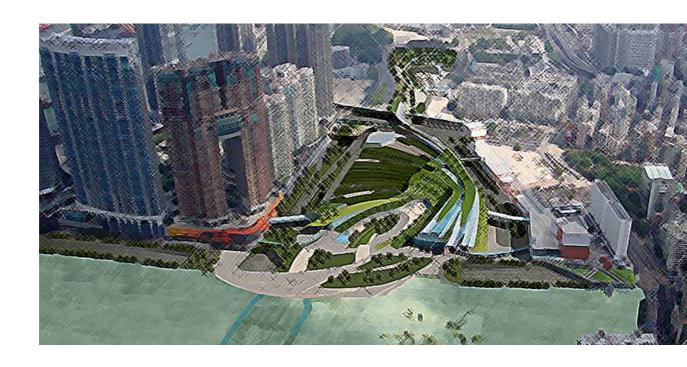


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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This is the 39th monthly Environmental Monitoring and Audit (EM&A) Report presenting the EM&A works undertaken during the period from 1 to 31 May 2013 for the Hong Kong Section of Guangzhou - Shenzhen - Hong Kong Express Rail Link (hereinafter referred to "the XRL" or "the Project") in accordance with the EM&A Manual and the requirement under EP-349/2009/I issued on 26 October 2012.

Air Quality

Air quality monitoring was conducted for 24-hour Total Suspended Particulates (TSP) at 17 air quality monitoring locations in the vicinity of Works Area in Mai Po (Works Area A), Ngau Tam Mei (Works Area B), Tai Kong Po (Works Area C), Shek Kong (Works Area D), Tse Uk Tsuen, (Works Area E), Pat Heung (Works Area F), Shing Mun (Works Area G), Shek Yam (Works Area I and H), Kwai Chung (Works Area J), Mei Foo (Works Area L), Nam Cheong (Works Area P, Q and R) and West Kowloon (Works Area V1 and V2) in the reporting month.

Please refer to the section "Environmental Complaints/Exceedance/Non-compliance/ Summons and Prosecution" below for the exceedance in air quality in the reporting month.

Airborne Noise

Airborne noise was measured in terms of $L_{eq(30min)}dB(A)$ with L_{10} and L_{90} measurements as reference at 33 noise monitoring locations in the vicinity of Works Area in Mai Po (Works Area A), Ngau Tam Mei (Works Area B), Tai Kong Po (Works Area C), Shek Kong (Works Area D), Tse Uk Tsuen, (Works Area E), Pat Heung (Works Area F), Shing Mun (Works Area G), Shek Yam (Works Area I and H), Kwai Chung, (Works Area J and K), Mei Foo (Works Area L), Nam Cheong (Works Area M, N, O, P, Q, R, S and T) and West Kowloon (Works Area V1 and V2) once every week.

Please refer to the section "Environmental Complaints/Exceedance/Non-compliance/ Summons and Prosecution" below for the noise exceedance in the reporting month.

Monitoring of Avifaunal Species

Monthly ecological monitoring was conducted during the construction of Mai Po Ventilation Building Works Area (MPV), access road to Tai Kong Po Works Area (TPP-1/2/3), Shek Kong Stabling Sidings (SSS-2a/3), Pat Heung Ventilation Building Works Area (PHV-1) and Tse Uk Tsuen (TUW-1/2). The monitoring results indicated the survey areas were generally utilized by waterbirds in the reporting month during the monitoring. In general, most of the survey sites demonstrated similar magnitude in the number of species when compared to baseline results. Based on the monitoring results and observations, it was concluded that no adverse indirect impacts arising from the Project.

Monitoring of Impact at Fishpond due to Noise

In accordance with the Monitoring and Emergency Response Plan, impact noise monitoring was conducted at fish pond on weekly basis for assessment of impact at fishponds due to noise. It was revealed from the monitoring results that all monitoring results were within the Limit Level. Based on the monitoring results, there was no adverse impact at fishpond due to noise.

Landscape and Visual

Regular inspections and audits conducted by certified Arborist found that the tree protection works being carried out by the civil works and transplanting contractors were in accordance with the requirements of EP and EIA.

Environmental Audits

In this reporting month, regular site inspections attended by representative from MTRCL and Contractors were carried out at 810A, 810B, 811A and 811B in West Kowloon, 802, 805 and 820 in Nam Cheong, 821 in Kwai Chung, 822 in Pat Heung, Shing Mun, Shek Yam, Tai Shu Ha Road West Magazine Site, So Kwun Wat Nursery and Magazine Site and Tsing Chau Tsai Barging Point, 823A and 823B in Shek Kong, Tse Uk Tsuen, To Kau Wan stockpiling facility and Rambler Channel Barging Point, 824 in Ngau Tam Mei and Tai Kong Po and 825 in Mai Po. In addition to the regular site inspections, IEC environmental audits attended by IEC, MTRCL and Contractors were held on monthly basis. Issues observed during these audits are detailed in Section 6.

Environmental Complaints / Exceedance / Non-compliance / Summons and Prosecution

For the reporting month, a total of 2 environmental complaints were referred from EPD. The environmental complaints received were related to dust impact from MTR construction site at Ngau Tam Mei ventilation building. Complaint investigations were conducted in accordance with the complaint handling procedure in the EM&A Manual. Details of complaints are contained in Section 7.

In the reporting month, noise exceedances of air-borne noise Limit Level were recorded at HKIVE Haking Wong Waterfront Annex (CN23) on 2 May 2013; and Tower 3, the Waterfront (CN32) on 2 May 2013. No air-borne noise exceedance of Action Level was recorded in the reporting month.

In the reporting month, no exceedance of 24-hour TSP was recorded.

No non-compliance, notification of summons and prosecution was received during the reporting period.

Works for Coming Month

Construction works were started in Works Areas A, B, C, D, D1, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V1, V2, W, Y, Z, AA, AC, AE, AG, MWS, YY and ARW.

Please refer to Table 8-1 for the major works in the respective works areas. Impact monitoring would be continued in coming reporting month accordingly with reference to the EM&A Manual.

Further Environmental Key Issues

Air quality, airborne noise at NSRs and fishpond, ecological, landscape and visual monitoring shall continue in the following month. Considering the nature of

construction activities, key environmental issues in the coming months include the followings:

- Disposal of C&D waste;
- Dust generation from site activities;
- Noise impact from operating equipment;
- Site water discharge;
- Chemical wastes;
- Ecological impact;
- Trees protection

Reporting Changes

In the reporting period, there was no reporting change.

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1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 Project Background

Further to the Government's decision made in April 2008, MTR Corporation (MTR) commenced to plan and design the Hong Kong Section of Guangzhou - Shenzhen - Hong Kong Express Rail Link (hereinafter referred to "the XRL" or "the Project"), which is a committed cross boundary transport infrastructure project.

The XRL would provide high speed rail services between Hong Kong and Guangzhou, and a connection to the national high-speed passenger rail network serving major mainland cities outside of Guangdong province. The Hong Kong section of the XRL is about 26km from new terminus located in West Kowloon (i.e. West Kowloon Terminus (WKT)) to the boundary at Huang gang. Along the railway corridor, there would be a total of eight ventilation buildings/ emergency access point (EAP), stabling sidings and a maintenance facility at Shek Kong Stabling Sidings (SSS) and an Emergency Rescue Station (ERS) next to SSS serving the operation of the XRL.

1.2 Coverage

This is the 39th monthly Environmental Monitoring and Audit (EM&A) Report presenting the EM&A works undertaken during the period from 1 to 31 May 2013 for XRL in accordance with the EM&A Manual and the requirement under Environmental Permit No. EP-349/2009/I, which was issued on 26 October 2012.

2. PROJECT INFORMATION

2.1 Project Management Organisation and Management Structure

The project management organisation chart and contact of key personnel are shown in Appendix B.

2.2 Construction Activities

This report marked the 39th month of civil construction in Works Area A, B, C, D, D1, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V1, V2, W, Y, Z, AA, AC, AE AG, MWS, YY and ARW for April 2013. It is anticipated that the civil construction be completed in year 2015. The updated construction activity for upcoming month is provided in Section 8. Major construction activities undertaken in the reporting month is summarized in the following table.

Contract	Works Area	Major Construction Activities	
Nam Cheong			
802	Q	Bored pile construction, H-pile extraction, excavation.	
805	N,O	Bridge construction	
805	S	Bridge construction	
West Kowi	loon		
810A	V1	Excavation & Site Formation; Slab Construction; Installing Cruciform Columns; Installing Socketted H-piles and Temporary Stanchions; Bored Piling and Welding	
810A	Mong Wing Street (MWS)	Material Storage Area	
810A	Yick Yuen Site (YY)	Material Storage Area	
810A	Austin Road	Material Storage Area	

Contract	Works Area	Major Construction Activities	
	West (ARW)		
810B	V1	Predrilling; Installation/Dismantling of Strutting; Bored piling; Sheet piling; Bulk Excavation; Station Structure Construction Work; Construction of Desilting Chamber; Haul Road Improvement Work; Jet Grouting outside the Harbourside; King Post works and Grout Curtain Work for Pipepile Wall	
810B	W	Operation of Barging Facilities	
811A	V2	Waterproofing works, excavation, fabrication and installation of steel struts and walers, lateral support works, and rebar fixing and concreting for tunnel box	
811A	U	Site Office	
811B	V2	Pre-bored H-piles, Diaphragm and flood protection wall installation, culvert reinstatement, sheet pile wall installation, trial pits and bulk excavation	
820	V2	Preparation works for TBM disassembly	
Nam Cheo	ng		
811B	Y	Operation of Nam Cheong Barging Point	
820	M	Road reinstatement	
820	P	TBM operation	
820	R	Piling and drainage work	
820	S	Nil	
816D	Т	Site Office	
820	Y	Slurry Treatment Plant operation, C&D disposal from ground to barge	

Contract	Works Area	Major Construction Activities	
821	Y	Operation of the barging point, inert waste sorting, stockpiling, delivery of excavated materials from XRL projects by barge	
Mei Foo			
820	L	Nil	
Kwai Chur	ng		
821	J	Adit and tunnel lining formwork, transportation of excavated materials to Barging Point, construction of Kwai Chung Ventilation Building	
Pat Heung	r		
822	F	Construction of tunnel and building construction	
Shek Yam			
822	Н	Tunnel construction	
822	I	Storage of equipment and material	
822	K	Site Office	
Shing Mun	l		
822	G	Shaft construction, building construction	
So Kwun V	Vat		
822	AC	Nil	
Tai Shu Ha	Tai Shu Ha Road West Magazine Site		
822	AE	Nil	
Tsing Cha	u Tsai Barging Po	pint	
822	AG	Nil	

Contract	Works Area	Major Construction Activities	
Shek Kong Stabling Sidings			
823A& 823B	D and D1	Foundation and superstructure works for buildings, cut and cover tunnel excavation, TBM operation	
Tse Uk Tsı	ıen		
822	Е	Shaft construction	
Rambler C	Channel Barging P	Point	
823B	Z	Nil	
Ngau Tam	Mei		
824	В	Tunnel construction	
Tai Kong I	P ₀		
824	С	Tunnel construction	
Mai Po	Mai Po		
825	A TBM driving and mucking out activities		
Siu Lam Barging Point			
825	AA	Nil	
To Kau Wan Works Area			
823B	-	Nil	

Table 2-1 Major construction activities in the reporting month

3. ENVIRONMENTAL STATUS

3.1 Status of Implementation of mitigation measures

Environmental mitigation measures recommended in the EIA report were implemented and their implementation statuses are summarized in Appendix C.

3.2 Status of Submissions under EP

A summary of the submissions submitted under the EP for this Project during the reporting month is presented in Table 3-1 below:

EP-349/2009/I Clause No.	Document Title
2.46	Monthly EM&A Report

Table 3-1 Summary of the status of submissions submitted under the EP in the reporting month

3.3 Status of Permit/License/Notifications

A summary of the status of permits, licences and notifications on environmental protection made, applied or approved under this Project during the previous and reporting month is presented in Table 3-2 below. The Environmental Permit No. EP-349/2009/I issued by EPD was used for the XRL project.

Item	Item Description	Application Date	Permit Status		
Contra	Contract 802 (Works Area Q)				
1	Construction Noise Permit	30 Apr 2013	Validated on 16 May 2013 (Permit No.: GW-RW0320-12, valid until 15 Nov 2013)		

Item	Item Description	Application Date	Permit Status		
Contra	Contract 810A (Works Area V1)				
1	Construction Noise Permit for Construction Works other than Percussive Piling	17 Apr 2013	Approved on 30 Apr 2013 Permit No. GW-RE0417-13, valid from 1 Jun 2013 to 31 Aug 2013		
2	Construction Noise Permit for Construction Works other than Percussive Piling	17 Apr 2013	Approved on 30 Apr 2013 Permit No. GW-RE0423-13, valid from 3 May 2013 to 31 May 2013		
3	Construction Noise Permit for Construction Works other than Percussive Piling	16 May 2013	Approved on 30 May 2013 Permit No. GW-RE0529-13, valid from 3 Jun 2013 to 2 Dec 2013		
Contra	ct 810B (Works Area V1)				
1	Construction Noise Permit (Percussive Piling)	12 Apr 2013	Approved on 19 Apr 2013 Permit No. PP-RE0019-13, valid from 22 Apr 2013 to 21 Oct 2013		
Contra	Contract 810B (Works Area W)				
1	Dumping Permit for Type 1 marine sediment to	4 Mar 2013	Granted on 18 Mar 2013		

Item	Item Description	Application Date	Permit Status	
	South of Cheung Chau		Permit No. EP/MD/13-135, valid period - 19 Mar 2013 to 18 Sept 2013	
2	Dumping Permit for Type 1 marine sediment to East of Ninepin Group	11 Mar 2013	Granted on 21 Mar 2013 Permit No. EP/MD/13-137, valid period - 23 Mar 2013 to 22 Sept 2013	
3	Dumping Permit for Type 2 marine sediment	26 Apr 2013	Granted on 10 May 2013 Permit No. EP/MD/14-011, valid period - 11 May 2013 to 10 Jun 2013	
Contra	ct 811A (Works Area V2)			
1	Construction Noise Permit	21 Dec 2012	Permit no. GW-RE0026-13 Date of EPD issued 11 Jan 2013 From 14 Jan 2013 valid till 13 Jul 2013	
Contract 811B (Works Area V2 & Y)				
1	Construction Noise Permit (for loading / unloading at Barging Point)	18 Mar 13 (ref. no. 357059)	Licence No.: GW-RW0205-13 Valid from 10 Apr 13 to 9 Oct 13	
2	Construction Noise Permit (for foundation and civil work at main	7 Mar 13 (ref no. 356630)	Licence No.: GW-RE0271-13 Valid from 22 Mar 13	

Item	Item Description	Application Date	Permit Status		
	site areas)		to 21 Sep 13		
Contra	ct 820 (Works Area L, M, P,	R, S, Y, T, V)			
1	CNP for drainage work at SSP	5 Apr 2013	Permit GW-RW0262-13 obtained. Valid until 16 June 2013.		
2	CNP for obstruction work at WD1, Tsuen Wan Line and Lai Chi Kok Interchange	6 May 2013	Permit GW-RW0344-13 obtained. Valid until 26 November 2013.		
3	CNP for TBM (S630) Operation at construction site at Hoi Wang Road	10 May 2013	Permit GW-RE0519-13 obtained. Valid until 30 September 2013.		
4	CNP for TBM (S631) Assembly and Operation at Construction site at Sham Mong Road of West Kowloon	16 May 2013	Permit GW-RW0363-13 obtained. Valid until 29 August 2013.		
5	CNP for grouting work at junction of Hoi Wang Road and Hoi Ting Road	16 May 2013	Permit GW-RE0540-13 obtained. Valid until 20 July 2013.		
Contra	Contract 821 (Works Area J, Y)				
1	CNP for Operation of Barging Point	3 Apr 2013	Renewal CNP GW-RW0249-13 was granted to replace GW-RW0813-12 Validity: 17 Apr 2013 – 13 Oct 2013		

Item	Item Description	Application Date	Permit Status	
2	CNP for 24 hour Construction Work at Tai Lin Pai Road J/O Wing Yip Street, Kwai Chung, N.T.	12 Apr 2013	CNP GW-RW0286-13 was granted and superseded GW-RW0090-13. Validity: 2 May 2013 – 25 Oct 2013	
Contrac	ct 822 (Works Area F, G, H,	AC, AE and AG)		
1	Works Area F CNP for the use of powered mechanical equipment for the purpose of carry out construction works (including dewatering) from 19:00 to 23:00 on any day not being holiday; from 07:00 to 23:00 on general holidays (including Sunday).	Applied on 15 March 2013 Approved on 3 April 2013	Licence No. GW-RN0204-13, valid from 19:00 hours, 9 April 2013 to 23:00 hours, 1 October 2013	
2	Works Area F CNP for delivery of explosive and de-watering from 00:00 to 07:00 and 23:00 to 24:00 hours on any day (Designated)	Applied on 18 March 2013 Approved on 3 April 2013	Licence No. GW - RN0205-13, valid from 23:00 hours, 9 April 2013 to 07:00 hours, 1 October 2013	
3	Works Area F CNP for delivery of explosive and de-watering from 00:00 to 07:00 and 23:00 to 24:00 hours on any day (Designated)	Applied on 23 May 2013	EPD is processing the application	
4	Works Area AG CNP for the use of powered mechanical equipment for the purpose of carrying out construction works from 07:00 to 23:00 on general holidays (including Sunday); 19:00 to 23:00 on any day not being holiday	Applied on 20 March 2013 Approved on 3 April 2013	Licence No. GW-RN0213-13, valid from 19:00 hours, 26 April 2013 to 23:00 hours, 25 October 2013	
Contrac	Contract 823A (Works Areas D, D1 and E)			
1	Variation of WPCO license	20 May 2013	Being reviewed by EPD	
2	CNP for welding and dewatering	25 Apr 2013	Permit GW-RN0287-13 Approved. Valid until	

Item	Item Description	Application Date	Permit Status		
			13 November 2013.		
3	CNP for TBM operation	19 Apr 2013	Permit GW-RN0281-13 Approved. Valid until 31 October 2013.		
4	CNP for ventilation fan operation	19 Apr 2013	Permit GW-RN0283-13 Approved. Valid until 31 October 2013.		
Contra	ct 823B (Works Area D, Z a	nd To Kau Wan Wor	ks Area)		
1	Variation of WPCO License	15 April 2013	Licence granted on 16 May 2013 (Licence No: WT00015933-2013).		
2	CNP for operation of excavator	15 March 2013	Permit GW-RN0199-13 Approved on 2 April 2013. Valid until 27 Sept 2013.		
3	CNP for operation of PMEs at ERS	10 May 2013	Permit GW-RN0304-13 Approved on 28 May 2013. Valid until 4 Dec 2013.		
4	CNP for operation of PMEs at ERS	25 April 2013	Permit GW-RN0304-13 Approved on 10 May 2013. Valid until 14 Nov 2013.		
Contra	Contract 824 (Works Area B and C)				
1	Construction Noise Permit at Ngau Tam Mei	03 April 2013	Permit No. GW-RN0229-13 obtained. Valid until		

Item	Item Description	Application Date	Permit Status
	Works Area		24 Oct 2013
2	Construction Noise Permit at Ngau Tam Mei Works Area	03 April 2013	Permit No. GW-RW0228-13 obtained. Valid until 24 Oct 2013
3	Construction Noise Permit at Tai Kong Po Works Area	28 January 2013	Permit No. GW-RN0111-13 obtained. Valid until 31 August 2013
Contra	ct 825 (Works Area A and A	A)	
1	Construction Noise Permit	22 November 2012	Permit No. GW-RN0600-12 obtained. Valid until 4 Jun 2013
2	Construction Noise Permit	27 March 2013	Permit No. GW-RN0212-13 obtained. Valid until 10 Oct 2013
3	Construction Noise Permit	3 Apr 2013	Permit No. GW-RN0232-13 obtained. Valid until 22 Oct 2013

Table 3-2 Summary of the status of permits, licences and notifications made, applied and approved under this Project during the previous and reporting month

4. SUMMARY OF EM&A REQUIREMENT

4.1 Air Quality

4.1.1 Air Quality Parameters

In accordance to the EM&A Manual, 24-hour Total Suspended Particulates (TSP) levels were measured at the 17 air monitoring locations in accordance with the EM&A Manual. Monitoring was undertaken at each monitoring location once per every 6 days. Information such as date of monitoring, duration, weather condition, equipment used and monitoring results shall be recorded on the field data sheet developed for the Project. Monitoring results are summarized in Section 5.

4.1.2 Monitoring Methodology and Calibration

Monitoring was undertaken to establish for 24-hour Total Suspended Particulates (TSP) at 17 monitoring locations in the vicinity of the Works Area A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, J, L, P, Q, R, V1 and V2. Monitoring of 24-hour TSP was carried out using a high volume sampler (HVS) according to Part 50 Chapter 1 Appendix B, Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations of the USEPA.

The sampling procedure follows to that described Part 50 Chapter 1 Appendix B, Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations of the USEPA. TSP is sampled by drawing air through a conditioned, pre-weighed filter paper inside the high volume sampler at a controlled rate. After 24-hour sampling the filter paper with retained particles shall be collected and returned to HOKLAS accredited laboratory (ALS Technichem (HK) Pty Ltd) for drying in a desiccators followed by accurate weighing. TSP levels are calculated from the ratio of the mass of particulate retained on the filter paper to the total volume of air sampled.

The flow rate of the high volume sampler with mass flow controller was calibrated using an orifice calibrator. Initial calibration (five points) was conducted upon installation and prior to commissioning. Calibration was carried out every six months. Detail of calibration is shown in Table 4-1 below. The samplers shall be properly maintained. Prior to dust monitoring commencing, appropriate checks shall be made to ensure that all equipment and necessary power supply are in good working condition.

Monitoring Station ID	Air Quality Monitoring Location	HVS Serial Number	Last Calibration Date
AM 1	Outside No. 142 Mai Po San Tsuen	467	19/12/2012
AM 2	Yau Tam Mei Village House	468	12/4/2013
AM 3	Kong Tai Road Village House	510	9/4/2013
AM 4	DD110 LOT 482, Wang Toi Shan	521	19/12/2012
AM 5	Leung Uk Tsuen Squats	1276	4/1/2013
AM 6	630 Sheung Tsuen	469	4/1/2013
AM 7	Tse Uk Tsuen	1763	4/1/2013
AM 8	No. 306, Sheung Tsuen San Tsuen Village House	520	15/4/2013
AM 9	Sau Shan House, Cheung Shan Estate	529	5/12/2012
AM 10	Yau Ma Hom Resite Village	509	5/12/2012
AM 11	Chung Shun Knitting Centre	1707	23/1/2013
AM 12	Po Leung Kuk Tong Nai Kan College	520	03/05/2013
AM 13	St. Andrew Primary School	524	7/1/2013

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Monitoring Station ID	Air Quality Monitoring Location	HVS Serial Number	Last Calibration Date
AM 14	Yaumati Catholic Primary School	407	7/1/2013
AM 15	Between Sorrento and The Waterfront	515	04/05/2013
AM 16	Tower 3, The Waterfront	1282	04/05/2013

Table 4-1 Calibration details of HVS

The Victoria Towers

AM 17

4.1.3 Monitoring Location

According to the EM&A Manual, air quality monitoring was carried out at the locations as shown in Table 4-1 above. The monitoring locations are illustrated in Appendix D.

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4.1.4 Action and Limit Levels

With reference to the baseline monitoring results, the Action and Limit Levels for the 24-hour TSP monitoring derived are shown in Table 4-2. In the case of exceedance of Action and/or Limit levels for air quality occur, the Event and Action Plan as stipulated the EM&A Manual shall be implemented.

Monitoring	24-hour TSP Level in μg/m³	
Station ID	Action Level	Limit Level
AM 1	217.3	260
AM 2	179.4	260
AM 3	154.7	260
AM 4	148.6	260

Monitoring	24-hour TSI	P Level in μg/m ³
Station ID	Action Level	Limit Level
AM 5	152.0	260
AM 6	145.6	260
AM 7	149.8	260
AM 8	158.1	260
AM 9	171.2	260
AM 10	174.8	260
AM 11	160.3	260
AM 12	162.5	260
AM 13	180.3	260
AM 14	158.2	260
AM 15	168.8	260
AM 16	155.9	260
AM 17	179.3	260

Table 4-2 Action and Limit Levels for Air Quality

4.2 Air-borne Noise

4.2.1 Noise Parameters

In accordance to the EM&A Manual, construction noise monitoring shall be conducted to obtain one set of 30-minute measurement at each monitoring station between 0700 and 1900 hours on normal weekdays at a frequency of once per week when construction activities are underway. The L_{eq} , L_{10} and L_{90} were also recorded at the specified interval.

4.2.2 Monitoring Methodology and Calibration

As referred to the Technical Memorandum (TM) issued under the NCO, sound level

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meters in compliance with the International Electrotechnical Commission Publications 651: 1979 (Type 1) and 804: 1985 (Type 1) specifications shall be used for carrying out the noise monitoring. In this baseline monitoring, B&K 2250 sound level meters, which complies with the above-mentioned specifications, were used.

Immediately prior to and following each noise measurement the accuracy of the sound level meter should be checked using an acoustic calibrator generating a known sound pressure level at a known frequency. Measurements may be accepted as valid only if the difference between calibration levels obtained before and after the noise measurement is less than 1.0 dB.

The sound level meters and calibrator are verified by the certified laboratory or manufacturer at a regular interval to ensure they perform to the same level of accuracy as stated in the manufacturer's specifications. Detail of calibration is shown in Table 4-3 below:

Monitoring Station ID	Noise Monitoring Location	Serial Number	Last Calibration Date
Sound Level Me	eters		
CN 1	No. 142 Mai Po San Tsuen	2701830	N/A ^[3]
CN 2	Mai Po San Tsuen Village House	2701819	21/1/2013
CN 3	Yau Tam Mei Village House	2718893	22/4/2013
CN 4	Yau Tam Mei Village House	2718887	26/4/2013
CN 5	Kong Tai Road Village House	2718895	2/5/2013
CN 6	Kong Tai Road Village House	2718879	24/5/2013

Monitoring Station ID	Noise Monitoring Location	Serial Number	Last Calibration Date
CN 7	372 Tai Kong Po Tsuen	2718881	8/5/2013
CN 8	DD110 LOT 482, Wang Toi Shan	2718882	20/5/2013
CN 9	Leung Uk Tsuen Village House	2718889	8/5/2013
CN 10	DD110 LOT 482, Wang Toi Shan	2718891	13/6/2012
CN 11	182B, Wang Toi Shan San Tsuen	2718884	5/6/2012
CN 12	DD108, Nam Hing Lei, Wing Hing Wai	2718892	6/6/2012
CN 13	Tse Uk Tsuen	2718883	24/5/2013
CN 14	Tse Uk Tsuen	2718890	30/5/2013
CN 15	No. 305B - Sheung Tsuen San Tsuen Village House	2718885	6/6/2012
CN 16	DD 114 LOT 1405 Sheung Tsuen	2718888	5/6/2012
CN 18	Sau Shan House	2701831	7/1/2013
CN 19	Sun Fung Centre	2701821	7/1/2013
CN 20	VTC Kwai Chung Training Centre Complex	2718894	11/6/2012
CN 21	Po Leung Kuk Tong Nai Kan College	2701820	25/3/2013
CN 22	Block I, Lai Chi Kok Reception Centre	2709427	25/3/2013

Monitoring Station ID	Noise Monitoring Location	Serial Number	Last Calibration Date
CN 23	HKIVE Haking Wong Waterfront Annex	2701818	10/1/2013
CN 24	St. Andrew Primary School	2701825	30/1/2013
CN 25	St. Mary's Church Mok Hing Yiu College	2709428	15/4/2013
CN 26	Ying Wah College	2701822	4/2/2013
CN 27	Cheong Shun House, Nam Cheong Estate	2709426	18/4/2013
CN 28	Tower 6, Harbour Green	2701817	30/1/2013
CN 29	Yaumati Catholic Primary School	2701815	10/1/2013
CN 30	Man Cheong Street Refuse Collection Point	2701816	24/1/2013
CN 31	Tower 6, Sorrento	2701826	28/1/2013
CN 32	Tower 3, The Waterfront	2701823	21/1/2013
CN 33	Star Tower, The Arch	2701827	24/1/2013
CN 34	The Victoria Towers	2701829	28/1/2013
Calibrator			
Serial Number		Last Calibration D	Pate
N674902		13/11/2012	

Table 4-3 Calibration details of noise monitoring equipments

Note:

1. Due to school closure, monitoring at Tsuen Wan Lutheran School (CN 17) was temporarily suspended. Monitoring would be carried out subject to confirmation of noise sensitive use of the

building.

- 2. A correction factor (9 dB(A)) has been applied at CN19 to take into account the noise barrier effect. The correction factor was agreed with IEC according to Section 3.11 of the EM&A Manual.
- 3. Impact monitoring at No. 142 Mai Po San Tsuen (CN1) had been temporarily suspended since December 2012 due to house removal. Monitoring at this location will be resumed when an alternative location is determined. Therefore, the sound level meter for CN1 is not calibrated until monitoring is resumed.

4.2.3 Monitoring Location

According to the EM&A Manual, noise quality monitoring was carried out at the locations as shown in Table 4-3 above. The monitoring locations are illustrated in Appendix D.

4.2.4 Action and Limit Levels

The Action and Limit Levels for the construction noise are shown in Table 4-4 below. In the case of non-compliance of Action and/or Limit level, the Event and Action Plan stipulated in the EM&A Manual shall be implemented.

Time Period	Action	Limit
0700-1900 hours on	When one documented	75 dB(A) for residential
normal weekdays	complaint is received	premises
		70 dB(A) for school and
		65 dB(A) during
		examination period

Table 4-4 Action and Limit Levels for Airborne Construction Noise

4.2.5 Review of baseline at CN 26 and CN 29

With reference to Baseline Monitoring Report, the baseline noise level at CN 26 and CN 29 would be reviewed regularly once every six months to confirm its validity and the results would be included in the EM&A report. Baseline monitoring was carried out in April and May for a consecutive of 14 days. One set of Leq (30 min) measurement was taken daily during the hours without any construction works at works area in the vicinity of CN 26 and CN 29. Dominant noise source at CN 26 and CN 29 during the time of baseline review measurement was identified as background traffic noise.

