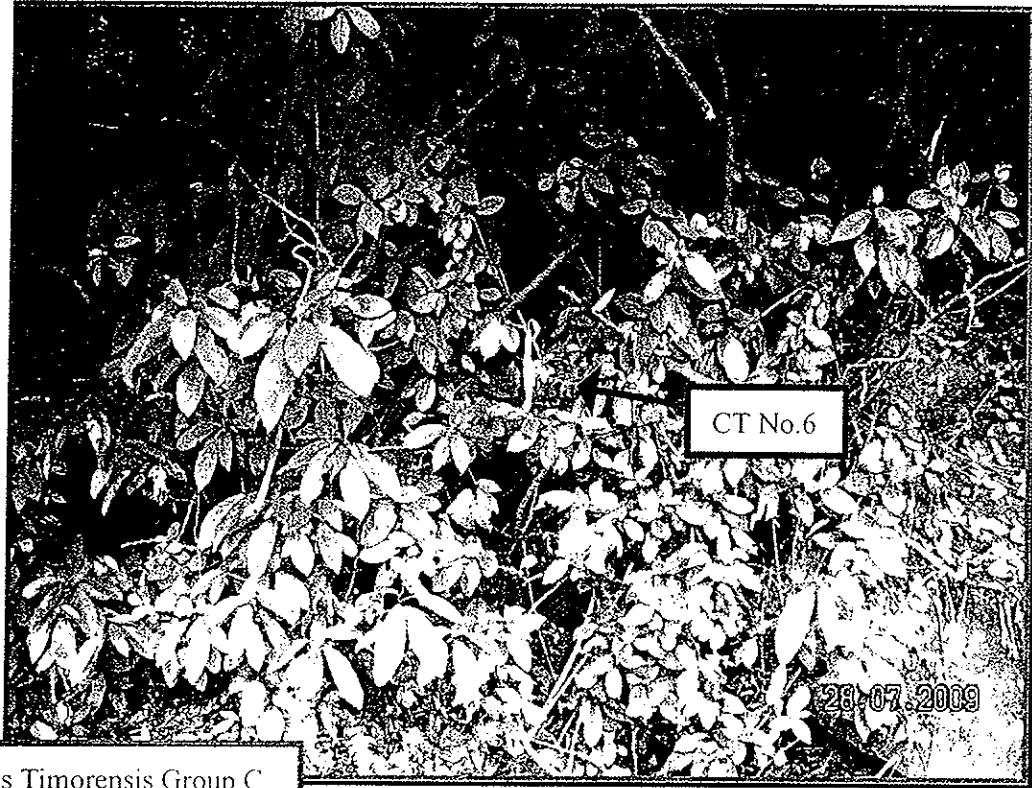
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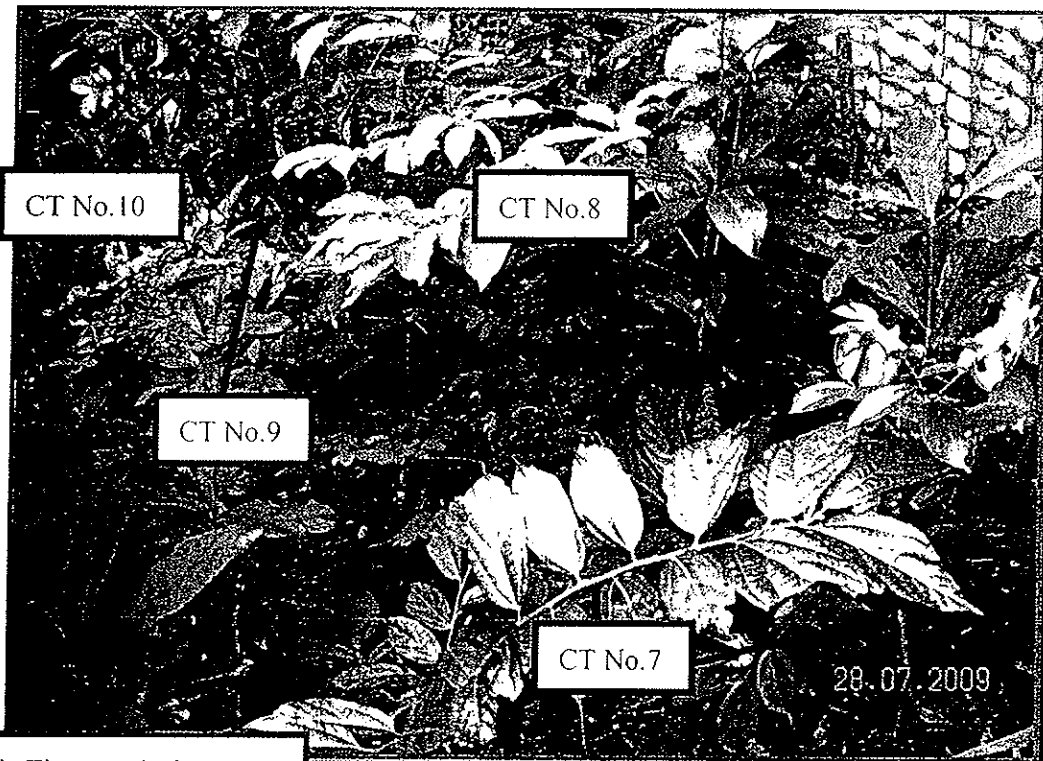
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