Date	Start time	End time	$L_{eq(30min)}dB(A)$
07/04/2013	12:30 PM	13:00 PM	68
08/04/2013	12:35 PM	13:05 PM	72
09/04/2013	Mon	itoring cancelle	ed due to rainfall
10/04/2013	Mon	itoring cancelle	ed due to rainfall
11/04/2013	Mon	itoring cancelle	ed due to rainfall
12/04/2013	12:05 PM	12:35 PM	75
13/04/2013	12:05 PM	12:35 PM	73
14/04/2013	12:05 PM	12:35 PM	69
15/04/2013	12:10 PM	12:40 PM	72
16/04/2013	12:35 PM	13:05 PM	72
17/04/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to rainfall		
18/04/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to rainfall		
19/04/2013	Mon	itoring cancelle	ed due to rainfall
20/04/2013	Mon	itoring cancelle	ed due to rainfall
21/04/2013	12:15 PM	12:45 PM	68
22/04/2013	12:05 PM	12:35 PM	72
23/04/2013	12:05 PM	12:35 PM	73
24/04/2013	12:05 PM	12:35 PM	71
25/04/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to rainfall		ed due to rainfall
26/04/2013	12:05 PM	12:35 PM	72
27/04/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to equipment failure		
28/04/2013	12:05 PM	12:35 PM	68
29/04/2013	12:05 PM 12:35 PM		72
Average	Leq (30-min	n), dB(A)	72

Table 4-5: Review of baseline monitoring results at CN 26

Date	Start time	End time	$L_{eq(30min)}dB(A)$
02/05/2013	12:15 PM	12:45 PM	65
03/05/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to rainfall		
04/05/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to equipment		
	failure		
05/05/2013	12:05 PM	12:35 PM	61

06/05/2013	12:10 PM	12:40 PM	68
07/05/2013	12:15 PM	12:45 PM	66
08/05/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to rainfall		
09/05/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to rainfall		
10/05/2013	Monito	oring cancelled	due to rainfall
11/05/2013	12:15 PM		
12/05/2013	12:20 PM	12:50 PM	62
13/05/2013	12:15 PM	12:45 PM	68
14/05/2013	12:20 PM	12:50 PM	65
15/05/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to equipment		
	failure		
16/05/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to rainfall		
17/05/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to rainfall		
18/05/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to rainfall		
19/05/2013	12:35 PM 13:05 PM 62		
20/05/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to rainfall		
21/05/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to rainfall		
22/05/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to rainfall		
23/05/2013	12:10 PM	12:40 PM	66
24/05/2013	12:25 PM	12:55 PM	66
25/05/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to rainfall		
26/05/2013	Monitoring cancelled due to rainfall		
27/05/2013	12:15 PM	12:45 PM	67
28/05/2013	12:15 PM	12:45 PM	67
29/05/2013	12:15 PM	12:45 PM	65
Average	Leq (30-mi	n), dB(A)	66

Table 4-6: Review of baseline monitoring results at CN 29

As revealed from the tables above, the revised average daytime baseline noise level at both locations are comparable with the previously recorded baseline levels (71 dB(A) at CN 26 and 67 dB(A) at CN 29 previously). The revised baseline noise levels would be adopted as reference for impact monitoring in the coming 6 months before the next half-yearly review of baseline noise level.

4.3 Ground-borne Noise

No ground-borne noise monitoring was conducted in the reporting month in accordance with requirements in the EM&A Manual and the Construction Ground-borne Noise Monitoring Plan.

4.4 Ecological Monitoring

4.4.1 Ecological Monitoring on Avifaunal Communities Monitoring methodology

In accordance with the Ecological Monitoring Plan, avifaunal communities would be surveyed quantitatively by transect count or/and point count method covering the vicinity of the works area as shown in Table 4-6 below. Birds heard or seen within the survey area would be identified to species level and counted. The nature of construction works within works area conducting during each impact monitoring would also be recorded. Weather condition and other noticeable activities occurring within or in the vicinity of the survey areas would be recorded. The impact monitoring results would be compared to the baseline data collected before construction. Should any unpredicted indirect ecological impacts arising from the Project be detected, remedial measures would be implemented by the Contractor.

Monitoring location, frequency and duration

In accordance with the EM&A Manual and Ecological Monitoring Plan, ecological monitoring should be conducted at Works Area in MPV, TPP, SSS/ERS, TUW and PHV. With the hoarding erection completed and construction works at MPV, TPP and PHV commenced, ecological monitoring on monthly basis was commenced accordingly. The location, frequency and duration of ecological monitoring at MPV, TPP, SSS/ERS, TUW and PHV are shown in the table below and figures in Appendix D.

Works Area	Survey Site	Monitoring Location	Monitoring	Monitoring
			Frequency	Duration

Works Area	Survey Site	Monitoring Location	Monitoring Frequency	Monitoring Duration
Mai Po Ventilation Building Works Area (MPV)	MPV-1	• Fishponds in Wetland Conservation Area (WCA) within 500 m from the boundary of MPV works area	Monthly	During construction phase of MPV works area
Access road leading to TPP	TPP-1/2/3	 The whole alignment of drainage channel KT5 (TPP-1) The section of drainage channel 95CD along the proposed alignment of access upgrading (TPP-2) The whole alignment of abandoned meander of conservation interest 43CD-1 (TPP-3) 	Monthly	During upgrading and operation of access road for construction phase activities
Access road leading to SSS / ERS	SSS-2a ¹	• The whole alignment of abandoned meanders of conservation interest 95CD-4	Monthly	During upgrading and operation of access road for construction phase activities 1

Works Area	Survey Site	Monitoring Location	Monitoring	Monitoring
			Frequency	Duration
Tse Uk Tsuen Works Area (TUW)	TUW – 1/2 (TUW-2 grouped with PHV-1 due to overlapping of survey area)	 Agricultural land within 500 m from the boundary of SSS/ ERS works area between Shek Kong Road and Kam Sheung Road (SSS-3) Agricultural land within 500 m from the boundary of TUW works area to the south of Kam Sheung Road (TUW-1) Woodland in Conservation Area (CA) within 500 m from the boundary of TUW works area (TUW-2) 	Monthly	 During construction phase of SSS / ERS works area During construction phase of TUW works area
Pat Heung Ventilation Building Works Area (PHV)	PHV-1 (grouped with TUW-2 due to overlapping of survey area)	• Woodland in CA within 500m from the boundary of PHV works area	Monthly	During construction phase of PHV works area

Table 4-6 Requirement of Construction Impact Monitoring for Avifaunal Group

Note: 1. Despite that upgrading of access road leading to SSS has yet commenced, monthly monitoring was commenced due to commencement of construction activities in the vicinity of SSS-2a.

4.4.2 Monitoring of impact at fishpond due to noise/vibrations

In accordance with the Monitoring and Emergency Response Plan, during construction stage, air-borne noise monitoring should be carried out at the respective monitoring location at nearby fishpond (Appendix D) when there are project-related construction activities being undertaken within a radius of 300m from the monitoring location. One set of 30-minute measurement at a frequency of once a week when the above-mentioned construction activities are underway.

As operation of TBM underneath fishponds in Mai Po is not expected in the coming reporting months, no monitoring of ground-borne noise was carried out.

Monitoring of impact due to air-borne noise

Monitoring methodology

With reference to the Monitoring and Emergency Response Plan, the noise acceptance criteria of 75 dB(A) was adopted for the assessment of adverse impact to fisheries due to air-borne noise.

Monitoring location, frequency and duration

The nearest fish-pond located in the vicinity of the works area in Mai Po as shown in Appendix D was identified as a representative air-borne and ground-borne noise/vibration monitoring location.

During construction stage, routine air-borne noise monitoring would be carried out at the respective monitoring location when there are project-related construction activities being undertaken within a radius of 300m from the monitoring station. One set of 30-minute measurement at a frequency of once a week when the above-mentioned construction activities are underway.

Action and Limit Levels

The Action and Limit levels for air-borne noise are defined in the table below. Should non-compliance of the noise quality criteria occur, actions in accordance with the Table 4-7 as should be carried out.

Time Period	Action Level	Limit Level
All time period	When one documented	75 dB(A) for air-borne
	complaint related to	noise
	adverse impact to fisheries	
	from fish-pond operator or	
	any abnormal ecological	
	monitoring results	

Table 4-7: Action and Limit Level for potential impact at fishpond due to air-borne noise

4.5 Landscape and Visual

Monitoring of the implementation of the tree protection measures during construction phase was conducted in accordance with the requirements of EP condition 2.15 (iv). The landscape and visual monitoring and auditing was conducted in accordance with the requirement in Section 5.6 of the EM&A Manual throughout the construction stage.

4.6 Cultural Heritage

4.6.1 Archaeology

Further archaeological investigation was completed at Shek Kong Stabling Sidings (SSS) in accordance with the Archaeological Action Plan.

No monitoring and reporting is required at Lung Kwu Sheng Tan (LKST) since construction have not started.

4.6.2 Built Heritage

Vibration monitoring at Cheung Yuen (LET-06) was conducted in report month as construction works were carried out within the 100m buffer area in accordance with the Vibration Monitoring Plan which was agreed with AMO. Vibration level at Cheung Yuen should be controlled to an acceptable level of 25mm/s during the vibration monitoring.

Calibrated vibration and overpressure monitors, Minimate Plus are used for the vibration monitoring at Cheung Yuen. When construction works are within 50m and between 50m and 100m from Cheung Yuen, monitoring will be conducted twice per day and once per week respectively at two specified monitoring locations

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4.7 Landfill Gas

Monitoring was carried out in this reporting month for construction within the Ngau Tam Mei Landfill (NTML) consultation zone. No monitoring was carried out at Gin Drinker Bays Landfill (GDBL) since there was no construction carried out within consultation zone.

5. MONITORING RESULT

5.1 Air Quality

The monitoring schedule is shown in Appendix E. Results of 24-hour TSP level and the graphical presentation of monitoring results are shown in Appendix F.

In the reporting month, no exceedance of 24-hour TSP was recorded.

Impact monitoring at Tse Uk Tsuen (AM 7) on 28 May 2013 was not carried out due to power supply shortage.

5.2 Noise

The monitoring schedule is shown in Appendix E. Results of measured noise level, in terms of $L_{eq(30min)}$ and graphical presentations are presented in Appendix F.

In the reporting month, noise exceedances of air-borne noise Limit Level were recorded at HKIVE Haking Wong Waterfront Annex (CN23) on 2 May 2013; and the Waterfront (CN32) on 2 May 2013. No air-borne noise exceedance of Action Level was recorded in the reporting month.

For the noise exceedance at HKIVE Haking Wong Waterfront Annex (CN23), actions identified in the Event and Action Plan (Table 3.4 of the EM&A Manual) were undertaken. The ER, IEC and Contractors were informed of the exceedance. According to the investigation, the exceedance was not related to the construction of XRL.

Regarding the noise exceedance at Tower 3, The Waterfront (CN32) actions identified in the Event and Action Plan (Table 3.4 of the EM&A Manual) were undertaken. The ER, IEC and Contractors were informed of the exceedance. The exceedance was likely caused by the construction activities by the contractors of 810A. Proper noise control measure was continuously implemented on site by the Contractors which were reviewed by IEC and ET.

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Since the data collected at Ying Wah College (CN26) on 2 May 2013 is at or below the baseline noise level revised in November 2012, the noise measurement is not considered as exceedances.

5.2.1 Ground-borne Noise

No ground-borne noise monitoring was conducted in the report month. The monitoring schedule is shown in Appendix E.

5.3 Ecological Monitoring

5.3.1 Ecological Monitoring on Avifaunal Communities

Ecological monitoring at MPV

The weather conditions and other noticeable activities occurring within or in the vicinity of the survey area during the monitoring were summarized in Table 5-1. The MPV-1 survey site comprised about 20 fishponds with most of them being actively managed (Figure 1 in Appendix D refers). Commonly observed pond management activities during the monitoring include pond aeration, removal of bund weeds and fish feeding. Ongoing construction activities were also recorded at the works area of the project "Proposed Comprehensive Development at Wo Shang Wai, Yuen Long" (hereinafter to be referred to as "Wo Shang Wai Project") located near Point Count Location MPV-1/P9. The bird species and their abundance recorded during the avifauna monitoring for the reporting month are presented in Appendix G.

Date	Weather Conditions	Noticeable Activities in the MPV-1 Survey Site
13 May 2013	Sunny	 Pond aeration at Point Count Locations MPV-1/P8 and MPV-1/P10 •

Table 5-1 Weather condition and noticeable activities observed in the MPV-1 survey site during monitoring in the reporting month

A total of 241 individuals from 30 avifauna species were recorded from the Point

Count Locations at MPV-1 in the reporting month (Table 5-2 refers). The total number of species recorded during the monitoring was 36. The population of the avifauna recorded mainly consisted of White-winged Tern, Eurasian Tree Sparrow and Chinese Pond Heron. Other recorded waterbirds and wetland-dependent species include Little Grebe, Egrets, Tufted Duck, Black Kite, White-breasted Waterhen, Common Sandpiper, Common Kingfisher and Red-billed Starling. Detailed records of avifauna at MPV-1 survey site are presented in Appendix G. During the monitoring, 55 individuals of White-winged Tern were observed flying around and foraging at the fish ponds at Point Count Location MPV-1/P6.

The monitoring results of the reporting month were compared against the wet season results of the baseline data from August 2009 to October 2009. The number of species at Point Count Locations and the total number of species (including the number of species of conservation interest) recorded from the MPV-1 survey site are above the baseline range, while the abundance at Point Count Locations is within the baseline range. (Table 5-2 refer).

The monitoring results indicated the fishponds within the survey area were utilized by a large number of waterbirds and wetland-dependent species in the reporting month during the monitoring. When compared with baseline results, no significant fluctuation in the number of species and abundance of avifauna was observed. Therefore, no adverse indirect impacts arising from the Project were identified.

Commen	MPV-1		
Survey	No. of Species	Abundance	
13 May 2013	30	241	
August 2009 to October2009 ¹	21 – 25	196 - 249	

Note:

1. Seasonal range obtained from baseline bird survey.

Table 5-2 Number of species and abundance of avifauna recorded in the reporting month during bird survey at the point count locations of the MPV-1 survey site

Month	Total Number of Species Recorded ^{1,2}	
13 May 2013	36 (7)	
August 2009 to October2009 ³	21 - 25 (4 - 6)	

Note:

- 1. Total number of species recorded included the avifauna recorded from both point count locations and walk transect.
- 2. The numbers in brackets denote the number of species of conservation interest.
- 3. Seasonal range obtained from baseline bird survey.

Table 5-3 Total Number of Bird Species Recorded in the Reporting Month Avifauna Monitoring at the MPV-1 survey site

Ecological monitoring at Tai Kong Po (TPP-1)

The avifauna monitoring location for the proposed works area of the TPP access road was sub-divided into three survey sites namely TPP-1, TPP-2 and TPP-3. The TPP-1 survey site is a drainage channel (KT5) with gabion / masonry banks at upper portion. The rest of the channel is trapezoidal with vegetated grasscrete banks on both sides of the channel. The downstream end of the channel joins up with a main drainage channel (95CD) (Figure 3 in Appendix D refers).

The weather condition and other noticeable activities occurring within or in the vicinity of the survey area during the monitoring are summarized in Table 5-4. The bird species and their abundance recorded during the avifauna monitoring for the reporting month are presented in Appendix G.

Date of Monitoring	Weather Condition	Noticeable Activities Observed in the TPP-1 Survey Site
13 May 2013	Sunny	- No project-related construction works located in the vicinity of the survey area

Table 5-4 Weather Condition and Noticeable Activities Observed in the TPP-1 Survey Site during the Monitoring in the Reporting Month

A total of 66 individuals from 15 avifauna species were recorded from the Point

Count Locations at TPP-1 in the reporting month (Table 5-5 refers). The total number of species recorded during the monitoring was 21. The population of the avifauna recorded mainly consisted of Scaly-breasted Munia and Eurasian Tree Sparrow. Detailed records of avifauna at TPP-1 are presented in Appendix G.

The monitoring results in the reporting month were compared against the wet season results of the baseline data from August 2009 to October 2009. The abundance and number of bird species recorded at Point Count Locations are within the baseline range, while total number of species from the TPP-1 survey site is above the baseline range. The number of species of conservation interest is within the baseline range (Tables 5-7 and 5-8 refer). (Table 5-5 and Table 5-6 refer).

The monitoring results indicated the drainage channel within the survey area was utilized by waterbirds in the reporting month during the monitoring. When compared with the baseline results, no significant fluctuation in the number of species and abundance of avifauna was observed. Therefore, no adverse indirect impacts arising from the Project were identified.

	TPP-1 Survey Site		
Survey Period	No. of Bird Species	Abundance of Bird Species	
13 May 2013	15	66	
August 2009 to October 2009 ¹	11 - 19	48 - 281	

Note:

1. Seasonal range obtained from baseline bird survey.

Table 5-5 Number of Bird Species and Abundance of Bird Species Recorded in the Reporting Month Avifauna Monitoring at the Point Count Locations of the TPP-1 Survey Site

Survey Period	Total Number of Bird Species Recorded 1,2	
13 May 2013	21 (2)	
August 2009 to October 2009 ³	11 - 19 (2 - 4)	

Note:

- 1. Total number of species recorded included the avifauna recorded from both point count locations and walk transect.
- 2. The numbers in brackets denote the number of species of conservation interest.

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3. Seasonal range obtained from baseline bird survey.

Table 5-6 Total Number of Bird Species Recorded in the Reporting Month Avifauna Monitoring at the TPP-1 Survey Site

Ecological monitoring at Tai Kong Po (TPP-2)

The weather condition and other noticeable activities occurring within or in the vicinity of the survey area during the monitoring are summarized in Table 5-7. The TPP-2 survey site covered a section of main drainage channel 95CD, which is a concrete trapezoidal channel with grasscrete banks. Plantation of native or landscape vegetation was observed along the embankment of the channel (Figure 2 in Appendix D refers). The bird species and their abundance recorded during the avifauna monitoring for the reporting month are presented in Appendix G.

Date of Monitoring	Weather Condition	Noticeable Activities Observed in the TPP-2 Survey Site	
13 May 2013	Sunny	• Project-related construction activities located near Point Count Locations TPP-2/P2 to TPP-2/P4	

Table 5-7 Weather Condition and Noticeable Activities Observed in the TPP-2 Survey Site during the Monitoring in the Reporting Month

A total of 58 individuals from 18 avifauna species were recorded from the Point Count Locations at TPP-2 in the reporting month (Table 5-8 refers). The total number of species recorded during the monitoring was 20. The population of the avifauna recorded mainly consisted of Scaly-breasted Munia, Cattle Egret and Barn Swallow. Other recorded waterbird and wetland-dependant species include Little Egret, Chinese Pond Heron, Black Kite and Little Ringed Plover. Detailed records of avifauna at TPP-2 are presented in Appendix G.

The monitoring results in the reporting month were compared against the wet season results of the baseline data from August 2009 to October 2009. The abundance of bird species recorded at Point Count Locations is within the baseline range, while the number of bird species recorded at Point Count Locations and the total number of species from the TPP-2 survey site are above the baseline range. The number of species of conservation interest is within the baseline range. (Table 5-8 and Table

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5-9 refer).

The monitoring results indicated the main drainage channel within the survey area was utilized by typical lowland stream birds in the reporting month during the monitoring. When compared with baseline results, no significant fluctuation in the number of species and abundance of avifauna was observed. Therefore, no adverse indirect impacts arising from the Project were identified.

	TPP-2 Survey Site		
Survey Period	No. of Bird Species	Abundance of Bird	
		Species	
13 May 2013	18	58	
August 2009 to October 2009 1	14	57 - 77	

Note:

1. Seasonal range obtained from baseline bird survey.

Table 5-8 Number of Bird Species and Abundance of Bird Species Recorded in the Reporting Month. Avifauna Monitoring at the Point Count Locations of the TPP-2 Survey Site

Survey Period	Total Number of Bird Species Recorded 1,2	
13 May 2013	20 (2)	
August 2009 to October 2009 ³	14 - 19 (2 - 3)	

Note:

- 1. Total number of species recorded included the avifauna recorded from both point count locations and walk transect.
- 2. The numbers in brackets denote the number of species of conservation interest.
- 3. Seasonal range obtained from baseline bird survey.

Table 5-9 Total Number of Bird Species Recorded in the Reporting Month Avifauna Monitoring at the TPP-2 Survey Site

Ecological monitoring at Tai Kong Po (TPP-3)

The weather condition and other noticeable activities occurring within or in the vicinity of the survey area during the monitoring are summarized in Table 5-10. The TPP-3 survey site is an abandoned meander (43CD-1) of conservation interest with natural banks and substratum. The earthen banks of the meander were mostly dominated by grasses and weeds. The section near point count location TPP-3/P1

was found to be usually wet though the water was quite stagnant. Due to its close proximity to a village access road of Kam Hing Wai and Shui Mei Tsuen, this section of meander was subject to higher disturbance from villagers and traffic. Point count locations TPP-3/P2 and TPP-3/P3 were only seasonally wet. During the monitoring in reporting month, point count locations TPP-3/P2 and TPP-3/P3 were wet. The bird species and their abundance recorded during the avifauna monitoring for the reporting month are presented in Appendix G.

Date of Monitoring	Weather Condition	Noticeable Activities Observed in the TPP-3 Survey Site	
13 May 2013	Sunny	- No project-related construction work located in the vicinity of the survey	
		area	

Table 5-10 Weather Condition and Noticeable Activities Observed in the TPP-3 Survey Site during the Monitoring in the Reporting Month

A total of 15 individuals from 9 avifauna species were recorded from the Point Count Locations at TPP-3 in the reporting month (Table 5-11 refers). The total number of species recorded during the monitoring was 9. Detailed records of avifauna at TPP-3 are presented in Appendix G.

The monitoring results in the reporting month were compared against the wet season results of the baseline data from August 2009 to October 2009.. The abundance and the number of bird species recorded from the Point Count Locations and the total number of bird species recorded from TPP-3 survey site are above the baseline results, while the number of species of conservation interest recorded from TPP-3 survey site is within the range of baseline result.

The monitoring results indicated the abandoned meander within the survey area was utilized by typical generalist and lowland stream species in the reporting month during the monitoring. No adverse indirect impacts arising from the Project were identified.

Survey Period	TPP-3 Survey Site
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	No. of Bird Species	Abundance of Bird
		Species
13 May 2013	9	15
August 2009 to October 2009 ¹	3 - 4	4 - 9

Note:

1. Seasonal range obtained from baseline bird survey.

Table 5-11 Number of Bird Species and Abundance of Bird Species Recorded in the Reporting Month Avifauna Monitoring at the Point Count Locations of the TPP-3 Survey Site

Survey Period	Total Number of Bird Species Recorded 1,2
13 May 2013	9 (1)
August 2009 to October 2009 ³	3 - 4 (0 - 1)

NOTE tal number of species recorded included the avifauna recorded from both point count locations and walk transect.

- 2. The numbers in brackets denote the number of species of conservation interest.
- 3. Seasonal range obtained from baseline bird survey.

Table 5-12 Total Number of Bird Species Recorded in the Reporting Month Avifauna Monitoring at the TPP-3 Survey Site

Ecological monitoring at Shek Kong Stabling Sidings (SSS-2a)

Monthly avifauna monitoring at SSS-2a was conducted during the construction work in the vicinity of SSS-2a. Construction in the vicinity of SSS-1/2b was yet commenced and ecological monitoring would be conducted according to the construction programme. SSS-2a survey site is an abandoned meander (95CD-4) of conservation interest located in the north of Wan Toi Shan. The meander is adjacent to car repairing workshops and garage. Riparian vegetation was well established although some areas of the banks were lined with concrete. The weather condition and other noticeable activities occurring within or in the vicinity of the survey area during the monitoring are summarized in Table 5-13

Date of Monitoring	Weather Condition	Noticeable Activities Observed in the SSS-2a Survey Site
13 May 2013	Sunny	Project-related construction works in the vicinity of Point Count Location

Date of Monitoring	Weather Condition	Noticeable Activities Observed in the SSS-2a Survey Site
		SSS-2a/P1

Table 5-13 Weather Condition and Noticeable Activities Observed in the SSS-2a Survey Site during the Monitoring in the Reporting Month.

A total of 12 individuals from 6 avifauna species were recorded from the Point Count Locations at SSS-2a in the reporting month (Table 5-14 refers). The total number of species recorded during the monitoring was 6. Detailed records of avifauna at SSS-2a are presented in Appendix G.

The monitoring results in the reporting month were compared against the wet season results of the baseline data from August 2009 to October 2009. The abundance and number of species at Point Count Locations (including the number of species of conservation interest) and the total number of species recorded from the SSS-2a survey site are within the baseline range (Table 5-14 and Table 5-15 refer).

When compared with the baseline results, no significant fluctuation in the number of species and abundance of avifauna was observed. Therefore, no adverse indirect impacts arising from the Project were identified.

	SSS-2a Survey Site		
Survey Period	No. of Bird Species	Abundance of Bird	
		Species	
13 May 2013	6	12	
August 2009 to October 2009 ¹	5 - 7	10 - 22	

Note:

1. Seasonal range obtained from baseline bird survey.

Table 5-14 Number of Bird Species and Abundance of Bird Species Recorded in the Reporting Month Avifauna Monitoring at the Point Count Locations of the SSS-2a Survey Site

Survey Period	Total Number of Bird Species Recorded ^{1,2}
13 May 2013	6 (0)
August 2009 to October 2009 ³	5 - 7 (0 - 1)

Note:

- 1. Total number of bird species recorded included the avifauna recorded from point count locations only as there is no walk transect for SSS-2a survey site.
- 2. The numbers in brackets denote the number of species of conservation interest.
- 3. Seasonal range obtained from baseline bird survey.

Table 5-15 Total Number of Bird Species Recorded in the Reporting Month Avifauna Monitoring at the SSS-2a Survey Site

Ecological monitoring at Shek Kong Stabling Sidings (SSS-3)

Construction in the vicinity of SSS-1/2b was yet commenced and ecological monitoring would be conducted according to the construction programme. The weather condition and other noticeable activities occurring within or in the vicinity of the survey area during the monitoring are summarized in Table 5-16. The farmland in SSS-3 survey site displayed a distinctive seasonal crop rotation pattern between wet agriculture (*Ipomoea aquatica*) in summer season and dry agriculture (seasonal flowers such as *Gladiolus gandavensis*) in winter season (Figure 4 in Appendix D refers). The bird species and their abundance recorded during the avifauna monitoring for the reporting month are presented in Appendix G.

Date of Monitoring	Weather Condition	Noticeable Activities Observed in the SSS-3 Survey Site
13 May 2013	Sunny	 Project-related construction works at Point Count Location SSS-3/P8 and near Point Count Location SSS-3/P6 Both wet and dry agricultural activities such as farming of vegetables (Ipomoea aquatica and Lactuca sativa) and ornamental flowers were observed Non project-related construction works at Point Count Location SSS-3/P6 One White-shouldered Starling nest and one Black-collared Starling nest were identified at Point Count

Date of Monitoring	Weather Condition	Noticeable Activities Observed in the SSS-3 Survey Site
		Location SSS-3/P11

Table 5-16 Weather Condition and Noticeable Activities Observed in the SSS-3 Survey Site during the Monitoring in the Reporting Month

A total of 235 individuals from 25 avifauna species were recorded from the Point Count Locations at SSS-3 in the reporting month (Table 5-17 refers). The total number of species recorded during the monitoring was 29. Detailed records of avifauna at SSS-3 are presented in Appendix G.

The monitoring results in the reporting month were compared against the wet season data from August 2009 to October 2009. The abundance and number of bird species recorded at Point Count Locations are within the baseline range, while the total number of species from the SSS-3 survey site is above the baseline range. The number of species of conservation interest is within the baseline range (Table 5-17 and Table 5-18 refer).

The monitoring results indicated the agricultural lands within the survey area were utilized by typical bird species found in dry farmland in the reporting month during the monitoring. No significant fluctuation was observed in the number of species and abundance of avifauna. Therefore, no adverse indirect impacts arising from the Project were identified.

	SSS-3 Survey Site		
Survey Period	No. of Bird Species	Abundance of Bird	
		Species	
13 May 2013	25	235	
August 2009 to October 2009 ¹	21 - 27	126 - 289	

Note:

1. Seasonal range obtained from baseline bird survey.

Table 5-17 Number of Bird Species and Abundance of Bird Species Recorded in the Reporting Month Avifauna Monitoring at the Point Count Locations of the SSS-3 Survey Site

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13 May 2013	29 (3)
August 2009 to October 2009 ³	22 - 27 (2 - 4)

Note:

- 1. Total number of species recorded included the avifauna recorded from both point count locations and walk transect.
- 2. The numbers in brackets denote the number of species of conservation interest.
- 3. Seasonal range obtained from baseline bird survey.

Table 5-18 Total Number of Bird Species Recorded in the Reporting Month Avifauna Monitoring at the SSS-3 Survey Site

Ecological monitoring at PHV and TUW

The weather condition and other noticeable activities occurring within or in the vicinity of the survey area during the monitoring are summarized in Table 5-19. The TUW-1 survey site encompassed a large piece of agricultural land located to the south of Kam Sheung Road (i.e. Tse Uk Tsuen). The agricultural land in TUW-1 survey site shared the habitat characteristics of SSS-3 survey site. Similar seasonal alternation between wet and dry agriculture was also recorded from TUW-1 survey site (Figure 5 in Appendix D refers). The bird species and their abundance recorded during the avifauna monitoring for the reporting month are presented in Appendix G.

Date of Monitoring	Weather Condition	Noticeable Activities Observed in the TUW-1 Survey Site
13 May 2013	Sunny	 Project-related construction works near Point Count Location TUW-1/P1 Wet and dry agricultural activities such as farming of vegetables (Ipomoea aquatica and Zea mays) at Point Count Locations TUW-1/P2, TUW-1/P3 and TUW-1/P4

Table 5-19 Weather Condition and Noticeable Activities Observed in the TUW-1 Survey Site during the Monitoring in the Reporting Month

A total of 117 individuals from 23 avifauna species were recorded from the Point

Count Locations at TUW-1 in the reporting month (Table 5-20 refers). The total number of species recorded during the monitoring was 30. The population of the avifauna recorded mainly consisted of Barn Swallow and Chinese Bulbul. Detailed records of avifauna at TUW-1 are presented in Appendix G.

The monitoring results in the reporting month were compared against the wet season data from August 2009 to October 2009. The abundance of bird species recorded from Point Count Locations are below the baseline range, while the number of bird species recorded from Point Count Locations is within the baseline range. The total number of bird species recorded from TUW-1 is above the baseline range. The number of species of conservation interest is within the baseline range. (Table 5-20 and Table 5-21 refer).

The monitoring results indicated the agricultural lands within the survey area were utilized by typical bird species found in dry farmland in the reporting month during the monitoring. No significant fluctuation in the number of species and abundance of avifauna was observed. Therefore, no adverse indirect impacts arising from the Project were identified.

	TUW-1 Survey Site		
Survey Period	No. of Bird Species	Abundance of Bird	
		Species	
13 May 2013	23	117	
August 2009 to October 2009 ¹	21 - 24	124 - 134	

Note: 1. Seasonal range obtained from baseline bird survey.

Table 5-20 Number of Bird Species and Abundance of Bird Species Recorded in the Reporting Month Avifauna Monitoring at the Point Count Locations of the TUW-1 Survey Site

Survey Period	Total Number of Bird Species Recorded ^{1,2}
13 May 2013	30 (3)
August 2009 to October 2009 ³	21 - 24 (2 - 3)

Note:

1. Total number of species recorded included the avifauna recorded from both point count locations and walk transect.

- 2. The numbers in brackets denote the number of species of conservation interest.
- 3. Seasonal range obtained from baseline bird survey.

Table 5-21 Total Number of Bird Species Recorded in the Reporting Month Avifauna Monitoring at the TUW-1 Survey Site

Since the extent of PHV-1 survey site is overlapped with that of TUW-2 survey site, the survey data of the TUW-2 and PHV-1 survey sites were reported collectively. Monthly avifauna monitoring at TUW-2 and PHV-1 survey site was conducted on 16 April 2013 during the construction of TUW and PHV. The weather condition and other noticeable activities occurring within or in the vicinity of the survey area during the monitoring are summarized in Table 5-22. The TUW-2 and PHV-1 survey site comprised the woodland in Conservation Area (CA) within 500 m from the boundary of the PHV works area (Figure 6 in Appendix D refers). The bird species and their abundance recorded during the avifauna monitoring for the reporting month are presented in Appendix G.

Date of Monitoring	Weather Condition	Noticeable Activities Observed in the TUW-2 and PHV-1 Survey Site
13 May 2013	Sunny	- Construction works located in the vicinity of the survey area

Table 5-22 Weather Condition and Noticeable Activities Observed in the TUW-2 and PHV-1 Survey Site during the Monitoring in the Reporting Month

A total of 14 individuals from 8 avifauna species were recorded from the Point Count Locations at TUW-2 and PHV-1 in the reporting month (Table 5-23 refers). The total number of species recorded during the monitoring was 18. Detailed records of avifauna at TUW-2 and PHV-1 are presented in Appendix G.

The monitoring results in the reporting month were compared against the wet season results of the baseline data from August 2009 to October 2009. The abundance and the number of bird species recorded from the Point Count Locations are within the baseline range, while the total number of species (including the number of species of conservation interest) recorded from TUW-2 and PHV-1 survey site is above the baseline range. (Table 5-23 and Table 5-24 refer).

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The monitoring results indicated the woodland within the survey area was utilized by typical forest birds in the reporting month during the monitoring. No adverse indirect impacts arising from the Project were identified.

	TUW-2 and PHV-1 Survey Site	
Survey Period	No. of Bird Species	Abundance of Bird
		Species
13 May 2013	8	14
August 2009 to October 2009 ¹	5 - 9	9 - 20

Note Seasonal range obtained from baseline bird survey.

Table 5-23 Number of Bird Species and Abundance of Bird Species Recorded in the Reporting

Month Avifauna Monitoring at the Point Count Locations of the TUW-2 and PHV-1

Survey Site

Survey Period	Total Number of Bird Species Recorded 1,2
13 May 2013	18 (1)
August 2009 to October 2009 ³	7 - 13 (0)

Note:

- 1. Total number of bird species recorded included the avifauna recorded from both point count locations and walk transect.
- 2. The numbers in brackets denote the number of species of conservation interest.
- 3. Seasonal range obtained from baseline bird survey.

Table 5-24 Total Number of Bird Species Recorded in the Reporting Month Avifauna Monitoring at the TUW-2 and PHV-1 Survey Site

5.3.2 Monitoring of impact at fishpond due to noise

In accordance with the Monitoring and Emergency Response Plan, impact noise monitoring was conducted at fish pond on weekly basis for assessment of impact at fishponds due to noise. The results are displayed in the table below. It was revealed from the monitoring results that all monitoring results were within the Limit Level of 75 dB(A). Based on the monitoring results, there was no adverse impact at fishpond due to noise.

Monitoring Date	L_{eq} , $dB(A)$
4/5/2013	55
11/5/2013	51
18/5/2013	51
25/5/2013	54

Table 5-25 Noise monitoring results at fishpond in Mai Po

5.4 Waste Management

The quantities of waste disposed from this Project during the reporting month and the previous 2 months are summarized in the table below. Inert C&D materials are disposed to public fills unless otherwise specified.

Reporting Month	Inert C&D	Non-inert C&D	Chemical
	¹ Materials	² Materials	Waste
	(tonnes)	(tonnes)	(Litre)
Contract 802 ³			
March 2013	5,727	1.35	1600
April 2013	6,090	7	0
May 2013	6,336	4	0
Contract 805			
March 2013	126.05	4.53	0
April 2013	28.92	0	0
May 2013	336.4	6.4	0
Contract 810A ⁴			
March 2013	107,679.9 {15,547.6}	134.8	0
April 2013	78,444.3 {11,725.6}	166.4	0
May 2013	67,259.3 {1,928.8}	180.7	0
Contract 810B ⁵			
March 2013	19,682.0 {31,432.12}	102.4	0
April 2013	35,467.0 {18,462.17}	103.1	0
May 2013	28,884.0 {14,322.81}	120.9	0
Contract 811A 14			

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Reporting Month	Inert C&D	Non-inert C&D	Chemical
	¹ Materials	² Materials	Waste
	(tonnes)	(tonnes)	(Litre)
March 2013	24,094.83 {0}	23.32	400kg
April 2013	11,000.92 {0}	34.14	400kg
May 2013	13,314.28 {0}	40.52	200L
Contract 811B ⁶			
March 2013	30,911.4 {0}	64.57	1600
April 2013	25,126.21 {2,821.49}	58.88	200
May 2013	44,238.87 {5,760.06}	46.44	800
Contract 820 ⁷			
March 2013	2,178.6	161.9	2000
April 2013	2,911.5	143.9	1400
May 2013	2,692.7	158.2	1200
Contract 821 ⁸			
March 2013	8,902.0	108.4	560
April 2013	2692.2	154.5	850
May 2013	1765.6	259.7	830
Contract 822 ⁹			
March 2013	116,074.10	68.08	5600
April 2013	174.682.67	79.21	2200
May 2013	196,174.51	87.33	5400
Contract 823A ¹⁰			
March 2013	37,599.03	63.32	0
April 2013	19,538.25	129.86	0
May 2013	30,511.73	48.620	0
Contract 823B ¹¹			
March 2013	168,116.21	484.80	
April 2013	84,560.72	323.81	0
May 2013	84,274.94	217.114	0
Contract 824 ¹²			
March 2013	13,146.7	5.4	0
April 2013	59,207.2	27.8	0
May 2013	59,628.2	46	0
Contract 825 ¹³			
March 2013	30,517	57.94	200
April 2013	34,472	72.84	0

Reporting Month	Inert C&D	Non-inert C&D	Chemical
	¹ Materials	² Materials	Waste
	(tonnes)	(tonnes)	(Litre)
May 2013	18,075	45.01	0

Table 5-26 Summary of construction waste generated and disposed

Note:

- 1. Inert C&D materials include bricks, concrete, building debris, rubble and excavated soil.
- Non-inert C&D materials include steel, paper / cardboard packaging waste, plastics and other wastes such as general refuse.
- Alternative disposal site for inert C&D Material from 802 include TPTL No. 187, Pak Shek Kok, Tai Po, N.T.
- Alternative disposal sites for inert C&D material from 810A include SENT Landfill, Zhongshan
 & Zhuhai, Mainland China.
- 5. Alternative disposal sites for inert C&D Material from 810B include Central-Wan Chai Bypass (Typhoon Shelter and HKCEC) and Zhongshan Torch Hi-Tech Zone.
- Alternative disposal sites for inert C&D Material from Contract 811B include Widening of Tolo highway / Fanling Highway (HY/2009/908), SIL Contract 908, MaXin District Development, Zhong Shan.
- 7. Alternative disposal sites for inert C&D Material from Contract 820 include Zhuhai and Zhongshan, China.
- 8. Alternative disposal sites for inert C&D Material from Contract 821 include Zongshan, China.
- 9. Alternative disposal sites for inert C&D Material from Contract 822 include Lam Tei Quarry , WENT landfill, New School Campus in Sai Kung for Hong Kong Academy, Proposed Comprehensive Development at STTL 502 Lok Wo Sha Ma On Shan And HY/2008/12 Bus-bus interchanges on Tuen Mun Road, Drainage Services Department Contract No. DC/2010102 Drainage Improvement Works in Shuen Wan and Shek Wu Wai,
- Alternative disposal sites for inert C&D Material from Contract 823A include NENT landfill (re-used as cover material) and Shui Mei Tsuen
- 11. Alternative disposal sites for inert C&D Material from Contract 823B include WENT landfill, CCSV, Pak Fu Shan (DC/2011/06) and Pillar Point (DC/2008/03).
- 12. Alternative disposal sites for inert C&D Material from Contract 824 include WENT landfill for re-use.
- Alternative disposal sites for inert C&D Material from Contract 825 include WENT landfill for re-use.
- 14. Solid waste such as waste battery and paint cans are reported in kilograms (kg) and liquid chemical waste such as lube and paint are reported in litres (l). Alternative disposal sites for inert

C&D Material from 811A include Central-Wan Chai Bypass (Typhoon Shelter and HKCEC) and Zhongshan Torch Hi-Tech Zone.

15 Figures in { } denotes the quantity of marine sediment disposal not included in inert C&D Material.

5.5. Landscape and Visual

5.5.1 Monitoring Requirement

A Certified Arborist was employed and has conducted inspection and audits and found that the tree protection works being carried out by the civil works and transplanting contractors were in accordance with EP/EIA.

Monitoring of the implementation of landscape and visual aspect including the tree protection measures during construction phase was conducted in accordance with the requirements of EP condition 2.15 and Section 5.6 of the EM&A Manual.

5.5.2 Audit Result

Regular monitoring and audit was undertaken in accordance with the requirement of EP condition 2.15 and Section 5.6 of the EM&A Manual.

Tree Transplanting Works at Contract 801

801 Contractor was pending for some maintenance work in two nursery sites for 2 months e.g. spraying of fungicides and insecticides and weeding. Meeting was held with 801 contractor to improve the response time and MTR has requested 801 to propose date for the above works.

Some of planter box was collapsed. Contractor have replaced the old planter with new planter. The replacement process would be continued.

Tree Protection Work 802

No major tree issue on site. Tree protection measures that implemented by the contractor was required to enhance on site.

Tree Protection Work 805

No major tree issue on site. Tree protection measures that implemented by the contractor was required to enhance on site.

Tree Protection Work 811A

Trees have been fenced off but temporary pedestrian access has been established through the retained trees. Some of branches were wrapped by protection materials. Scaffolding structure has been adjusted so it does not attach to the tree branches / stems. No specific issue on tree protection.

Tree Protection Work 811B

No major tree defects or damaged was observed after installation of noise barrier near T1808. No major tree issue..

Tree Protection Work 816D

No specific issue.

Tree Protection Work 820

No specific issue but some of the transplanted trees in the nursery sites were required horticultural maintenance e.g. replacement of collapsed rootball, weeding and spraying of fungicides and insecticides.

Tree Protection Work 821

T7181 was found dead since Aug 2012 due to problem of soil compaction. The contractor was requested to submit the compensation proposal for the approval of MTR. Contractor was requested to remove T7181 immediately. For the other trees, some are required to carry out pest control by using fungicides and insecticides.

Tree Protection Work 822

Some of the protective fencing was pushed inward due to placement of storage materials. The contractor is strictly required to follow the recommendations given by EP Arborist for the improvement of tree protection. Reminder was given to contractor as precautionary measures. Transplanted trees in Pat Heung is required to be compensated by the contractor once those trees could not recovered by the transplantation shock.

Tree Protection Work 823A

Tree protection work was completed - on stage and reinforced once again. Close monitoring on progress of the contractor in improving tree protection measures was undertaken.

Tree Protection Wok 823B

As 823 A and B is the same civil contractor. All the observation in 823A is applicable to 823B. The major focus on the retained trees and improvement on the overall sense of tree protection measures of the contractor was required to be improved. T3113 may have potential to be damaged by construction work. Re-design of alignment of pedestrian link was under reviewed to ensure the protection measures was sufficiently protected the trees.

Tree Protection Work 824

No specific issue. Tree protection measures was recommended to contractor for further site improvement.

Tree Protection Work 825

Important tree (T1539(P)) was properly protected and no specific issue. There was no specific observation on other aspects of landscape and visual monitoring.

Tree Protection Work 826

7 transplanted trees from 825 were regarded as retained trees for 826. Weeding was carried out. Proper drainage was recommended.

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5.6 Cultural Heritage

Construction works between 50m and 100m from Cheung Yuen (LET-06) were conducted in the reporting month. Regular vibration monitoring at 2 monitoring locations were conducted weekly in the reporting month. Calibrated vibration and overpressure monitors, Minimate Plus were used for the vibration monitoring. There was no exceedance of vibration level of 25mm/s for the monitoring on 08, 13, 20 and 30 May 2013. Monitoring location plan are attached in Appendix D.

	Peak Vector Sum (mm/s)	
Date	C823B_NB142_VIBR1	C823B_NB142_VIBR2
08 May 2013	0.398	1.730
13 May 2013	0.275	0.307
20 May 2013	0.172	0.116
30 May 2013	1.670	0.255

5.7 Landfill Gas

No monitoring was carried out in this reporting month since there was no construction within Gin Drinker Bays Landfill (GDBL) consultation zone. Monitoring was carried out in the reporting month within the Ngau Tam Mei Landfill (NTML) and no exceedance was recorded.

6. SITE INSPECTION

Regular site inspections on all environmental aspects under the EM&A Manual were attended by representatives from ET and Contractors. The site inspections were carried out at 802/805 in Nam Cheong, 810A/B and 811A/B in West Kowloon, 820/821 in Nam Cheong, 822 in Shing Mun, Shek Yam and So Kwun Wat, Tsing Chau Tsai and Tai Shu Ha Road West, 823A/B in Shek Kong Stabling Sidings, 824 in Tai Kong Po and Ngau Tam Mei, 825 in Mai Po and Siu Lam Barging Point and dates are shown in the following table. In addition to the regular site inspections attended by ET and Contractors, monthly IEC environmental audits attended by IEC, ET and Contractors were held on 15 May 2013 for 802; 15 May 2013 for 805; 9 May 2013 for 810A; 30 May 2013 for 810B; 7 May 2013 for 811A; 15 May 2013 for 811B; 16 May 2013 for 820; 6 May 2013 for 821, 2 May 2013 for 822; 7 May 2013 for 823A; 7 May for 823B; 21 May 2013 for 824 and 9 May 2013 for 825.

Contract	Date of Site Inspections
802	3/5, 7/5, 15/5, 22/5 and 31/5
810A	2/5, 9/5, 16/5, 23/5 and 30/5
810B	2/5, 8/5, 15/5, 23/5 and 30/5
805	3/5, 7/5, 15/5, 22/5 and 31/5
811A	7/5, 14/5, 21/5 and 28/5
811B	2/5, 10/5, 15/5 and 23/5
820	2/5, 9/5, 16/5, 23/5 and 30/5
821	6/5, 13/5, 20/5 and 27/5
822	2/5, 9/5, 16/5, 23/5 and 30/5
823A	2/5, 7/5, 15/5, 23/5 and 29/5
823B	2/5, 7/5, 15/5, 23/5 and 29/5
824	7/5, 14/5, 21/5 and 30/5

Contract	Date of Site Inspections
825	2/5, 9/5, 15/5, 24/5 and 29/5

Table 6-1: Date of site inspection

All observations have been recorded in the audit checklist and passed to the Contractor together with the appropriate recommended mitigation measures where necessary. The key observations from these site inspections and Contractor's follow-up action are summarized in Table 6-2 below.

Item	Description	Contractor's Follow-up Action(s)
		Undertaken
Contr	act 802	
1	Cement bags were not covered.	The cement bags were covered properly.
		Rectified on 31/5.
Contra	act 805	
1	Dust suppression measure was not	The excavated material was covered
	implemented for dusty stockpile	entirely with tarpaulins.
	at depot.	
2	Some chemical waste (paint can)	Painting can have been stored in chemical
	was not properly stored.	storage area.
Contra	act 810A	
1	No proper drainage system was	The surface of material storage area has
	connected to the manually vehicle	been repayed and diverted the washed
	washing at the material storage	water to the water collection system for
	area adjacent to the Site Office.	treatment next to the Site Office.
Contra	act 810B	
1	Surface washing water (mixed	Sandbags have been provided to prevent
	with sand) near site gate WKT-1	washed water running out of the site.
	was ran off to the public	
	walkway.	
Contr	act 811A	

Item	Description	Contractor's Follow-up Action(s) Undertaken
1	U-channel leading to outside the site boundary was found without	The U-channel was cleaned and blocked by sand bag.
	proper blockage.	
2	Cover of dump truck was found damaged.	The cover of the dump truck has been repaired.
Contr	act 811B	·
1	A drum of lubricant was found without a drip tray.	The chemical container had been removed off-site.
2	Bare ground and haul road was found dry and dusty.	Water would be sprayed regularly.
Contr	act 820	
1	Direct discharge of stagnant water from excavated trench to the effluent discharge point was observed at the Rising Main site.	The water was diverted to a water tank for further treatment by wetsep.
2	Idled stockpile was observed without dust suppression measure at the Barging Point.	The stockpile was covered properly.
Contr	act 821	
1	Dust curtain was observed broken at the tipping hall of the Barging Point.	The dust curtain was replaced.
2	Chemical drum was observed storing on the bare ground at the KCV site.	The chemical drum was removed by the sub-contractor.
Contr	act 822	
1	Some containers of chemical waste	Chemical Waste Labels were fitted on th

	at the tipping hall of the Barging				
	Point.				
2	Chemical drum was observed	The chemical drum was removed by the			
	storing on the bare ground at the	sub-contractor.			
	KCV site.				
Contr	Contract 822				
1	Some containers of chemical waste	Chemical Waste Labels were fitted on the			
	were not properly labelled.	oil drums.			
Contract 823A					
1	Dark smoke was observed from	Regular maintenance was provided			
	crawler crane				
2	Mud was observed near the	Mud was removed from the concerned			
	surface channel at Tsat Sing Kong	area			
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Item	Description	Contractor's Follow-up Action(s) Undertaken	
Contr	act 823B		
1	Chemicals for Wetsept was observed	Concrete bund has been constructed to	
	without drip tray	avoid leakage of chemical.	
2	Drip tray for Wesept was full of	Water was cleared regularly	
	water		
Contr	Contract 824		
1	Silt and mud observed at	Silt and mud was cleared.	
	U-channel within TKP site.		
2	Dump trucks would rely on	A large and clear signage to be put up	
	manual direction for use of wheel	on-site.	
	washing bay before leaving site		
Contr	Contract 825		
1	Large pile of soil was observed	The soil not in use was covered by	
	sitting on ground at mud pits area.	tarpaulin sheet.	
2	Sediments was observed at	The sediments at u-channel was cleaned.	
	u-channel along hoarding.		
3	Mud trail was observed at the	The trail was cleared immediately.	
	access road.		

Table 6-2 Summary of site inspections, recommendations and follow-up actions

7. NON-COMPLIANCE AND DEFICIENCY

7.1 Summary of Complaint

For this reporting month, a total of 2 environmental complaints were referred from EPD. There are a total of 167 environmental complaints since commencement of the construction. The complaints were handled in accordance to the EM&A Manual and relevant parties including the Engineer's Representative and IEC were informed of the complaint. The details of complaint are summarized as below:

The environmental complaints received were related to dust impact and concern on surface runoff from MTR construction site at Ngau Tam Mei ventilation building.

Two complaints were referred from EPD on 28 May 2013 regarding dust impact and concern on surface runoff from MTR construction site and vehicles at Ngau Tam Mei. The complaint handling procedures in accordance with the EM&A Manual have been undertaken. Investigations showed that dust suppression measures such as water spraying system and wheel washing functioned properly. At the area where haul road is constructing, the exposed soil was covered as far as practicable; also, a water pump is provided at the slope toe to collect any runoff during heavy rainfall. Nonetheless, the Contractor was reminded to reinforce the implementation of dust suppression measures.

7.2 Summary of Exceedance

In the reporting month, noise exceedances of air-borne noise Limit Level were recorded. Air-borne noise Limit Level exceedances were recorded at HKIVE Haking Wong Waterfront Annex (CN23) on 2 May 2013; and Tower 3, the Waterfront (CN32) on 2 May 2013. No air-borne noise exceedance of Action Level was recorded in the reporting month

In the reporting month, no exceedance of 24-hour TSP was recorded.

For the noise exceedance at HKIVE Haking Wong Waterfront Annex (CN23), actions identified in the Event and Action Plan (Table 3.4 of the EM&A Manual)

were undertaken. The ER, IEC and Contractors were informed of the exceedance. According to the investigation, the exceedance was not related to the construction of XRL.

Regarding the noise exceedances at Tower 3, The Waterfront (CN32) actions identified in the Event and Action Plan (Table 3.4 of the EM&A Manual) were undertaken. The ER, IEC and Contractors were informed of the exceedance. The exceedance was likely caused by the construction activities by the contractors of 810A. Proper noise control measure was continuously implemented on site by the Contractors which were reviewed by IEC and ET.

7.3 Summary of Notification of Summons, Prosecutions, Non-compliance and Corrective Actions

No non-compliance, notification of summons and prosecution was received during the reporting period.

8. FUTURE KEY ISSUES

8.1 Construction Works in Coming Months

Works to be undertaken for the following months are summarized below. The works presented below is tentative and subject to change in actual construction programme.

Contract 802 (Works Area Q)

H-pile extraction, excavation, bored pile construction

Contract 805 (Works Area N & O)

Bridge construction

Demolition of temporary footbridge

Contract 805 (Works Area S)

Bridge construction

Contract 810A (Works Area V1)

Excavation & Site Formation; Slab Construction; Installing Cruciform Columns; Installing Socketted H-piles and Temporary Stanchions; Bored Piling; Welding and Sheet Piling

Contract 810B (Works Area V1)

Predrilling; Installation/Dismantling of Strutting; Bored piling; Sheet piling; Bulk Excavation; Station Structure Construction Work; Construction of Desilting Chamber; Haul Road Improvement Work; Jet Grouting outside the Harbourside; King Post works and Grout Curtain Work for Pipepile Wall

Contract 810B (Works Area W)

Operation of Barging Facilities

Contract 811A (Works Area V2)

Construction of tunnel box, rebar fixing, waterproof works, installation of

steel waler and strut, and main excavation

Contract 811A (Works Area U)

Site Office

Contract 811B (Works Area V2 & Y)

Construction for diaphragm wall, pre-bored H-piles installation, casting of capping beam and flood protection wall, casting of B2 slab, bulk excavation, pipe jacking, and operation of Nam Cheong Barging Point

Contract 820 (Works Area L)

Nil

Contract 820 (Works Area M)

Nil

Contract 820 (Works Area P)

TBM operation

Contract 820 (Works Area R)

Piling and drainage work

Contract 820 (Works Area S)

Nil

Contract 816D (Works Area T)

Site Office

Contract 820 (Works Area Y)

Slurry Treatment Plan operation, C&D disposal from ground to barge

Contract 820 (Works Area V2)

Preparation works for TBM disassembly

Contract 821 (Works Area J)

Construction of sump pit, tunnel lining formwork, construction of Kwai Chung Ventilation Building

Contract 821 (Works Area Y)

Operation of the barging point, inert waste sorting, stockpiling, delivery of excavated materials from XRL projects by barge

Contract 822 (Works Area F)

Tunnel construction, building construction

Contract 822 (Works Area G)

Shaft construction and building construction

Contract 822 (Works Area H)

Main tunnel construction.

Contract 822 (Works Area I)

Storage of equipment and material

Contract 822 (Works Area K)

Site Office

Contract 822 (Works Area AC)

Nil

Contract 822 (Works Area AE)

Nil

Contract 822 (Works Area AG)

Nil

Contract 823A and 823B (Works Areas D and D1)

Foundation and superstructure works for buildings, cut and cover tunnel excavation, TBM operation

Contract 823A and 822(Works Area E)

Shaft construction

Contract 823B (To Kau Wan Works Areas)

Nil

Contract 823B (Works Areas Z)	
Nil	
Contract 824 (Works Area B)	
Tunnel construction	
Contract 824 (Works Area C)	
Tunnel construction	
Contract 824 (Works Area AF)	
Nil	
Contract 825 (Works Area A)	
TBM driving and mucking out activities	
Second TBM initial drive	
Contract 825 (Works Area AA)	
Nil	

Table 8-1 Summary of construction works in coming months

Impact monitoring would be continued according to the construction programme.

8.2 Monitoring Schedule for Next Month

According to the latest programme, ground-borne noise monitoring at GN 5 will be resumed. The tentative schedule of TSP, noise and ecological monitoring for the next reporting period is presented in Appendix E.

9. CONCLUSIONS

The Report presents the results of EM&A works and the impact monitoring for the construction works of the XRL project undertaken during the period of from 1 to 31 May 2013. The major construction activities in the reporting period included works in the West Kowloon Works Areas, Nam Cheong, Kwai Chung, Shing Mun, Shek Yam, Pat Heung, Shek Kong, Tai Kong Po, Ngau Tam Mei, Mai Po Works Area and Barging Points.

Impact monitoring for air quality and noise were conducted in accordance with the EM&A Manual in the reporting period. Exceedances of Limit Level in air-borne noise were recorded at HKIVE Haking Wong Waterfront Annex (CN23); and Tower 3, the Waterfront (CN32). No air-borne noise action level exceedance was recorded in the reporting month. In the reporting month, no ground-borne noise monitoring was conducted. In the reporting month, no exceedance of 24-hour TSP was recorded. No non-compliance, notification of summons and prosecution was received during the reporting period.

For the reporting month, a total of 2 environmental complaints were referred from EPD. The environmental complaints received were related to dust impact and concern on surface runoff from MTR construction site at Ngau Tam Mei ventilation building. Complaint investigations are being conducted in accordance with the complaint handling procedure in the EM&A Manual.

Site inspections were conducted regularly to monitor proper implementation of environmental pollution control and mitigation measures for the Project. The ET would continue the implementation of the environmental monitoring and audit programme in accordance to the EM&A Manual and to a level consistent with MTRCL's Corporate Sustainability Policy.

Appendix A

Works Area

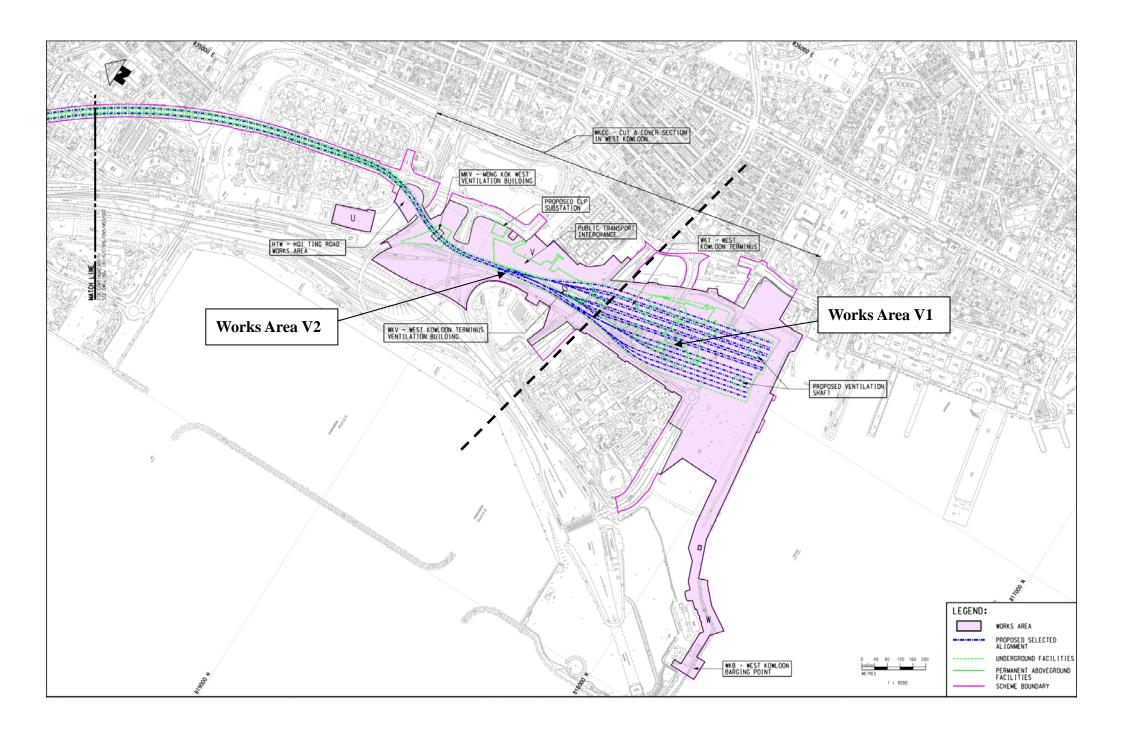
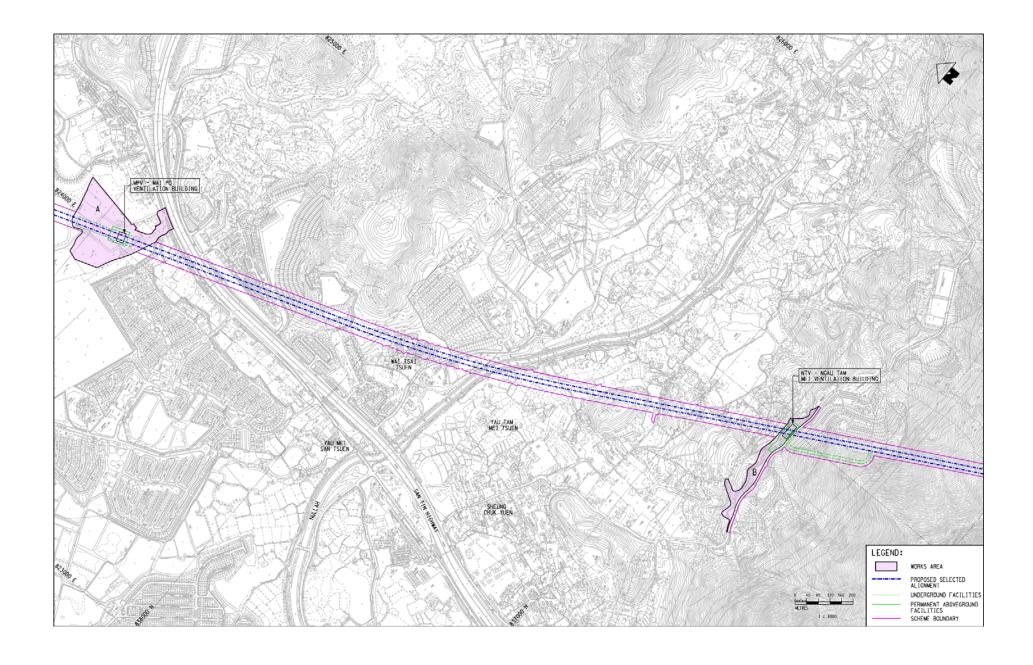
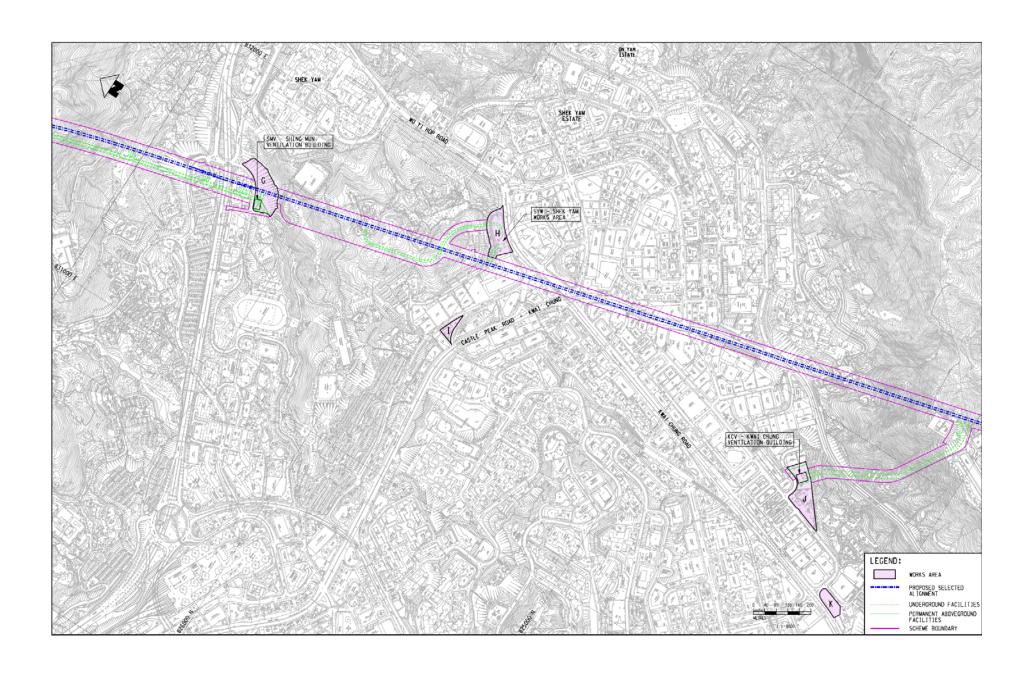
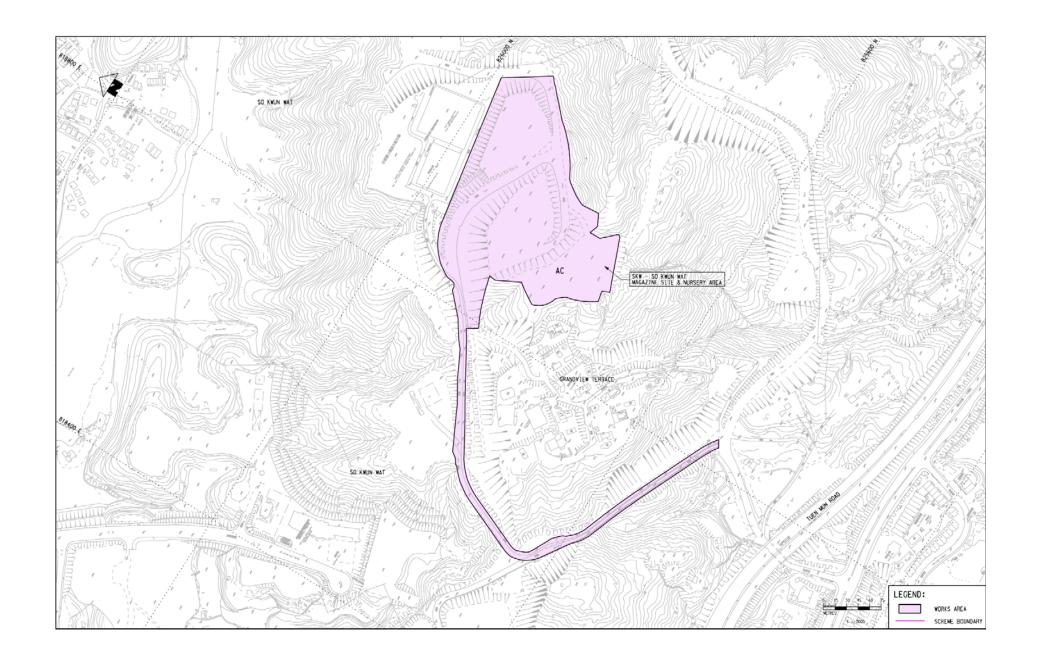
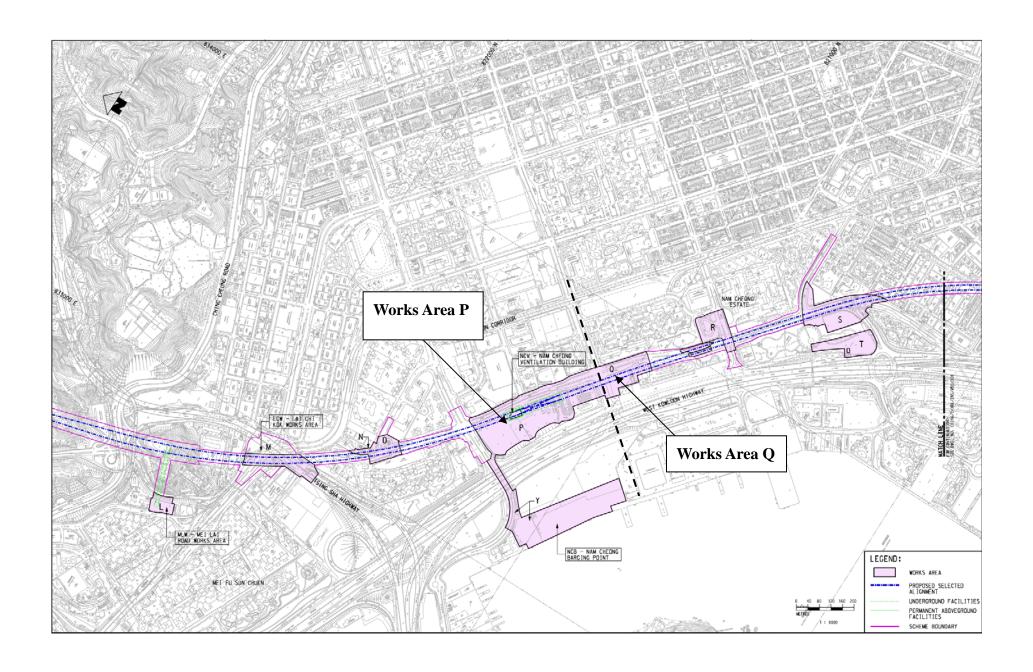