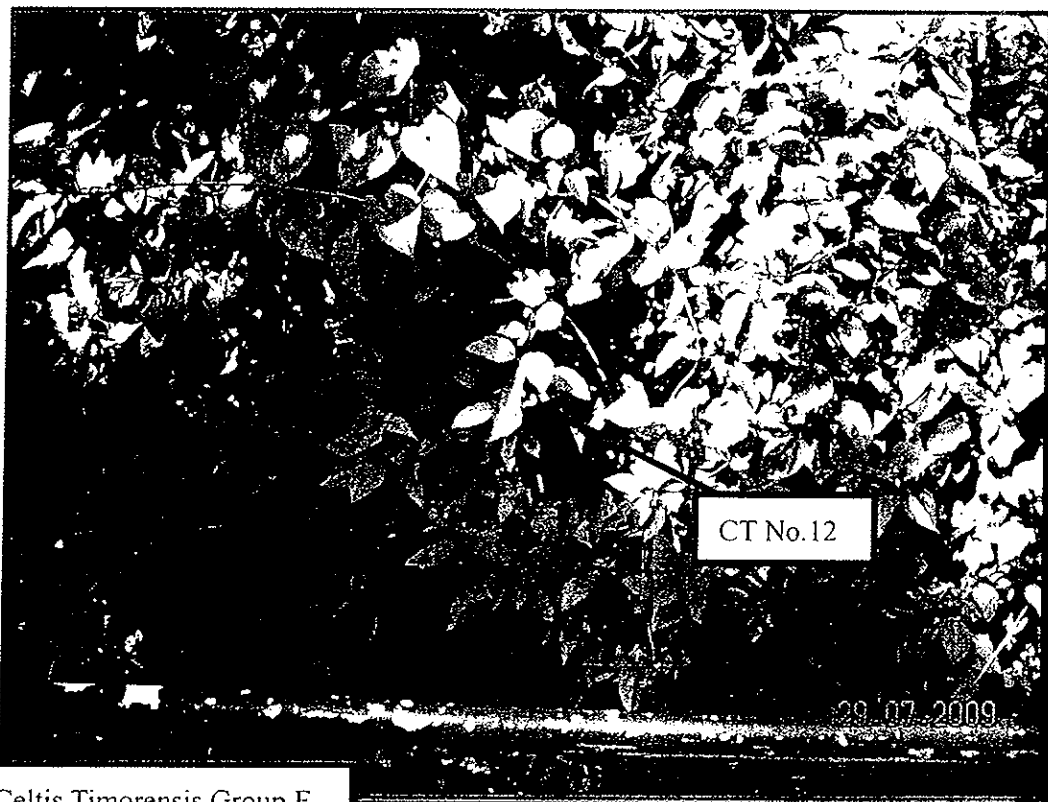
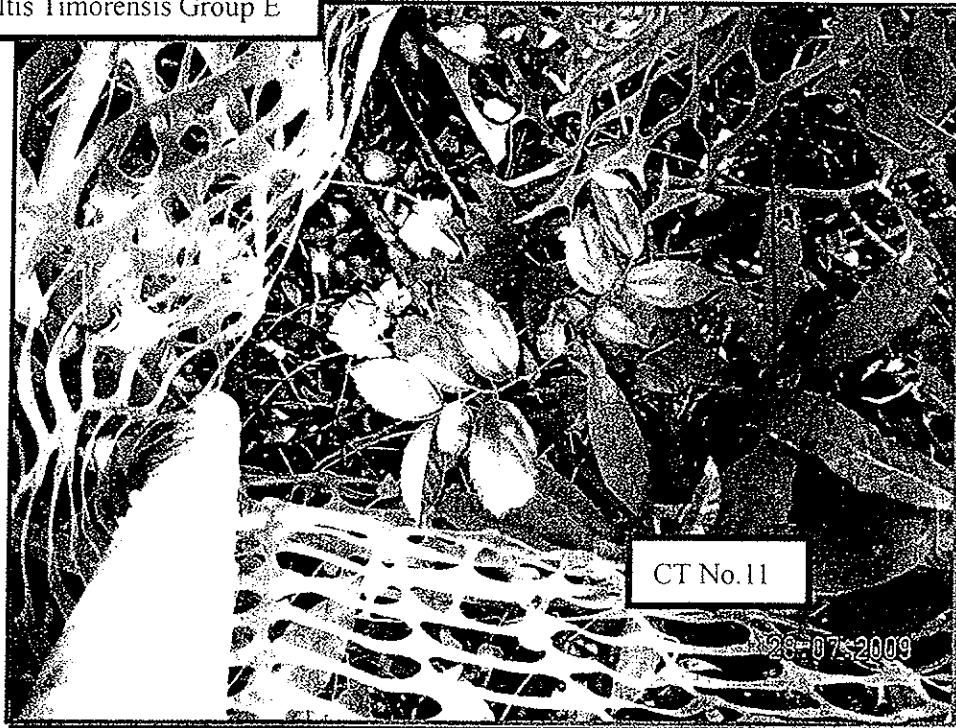