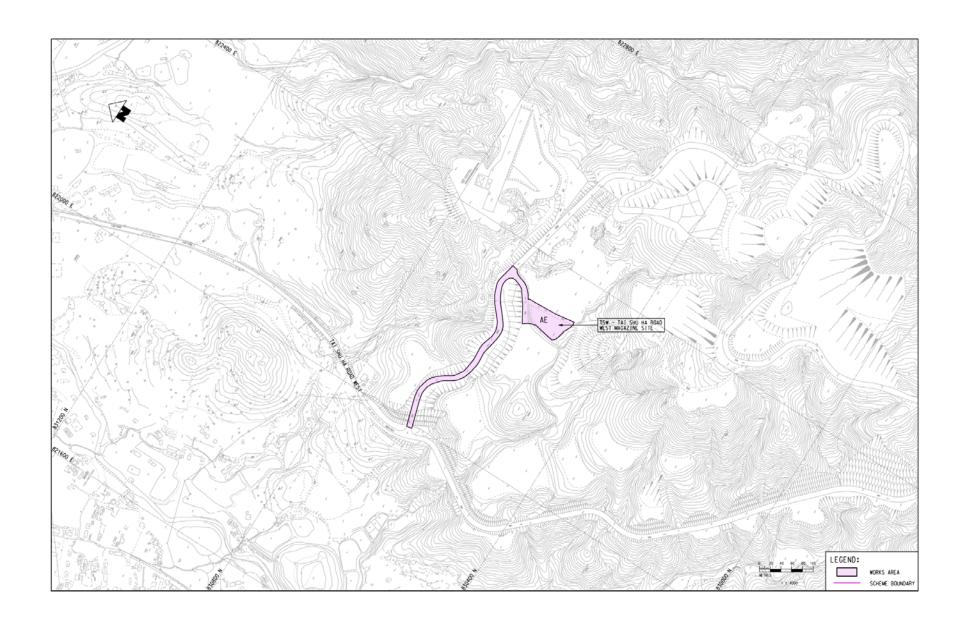
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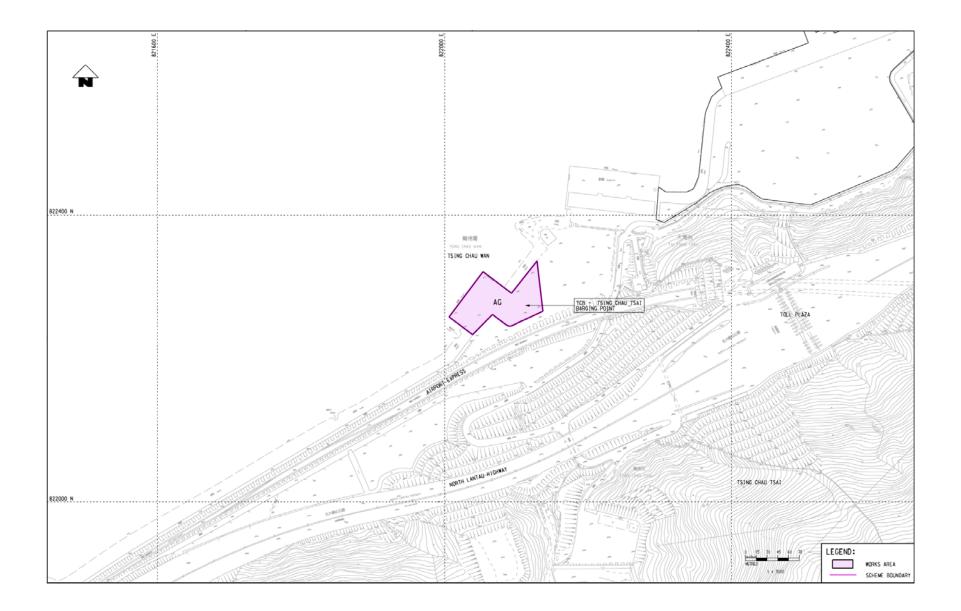


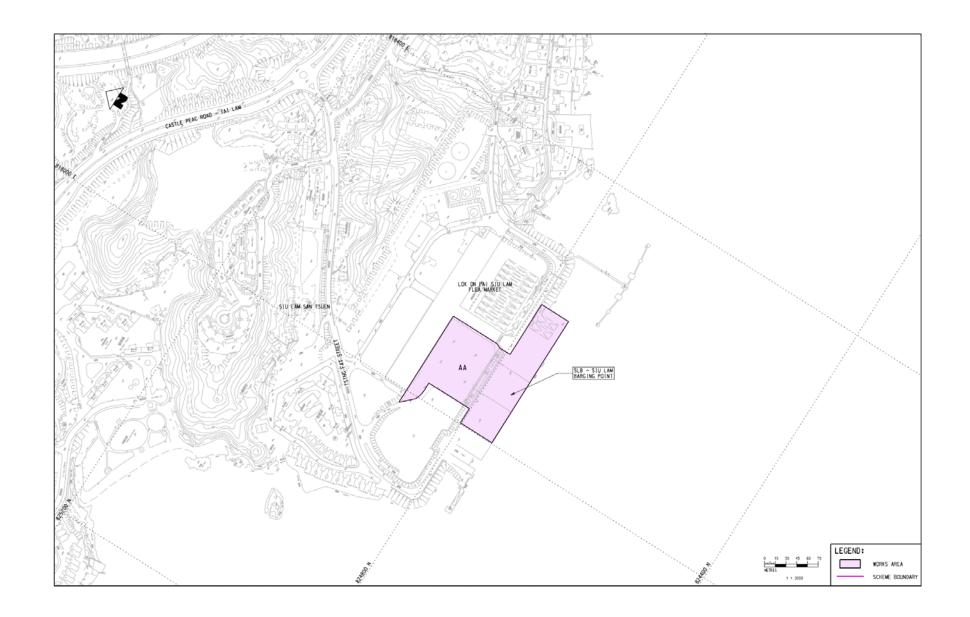


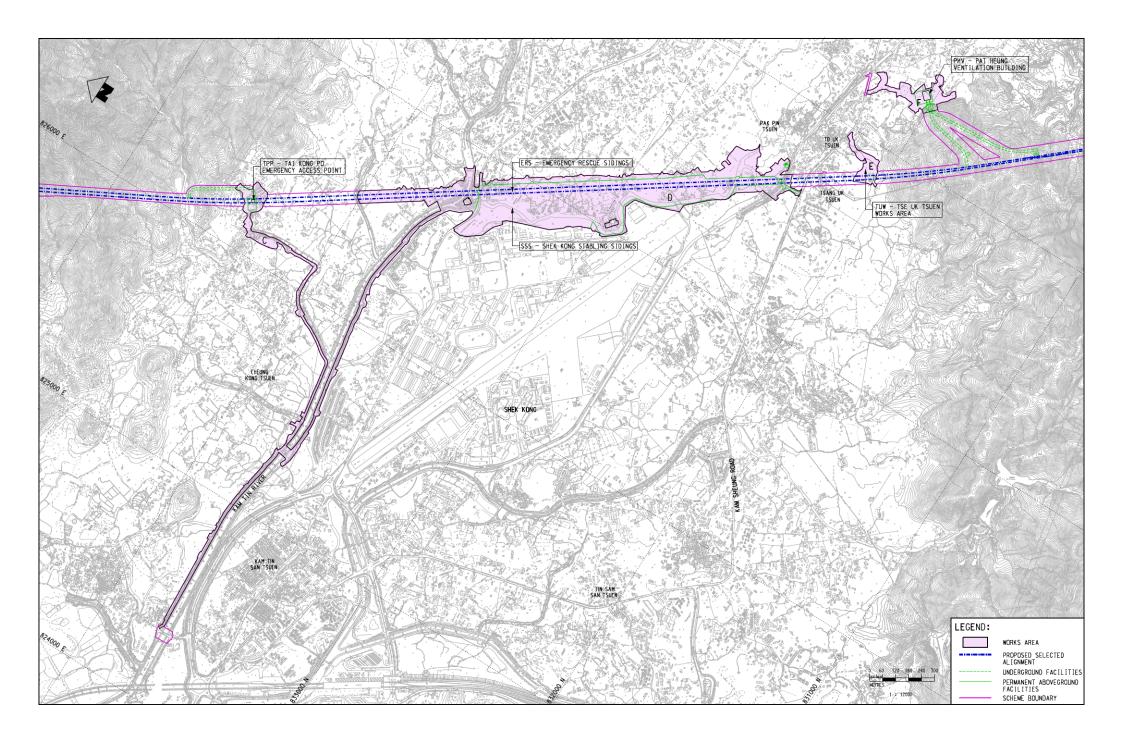


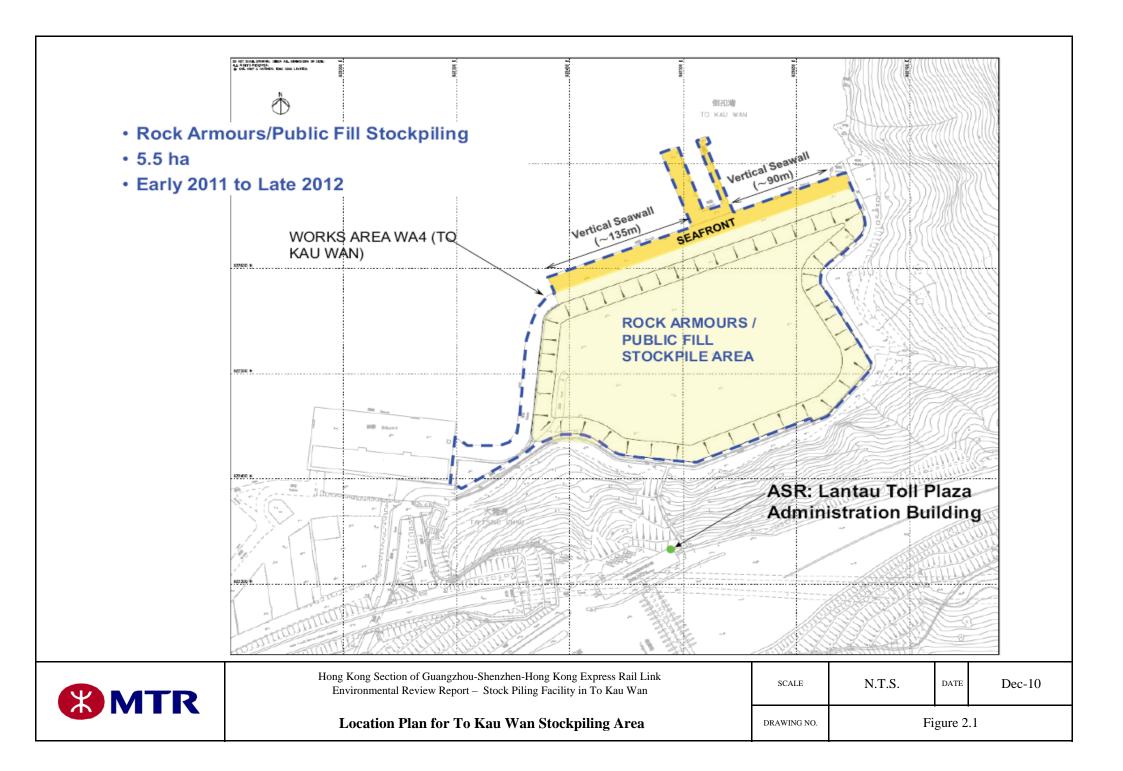


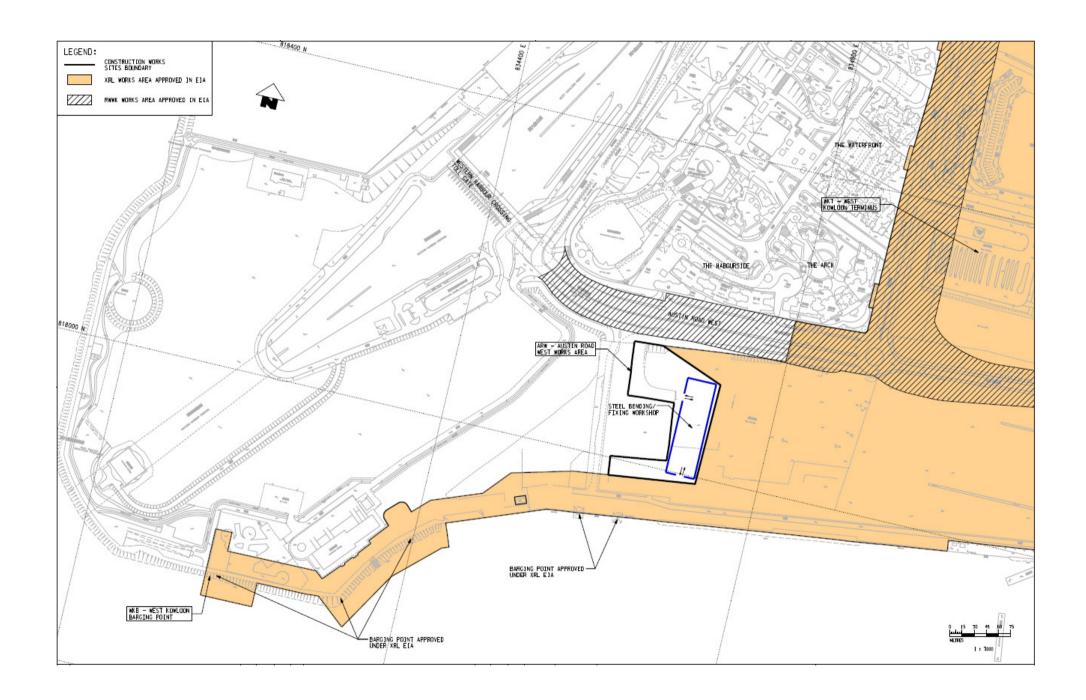


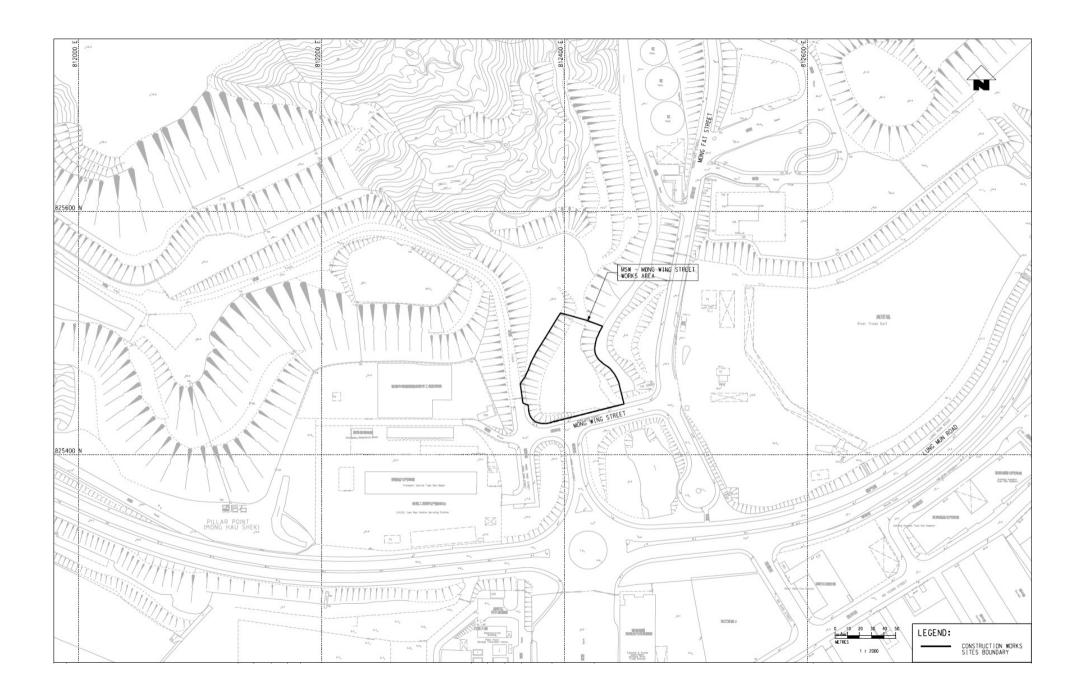


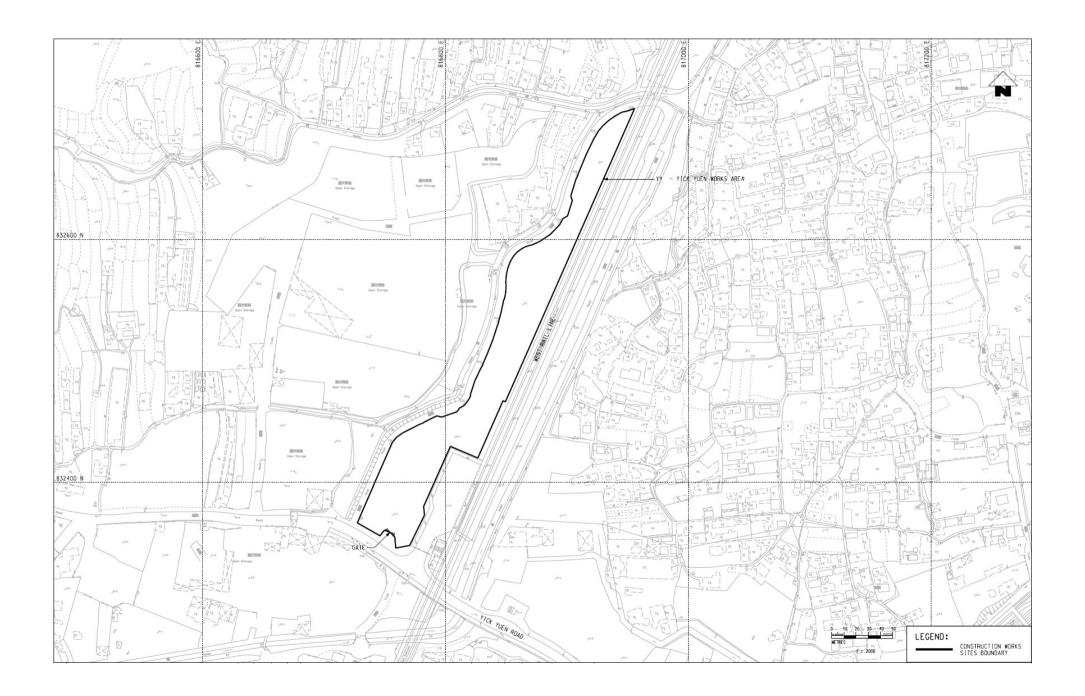












Appendix B

Project Management Organization and Contacts of Key Personnel

Title	Name	Telephone
Engineer's Representative		
Construction Manager	Mr. Neil Ng	3605 0055
(802, 805 & 820)		
Construction Manager	Mr. Stephen Boreman	2926 9170
(810A)		
Construction Manager	Mr. KS Lim	2926 9098
(810B)		
Construction Manager	Mr. Albert Lam	2164 2988
(810A & 811B)		
Construction Manager	Ms. Lesly Leung	2164 2930
(811A)	3.6 TZ : 3.6 C	2510 4105
Construction Manager (821 & 822)	Mr. Kristian Murfitt	3519 4195
,	Mr. Charles Lau	3441 2111
Construction Manager (823A & 823B)	Mr. Charles Lau	3441 2111
Construction Manager	Mr. Ivan Chau	2208 3334
(824 & 825)	Wii. Ivan Chau	2200 3334
Independent Environmen	 tal Checker	
Divisional Manager	Dr. Anne Kerr	2828 5793
Environmental Team		
Environmental Team	Mr. Richard Kwan	2688 1179
Leader		
Contractor		
Contract 802 Contractor		
Project Manager	Mr. Frankie Lam	6021 2602
Environmental Officer	Mr. Andy Leung	9489 0035
Contract 805	1	
Project Manager	Mr. Richard Chan	6348 8550
Environmental Engineer / Officer	Mr. Justin Lai	6330 6726
Contract 810A Contractor		
Principle Project Director	Mr. Elias Zraicat	9732 9971
Environmental Manger	Ms. Lighting CHAN	6323 9396

Title	Name	Telephone				
Environmental Officer	Mr. Calvin So	9664 0361				
Environmental Officer	Ms. Shirley Lui	9664 2544				
Contract 810B Contractor						
Project Director	Mr. Smollett Lee	6629 4441				
Environmental Manger	Mr. Calvin Sze	9205 9277				
Environmental Officer	Ms. Julie Chen	9106 8864				
Contract 811A Contractor	I					
Project Director	Mr. Mark Challis	2561 8072				
Quality, Safety and Environmental Manager	Mr. Nick Lau	2164 2810				
Environmental Officer	Mr. Alex Yick	9217 3133				
Contract 811B Contractor						
Project Manager	Mr. Chris Williams	9669 2665				
Construction Manager	Mr. Anthony Zervaas	6011 8178				
Project Quality and Environmental Manager	Mr. Michael Leney	2269 1505				
Environmental Officer	Ms. Sammie Chan	6407 3833				
Contract 820 & 821 Contra	actor					
Project Director	Mr. Alain Hervio	2215 6600 / 6112 9197				
Senior QSE Manager	Mr. Y. T. So	2215 6631 / 9307 8728				
Environmental Officer (820)	Mr. Marcus Cheung	2215 6632				
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Contract 822 Contractor	,					
Environmental & Quality Manager	Mr. Brian Pickering	6323 5753				

Title	Name	Telephone
Environmental Manager / Officer	Mr. David Hung	9765 6151
Contract 823A & B Contrac	ctor	
Project Manager	Mr. Philip Davies	2411 7600
Environmental Officer	Mr. Wendy Ng	2411 7608
Contract 824 Contractor		
Works Manager	Mr. Ian Sweeney	9759 8192
Environmental Officer	Mr. Alex Gbaguidi	5313 7021
Contract 825 Contractor		
Project Manager	Mr. Nakayama	2482 8101
Environmental Officer	Mr. So Chi Ho	9228 7705

Appendix C Implementation Status

EIA	Recommended Mitigation Measures	Objectives of the	Who to	Location of	When to	Implementat
Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
Ecologica	al Impact (Detailed design Phase / Pre-construction					
Phase)		,				
S3.398	- Prior to commencement of channel works, an ecological habitat management plan should be	To mitigate the avoidable loss of watercourse habitat	MTR	SSS	Detailed design phase / Prior to	Ecological Habitat
	prepared to provide the detailed specifications for the habitats and ecological functions to be provided, and control of colonization of invasive plant species				commencement of channel works	Management Plan (EHMP) formulated
	at the mitigation stream habitats and define the long-term management and ecological monitoring and audit requirements for these habitats.				WOIKS	and submitted to EPD
S3.388 - S3.397	- The constructed channel in the SSS site should include open channel with ecologically friendly stream feature to mitigate the direct impact due to the loss of a watercourse habitat in Shek Kong.	To mitigate the avoidable loss of watercourse habitat	MTR / DDC	SSS	Detailed design phase	AFCD's comment has been sought during formulation of the EHMP
S3.410	- The implementation details of the impact monitoring programme should be described in ecological monitoring plan for EPD approval before commencement of construction activities.	To outline details of ecological impact monitoring	MTR	MPV, TPP, SSS / ERS, PHV and TUW	Before commencement of construction activities	Implemented

EIA	Recommended Mitigation Measures	Objectives of the	Who to	Location of	When to	Implementat
Ref.		Recommended Measures & Main Concern to Address	implement the measures?	the measures	implement the measures?	ion Status
S3.327 & S3.412	- A monitoring and emergency response plan (to be prepared by the Contractor), in relation to potential impacts due to groundwater drawdown, will form part of the EM&A requirement in the EM&A Manual subject to approval by EPD and AFCD before commencement of the tunnelling and MPV construction in Mai Po area. The plan should include, but not be limited to, details of monitoring locations and programme, a mechanism to monitor the implication from the works to the groundwater system and fish pond, action levels and emergency responses such as immediate action, remedial action and investigation.	To detect potential impacts due to groundwater drawdown	Contractor	MPV	Before commencement of the tunnelling and MPV construction	AFCD's comment has been sought during formulation of Plan
S3.413	- A monitoring and emergency response plan, in relation to impacts due to noise/vibration, should form part of the EM&A requirement in the EM&A Manual subject to approval by EPD and AFCD before commencement of the tunnelling and MPV construction in Mai Po area.	To detect and monitor noise / vibration impacts	Contractor	MPV	Before commencement of bore tunnelling and MPV construction	Implemented

EIA	Recommended Mitigation Measures	Objectives of the	Who to	Location of	When to	Implementat
Ref.		Recommended Measures & Main Concern to Address	implement the measures?	the measures	implement the measures?	ion Status
Ecologic	al Impact (Construction Phase)	Address				
\$3.325 - \$3.326	- Implementation of precautionary measures during tunnelling works.	To avoid potential hydrogeological impacts	Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
S3.409 to S3.410	 Ecological impact monitoring focusing on habitats and species of conservation interest should be conducted during the construction phase at the MPV, TPP, SSS / ERS, PHV, and TUW sites where a number of avifauna of conservation interest (e.g. overwintering bird, Greater Painted-snipe) and areas of conservation interest (e.g. country parks, conservation areas, and wetlands) were recorded. Avifaunal communities should be surveyed quantitatively along transects. Birds heard or seen along the transects should be identified to species and counted. The nature of construction works within works area conducting during each impact monitoring visit should also be recorded. The quantitative monitoring results should be compared to pre-construction condition. The impact monitoring results should be undertaken by qualified ecologist(s) with relevant working experience. 	To monitor potential indirect construction impacts to wildlife	MTR	MPV, TPP, SSS / ERS, PHV, and TUW	Construction phase	Implemented

EIA	Recommended Mitigation Measures	Objectives of the	Who to	Location of	When to	Implementat
Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
	- Should any unpredicted indirect ecological impacts arising from the proposed Project be detected, remedial measures should be developed and implemented by the Contractor.		Contractor			
S3.327	- Implementation of the groundwater monitoring and	To detect and minimize	Contractor	MPV	Construction	Refer to Item
&	emergency response plan.	hydrological impacts			phase (During	for S3.327 &
S3.412					bore tunneling	S3.412.
					works and	
					construction of	
					Mai Po	
					Ventilation	
					Shaft)	
S3.413	- Implementation of monitoring and emergency	To detect and minimize	Contractor	MPV	Construction	Implemented
	response plan on noise and vibration.	noise / vibration impacts			phase (During	
					bore tunneling	
					works and	
					construction of	
					Mai Po	
					Ventilation	
					Shaft)	

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Ref.		Recommended Measures & Main Concern to Address	implement the measures?	the measures	implement the measures?	ion Status
S3.364 -S3.369	- Use of quiet construction plant and temporary noise barriers.	To minimise impacts to	MTR / Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
	- Access to the ventilation building sites should follow existing access roads, such as the maintenance access along the existing drainage channels.					
	- Site hoarding of about 2.4 m high should be erected around the works area of access roads along drainage channels in the TPP and SSS / ERS sites.					
	- Gate and fences should be installed along the construction accesses that are adjacent to public areas.					
	- Gates and hoardings should be provided at the entrances/exits and along the boundary of the works areas respectively to prevent any trespassers from encroaching or will fully disturbing any wild animals and their habitats within the works areas.					
	 A trip-ticket system should be adopted to monitor the disposal of construction and demolition materials. CCTV and warning signs should be provided at the entrance of the proposed temporary and permanent 					

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Ref.		Recommended Measures & Main Concern to Address	implement the measures?	the measures	implement the measures?	ion Status
	vehicular access.					
3.370 -3.371 and 3.373	 Vegetation located within the works areas should be preserved as far as practicable. To avoid soil compaction, heavy machinery should not be used in close proximity to vegetation. Soils that become compacted through the activities of the development should be loosened to an appropriate depth to allow seed germination. All temporarily affected habitats should be reinstated after the completion of works. Placement of equipment or stockpiles should be confined to designated works areas. Access routes should be confined on existing disturbed land, where practicable. 		MTR / Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
	- Detailed vegetation survey should be conducted in TSW site prior to commencement of site clearance.	To minimize impacts to vegetation	MTR / Contractor	TSW	Prior to commencement of site clearance	

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Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
						to EPD
	- To mitigate the loss of the vegetation and habitats,	To minimize impacts to	MTR /	TSW and all	Construction	Proposal of
	planting of native species should be provided in the	vegetation	Contractor	other works	phase	mitigatory
	areas affected by the Project in TSW site, and other			areas		planting at
	works area, where practicable.					TSW was
	r					included in
						the
						Vegetation
						Survey
						Report.
						Mitigatory
						planting to be
						implemented
						as per
						construction
						programme
S3.372	- The affected individuals of Incense Tree within the	To minimize impacts to	MTR /	NTV	Construction	Vegetation
	NTV works area should be transplanted to nearby	vegetation	Contractor		phase	survey was
	suitable habitats prior to the commencement of site					conducted
	clearance at NTV works area as far as practicable.					and included
						in the
	- A detailed vegetation survey covering the affected					Vegetation

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Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
	habitat at NTV works area should be conducted by a					Survey
	suitably qualified botanist / ecologist to identify and					Report.
	record the affected individuals in order to provide					Transplantati
	details for the transplantation scheme prior to the					on of Incense
	commencement of site clearance. Feasibility and					Tree was
	suitability of transplanting the affected individuals					completed
	would be studied and suitable receptor sites would be					and
	identified. The transplantation proposal for the					monitored.
	affected individuals should be prepared as necessary					
	and transplantation should be supervised by a					
	suitably qualified ecologist / horticulturist.					
S3.374 -	- Site hoarding of 2.4 m high should be set up along	To minimize disturbance	Contractor	All works	Construction	Implemented
S3.377	the boundary of the works areas as far as practicable.	to wildlife		areas	phase	
	the boundary of the works areas as fair as practicable.	<u> </u> -				
	- The erection of hoarding (2.4 m) along KT5 in the			`	Prior to the	Implemented
	area with high Greater Painted-snipe occurrence (e.g.			TPP)	construction of	
	the proposed access road next to KT5) should avoid				access road	
	their breeding season, prior to construction activities					
	in the area.					
	- The use of noisy construction equipment such as	-		KT5 (near	Construction	Implemented
	hydraulic breakers should be avoided at the area with			TPP)	phase	
	nyuraune breakers should be avoided at the area with					

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Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
	high painted-snipe occurrence (e.g. the proposed access road next to KT5) during their breeding season as far as practicable.					
	- Hoardings of 2.4 m height should be put in place before commencement of construction activities. Hoarding at the section along the northern boundary of the MPV works area should be installed first. The duration of hoarding erection should be kept as brief as practicable.			MPV	Right after possession of site	Implemented
	- Upon the erection of site hoarding, all construction activities should be conducted within the fenced area.					
	- Major construction site lighting should point inward and downward. Unnecessary lighting should be turned off outside working hours of the construction sites.			All works area	Construction phase	Implemented
S3.378 - S3.380	 Excavation works carried out within waterbodies should be carried out in dry season where practicable. Excavation works within the watercourse / drainage channel should be restricted when possible to an 	waterhodies	Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented

EIA	Recommended Mitigation Measures	Objectives of the	Who to	Location of	When to	Implementat
Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
	enclosed dry section of the watercourse / drainage					
	channel, with containment measures such as bunds					
	and barriers used within the watercourse / drainage					
	channel.					
	- Site runoff should be directed towards regularly					
	cleaned and maintained silt traps and oil / grease					
	separators. The silt and oil / grease separators					
	should be appropriately designed for the local					
	drainage and ground conditions. Tightly sealed					
	closed grab excavators should be deployed where material to be handled is wet.					
	material to be handled is wet.					
	- The flow of the watercourse and drainage channel					
	located with the Project Area should be maintained					
	throughout the construction phase.					
Terrestr	ial Ecological Impact (Post-construction / Operation	1				l
Phase)						
S3.327	- Implementation of the groundwater monitoring and	To detect and minimize	Contractor	MPV	Post-constructio	To be
&	emergency response plan.	hydrogeological impacts			n phase	implemented
S3.412						as per
						construction
						programme

EIA Ref.	Recommended Mitigation Measures	Objectives of the Recommended Measures & Main Concern to Address	Who to implement the measures?	Location of the measures	When to implement the measures?	Implementat ion Status
S3.381	- The affected agricultural land should be restored to a condition suitable for agricultural use before handing over to landowners / operators.	•	MTR / Contractor	All temporarily occupied agricultural land	Operation phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
S3.382 – S3.384	 Vegetation control in the constructed channels should be implemented to prevent the excessive growth of vegetation that would impede the drainage capacity of the channel. To minimise sedimentation, de-silting should be limited to the dry season (November to March). The natural stream bed substrate should not be removed from the channel during de-silting works. For maintenance de-silting, temporary barrier walls should be used to provide a dewatered zone for de-silting works. Waste material produced during de-silting should be disposed of in a timely and appropriate manner. 	To minimise impacts to constructed channels	MTR	All constructed channels in SSS	Operation phase	To be implemented as per construction programme

EIA	Recommended Mitigation Measures	Objectives of the	Who to	Location of	When to	Implementat
Ref.		Recommended Measures & Main Concern to Address	implement the measures?	the measures	implement the measures?	ion Status
\$3.385 & \$3.387	 Large areas of reflective material (including glass) should not be used on the outer surfaces of the buildings. All the major lighting sources should point inward and downward to minimise glare disturbance to wildlife. The intensity of light should also be controlled to the lowest possible level. 	To minimise impacts to wildlife	MTR / DDC	All ventilation buildings in northern section and SSS	Detailed design and Operation phases	To be implemented as per construction programme
S3.411	 Implementation of ecological habitat management plan. Ecological monitoring of the mitigation stream habitats according to ecological habitat management plan. 	To monitor the wildlife use of the mitigation stream habitat	MTR	Mitigation stream habitat in SSS / ERS	Operation phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
Marine I	Ecological Impact (Construction Phase)			l		<u>I</u>
Appendi x3.6 (S1.102)	- The use of high-speed vessels should also be avoided during the construction and operation of the proposed barging point.		Contractor	LKB	Construction phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
Appendi x3.6	- No dumping of rubbish, oil or chemicals would be allowed.	To minimise the pollution to marine habitats	Contractor	LKB	Construction phase	To be implemented

EIA	Recommended Mitigation Measures	Objectives of the	Who to	Location of	When to	Implementat
Ref.		Recommended Measures & Main Concern to Address	implement the measures?	the measures	implement the measures?	ion Status
(S1.103)						as per construction programme
Appendi x3.6 (S1.104)	 Deployment of silt curtains around the closed grab dredgers to minimize the suspended sediment impact due to dredging activities in dredging region. To minimize impact on the gorgonians along the coastline near the dredging area, double silt curtains should be deployed around the works area. 	To minimise the impact to subtidal habitats	Contractor	LKB	Construction phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
Appendi x3.6 (S1.106)	- The number of work vessels and small crafts should be minimized. Dredging should be carried out continuously without unnecessary break to prevent unpredictable or sudden noise outbursts at random intervals.	To minimise disturbance impact on Chinese White Dolphin	Contractor	LKB	Construction phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
Appendi x3.7 (S1.83)	- Mitigation measures to control water quality impacts proposed under Section 11 should be adopted.	To minimise indirect impact to intertidal and subtidal flora and fauna	Contractor	WKT	Construction phase	Implemented
Appendi x3.6 (S1.105)	- Engines of vessels moored at the barging point would be turned off to minimize unnecessary underwater	To minimise disturbance impact on Chinese White Dolphin	Contractor	LKB	Construction phase	To be implemented as per

EIA Ref.	Recommended Mitigation Measures noise.	Objectives of the Recommended Measures & Main Concern to Address	Who to implement the measures?	Location of the measures	When to implement the measures?	Implementat ion Status construction programme
Pond Fis	heries Impact (Pre-construction Phase)					
S4.51	- A monitoring and emergency response plan, in relation to potential impacts due to groundwater drawdown, will form part of the EM&A requirement in the EM&A Manual subject to approval by EPD and AFCD before commencement of the tunnelling and MPV construction in Mai Po area. The plan should include, but not be limited to, details of monitoring locations and programme, a mechanism to monitor the implication from the works to the groundwater system and fish ponds including their water levels, action levels and emergency responses such as immediate action, remedial action and investigation.	To detect and minimize potential hydrological impacts	Contractor	MPV	Pre-construction phase (Before commencement of the tunnelling and MPV construction)	1
S4.52	- A monitoring and emergency response plan, in relation to impacts due to noise/vibration, should form part of the EM&A requirement in the EM&A Manual subject to approval by EPD and AFCD	To detect and monitor noise / vibration impacts	Contractor	MPV	Pre-construction phase (Before commencement of bore	Implemented

EIA	Recommended Mitigation Measures	Objectives of the	Who to	Location of	When to	Implementat
Ref.		Recommended Measures & Main Concern to	_	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		Address	measures?		measures?	
	before commencement of the tunnelling and MPV construction in Mai Po area.				tunnelling and MPV construction)	
S4.45	- Consultation should be conducted with fish operators in Mai Po before tunnelling starts. The method of construction, potential impact and mitigation measures should be fully explained to the operators at the meeting.	stakeholders	Contractor / MTR	MPV	Pre-construction phase (Before commencement of tunneling works)	Consultation with Mai Po Village VR has been conducted.
Pond Fis	sheries Impact (Construction Phase)					
S4.51	- Implementation of the groundwater monitoring and emergency response plan.	To detect and minimize hydrogeological impacts	Contractor	MPV	Construction phase (During bore tunneling works and construction of Mai Po Ventilation Shaft)	Implemented
S4.52	- Implementation of the monitoring and emergency response plan on noise and vibration.	To detect and minimize noise / vibration impacts	Contractor	MPV	Construction phase (During bore tunneling works and	Implemented

EIA	Recommended Mitigation Measures	Objectives of the	Who to	Location of	When to	Implementat
Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
					construction of	
					Mai Po	
					Ventilation	
					Shaft)	
S4.40	- Good site practices and proper dust and water quality	To minimize the indirect	Contractor	MPV	Construction	Implemented
	control measures should be implemented. These	off-site impacts on the			phase	
	include site confinement with fencing/hoarding	adjacent fishponds				
	erection at the perimeter of the works area, stockpile					
	covering by impervious sheeting to avoid spread of					
	construction dust, and proper handling, storage and					
	disposal of chemical waste to avoid contamination of					
	the existing water system, etc.					
S4.44	Implementation of good site practices during the	To minimize disturbance	Contractor	MPV	Construction	Implemented
	construction phase:	to fishponds by			phase	
		construction noise				
	 Only well-maintained plant should be operated 					
	on-site and plant should be serviced regularly during					
	the construction program;					
	 Silencers or mufflers on construction equipment 					
	should be utilized and properly maintained during					
	the construction program;					

EIA	Recommended Mitigation Measures	Objectives of the	Who to	Location of	When to	Implementat
Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
	Machines and plant (such as trucks) that may be in					
	intermittent use should be shut down between work					
	periods or should be throttled down to a minimum;					
	 Plant known to emit noise strongly in one direction 					
	should, wherever possible, be orientated so that the					
	noise is directed away from the nearby fishponds;					
	 Material stockpiles and other structures should be 					
	effectively utilized, wherever practicable, in					
	screening noise from on-site construction activities;					
	 Use of movable barrier for certain powered 					
	mechanical equipment (PME); and					
	 Use of noise enclosure or acoustic shed to cover 					
	certain stationary PME.					
Pond Fis	heries Impact (Post-construction Phase)	•				
S4.51	- Implementation of the groundwater monitoring and	To detect and minimize	Contractor	MPV	Post-Constructio	To be
	emergency response plan.	hydrogeological impacts			n phase	implemented
						as per
						construction
						programme
Marine l	Fisheries Impact (Construction Phase)	•				
Appendi	- Mitigation measures to control water quality impacts	To minimize the indirect	Contractor	LKB and	Construction	To be
x4.2		impact on fisheries		WKT	phase	implemented

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Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
(S1.38)	proposed under Section 11 should be adopted.	resources				as per
						construction
						programme
Airborn	e Noise Impact (Construction Phase)					
S5.120	The following good site practices should be	To reduce construction	MTR /	All works	Construction	Implemented
	implemented:	noise impact	Contractor	areas	phase	
	 Only well-maintained plant should be operated 					
	on-site and plants should be serviced regularly					
	during the construction program;					
	 Silencers or mufflers on construction equipment 					
	should be utilized and should be properly					
	maintained during the construction program;					
	 Mobile plant, if any, should be sited as far from 					
	noise sensitive receivers (NSRs) as possible;					
	 Machines and plant (such as trucks) that may be in 					
	intermittent use should be shut down between work					
	periods or should be throttled down to a minimum;					
	 Plant known to emit noise strongly in one direction 					
	should, wherever possible, be orientated so that the					
	noise is directed away from the nearby NSRs; and					
	 Material stockpiles and other structures should be 					
	effectively utilized, wherever practicable, in					

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	screening noise from on-site construction activities.					
S5.121-S	The following quiet PME should be used:	To reduce construction	MTR /	Works Areas	Construction	Implemented
5.122		noise impact	Contractor	A, B, C, D, E,	phase	
and	Pneumatic breaker (SWL=110dB(A))			F, G, H, I, J,		
Table	Tracked Excavator Fitted with Hydraulic Breaker			K, L, M, N,		
5.22	(SWL=110dB(A))			O, P, Q, R, S,		
	■ Truck Mixer (SWL=100dB(A))			T, U, V, W,		
	■ Tracked Crane (SWL=101dB(A))			Y, Z, AA,		
	■ Dump Truck (SWL=103dB(A))			AC, AE, AF,		
	■ Tracked Excavator/Loader (SWL=105dB(A))			AG and AH		
	■ Dozer (SWL=111dB(A))					
	■ Road Roller (SWL=101dB(A))					
S5.123 -	Movable noise barrier should be used for the following	To reduce construction	MTR /	Works Areas	Construction	Implemented
S5.124	PME where practicable:	noise impact	Contractor	A, C and D	phase	
	Mini backhoe					
	Breaker, mini-robot mounted					
	Vibratory poker					
	Handheld breaker					
	Excavator					
	■ Grab					

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Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
	 Tracked Crane 					
S5.125	Noise enclosure/acoustic shed should be used for the	To reduce construction	MTR /	Works Areas	Construction	Implemented
	following PME where practicable:	noise impact	Contractor	A, B, C, D, E,	phase	
	 Air compressor 			F, G, H, I, J,		
	Concrete pump			K, L, M, O, P,		
	Grout pump			Q, S, T, U, V		
	Shotcrete pump			and Z		
S5.125	Acoustic enclosure should be used for enclosing drilling	To reduce construction	MTR /	Works Areas	Construction	Implemented
	jumbo as fully as possible.	noise impact	Contractor	B, C, F, H and	phase	
				J		
S5.127	Silencer should be used for the ventilation fans.	To reduce construction	MTR /	Works Areas	Construction	Implemented
		noise impact	Contractor	A, B, C, D, E,	phase	
				F, H, J, L and		
				P		
S5.128	Noise insulating fabric should be applied where	To reduce construction	MTR /	Works Areas	Construction	Implemented
	practicable to cover the following PME:	noise impact	Contractor	A, B, C, D, E,	phase	
	 Drill rig 			G, L, M, N,		
	Grab and chisel			O, Q, R, S, V		
	Oscillator & casings					
	Piling rig					

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Ref.			implement the measures?	the measures	implement the measures?	ion Status
	 Piling, large diameter bored, reverse circulation drill Piling, vibrating hammer 	Address				
S5.130	Use of "Noise Insulating Cover" to cover the mucking out points.	To reduce construction noise impact	MTR / Contractor	Works Area L	Construction phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
S5.131	Use of temporary hoardings along the works boundary.	To reduce construction noise impact	MTR / Contractor	Works Areas B and D	Construction phase	Implemented
S5.134-S 5.136	Use of saw instead of mini-robot mounted breaker and oscillator pile for removal of superstructures	To reduce construction noise impact	MTR / Contractor	Works Areas N, O and S	Construction phase	Implemented
S5.137	Scheduling of construction works outside school examination periods	To reduce construction noise impact	MTR / Contractor	Works Areas G, J, K, L, N, O, P, Q, Y, U, V and AH	Construction phase	Implemented
S5.193	Airborne construction noise monitoring should be conducted in accordance with EM&A Manual to monitor the airborne noise impact.	To monitor airborne noise impact	MTR / Contractor	Proposed monitoring locations	Construction phase	Implemented

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Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
Airborn	e Noise Impact (Operation Phase)	1			1	
S5.113	The maximum permissible sound power levels (Max	To comply with the noise	MTR / DDC	MPV, NTV,	Detailed design	To be
and	SWLs) for the fixed plant should be complied with during	criteria of Noise Control		PHV, SMV,	and operation	implemented
Table	the selection of equipment and mitigation measures.	Ordinance		KCV, NCV,	phases	as per
5.21				MKV, WKV		construction
				and WKT		programme
S5.140	Noise barrier should be erected as follow:	To comply with the noise	MTR / DDC	SSS	Detailed design	To be
	 A 8m high barrier along the access road on eastern side of SSS; and 	criteria of Noise Control			and operation	implemented
		Ordinance			phases	as per
	 5.5m barrier along western boundary facing Leung 					construction
	Uk Tsuen squats.					programme
S5.140	Installation of 13m absorptive panels on both sides and	To comply with the noise	MTR / DDC	ERS	Detailed design	To be
	full length of ERS.	criteria of Noise Control			and operation	implemented
		Ordinance			phases	as per
						construction
						programme
S5.196	Noise commissioning test is recommended to monitor	To monitor ground-borne	MTR /	Proposed	Operation phase	
25.170	the ground-borne noise level complying with NCO.	noise impact	Contractor	monitoring	Speration phase	implemented
	and ground notice to the comprying with 1100.	noise impact		locations		as per
		1		1000010115		as per

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Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
						construction
						programme
Ground	l-borne Noise Impact (Construction Phase)			1		
S6.82	Ground-borne construction noise monitoring should be	To monitor ground-borne	MTR /	Proposed	Construction	To be
	conducted in accordance with EM&A Manual to	noise impact	Contractor	monitoring	phase	implemented
	monitor the ground-borne noise impact.			locations		as per
						construction
						programme
S6.85	Construction groundborne noise measurement results	To update the predicted	MTR /	TBM	Construction	To be
	should be used to further update the ground-borne noise	ground-borne noise levels.	Contractor	tunneling	phase	implemented
	prediction where appropriate.			section		as per
						construction
						programme
S6.83	Conduct tests of the FDL of the train to update the	To confirm the predicted	MTR	-	Prior to the final	To be
	ground-borne noise prediction and the recommended	ground-borne noise levels			design of the	implemented
	mitigation measures as necessary.				trackform and	as per
					the extent of	construction
					each type of	programme
					trackform, and	
					after the	
					proposed train	
					in operation	

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Ref.		Recommended Measures & Main Concern to Address	implement the measures?	the measures	implement the measures?	ion Status
		ruuress			outside Hong Kong	
S6.84	Conduct vibration borehole testing at two carefully selected locations along the proposed tunnel alignment to determine the LSR values under certain geological conditions. The ground-borne noise predictions and the recommendation on mitigation measures should be updated as necessary.	To confirm the predicted ground-borne noise levels	MTR	Proposed two locations	Prior to the commencement of construction works	The measurement was completed and the Performance Test Plan has been approved by EPD
Ground	-borne Noise Impact (Operation Phase)					
S6.87	Noise commissioning test is recommended to monitor the ground-borne noise level complying with NCO.	To monitor ground-borne noise impact	MTR / Contractor	Proposed monitoring locations	Operation phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
Landsca	ape and Visual Impact (Construction Phase)	1				1
Table 7.10	All existing trees should be carefully protected during construction as far as possible in accordance with		Contractor	Works areas	Detailed design and construction	Implemented

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Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
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	ETWB TCW No. 29/2004 and 3/2006.	construction phase				
	Trees should be retained on site as far as possible.		Contractor	1		
	Should removal of trees be unavoidable due to					
	construction impacts, trees will be transplanted or felled					
	depending on stated criteria in the Tree Removal					
	Applications to be submitted separately in accordance					
	with ETWBC 2/2004 and 3/2006.					
	Wood resulting from tree removal should be recycled as				phases	
	mulch or soil conditioner which could be used within				phases	
	the Project or in other projects as much as possible.					
	Control of night-time lighting glare.		Contractor			
	Erection of decorative screen hoarding to screen off		Contractor			
	undesirable views of the construction site having					
	consideration of safety and security.					
	Reuse of existing topsoil where possible for new		Contractor	-		
	planting areas within the project.					
Landsca	pe and Visual Impact (Operation Phase)					
Table	Compensatory tree planting should be incorporated into	To minimize landscape		XX7	Detailed design	To be
7.11	the proposed Project where space is available	and visual impacts during	MTR	Works areas	and operation	implemented
	Landscape and visual enhancement treatments	operation phase	MTR	-	phases	as per

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Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
						construction
	Compensatory habitat proposal for natural stream course		MTR			programme
	at SSS					
	Reinstatement of works area in Nam Cheong Park to		MTR			
	integrate with the existing park.					
	Tall buffer tree planting should be incorporated provide		MTR			
	screening to ventilation buildings, engineering structures					
	and associated facilities.					
	Roof greening to mitigate the visual impact of VB on the		MTR			
	VSRs at high level.					
	Vertical greening would be incorporated where		MTR			
	practicable to visually soften the façade of ventilation					
	building and/or noise barrier					
	Incorporation of aesthetically pleasing streetscape design		MTR			
	which would be responsive to adjacent landscape					
	context.					
	Roadside amenity trees to enhance the landscape and	-	MTR			
	visual quality of the existing and proposed road.					
	Reinstatement of disturbed areas to match adjacent area	-	MTR			
	or to condition to suit future landuse.					
		1	MTR			
	Aesthetically pleasing design as regard to the form,					

material and finishes shall be incorporated to all

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		Address				
	buildings, engineering structures and associated					
	infrastructure facilities so as to blend in the buildings and					
	structures to the adjacent landscape and visual context.					
	Control of Operation Night-time Glare		MTR			
	Incorporation of aesthetically pleasing design to		MTR			
	boundary fence so as to blend in the structure to the					
	adjacent landscape and visual context.					
	The scale, location, disposition and design of the		MTR			
	ventilation shafts at WKCD would be further reviewed					
	and submitted to relevant parties (e.g. WKCDA and					
	PlanD) for agreement.					
Cultur	al Heritage Impact					

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Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
S8.100 –	Conduct further investigation (a minimum of 18	To confirm any	MTR	Proposed	Prior to	Further
S8.103	trial pits, 1m x 1.5m) to confirm any archaeological	archaeological remains		rescue	construction	Archaeologic
	remains exist in the inaccessible areas	exist in the inaccessible		excavation	phase	al
	(NOL/ERL/300/C/XRL/ENS/M55/303- 304 &	areas and to preserve		area in SSS		Investigation
	306-307). If archaeological data collected from	archaeological remains if		and other		has been
	these 18 test pits is insufficient to ascertain the	any		archaeologica		conducting
	archaeological potential of the inaccessible areas,			l deposit areas		according to
	additional test pits should be conducted			identified in		Archaeologic
	Conduct rescue excavation to preserve			the further		al Action
	archaeological remains by detailed records if found			archaeologica		Plan
	(NOL/ERL/300/C/XRL/ENS/M55/307)			l investigation		formulated
S8.103	Conduct archaeological watching brief during	To identify any historical	MTR	TUW	Construction	Implemented
	construction works at TUW for identification of any	finds in the works area			phase	
	historical finds during construction phase					
S8.104	Conduct regular site audit during the construction of	To avoid direct impact	MTR	LKST barging	Construction	To be
	barging point to confirm that no excavation works is			point and	phase	implemented
	conducted at Lung Kwu Sheung Tan archaeological			associated		as per
	deposit area.			access road		construction
						programme
S8.105	Restriction of works boundary of TPP to be extended to	To avoid direct impact	MTR	TPP	Construction	Implemented
	relics discovered area outside TPP.				phase	

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Ref.		Recommended Measures & Main Concern to Address	implement the measures?	the measures	implement the measures?	ion Status
S8.107, S8.128	Avoid works areas at the sites of the identified built heritage structures as far as practicable. Identified earth shines within works boundary of SSS and TPP will be relocated by local villagers prior to commencement of construction works at SSS and TPP.	1	MTR	Earth shines (NHL-04,TK P-02 and LET-07)	Prior to construction phase	Implemented
S8.109, S8.125	 Vibration monitoring at Lai Chi Kok Hospital: ■ Prior to commencement of construction works, the location and installation of the monitoring stations should be discussed and agreed with AMO, Hong Kong Institution for Promotion of Chinese Culture (the "NPO", selected organization for the Revitalisation Scheme), the Commissioner for Heritage's Office and relevant parties before installation. ■ Compliance monitoring of vibration limits should be conducted and reported as a requirement of EM&A programme. 	impacts on the identified vibration sensitive historical buildings	MTR	Ex-Lai Chi Kok Hospital	Before construction phase; Construction phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
S8.110, S8.126	A further condition survey and appropriate consolidation works (e.g. installation of temporary propping or reinforced timber beam to maintain the stability of structure etc.), if required, will be carried out on Blocks P Q, W and the inaccessible area of	impacts on the identified vibration sensitive	MTR	Ex-Lai Chi Kok Hospital	Detailed design	To be implemented as per construction programme

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Ref.		Recommended Measures & Main Concern to Address	implement the measures?	the measures	implement the measures?	ion Status
	LCKH prior to construction. It should be discussed and agreed in advance with AMO, NPO, the Commissioner for Heritage's Office and relevant parties,					
S8.112, S8.127	condition survey will be carried out at Cheung Yuen prior to the commencement of works in SSS. The		MTR	Cheung Yuen	Prior to construction phase	AMO's comment has been sought during formulation of Vibration Monitoring Plan
S8.112, S8.127	monitoring at LET-06 (Cheung Yuen) will be conducted when excavation works are being	To monitor vibration impacts on the identified vibration sensitive historical buildings	MTR	Cheung Yuen	Construction phase	Implemented
S8.113, S8.124	blasting and excavation activities within a peak	To minimize vibration impacts on the identified vibration sensitive	MTR	All works area where blasting and	Construction phase	Implemented

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		Address				
	potential vibration impact to all identified built	historical buildings		excavation		
	heritage resources.			activities are		
				involved		
S8.114 -	 Use of sensibly designed screen hoardings for 	To minimize visual	MTR	All identified	Detailed design	Implemented
S8.115	reducing the potential visual impact.	impacts		heritage	and construction	
				buildings in	phase	
				all works		
				areas		
I and Ca	 ntamination Impact					
S9.28 –		To remediate	Contractor	Citas H and O	Site remediation	D 01: II
S9.28 – S9.33	Remediation of Contaminated Soil	contaminated soil	Contractor	Sites II and Q	Site remediation	Remediation
	 After excavation, confirmation sampling and 					has been
	testing shall be conducted from the sidewalls and at					
	base of the excavations to ensure complete excavation of contaminated soils.					conducting
						according to
	 Bioremediation (biopiling) / ex-situ chemical oxidation are proposed to remediate the 					the approved
	contaminated soil recorded in Sites H and Q.					Supplementary
	Remediation Report(s) (RR) for contaminated					RAP.
	works area(s) should be prepared by the Land					
	Contamination Specialist to detail the remediation					For Site Q:
	process and demonstrate that contaminated soils are all removed, properly handled and disposal of.					To be
	The remediated soil should be reused on site to					implemented

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Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
	minimise the waste disposal.					as per construction programme
S9.35(i)	Tam Mei Landfill As a general precautionary measure, visual inspection of excavated materials should be conducted to screen soil for signs of contamination (e.g. discoloration, stains and odour). The inspection process should also be assisted by a photo ionization detector (PID) for volatile organics. If suspected materials are encountered during tunnel boring, sampling and testing for the parameters recommended in Table 6.1 of CAP should be undertaken to verify any contamination. The suspected soil bored out during excavation and tunnel boring should be temporary stockpiled and if laboratory analysis indicated exceedance of relevant RBRG levels, remediation works, should be undertaken depending on the quantity and quality of contaminated soil identified.	Acting as a general precautionary measure to screen soil for signs of contamination during tunnel boring works under/close to Ngau Tam Mei Landfill	MTR/Contractor	Landfill Boundary where signs	During Tunnel Boring within Ngau Tam Mei Landfill Boundary Section	To be implemented as per construction programme
S9.35(ii)	For construction works at CLP transformer station at Lai	Acting as a general	MTR/Contractor	Area close to	During Tunnel	To be
	Cheung Road and Petrol Filling Station at 82 Tai Kok Tsui	precautionary measure to		CLP	Boring/	implemented
	Road	screen soil for signs of		transformer	excavation	as per
	As a general precautionary measure, visual	contamination during		station at Lai	works near CLP	construction