Celtis Timorensis Group C



Celtis Timorensis Group D

Celtis Timorensis Group E



Celtis Timorensis Group F



Close up of CT No.1



Close up of CT No.2







Close up of CT No.7



Close up of CT No.8



Close up of CT No.9



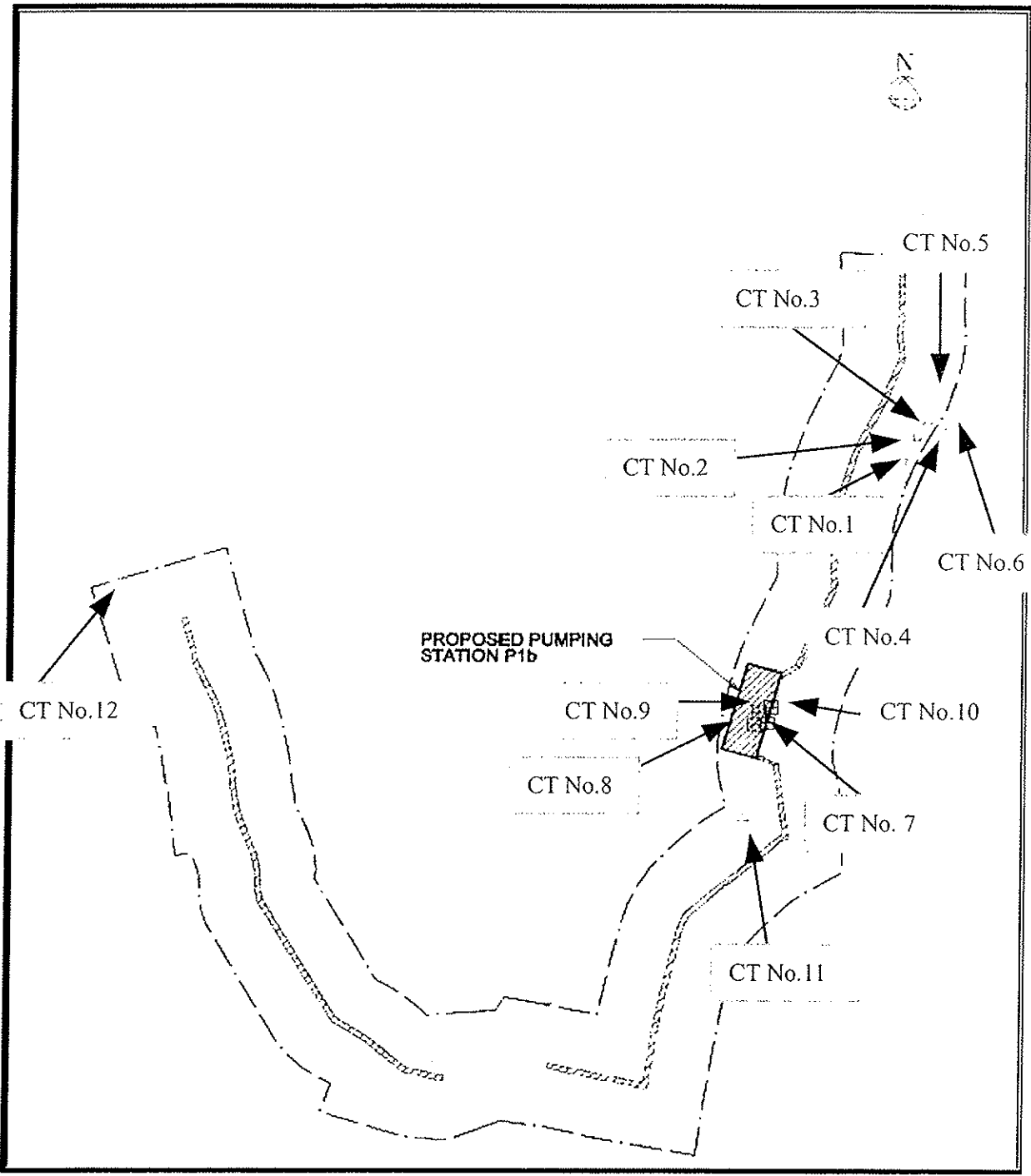
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



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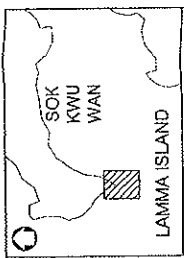


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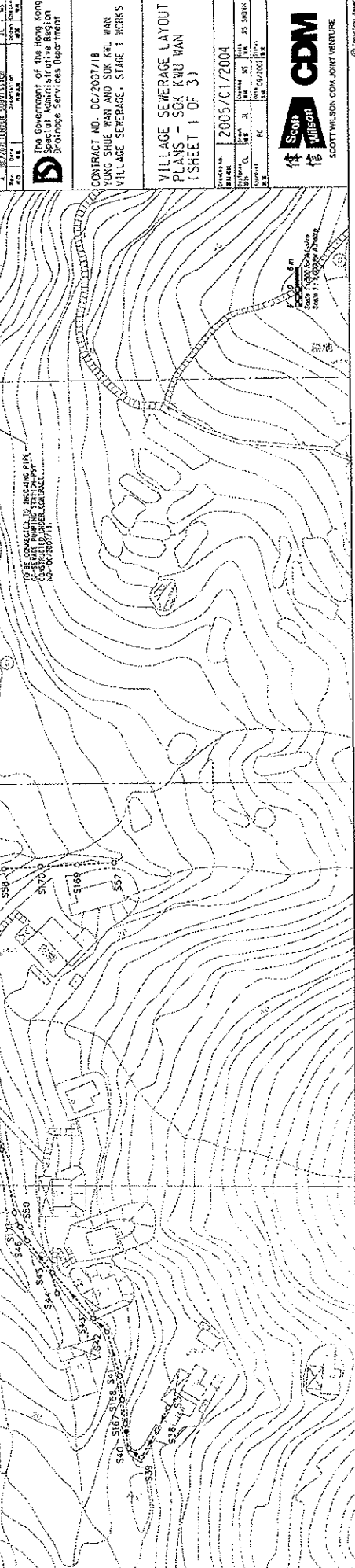