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Ref.		Recommended Measures & Main Concern to	implement the measures?	the measures	implement the measures?	ion Status
		Address				
	inspection of excavated materials should be conducted to screen soil for signs of contamination (e.g. discoloration, stains and odour). The inspection process should also be assisted by a photo ionization detector (PID) for volatile organics. If suspected materials are encountered during tunnel boring, further sampling and testing should also be undertaken to verify any contamination. The soil bored out during excavation and tunnel boring should be temporary stockpiled and if laboratory analysis indicated exceedance of relevant RBRG levels, remediation works, should be undertaken depending on the quantity and quality of contaminated soil identified.	tunnel boring/ excavation at CLP transformer station at Lai Cheung Road and Petrol Filling Station at 82 Tai Kok Tsui Road			station at Lai Cheung Road and Petrol Filling Station at 82 Tai Kok Tsui	programme
S9.35 (iii)	For sites with contamination identified (Site H and Site Q) the following environmental mitigation measures should be undertaken during the course of the site remediation: Excavation profiles must be properly designed and executed with attention to the relevant requirements for environment, health and safety; Excavation should be carried out during dry season as far as possible to minimise contaminated runoff from contaminated soils; Supply of suitable clean backfill material is needed after excavation; The chemical oxidant proposed (RegenOxTM) as a	To minimise the potentially adverse environmental impacts arising from the handling of potentially contaminated materials.	Contractor	Sites H and Q /during transportation	and prior to construction phase	For Site H: Implemented For Site Q: To be implemented as per construction programme

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		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
	contaminant mass reduction technology. Comprises a solid oxidant complex (sodium percarbonate/catalytic formulation) and an activator complex (a composition of ferrous salt embedded in a micro-scale catalyst gel). These chemical will be securely stored, separately and way from sources of ignition or oxidizable items. Handling will & will be undertaken by persons specifically trained and wearing appropriate PPE.					
	 Vehicles containing any excavated materials should be suitably covered to limit potential dust emissions or contaminated wastewater run-off, and truck bodies and tailgates should be sealed to prevent any discharge during transport or during wet conditions; 					
	 Speed control for the trucks carrying contaminated materials should be enforced; and 					
	Vehicle wheel and body washing facilities at the site's exist points should be established and used.					
\$9.35(iv)	In order to minimise the potentially adverse effects on health and safety of construction workers during the course of site remediation, the Occupation Safety and Health Ordinance (OSHO) (Chapter 509) and its subsidiary Regulations should be followed by all site personnel working on the site at all times. In addition, the following basic health and safety measures should be	potentially adverse effects on health and safety of construction workers during the course of site remediation	Contractor	Sites H and Q	Site remediation and prior to construction phase	

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Ref.		Recommended Measures	implement the	the measures	implement the	ion Status
		& Main Concern to	measures?		measures?	
		Address				
	implemented as far as possible:					
	 Set up a list of safety measures for site workers; 					
	 Provide written information and training on safety for site workers; 					
	 Keep a log-book and plan showing the contaminated zones and clean zones; 					
	 Maintain a hygienic working environment; 					
	Avoid dust generation;					
	 Provide face and respiratory protection gear to site workers; 					
	 Provide personal protective clothing (e.g. chemical resistant jackboot, liquid tight gloves) to site workers; and 					
	 Provide first aid training and materials to site workers. 					
9.35(v)	For Areas Feasible or Infeasible for On-Site Inspection	(i) To identify areas with		Areas	After land	Implemented
	and Site Investigation		Contractor	Infeasible for On-Site	resumption and prior to the	
	(i) Phase 2 supplementary SI works	measures if necessary.		Inspection and Site	construction works	
	 Upon site access is granted, site inspection should be carried out to ascertain any contaminative sources and hotspot of contamination within the 			Investigation and WSW	commencement at respective sites	
	site. The sampling and testing schedule as recommended	works have been undertaken to before				

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Ref.		Recommended Measures & Main Concern to Address	implement the measures?	the measures	implement the measures?	ion Status		
	in the approved CAP should then be updated based on respective site situation and the number of sampling locations may be significantly reduced. A revised CAP should then be submitted to EPD for endorsement.	the commencement of any construction works of the Project that may disturb the ground of the south-western portion of the MPV.	any construction works of the Project that may disturb the ground of the south-western portion	any construction works of the Project that may disturb the ground of the south-western portion				
	■ For supplementary CARs and RAP(s), upon completion of SI and laboratory testing, supplementary CARs should be submitted to EPD for endorsement. If contamination is identified, RAP(s) should also be submitted to EPD for endorsement.							
	■ The revised CAPs and supplementary CARs and /or RAP(s) should be submitted in separate packages for different works area depending on the schedule of land resumption and the commencement of construction works for each works area.							
	 RR(s) should be submitted to demonstrate completion of remediation works before construction work starts at the site. 							
	(ii) WSW							
	According to WSW EP Condition 3.14, the Project Proponent of the WSW development shall prepare and submit CAR/RAP to EPD within 2 months after commencement of construction of the WSW development and the recommendations in the endorsed CAR/RAP shall be fully implemented before the commencement of any construction							

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Ref.		Recommended Measures & Main Concern to Address	implement the measures?	the measures	implement the measures?	ion Status
	works that may disturb the ground of the relevant sites. This project will ensure that the completion of remediation works before the construction works at contaminated areas start.					
Waste M	anagement Implications (Construction Phase)					
	 Recommendations for good site practices: Prepare a Waste Management Plan approved by the Engineer/Supervising Officer of the Project based on current practices on construction sites; Training of site personnel in, site cleanliness, proper waste management and chemical handling procedures; 	To implement good site practice for handling, sorting reuse and recycling of C&D materials	Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
	 Provision of sufficient waste disposal points and regular collection of waste; 					
	Appropriate measures to minimize windblown litter and dust during transportation of waste by either covering trucks or by transporting wastes in enclosed containers;					
	 Regular cleaning and maintenance programme for drainage systems, sumps and oil interceptors; and 					
	 Separation of chemical wastes for special handling and appropriate treatment. 					
S10.108	Recommendations for waste reduction measures: Sorting of demolition debris and excavated materials from demolition works to recover	To implement on-site sorting facilitating reuse and recycling of materials	Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented

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	reusable/ recyclable portions (i.e. soil, broken concrete, metal etc.);	as well as proper disposal of waste				
	 Segregation and storage of different types of waste in different containers, skips or stockpiles to enhance reuse or recycling of materials and their proper disposal; 					
	 Encourage collection of aluminium cans by providing separate labelled bins to enable this waste to be segregated from other general refuse generated by the workforce; 					
	 Proper storage and site practices to minimize the potential for damage or contamination of construction materials; 					
	 Plan and stock construction materials carefully to minimize amount of waste generated and avoid unnecessary generation of waste; and 					
	 Training should be provided to workers about the concepts of site cleanliness and appropriate waste management procedures, including waste reduction, reuse and recycle. 					
S10.109	The Contractor should prepare and implement a Waste Management Plan (WMP) as a part of the Environmental Management Plan (EMP) in accordance with ETWB TCW No. 19/2005 which describes the arrangements for avoidance, reuse, recovery, recycling, storage, collection, treatment and disposal of different categories of waste to be generated from the	To keep trace of the generation, minimization, reuse and disposal of C&D materials in the Project	Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented

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	construction activities.					
S10.112	Storage of materials on site may induce adverse environmental impacts if not properly managed, recommendations to minimise the impacts include: Waste, such as soil, should be handled and stored well to ensure secure containment, thus minimising the potential of pollution; Maintain and clean storage areas routinely;	To minimise potential impacts of waste storage and enhance reusable volume	Contractor	All work areas	Construction phase	Implemented
	 Stockpiling area should be provided with covers and water spraying system to prevent materials from wind-blown or being washed away; and Different locations should be designated to stockpile each material to enhance reuse. 					
S10.113	Waste hauliers must hold a valid permit for the collection of waste as stipulated in their permits. Removal of waste should be done in a timely manner.	To collect and remove waste generated	Contractor	All work areas	Construction phase	Implemented
S10.114- 115	Implementation of trip-ticket system to monitor waste disposal and control fly-tipping. Set up warning signs at vehicular access points reminding drivers of designated disposal sites and penalties of an offence. Installation of close-circuited television at access points	To monitor disposal of waste and control fly-tipping	Contractor	All work areas	Construction phase	Implemented

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	of vehicles to monitor and prevent illegal dumping.					
S10.117	Recommendations for excavated materials within works areas: Several ramps should be used for transportation of different materials as far as practicable (at SSS/ERS site, both soft and hard materials could be generated with the provision of three ramps, each of them can be used for single material for primary separation). Each ramp should be used for transportation of a single material as far as practicable. If a conveyor system is used, materials should be transported separately on the belts, it is therefore proposed that more than one conveyor belt should be installed if possible. If more than one material is needed to be transported on a single belt, each material should be stockpiled separately once they are removed from the excavation face to the ground and the belt should operate at different times with different materials as far as practicable. Enclosure should also be provided for the conveyor belt, as far as practicable to minimize the of dust generation.	To mitigate and minimize the potential impacts from the storage and transportation of materials within works areas	Contractor	All works areas	Construction Phase	Implemented
	Different locations should be designated for each material during stockpiling. Stockpiling may be needed when the conveyor system is under					

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	constraint or when the spoil could not be transported away from works area immediately after excavation. Cover should be provided to dusty stockpiles to avoid the materials from being wind-blown or flushed away by water. It is expected that water spraying system should also be equipped to moisten the materials.					
S10.119	Wet spoil generated from TBM construction, construction of bored piles and D-wall should be properly handled before disposal to Taishan and Fill Banks respectively for reuse in other projects. Dry materials should be mixed with the wet spoil or by the use of lime to reduce water content where applicable.	To minimise impacts to disposal outlet from reception of wet spoil	Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
S10.120	Wheelwash facilities should be provided before the trucks leave the works area.	To minimise dust impact	Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
S10.121	The Contractor should ensure the on-site separation from inert portion. The waste delivered to landfill should not contain any free water or have water content more than 70% by weight. The haulier must ensure suitable amount of waste would be loaded on different types of trucks used. A one-week notice should be given to EPD with information on Contractor's name and respective contact details.	To meet the requirement for disposal at landfill	Contractor and Waste haulier	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
S10.125	This will generally follow the PNAP 25 in handling of dredged/excavated sediment. The dredged / excavated sediments would be loaded onto barges and transported	To dispose sediment in an authorized and least impacted way	Contractor	All works areas with sediments	Detailed Design and Construction	Implemented

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	to existing designated disposal sites allocated by the MFC according to their levels of contamination, as presented below: • For Type 1 sediment, the sediments will be excavated/dredged and transport to designated CEDD Facilities, typically at South Cheung Chau and/or Ninepin. • For Type 2 sediment, the sediments will be dredged/excavated and transport to designated CEDD Facilities, typically at East Sha Chau for confined marine disposal. • For Type 3 sediment, it would require special treatment/disposal before confined marine disposal at CEDD Facilities, typically at East Sha Chau. In order to have the least potential of loss of contaminants to the marine environment, containment of the sediments in geosynthetic containers is proposed when transporting the sediment. Field trials are recommended to be undertaken during the detailed design stage to establish the optimum handling method for this approach. The details of the			concern	phase	
	disposal methodology could therefore be confirmed during the detailed design stage, prior to construction.					
S10.126	· · · · ·	To dispose sediment in an authorized and least impacted way	Contractor	All works areas with sediments concern	Construction phase	Implemented

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S10.127	The Project Proponent will agree in advance with MFC of CEDD on the site allocation by submitting a Construction & Demolition Material Management Plan. The final disposal sites and arrangement will be determined by the MFC and a dumping permit will be obtained from the DEP prior to the commencement of the dredging and excavation works.		MTR/ Contractor	All works areas with sediments concern	Detailed Design and Construction phase	Implemented
S10.128	The contractor for the dredging/ excavation works shall apply for the site allocations of marine sediment disposal based on the prior agreement with MFC/CEDD. The contractor shall apply for all necessary permits from relevant authorities for the disposal of dredged / excavated sediment.	To dispose the sediments in an authorized way.	Contractor	All works areas with sediments concern	Construction phase	Implemented
S10.129	If temporary stockpiling of sediments is necessary, the sediment should be covered by tarpaulin and earth bunds or sand bag barriers should be provided on site to prevent leachate from entering the drains and surrounding water bodies. The stockpiling areas should be completely paved or covered by lining avoiding contaminating the soil or groundwater underneath.	To prevent the cross contamination of surrounding soils and water bodies	Contractor	All works areas with sediments concern	Construction phase	Implemented
S10.130	The dredged / excavated sediment should be transported by covering trucks to designated barging points. The barge transporting the sediments to the designated disposal site should be equipped with tight fitting seals to prevent leakage. Besides, the barge should not be filled to a level that would cause overflow of materials or laden water during loading or transportation.	To prevent overflowing of sediments to the surrounding area and water bodies	Contractor	All works areas with sediments concern / trucks / barges	Construction phase	Implemented

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S10.131	Loading of the dredged / excavated sediment to the barge should be controlled to avoid splashing and overflowing of the sediment slurry to the surrounding water.	To prevent overflowing of sediments to the surrounding area and water bodies	Contractor	Barging points	Construction phase	Implemented
S10.132	In order to minimise the potential odour emissions during the dredging / excavation operation and transportation of the sediment, the dredged / excavated sediment placed on barges should be properly covered as far as practicable. Requirement of the <i>Air Pollution Ordinance (Construction Dust) Regulation</i> , where relevant, should be adhered to during the construction phase of the Project.		Contractor	All works areas with sediments concern / Barging points	Construction phase	Implemented
S10.134	Workers should wear protective gloves when carrying out the dredging / excavation works. Adequate washing and cleaning facilities should be provided on site.	To minimise the exposure to the contaminated sediments	Contractor	All works areas with sediments concern	Construction phase	Implemented
S10.135	For allocation of sediment disposal site and application of marine dumping permit, another proposal for sampling and chemical testing of the sediment will be prepared and submitted to the EPD for approval following the procedures in PNAP 252. The approved detailed sampling and chemical testing will be carried out prior to the commencement of the dredging/excavation activities to confirm the sediment disposal method. The contamination levels of the marine sediment to be dredged / excavated have to be analysed and recorded. After carrying out the sampling and testing, a Sediment Quality Report (SQR) will be prepared for EPD approval as required under the	To analyse the sediments quality and determine the best disposal option	Contractor	All works areas with sediments concern	Construction phase	Implemented

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	Dumping at Sea Ordinance to agree and confirm the quantities and extent of the contamination of the sediments prior to the dredging/ construction contract being tendered. The SQR will include the sampling details, the chemical testing results, quality control records, proposed classification and delineation of sediment according to the requirements of the Appendix A of PNAP 252.					
S10.136	If chemical wastes are produced at the construction site, the Contractor would be required to register with the EPD as a chemical waste producer and to follow the guidelines stated in the Code of Practice on the Packaging, Labelling and Storage of Chemical Wastes. Containers used for storage of chemical waste should: Be compatible with the chemical wastes being stored, maintained in good condition and securely sealed;	To properly store the chemical waste within works areas	Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
	 Have a capacity of less than 450 litres unless the specifications have been approved by EPD; and 					
	 Display a label in English and Chinese in accordance with instructions prescribed in Schedule 2 of the Waste Disposal (Chemical Waste) (General) Regulation. 					
S10.137	The chemical storage areas should: Be clearly labelled to indicate corresponding chemical characteristics of the chemical waste and used for storage of chemical waste only;	To prepare appropriate storage areas for chemical waste at works areas	Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented

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	Be enclosed on at least 3 sides;					
	■ Have an impermeable floor and bunding, of capacity to accommodate 110% of the volume of the largest container or 20% by volume of the chemical waste stored in that area, whichever is the greatest;					
	 Have adequate ventilation; 					
	Be covered to prevent rainfall from entering; and					
	 Be properly arranged so that incompatible materials are adequately separated. 					
S10.138	Lubricants, waste oils and other chemical wastes would be generated during the maintenance of vehicles and mechanical equipments. Used lubricants should be collected and stored in individual containers which are fully labelled in English and Chinese and stored in a designated secure place.	To clearly label the chemical waste at works areas	Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
S10.139	A trip-ticket system should be operated in accordance with the <i>Waste Disposal (Chemical Waste) (General) Regulation</i> to monitor all movements of chemical waste. The Contractor should employ a licensed collector to transport and dispose of the chemical wastes, to either the approved CWTC at Tsing Yi, or another licensed facility, in accordance with the <i>Waste Disposal (Chemical Waste) (General) Regulation</i> .	To monitor the generation, reuse and disposal of chemical waste	Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
S10.140	General refuse should be stored in enclosed bins or compaction units separate from C&D materials and chemical waste. A reputable waste collector should be	To properly store and separate from other C&D materials for subsequent	Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented

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	employed by the contractor to remove general refuse from the site, separately from C&D materials and chemical wastes.	collection and disposal				
S10.141	The recyclable component of general refuse, such as aluminium cans, paper and cleansed plastic containers should be separated from other waste. Provision and collection of recycling bins for different types of recyclable waste should be set up by the Contractor. The Contractor should also be responsible for arranging recycling companies to collect these materials.	To facilitate recycling of recyclable portions of refuse	Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
S10.142	The Contractor should carry out a training programme for workers in avoiding, reducing, reusing and recycling of materials generation. Posters and leaflets advising on the use of the bins should also be provided in the sites as reminders.	To raise workers' awareness on recycling issue	Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
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	 Chemical waste: The requirements stipulated in the Code of Practice on the Packaging, Labelling and Storage of Chemical Wastes should be followed in handling of chemical waste as in construction phase. A trip-ticket system should be operated in 	To avoid environmental impacts in handling, storage and disposal of chemical waste	MTR	Ventilation buildings, SSS and WKT	Operation phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
	accordance with the Waste Disposal (Chemical					

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	 Waste) (General) Regulation to monitor all movements of chemical wastes which would be collected by a licensed collector to a licensed facility for final treatment and disposal. The recommendations proposed for the mitigation of impacts from chemical waste in construction phase should also be followed (refer to \$10.104-\$10.106). 					
S10.148- S10.149	 General refuse: Provide recycling bins at designated areas for proper recycling of papers, aluminium cans and plastics bottles. Separation from other waste types and collected by licensed collectors at daily basis to minimize the 	To separate general refuse from other waste types and proper disposal of the refuse	MTR	Ventilation buildings, SSS and WKT	Operation phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
S10.150	potential impacts from odour and vermin. Industrial waste: Separation of reusable components like steel before collection by licensed collector	To recycle useful materials from industrial waste and proper disposal	MTR	Ventilation buildings, SSS and WKT	Operation phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
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S11.128 - S11.153	Construction site run-off and general construction activities: The mitigation measures as outlined in the ProPECC PN 1/94 Construction Site Drainage should be adopted where applicable.	To control water quality impact from construction site runoff and general construction activities	MTR / Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
S11.154	Groundwater seepages from uncontaminated area: In case seepage of uncontaminated groundwater occurs, groundwater should be pumped out from the works areas and discharged into the storm system via silt removal facilities. Uncontaminated groundwater from dewatering process should also be discharged into the storm system via silt traps.	To control water quality impact from groundwater from uncontaminated area	MTR / Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
S11.155	As the proposed WKT is near the Victoria Harbour, high ground water level regime due to both tidal effects and rainwater infiltration is anticipated. A cofferdam wall should be built to limit groundwater inflow to the excavation works areas in the WKT site.	To control water quality impact from groundwater from uncontaminated area	MTR / Contractor	WKT	Construction phase	Implemented
S11.156	To monitor the tide and groundwater relationship, it is recommended to install groundwater level loggers at the nearest tidal areas (i.e. near Mai Po).	To monitor the groundwater level	MTR / Contractor	Mai Po	Construction phase	Implemented
S11.157 - S11.158	 Site Runoff or Groundwater from contaminated areas: No directly discharge of groundwater from contaminated areas should be adopted. 	To control water quality impact from contaminated groundwater	MTR / Contractor	Excavation areas where contaminated	Construction phase	Implemented

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	Prior to any excavation works within the potentially contaminated areas, the baseline groundwater quality in the areas should be reviewed based on the past relevant site investigation data and any additional groundwater quality measurements to be performed with reference to <i>Guidance Note for Contaminated Land Assessment and Remediation</i> and the review results should be submitted to EPD for examination. If the review results indicated that the groundwater to be generated from the excavation works would be contaminated, this contaminated groundwater should be either properly treated or properly recharged into the ground in compliance with the requirements of the TM-DSS.			ground-water is found		
	If wastewater treatment is to be deployed for treating the contaminated groundwater, the wastewater treatment unit shall deploy suitable treatment processes (e.g. oil interceptor / activated carbon) to reduce the pollution level to an acceptable standard and remove any prohibited substances (such as TPH) to an undetectable range.					
	 All treated effluent from the wastewater treatment plant shall meet the requirements as stated in TM-DSS and should be either discharged into the foul sewers or tankered away for proper disposal. 					
	If deployment of wastewater treatment is not feasible for handling the contaminated					

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	groundwater, groundwater recharging wells should be installed as appropriate for recharging the contaminated groundwater back into the ground. The recharging wells should be selected at places where the groundwater quality will not be affected by the recharge operation as indicated in section 2.3 of the TM-DSS. The baseline groundwater quality should be determined prior to the selection of the recharge wells, and submit a working plan to EPD for agreement. Pollution levels of groundwater to be recharged shall not be higher than pollutant levels of ambient groundwater at the recharge well. Groundwater monitoring wells should be installed near the recharge points to monitor the effectiveness of the recharge wells and to ensure that no likelihood of increase of groundwater level and transfer of pollutants beyond the site boundary. Prior to recharge, free products should be removed as necessary by installing the petrol interceptor. The Contractor should apply for a discharge licence under the WPCO through the Regional Office of EPD for groundwater recharge operation or discharge of treated groundwater.					
S11.128	Barging points:	To control water quality	MTR /	All barging	Construction	Implemented
- S11.136,	Mitigation measures for control water quality impact from surface run-off should be applied.	impact from barging point	Contractor	Points	phase	

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S11.160	The following good site practices should also be adopted: all vessels should be sized so that adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the seabed in all tide conditions, to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash					
	 all hopper barges should be fitted with tight fitting seals to their bottom openings to prevent leakage of material 					
	 construction activities should not cause foam, oil, grease, scum, litter or other objectionable matter to be present on the water within the site 					
	 loading of barges and hoppers should be controlled to prevent splashing of material into the surrounding water. Barges or hoppers should not be filled to a level that will cause the overflow of materials or polluted water during loading or transportation 					
S11.161	Effluent discharge:	To control water quality	MTR /	All works	Construction	Implemented
	There is a need to apply to EPD for a discharge licence for discharge of effluent from the construction site under the WPCO. The discharge quality should meet the requirements specified in the discharge licence. Minimum distances of 100 m should be maintained between the discharge points of construction site effluent and the existing seawater intakes. If	impact from effluent discharge from construction site	Contractor	areas	phase	

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	monitoring of the treated effluent quality from the works areas is required during the construction phase of the Project, the monitoring should be carried out in accordance with the WPCO license which is under the ambit of regional office (RO) of EPD.					
S11.162	Accidental spillage of chemicals: Contractor should register as a chemical waste producer if chemical wastes would be produced from the construction activities. The Waste Disposal Ordinance (Cap 354) and its subsidiary regulations in particular the Waste Disposal (Chemical Waste) (General) Regulation should be observed and complied with for control of chemical wastes.	To control water quality impact from accidental chemical spillage	MTR / Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
S11.163	Any service shop and maintenance facilities should be located on hard standings within a bunded area, and sumps and oil interceptors should be provided. Maintenance of vehicles and equipment involving activities with potential for leakage and spillage should only be undertaken within the areas appropriately equipped to control these discharges.	To control water quality impact from accidental chemical spillage	MTR / Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
S11.164	Disposal of chemical wastes should be carried out in compliance with the Waste Disposal Ordinance. The Code of Practice on the Packaging, Labelling and Storage of Chemical Wastes published under the Waste Disposal Ordinance details the requirements to deal with chemical wastes. General requirements are given as follows:	To control water quality impact from accidental chemical spillage	MTR / Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented

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	 Suitable containers should be used to hold the chemical wastes to avoid leakage or spillage during storage, handling and transport. Chemical waste containers should be suitably labelled, to notify and warn the personnel who are handling the wastes, to avoid accidents. Storage area should be selected at a safe location on site and adequate space should be allocated to the storage area. 					
S11.165	 Surface construction works at or in close proximity of watercourses or seafront: The proposed surface construction works should be carried out in dry season as far as practicable where the flow in the river channel or stream is low. The use of less or smaller construction plants may be specified to reduce the disturbance to the riverbed or pond deposits. Temporary sewerage system should be designed to 	To control water quality impact from construction works at or in close proximity of watercourses or seafront	MTR / Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented
	prevent wastewater from entering the river, streams and sea. Temporary storage of materials (e.g. equipment, filling materials, chemicals and fuel) and temporary stockpile of construction materials should be located well away from any water courses during carrying out of the construction works.					

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	 Stockpiling of construction materials and dusty materials should be covered and located away from any water courses. 					
	 Construction debris and spoil should be covered up and/or disposed of as soon as possible to avoid being washed into the nearby water receivers. 					
	 Construction activities, which generate large amount of wastewater, should be carried out in a distance away from the waterfront, where practicable. 					
	• Mitigation measures to control site run-off from entering the nearby water environment should be implemented to minimize water quality impacts. Surface channels should be provided along the edge of the waterfront within the work sites to intercept the run-off.					
	 Construction effluent, site run-off and sewage should be properly collected and/or treated. 					
	Any works site inside the water courses should be temporarily isolated. The water flow should be temporarily diverted to downstream by using PVC pipes, steel arrays in concrete case or similar, restricting the excavation works to be conducted within an enclosed dry section of the channel. This works arrangement would provide a dry zone for excavation works within the river channel and would prevent the conveyance of suspended					

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	sediment downstream. Dewatering at works section should be conducted prior to the commencement of works. Further limiting or reducing the works area inside the water courses should be considered during wet season or rainstorm event in order to reduce the area of exposed surface.					
	 Silt curtain should be installed around the construction activities at or near the watercourses to minimize the potential impacts due to accidental spillage of construction wastes and excavated materials. 					
	 Proper shoring may need to be erected in order to prevent soil or mud from slipping into the watercourses. 					
	 Supervisory staff should be assigned to station on site to closely supervise and monitor the works. 					
S11.166	Surface construction works close to water gathering	To control water quality	MTR /	Works areas	Construction	To be
	grounds:	impact from surface	Contractor	close to water	phase	implemented
	 The conditions as specified in WSD guidelines on 	construction works close		gathering		as per
	protection of Water Gathering Ground should be	to Water Gathering		ground		construction
	followed or observed where practicable	Ground				programme
S11.167	Dredging of marine sediments at LKST:	To minimize the loss of	MTR /	Marine	Construction	To be
	 Closed grab dredger should be used to minimize the 	fine sediment to	Contractor	dredging at	phase	implemented
	loss of sediment during the raising of the loaded	suspension during		LKST		as per

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	grabs through the water column.	dredging of marine				construction
	 No more than one closed grab dredger should be operated at any one time. 	sediments at LKST				programme
	 Double silt curtains should be deployed around the dredging operations as far as practicable. 					
	 The descent speed of grabs should be controlled to minimize the seabed impact speed. 					
	 Barges should be loaded carefully to avoid splashing of material. 					
	 All barges used for the transport of dredged materials should be fitted with tight bottom seals in order to prevent leakage of material during loading and transport. 					
	• All barges should be filled to a level which ensures that material does not spill over during loading and transport to the disposal site and that adequate freeboard is maintained to ensure that the decks are not washed by wave action.					
S11.83	Diversion of watercourse:	To control water quality	MTR /	Watercourse	Construction	Implemented
and S11.165	The excavation works at the existing stream in Shek Kong/ Kam Tin Nullah should be carried out by approved methods by the Engineer to minimise erosion. Should excavation works be carried out at the designated section of water course, temporary river diversion should be conducted prior to the commencement of works to avoid water flowing	impact due to diversion of watercourse	Contractor	to be diverted in Shek Kong	phase	

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	 into works area. The temporary diversion of water flow should be performed by appropriate means, such as completing the construction of the proposed channel section for carrying diverted flow prior to excavation works, or other similar methods, as approved by the Engineer to suit the works condition. This works arrangement would provide a dry zone for excavation works within the river channel and would prevent the conveyance of suspended sediment downstream. Dewatering at works section should also be conducted prior to the commencement of works. Mitigation measures for minimizing the water quality impact for surface construction works at or close to the watercourses should also be applied. 					
S. 11.169 - 11.173	Hydrogeological Impact: For the cut and cover tunnels and associated excavations for vent buildings and emergency access/escape points, the following measures should be in place in order to mitigate any drawdown effects to the groundwater table during the operation of the temporary dewatering works: Toe grouting should be applied beneath the toe level of the temporary/permanent cofferdam walls as necessary to lengthen the effective flow path of groundwater from outside and thus control the amount of water inflow to the excavation.	To control groundwater hydrogeological impact and groundwater drawdown	MTR/ Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented

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	 Recharge wells should be installed as necessary outside the excavation areas. Water pumped from the excavation areas should be recharge back into the ground. 					
	The bored tunnels should be constructed using a closed face tunnel boring machine to limit water inflow into the excavation face. The cutter head for the machine will be sealed during excavation and therefore the water inflow from the face will be very small. Precast undrained linings should be installed and back grouted behind the tunnel boring machine as it advances along the alignment to minimize the potential inflow of water behind the cutter head.					
	The Contractor should initially adopt suitable water control strategies while undertaking the excavation works. The water control strategies are shown as follow: Probing Ahead: As normal practice, the Contractor will undertake rigorous probing of the ground ahead of tunnel excavation works to identify zones of significant water inflow. The probe drilling					
	results will be evaluated to determine specific grouting requirements in line with the tunnel advance. In such zones of significant water inflow that could occur as a result of discrete, permeable features, the intent would be to reduce overall					

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	inflow by means of cut-off grouting executed ahead of the tunnel advance.					
	Pre-grouting: Where water inflow quantities are excessive, pre-grouting will be required to reduce the water inflow into the tunnel. The pre-grouting will be achieved via a systematic and carefully specified protocol of grouting.					
	 In principle, the grout pre-treatment would be designed on the basis of probe hole drilling ahead of the tunnel face. 					
	In the event of excessive drawdown being observed within the ground water table as a result of the tunnelling works even after incorporation of the water control strategies, post-grouting will be applied as described below:					
	Post-grouting: Groundwater drawdown will be most likely due to inflows of water into the tunnel that have not been sufficiently controlled by the pre-grouting measures. Where this occurs post grouting will be undertaken before the lining is cast. Whilst unlikely to be required in significant measure, such a contingency should be allowed for reduction in permeability of the tunnel surround (by grouting) to limit inflow to acceptable levels.					

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	A detailed groundwater monitoring programme should be developed in detailed design stage to monitor both the proposed works and the impact of those works on the adjacent area.					
Water Q	uality Impact (Operation Phase)					
S11.174	 Tunnel run-off and drainage: Track drainage channels discharge should pass through oil/grit interceptors/chambers to remove oil, grease and sediment before being pumped to the foul sewer/holding tank for further disposal. The silt traps and oil interceptors should be cleaned and maintained regularly. Oily contents of the oil interceptors should be transferred to an appropriate disposal facility, or to be collected for reuse, if possible. 	To control runoff from rail track	MTR / DDC	Tunnels and rail tracks	Operation phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
S11.175 - S11.176	 Connection of domestic sewage generated from the Project should be diverted to the foul sewer wherever possible. If public sewer system is not available, sewage tanking away services or on-site sewage treatment facilities should be provided to prevent direct discharge of sewage to the nearby storm system and all the discharge should comply with the requirements stipulated in the TM-DSS. For handling, treatment and disposal of other 	To control water quality impact from sewage effluent discharge ventilation buildings, SSS and WKT	MTR / DDC	Ventilation buildings, SSS and WKT	Operation phase	To be implemented as per construction programme

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	P	operation stage effluent, the practices outlined in ProPECC PN 5/93 should be adopted where applicable.					
	Shek	Kong Stabling Sidings (SSS):	To control water quality	MTR/DDC	SSS	Operation phase	To be
S11.181	h c g a in fi	All the maintenance areas within the SSS should be noused or covered to prevent generation of contaminated rainwater runoff. All wastewater generated from the maintenance and cleaning activities should be collected and diverted to oil interceptor or other appropriate treatment facilities for proper treatment so that it satisfies the requirements stipulated in the TM-DSS. In case there is no pubic sewer available for the SSS during the operation phase, all wastewater generated or collected in the SSS should be ankered away for proper disposal to prevent direct discharge of any wastewater to the nearby surface water system.	impacts from the operation of Shek Kong Stabling Sidings				implemented as per construction programme
		Oil interceptors should be regularly inspected and cleaned to avoid wash-out of oil during storm conditions. A bypass would be provided to avoid overload of the interceptor's capacity. All waste oils and fuels should be collected and nandled in compliance with the Waste Disposal Ordinance. Site drainage should be well maintained and good management practices should be observed to ensure that oils and chemicals are managed,					

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	stored and handled properly and do not enter the nearby water streams. Areas for chemical storage should be securely locked. The storage area should have an impermeable floor and bunding of capacity to accommodate 110% of the volume of the largest container or 20% by volume of the chemical waste stored in that area, whichever is the greatest, to minimize the impacts from any potential accidents. In case of the occurrence of accidental spillage of chemicals, it is required to take immediate actions to control the release of chemicals.					
	 Disposal of chemical wastes should be carried out in compliance with the Waste Disposal Ordinance. The Code of Practice on the Packaging, Labelling and Storage of Chemical Wastes published under the Waste Disposal Ordinance details the requirements to deal with chemical wastes. 					
S11.182	For any future maintenance desilting of the newly constructed or diverted watercourses, temporary barrier walls should be used to provide a dry zone for desilting work. Maintenance desilting should be carried out during periods of low flow in the dry season.	To control water quality impact due to maintenance desilting of the newly constructed or diverted watercourses	MTR	Diverted watercourses in Shek Kong	Operation phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
Air Qual	ity (Construction Phase)					
S 12.78	For concrete batching plant, the requirements and	To minimize dust impacts	MTR /	Concrete	Construction	The
	mitigation measures stipulated in the Guidance Note on			batching plant		construction of

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	the Best Practicable Means for Cement Works (Concrete		Contractor	at works area	phase	Phase 1 CBP at
	Batching Plant) BPM 3/2(93) should be followed and			V		WKT has been
	implemented.					completed and
						Phase 2 is under
						preparation.
						The control
						measures to be
						implemented
						after the
						completion of
						construction
						and as per
						construction
						programme.
Table	The design emission concentration of dust collector for	To minimize dust impacts	MTR /	Concrete	Construction	The installation
12.9 and	different types of silos for concrete batching plant should		Contractor	batching plant	phase	of dust
Table	be:			at works area		collectors for
12.12	■ Dust collector for each small Cement Silo ≤ 30			V		silos has been
	mg/m^3					completed in
	Dust collector for each Large Capacity Cement Silo					Phase 1 CBP
	$\leq 50 \text{mg/m}^3$					while the
	■ Dust collector for each PFA Silo ≤ 30 mg/m ³					installation in

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	■ Dust collector for each Mixer ≤ 40 mg/m3					Phase 2 is under
	During operation of concrete batching plant:					preparation.
	 The aggregates should be unloaded from the tipper 					The dust
	trucks to the receiving hopper equipped with					collectors to be
	enclosures on 3 sides and top cover, and water					implemented
	spraying system.					during the
	 The cement and PFA should be directly loaded into the silo via a flexible duct. Dust collectors should 					operation of
	be installed at the cement/PFA silo based on the					CBP and as per
	above design emission rates.					construction
	 The aggregates should be stored in fully enclosed overhead storage bins. The top of overhead storage bins should be covered with cladding. Water spraying system should be installed at the top of storage bins for watering the aggregates, and aggregate storage bins should be fully enclosed. 					programme.
	The whole process of weighing and mixing of cementitious material should be performed in a fully enclosed environment. The mixers shall equip with the dust collectors based on the above design emission rates.					
	 The concrete should be directly loaded from the mixer into the transit mixer of a truck in "wet" form. 					
	 Haul road within the site should be paved. Wheel washing pit should be installed at the gate of the 					

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	concrete batching plant. Water spraying system should be installed along the haul road.					
Table	(1) Cut & Cover Areas and Stockpiles in the vicinity of	To minimize dust impacts	MTR /	All works	Construction	Implemented
12.10	adits/shafts:		Contractor	areas	phase	
	(a) Heavy construction activities at Cut & Cover Areas,					
	Storage of materials at Stockpiles - Active areas for heavy					
	construction activities, loading & unloading materials at					
	stockpiles					
	The specified requirements for cut & cover areas and stockpiles at Shek Kong, Nam Cheong and West Kowloon works areas are as follows:					
	(i) Shek Kong works area – active area minimized					
	to 15% of total area, watering with complete					
	coverage of active area ten times a day.					
	(ii) Nam Cheong works area – active area					
	minimized to 30% of total area, watering with					
	complete coverage of active stockpile area four					
	times a day.					
	(iii) West Kowloon works area - active area					
	minimized to 15% of total area, watering with					
	complete coverage of active area eight times a					
	day.					

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	• For other sites, the active area would be minimized to 30% of the total area, water spraying system would be applied on the active area and watering with complete coverage of active area four times a day would be required.					
	• The remaining inactive area would be well covered with impervious sheeting at all work sites.					
	(b) Trucks - Transportation of materials					
	• Wheel wash facilities provided at the site exit. The vehicles should be washed before leaving the stockpiles. The spoils should also be well covered before leaving the site in order to minimise generation of dusty materials.					
	The haul roads within the site should be paved and water spraying would be provided to keep the wet condition.					
	• For the Shek Kong works area, watering paved haul roads once per hour would be provided.					
	(2) Temporary stockpiles within barging facilities:					
	(a) Loading point - Loading of spoils from trucks onto					
	stockpile					
	 Water spraying should be provided at the loading points to suppress the dust impact. 					
	(b) Storage of materials - Active area for loading &					

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	unloading materials					
	 Water spraying system should be applied on the active area and watering with complete coverage of active area four times a day is required. 					
Table	Barging facilities:	To minimize dust impacts	MTR /	All barging	Construction	Implemented
12.11	(1) Haul road within barging facilities - Transportation of		Contractor	points	phase	
	spoils to the barging points					
	 All road surfaces within the barging facilities should be paved and water spraying should be provided to keep the wet condition. For paved haul roads at West Kowloon and Nam Cheong, watering haul road once per hour is required. 					
	(2) Unloading of materials - Unloading of spoil materials					
	 The unloading process should be undertaken within enclosed tipping hall. Water spraying and dust curtain should be provided at the discharge point for dust suppression. 					
	(3) Trucks - Vehicles leaving the barging facilities					
	 Vehicle wheel washing facilities should be provided at site exit. 					
	(4) Transportation of spoils to one of the Nam Cheong					
	Barging Point					
	Fully enclosed conveyor system should be adopted					

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	for transportation of spoils from shaft to the barging point.					
S 12.78	 Dust suppression measures stipulated in the Air Pollution Control (Construction Dust) Regulation and good site practices: Use of regular watering, with complete coverage, to reduce dust emissions from exposed site surfaces and unpaved roads, particularly during dry weather. Use of frequent watering for particularly dusty construction areas and areas close to ASRs. Side enclosure and covering of any aggregate or dusty material storage piles to reduce emissions. Where this is not practicable owing to frequent usage, watering should be applied to aggregate fines. Open stockpiles should be avoided or covered. Where possible, prevent placing dusty material storage piles near ASRs. Tarpaulin covering of all dusty vehicle loads transported to, from and between site locations. Establishment and use of vehicle wheel and body washing facilities at the exit points of the site. Provision of wind shield and dust extraction units or similar dust mitigation measures at the loading 	To minimize dust impacts	MTR / Contractor	All works areas	Construction phase	Implemented

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	area where dust generation is likely during the loading process of loose material, particularly in dry seasons/ periods.					
	 Imposition of speed controls for vehicles on unpaved site roads. 8 kilometers per hour is the recommended limit. 					
	 Where possible, routing of vehicles and positioning of construction plant should be at the maximum possible distance from ASRs. 					
	• Every stock of more than 20 bags of cement or dry pulverised fuel ash (PFA) should be covered entirely by impervious sheeting or placed in an area sheltered on the top and the 3 sides.					
	 Cement or dry PFA delivered in bulk should be stored in a closed silo fitted with an audible high level alarm which is interlocked with the material filling line and no overfilling is allowed. 					
	 Loading, unloading, transfer, handling or storage of bulk cement or dry PFA should be carried out in a totally enclosed system or facility, and any vent or exhaust should be fitted with an effective fabric filter or equivalent air pollution control system. 					
S12.94	Environmental monitoring and audit for dust emission should be conducted in accordance with EM&A Manual during the construction phase of the Project to check	To monitor dust impact	MTR / Contactor	Proposed monitoring locations	Design and operation phases	Implemented

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	compliance with legislative requirements.					
Air Qual	lity (Operation Phase)					
S12.48	The vent shafts of the stations should be designed to be	To alleviate the adverse	MTR	WKT	Design and	To be
	sited at more than 5m from any opening at the adjacent	air quality impact in the			operation phases	implemented
	building	stations				as per
						construction
						programme
S12.50	The design of the mechanical air ventilation for PTI	To alleviate the adverse	MTR	PTI at the	Design and	To be
	should follow EPD's ProPECC PN1/98 Control of Air	air quality impact in the		ground floor	operation phases	implemented
	Pollution in Semi-confined Public Transport Interchanges.	PTI		of ventilation		as per
				building		construction
				complex at		programme
				WKT		
Hazard t	to Life					
S13.96/	Improved truck design to reduce the amount of	To meet the ALARP	MTRC/	-	Construction	Implemented
S13.99	combustibles in the cabin and fuel carried in the fuel tank	requirement	Contractor		phase	
	should be minimised to reduce the duration of any fire.					
	The truck should be brand new, diesel powered and					
	equipped with fuel and battery isolation switches, front					
	exhaust spark arrester, 1 x 9 kg water based and 1 x 9 kg					
	dry chemical powder fire extinguishers. This should be					

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	combined with monthly vehicle inspection					
S13.96	The explosive truck accident frequency should be minimized by implementing a dedicated training programme for both the driver and his attendants, including regular briefing sessions, implementation of a defensive driving attitude. In addition, drivers should be selected based on good safety record, and medical checks	To meet the ALARP requirement	MTRC/ Contractor	-	Construction phase.	Implemented
S13.96	The contractor should as far as practicable combine the explosive deliveries for a given work area.	To meet the ALARP requirement	MTRC/ Contractor	-	Construction phase	Implemented
S13.96	The explosive truck fire involvement frequency should be minimized by implementing a better emergency response and training to make sure the adequate fire extinguishers are used and attempt is made to evacuate the area of the incident or securing the explosive load if possible. All explosive vehicles should also be equipped with bigger capacity AFFF-type extinguishers.		MTRC/ Contractor	-	Construction phase	Implemented
S13.96	A minimum headway between two consecutive truck conveys of at least 10 min is recommended	To meet the ALARP requirement	MTRC/ Contractor	Along explosives transport route.	Construction phase.	Implemented

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S13.96/ S13.105	Only the required quantity of explosives for a particular blast should be transported to avoid the return of unused explosives to the magazines. If disposal is required for small quantities, disposal should be made in a controlled and safe manner by a Registered Shotfirer.	To reduce the risk during explosives transport	MTRC/ Contractor	-	Construction phase	Implemented
S13.97	Blasting activities including storage and transport of explosives should be supervised and audited by competent site staff to ensure strict compliance with the blasting permit conditions.	To ensure that the risks from the proposed explosives storage and transport would be acceptable	MTRC / Contractor	Works areas at which explosives would be stored and/or used.	Construction phase	Implemented
S13.97	Emergency plan (ie magazine operational manual) shall be developed to address uncontrolled fire in magazine area and transport. The case of fire near an explosive carrying truck in jammed traffic should also be covered. Drill of the emergency plan should be carried out at regular intervals.		MTRC/ Contractor	Explosive Magazine and along explosives transport route.	Construction phase	Implemented
S13.97	Adverse weather working guideline should be developed to clearly define procedure for transport explosives during	-	MTRC/ Contractor	Along explosives transport	Construction phase	Implemented

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	thunderstorm.			route.		
S13.98	Delivery vehicles shall not be permitted to remain within	To reduce the risk of fire	MTRC /	Explosive	Construction	Implemented
	the secured fenced off magazine store area.	within the magazine	Contractor	Magazine	phase	
S13.98	Good house-keeping within and outside of the magazine	To reduce the risk of fire	MTRC /	Explosive	Construction	Implemented
	to ensure that combustible materials (including vegetation) are removed and not allowed to accumulate.	within the magazine	Contractor	Magazine	phase	
S13.99/	Use only experienced driver(s) with good safety record.	To ensure safe transport of	MTRC/	-	Construction	Implemented
S13.101	Training should be provided to ensure it covers all major safety subjects.	explosives	Contractor		phase	
S13.99	Develop procedure to ensure that parking space on the site	To ensure that the risks	MTRC/	Explosive	Construction	Implemented
	is available for the explosive truck. Confirmation of	from the proposed	Contractor	magazine	phase	
	parking space should be communicated to truck drivers	explosives storage and				
	before delivery.	transport would be				
		acceptable				
S13.99	Detonators shall not be transported in the same vehicle	To reduce the risk of	MTRC /	-	Construction	Implemented
	with other Class 1 explosives	explosion during the	Contractor		phase	
		transport of cartridge				
		emulsion				
S13.99	During transport of the explosives within the tunnel, hot	To ensure safe transport of	MTRC/	Along	Construction	Implemented
	work should not be permitted in the vicinity of the	explosives	Contractor	explosives	phase	

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	explosives offloading or charging activities.			transport route.		
S13.99	Ensure that packaging of detonators remains intact until handed over at blasting site.	To reduce the risk of explosion during the transport of detonator	MTRC/ Contractor	-	Construction phase	Implemented
S13.99	Horizontal fire screen on cargo deck and vertical fire screen mounted at least 150 mm behind the drivers cab and 100 mm from the steel cargo compartment, the vertical screen shall protrude 150 mm in excess of all three (3) sides of the steel cargo compartment.	To reduce the risk during explosives transport	MTRC/ Contractor	-	Construction phase	Implemented
S13.104	Ensure that cartridge emulsion with high water content should be preferred. Also, the emulsion with perchlorate formulation should be avoided.	To ensure safe explosives to be used	MTRC/ Contractor	-	Construction phase	Implemented
Landfill	Gas Hazard – Design and Construction Phases			l		
\$14.73 & \$14.86	- All personnel who work on site and all visitors to the site should be made aware of the possibility of ignition of gas in the vicinity of excavations. Safety notices should be posted warning of the potential hazards.	Protect the workers from landfill gas hazards	Contractor	XRL tunnels within the NTML Consultation Zone, Barging Point and Nursery	Construction phase	To be implemented as per construction programme

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				Site		
S14.73	- Those staff who work in, or have responsibility for "at risk" areas, including all excavation workers, supervisors and engineers working within the Consultation Zone, should receive appropriate training on working in areas susceptible to landfill gas, fire and explosion hazards.	Protect the workers from landfill gas hazards	Contractor	XRL tunnels within the NTML Consultation Zone	Construction phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
S14.73	 During all works, safety procedures will be implemented to minimise the risks of fires and explosions and asphyxiation of workers (especially in confined space). 	Protect the workers from landfill gas hazards	Contractor	XRL tunnels within the NTML Consultation Zone	Construction phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
S14.73	- Safety officers, specifically trained with regard to landfill gas related hazards and the appropriate actions to take in adverse circumstances will be present on all worksites throughout the works.	Protect the workers from landfill gas hazards	Contractor	XRL tunnels within the NTML Consultation Zone	Construction phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
S14.73, S14.86, S14.87	- Smoking and naked flames will be prohibited within confined spaces. 'No Smoking' and 'No Naked Flame' notices in Chinese and English will be posted prominently around the construction site. Safety	Protect the workers from landfill gas hazards	Contractor	XRL tunnels within the NTML Consultation	Construction phase	To be implemented as per construction

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	notices should be posted warning of the potential			Zone,		programme
	hazards.			Barging Point		
				and Nursery		
				Site		
S14.73	- Welding, flame-cutting or other hot works may only	Protect the workers from	Contractor	XRL tunnels	Construction	To be
	be carried out in confined spaces when controlled by	landfill gas hazards		within the	phase	implemented
	a 'permit to work' procedure, properly authorised by			NTML		as per
	the Safety Officer. The permit to work procedure			Consultation		construction
	will set down clearly the requirements for continuous			Zone		programme
	monitoring of methane, carbon dioxide and oxygen					
	throughout the period during which the hot works are					
	in progress. The procedure will also require the					
	presence of an appropriately qualified person who					
	shall be responsible for reviewing the gas					
	measurements as they are made, and who shall have					
	executive responsibility for suspending the work in					
	the event of unacceptable or hazardous conditions.					
	Only those workers who are appropriately trained and					
	fully aware of the potentially hazardous conditions					
	which may arise will be permitted to carry out hot					
	works in confined areas.					

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S14.73	- A mechanical ventilation system must be in use at all times during which personnel are engaged in works inside the tunnel or excavation and be evacuated in the event of power outages. Work must not be carried out in the absence of mechanical ventilation and supervision of adequately trained safety personnel. In exceptional case where work is carried out under non-ventilated condition, any electrical equipment used, such as motors and extension cords, should be intrinsically safe.	Protect the workers from landfill gas hazards	Contractor	XRL tunnels within the NTML Consultation Zone	Construction phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
S14.73	- Adequate fire extinguishing equipment, fire-resistant clothing and breathing apparatus sets should be made available on site.		Contractor	XRL tunnels within the NTML Consultation Zone	Construction phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
S14.86	- Raising the site office 500mm above ground.	Protect the workers from landfill gas hazards	Contractor	Barging Point	Construction phase	Implemented
S14.86	- Utilities services connected to the site office and the annulus around these service entry points should be properly sealed.	Protect the workers from landfill gas hazards	Contractor	Barging Point	Construction phase	Implemented

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S14.74	 Construction works to be undertaken in confined space should follow the relevant Regulations under Chapter 59 Factories and Industrial Undertakings Ordinance and Chapter 509 Occupational Health and Safety Ordinance. 	Protect the workers from landfill gas hazards	Contractor	XRL tunnels within the NTML Consultation Zone	Construction phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
S14.73	- Monitoring of methane, carbon dioxide and oxygen inside the XRL tunnels.	Protect the workers from landfill gas hazards	Contractor	XRL tunnels within the NTML Consultation Zone	Construction phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
S14.75	- A walkover survey to monitor flammable gas at all joints and cracks, if identified, upon completion of the tunnel work. Rectifications, such as sealing of cracks and inspection of tunnel seals, shall be carried out for any signs of the presence of flammable gas. The survey should be conducted under non-ventilated condition and before starting the work of the day.	Confirm no landfill gas ingress into the XRL tunnels	Contractor	XRL tunnels within the NTML Consultation Zone	Construction phase	To be implemented as per construction programme
S14.76	 Weekly monitoring of methane, carbon dioxide and oxygen in the form of a walkover survey at 20m intervals for section of tunnels under NTML and 50m interval within the NTML Consultation Zone should 	Confirm no landfill gas ingress into the XRL tunnels	Contractor	XRL tunnels within the NTML Consultation	Construction phase	To be implemented as per construction

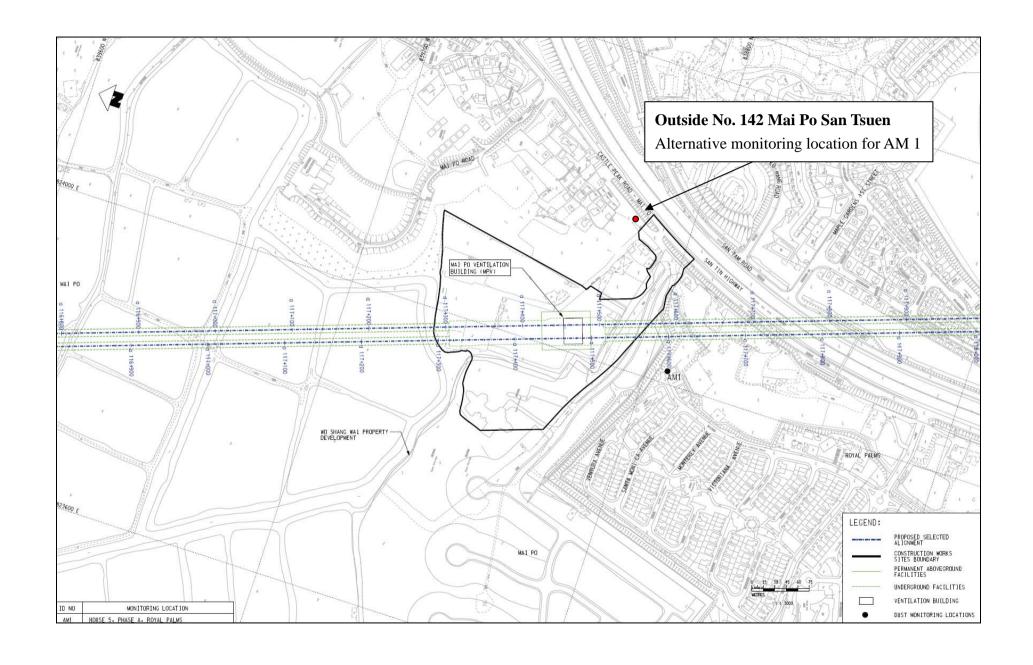
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	be conducted after completion of the tunnel construction works and not less than 3 months before commencement of operation. The survey should be conducted under non-ventilated condition and before starting the work of the day.			Zone		programme
S14.77	- A summary of the monitoring results should be submitted to EPD for record before the commencement of operational phase. The results should be reviewed and agreed with EPD before the commencement of operation to determine the monitoring requirements during the operational phase	To review and agree the monitoring requirement during the operational phase	MTR/ Contractor	-	Before operation	To be implemented as per construction programme
S14.78	- Appropriate sealant will be applied to joints to prevent the ingress of groundwater, which will also form a low permeability gas barrier. Good workmanship and adequate construction supervision will be required to ensure the actual works are implemented as per the design requirements. This will be implemented by MTRC's Material and Workmanship Specification.	Protect the XRL tunnels from landfill gas hazards	Design Engineer/ Contractor	XRL tunnels within the NTML Consultation Zone	Design and Construction phases	To be implemented as per construction programme
S14.79	- Adequate ventilation will be needed as part of the tunnel design to act as an active gas control when	Protect the XRL tunnels from landfill gas hazards	Design Engineer	XRL tunnels within the	Design phase	To be implemented

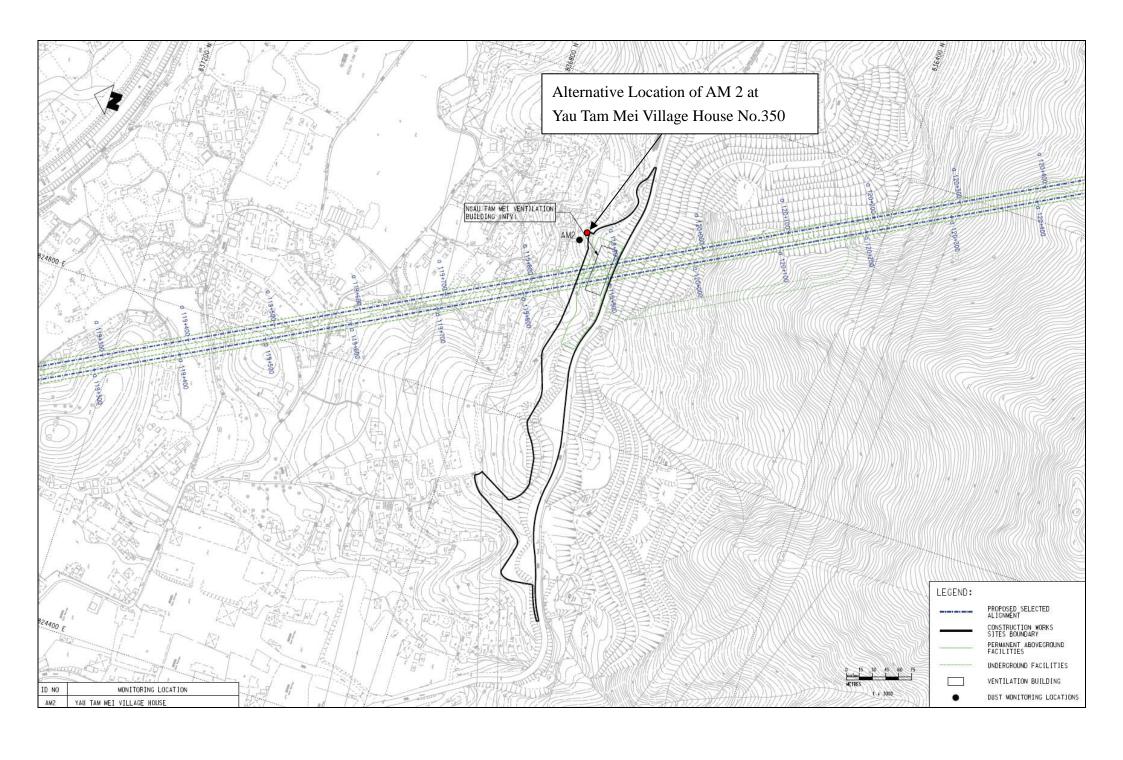
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	needed.			NTML		as per
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				Zone		programme
S14.80	- Upon completion of the landfill gas protection	Ensure landfill gas	Contractor	XRL tunnels	Construction	To be
	measures, a report on the implemented landfill gas	protection measures have		within the	phase	implemented
	protection measures with relevant as-built drawings	been completed		NTML		as per
	and other detailed information showing that the			Consultation		construction
	design measures mentioned in this assessment to			Zone		programme
	protect the tunnels from landfill gas hazard have been					
	properly incorporated should be submitted to EPD.					
Landfill	Gas Hazard – Operation Phase					
S14.76	- Ventilation of the tunnels should be switched on for	Protect the operation of	MTR	XRL tunnels	Operation phase	To be
	half an hour before the first train is expected (the	the XRL from landfill gas		within the		implemented
	requirement to implement this measure is subject to	hazards		NTML		as per
	findings of the review of landfill gas monitoring data			Consultation		construction
	with EPD before the commencement of operation).			Zone		programme
S14.76	- All maintenance personnel and station staff working	Protect the workers from	MTR	XRL tunnels	Operation phase	To be
	within the tunnels should be educated in the dangers	landfill gas hazards		within the		implemented
	of landfill gas and the signs and symptoms of			NTML		as per
	asphyxia.			Consultation		construction
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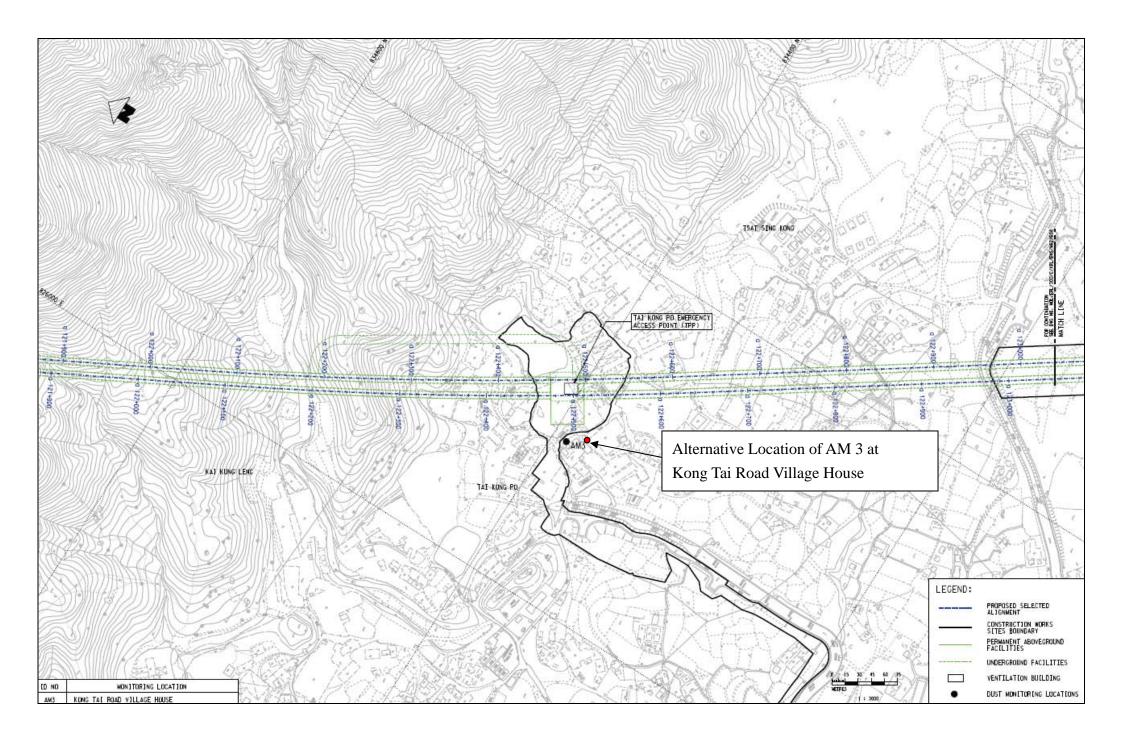
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S14.76	- Smoking within the tunnels should be prohibited at	Protect the operation of	MTR	XRL tunnels	Operation phase	To be
	all times.	the XRL and workers		within the		implemented
		from landfill gas hazards		NTML		as per
				Consultation		construction
				Zone		programme
S14.76	- An assumed presence of landfill gas should be	Protect the workers from	MTR	XRL tunnels	Operation phase	To be
	adopted at all times by maintenance workers and a	landfill gas hazards		within the		implemented
	strictly regulated "work permit procedure" involving			NTML		as per
	training, ventilation, gas monitoring (as detailed in			Consultation		construction
	the Construction recommendations section), safety			Zone		programme
	tracking and communication with maintenance staff,					
	enforcement of the no smoking order.					
S14.82	- The monitoring requirement during the operational	Confirm no landfill gas	MTR	XRL tunnels	Operation phase	To be
&	phase should be discussed with EPD before the	ingress into the XRL		within the		implemented
S14.83	commencement of operation. Weekly monitoring of	tunnels		NTML		as per
	methane, carbon dioxide and oxygen in the form of a			Consultation		construction
	walkover survey at 20m intervals for section of			Zone		programme
	tunnels under NTML and 50m interval within the					
	NTML Consultation Zone is tentatively proposed.					
	The survey should be conducted under non-ventilated					
	condition and before the first train operates and					

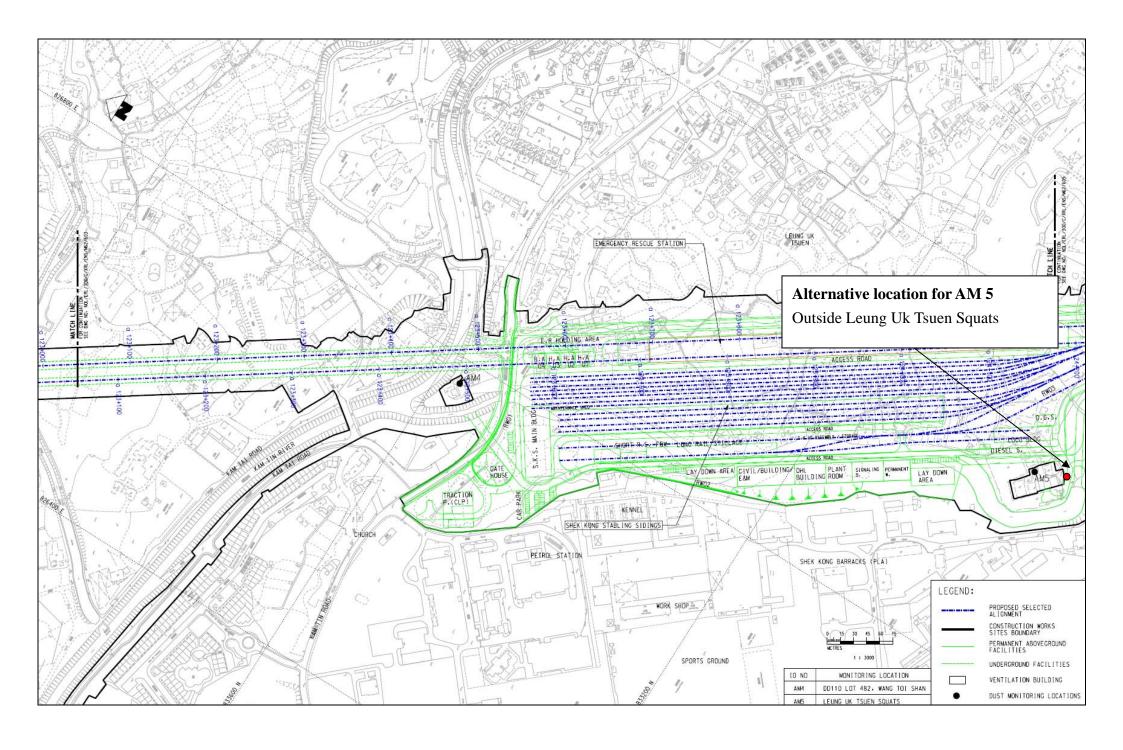
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	start-up of ventilation, if applicable. A summary of					
	the monitoring results should be submitted to EPD					
	for record at the end of the monitoring period.					
S14.84	- An annual walkover survey in the tunnels within the	Confirm no landfill gas	MTR	XRL tunnels	Operation phase	To be
	Consultation Zone of the NTML should be conducted	ingress into the XRL		within the		implemented
	to test for the presence of flammable gas at joints and	tunnels		NTML		as per
	cracks, if identified. Rectifications, such as sealing			Consultation		construction
	of cracks and inspection of tunnel seals, should be			Zone		programme
	carried out for any signs of presence of flammable					
	gas. The survey should be conducted under					
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	operates and start-up of ventilation, if applicable.					