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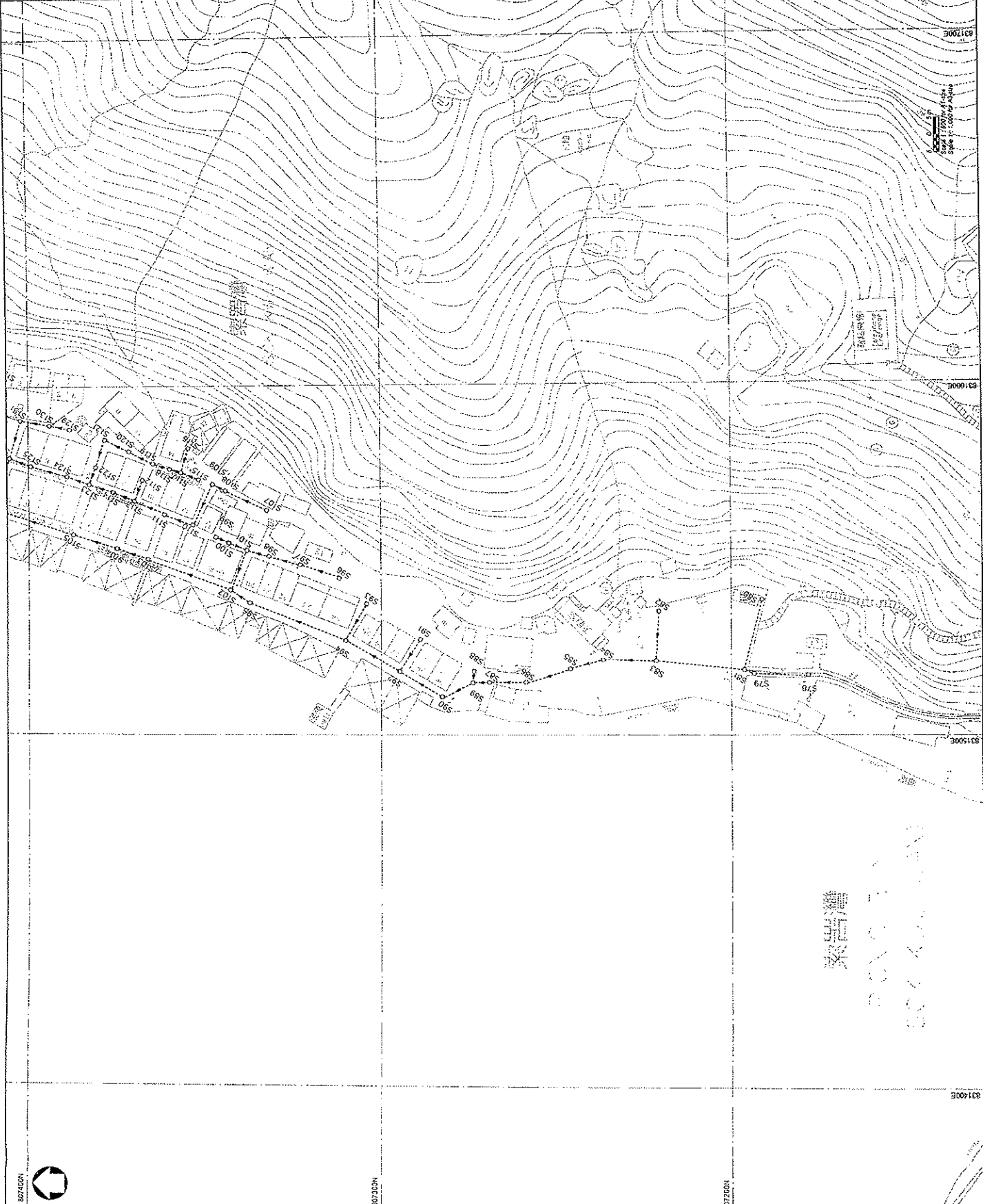
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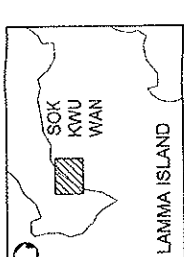
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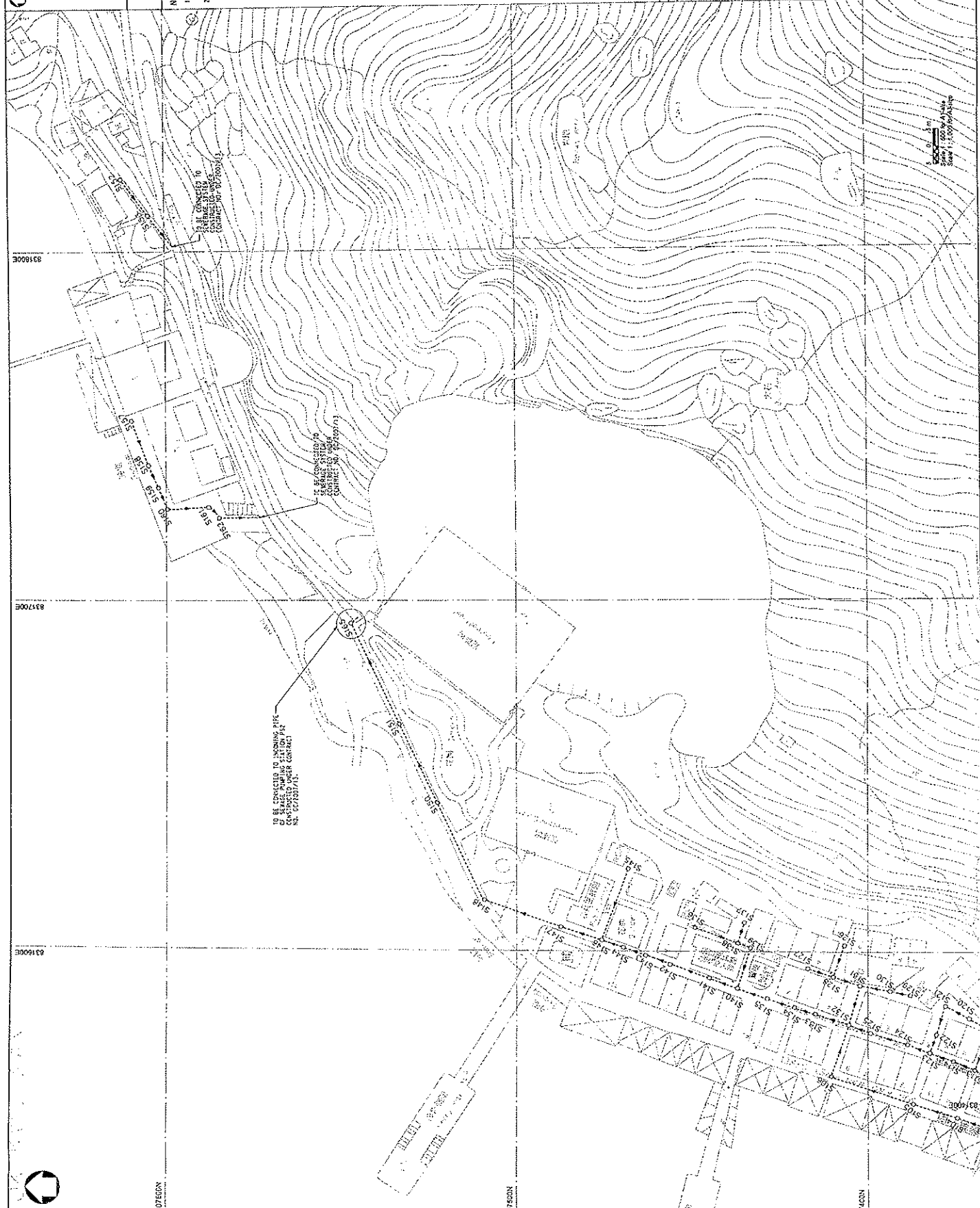
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