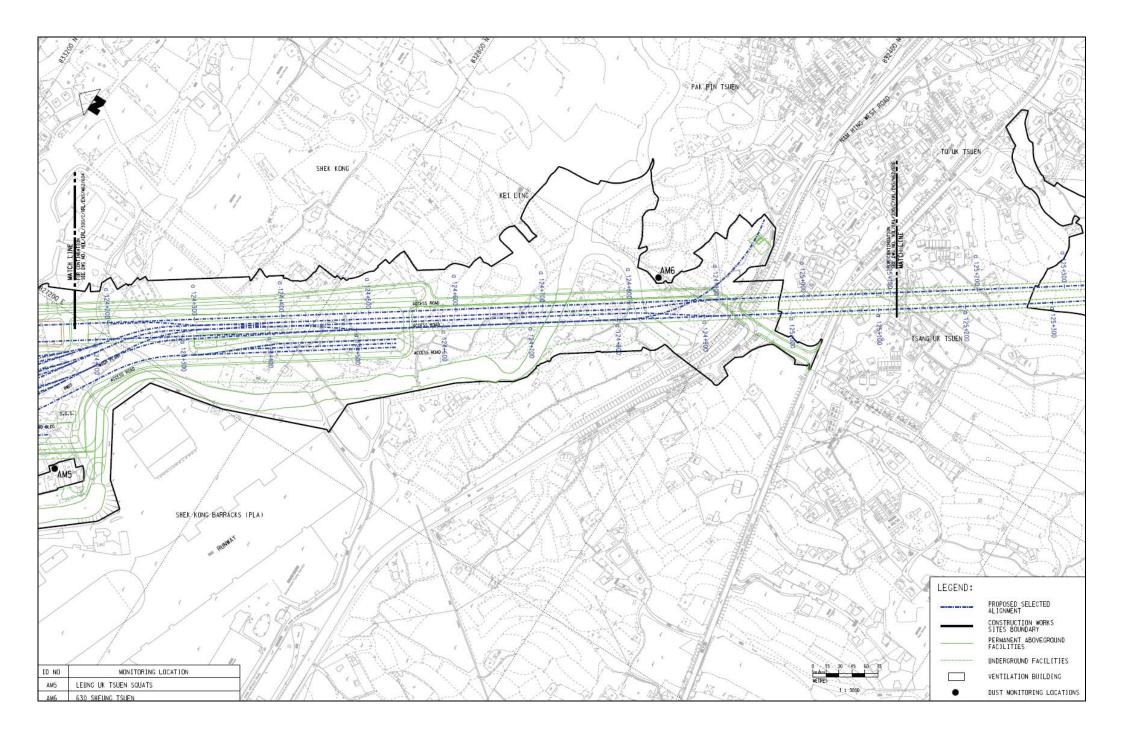
Appendix D Monitoring Locations

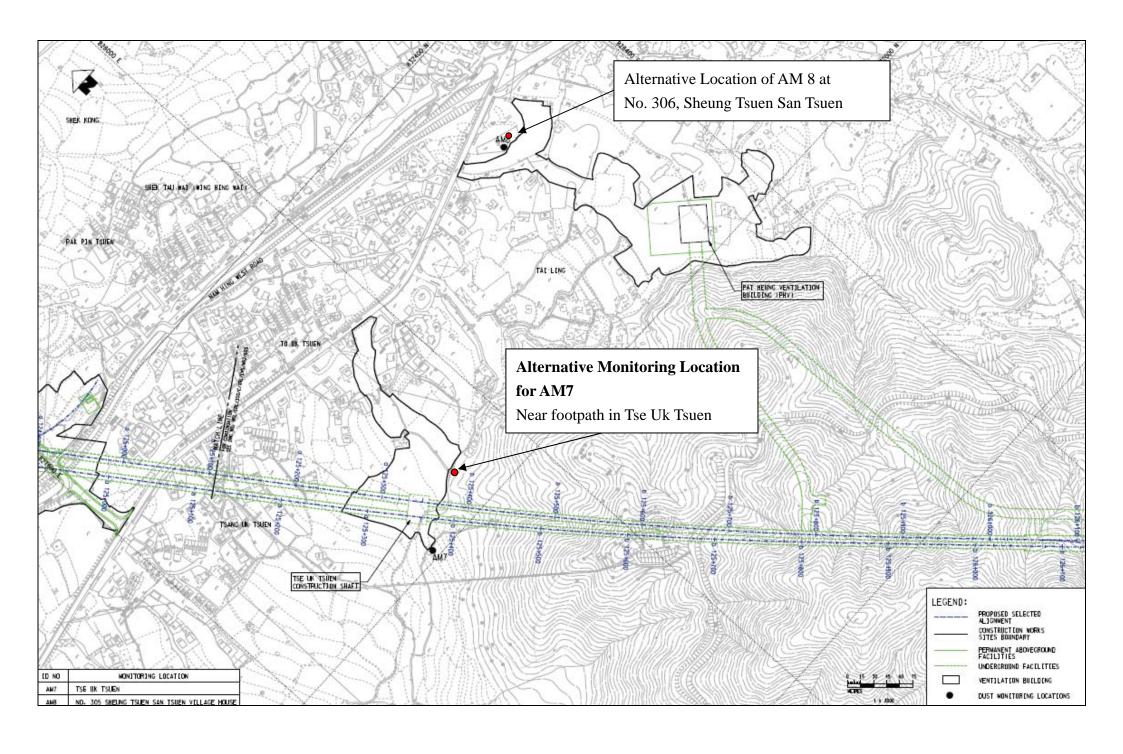


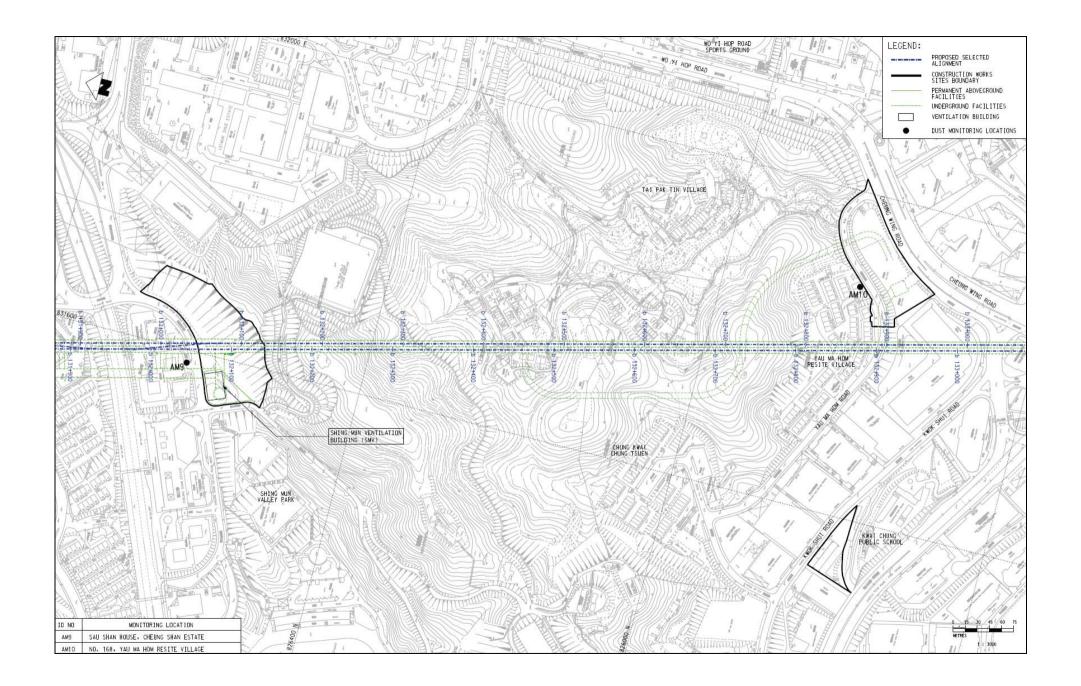


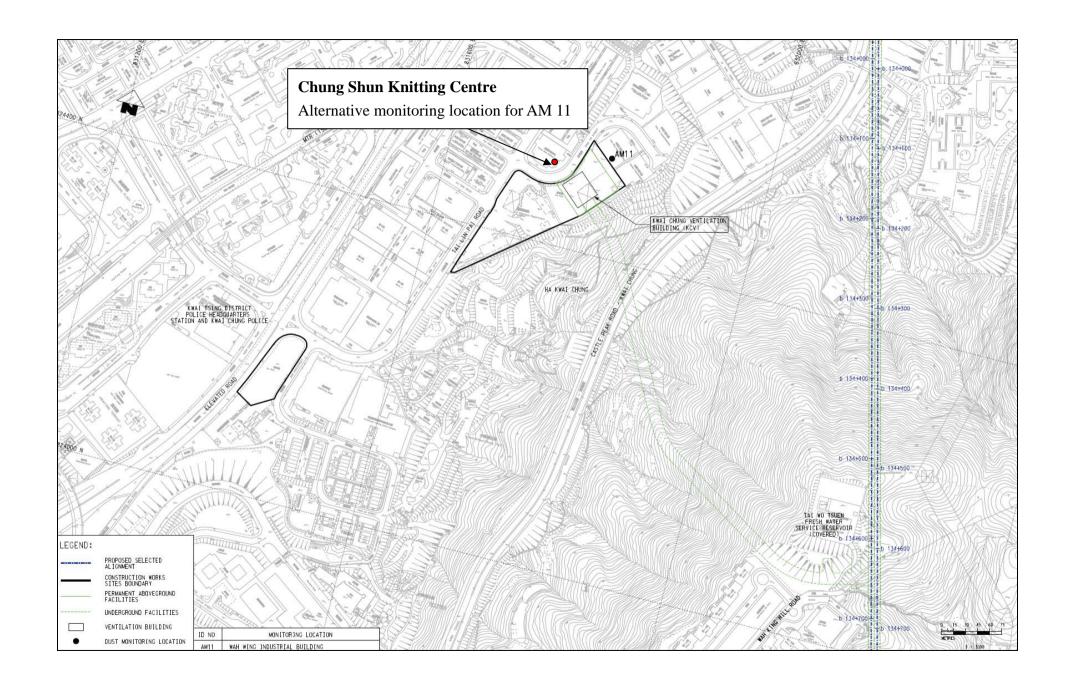


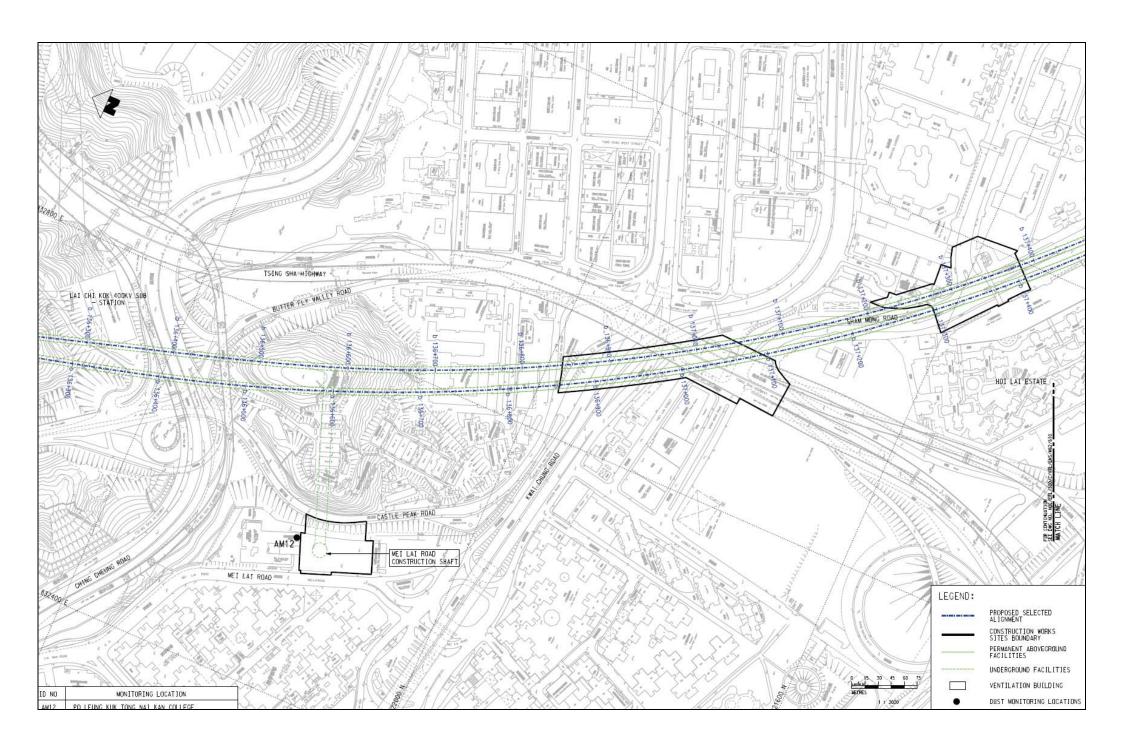


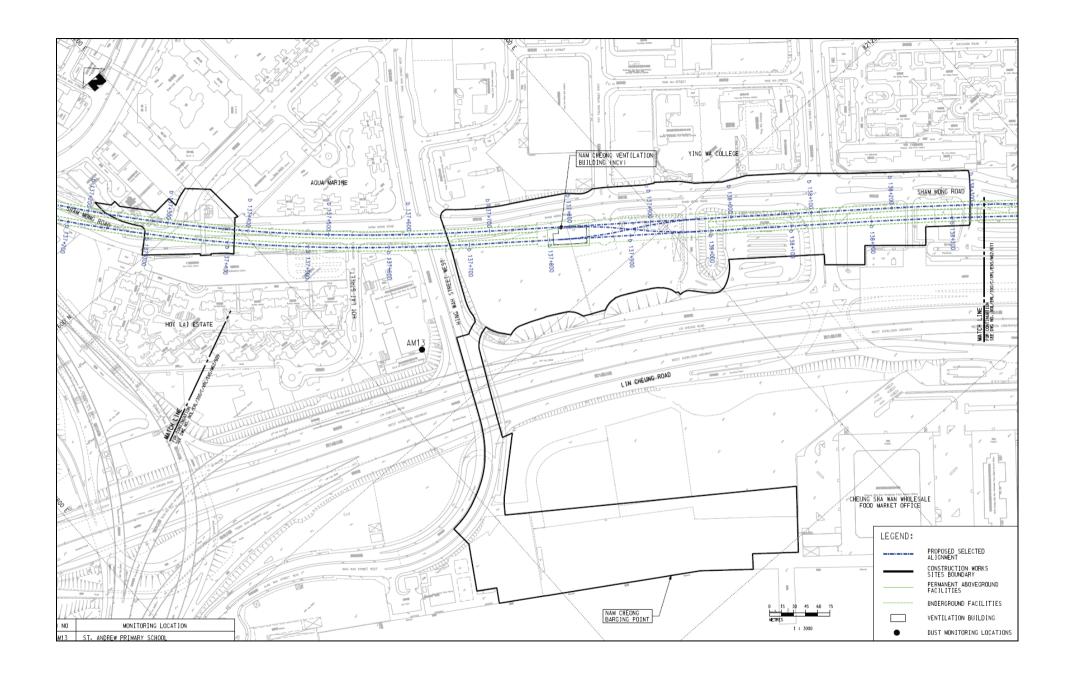


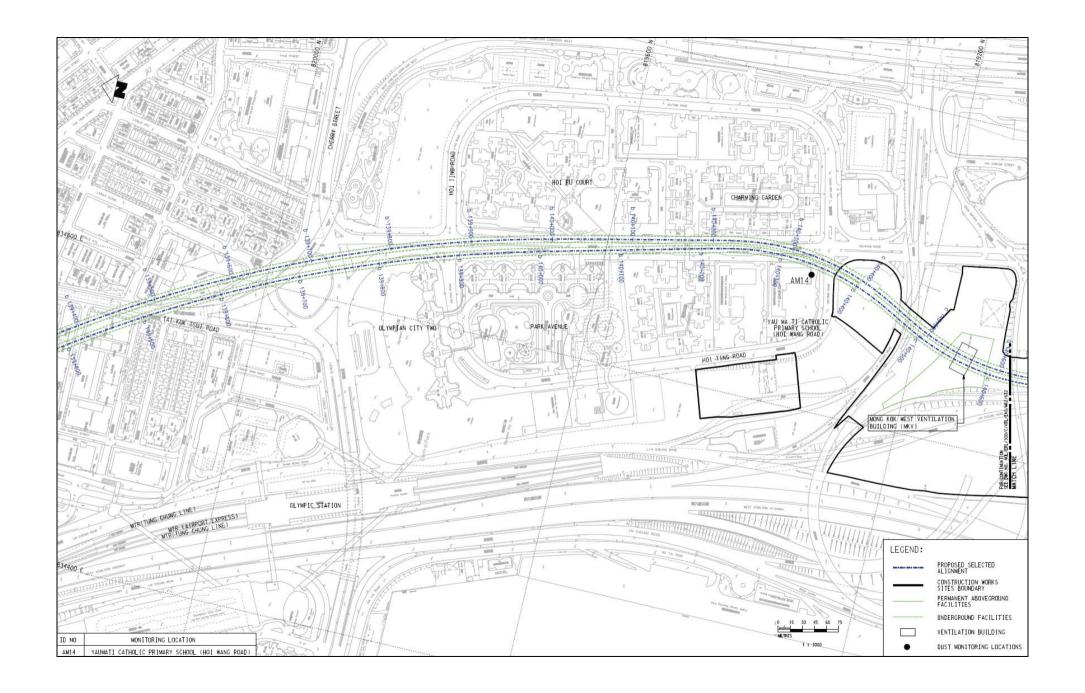


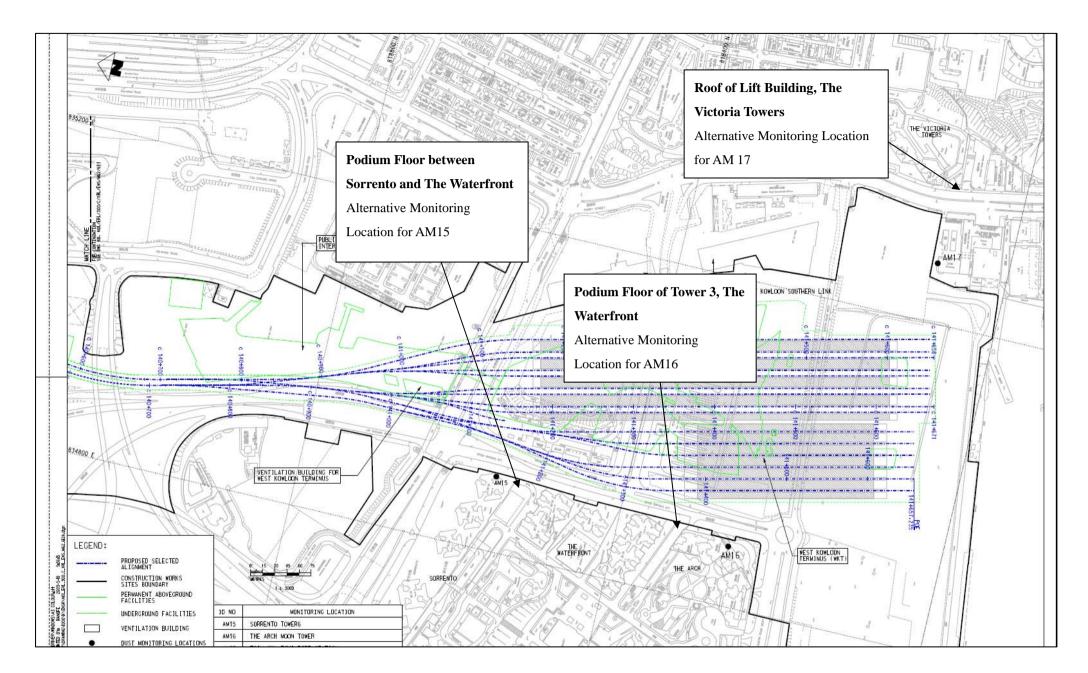




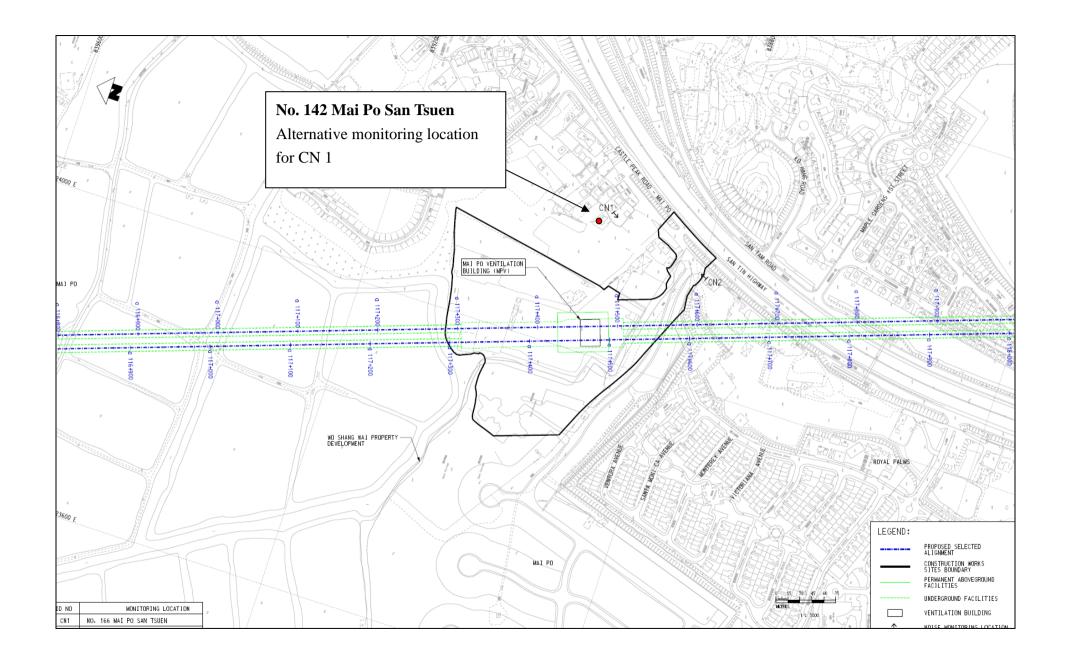




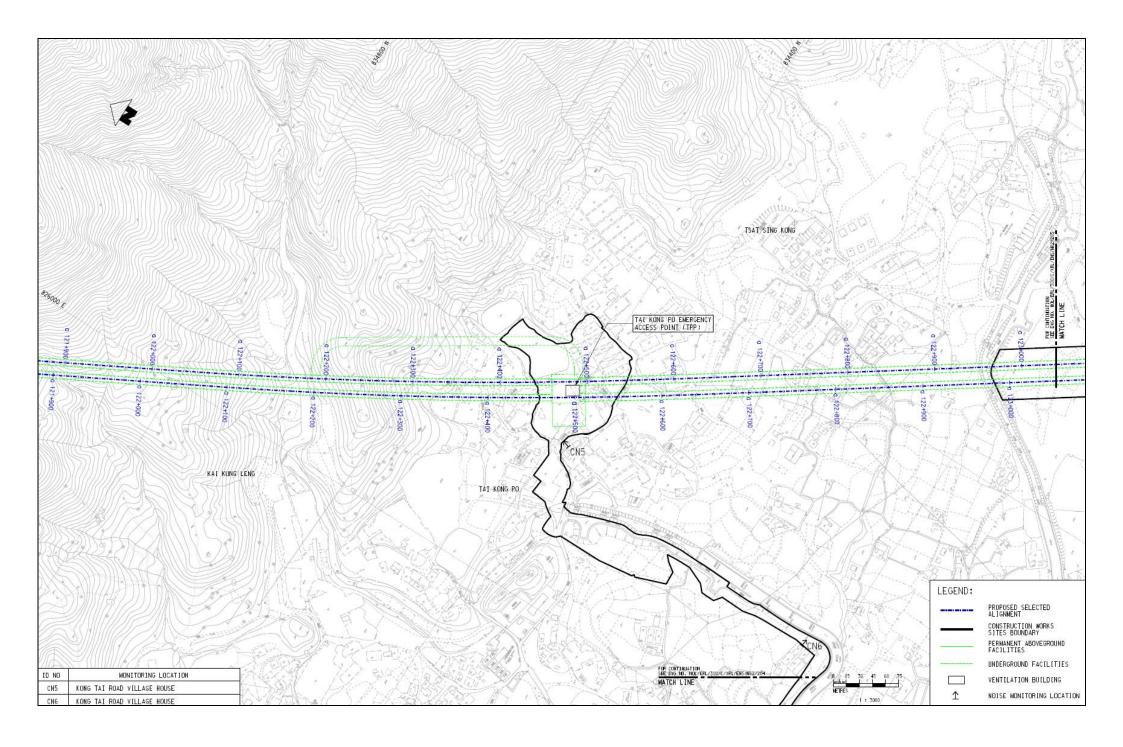




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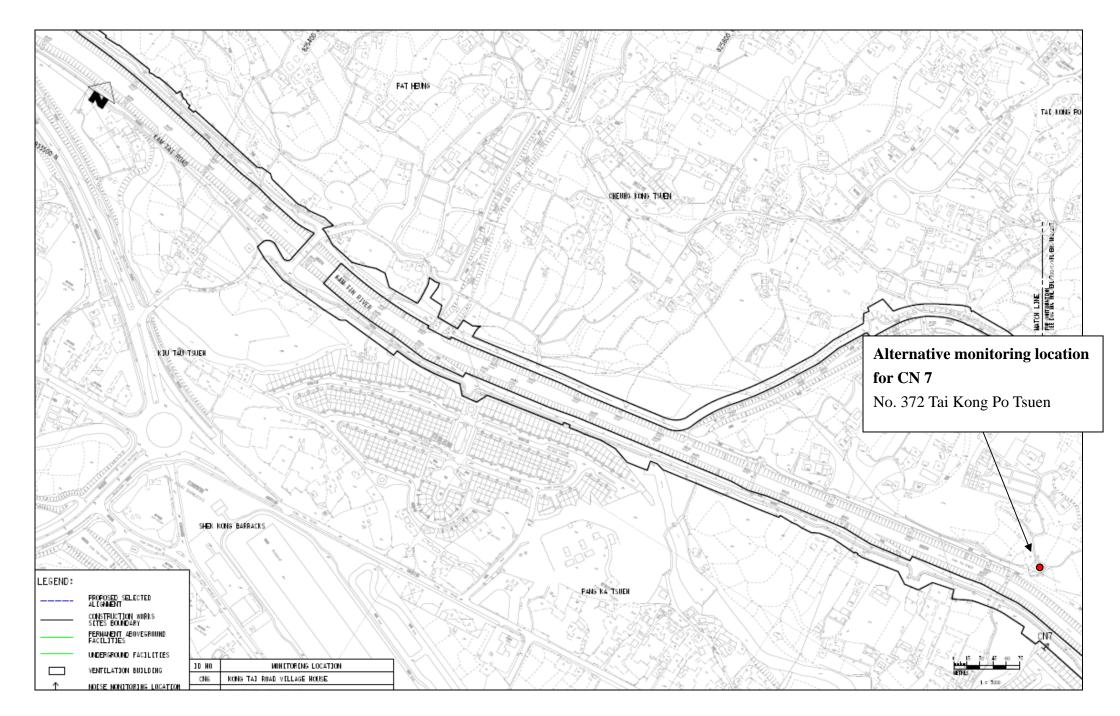
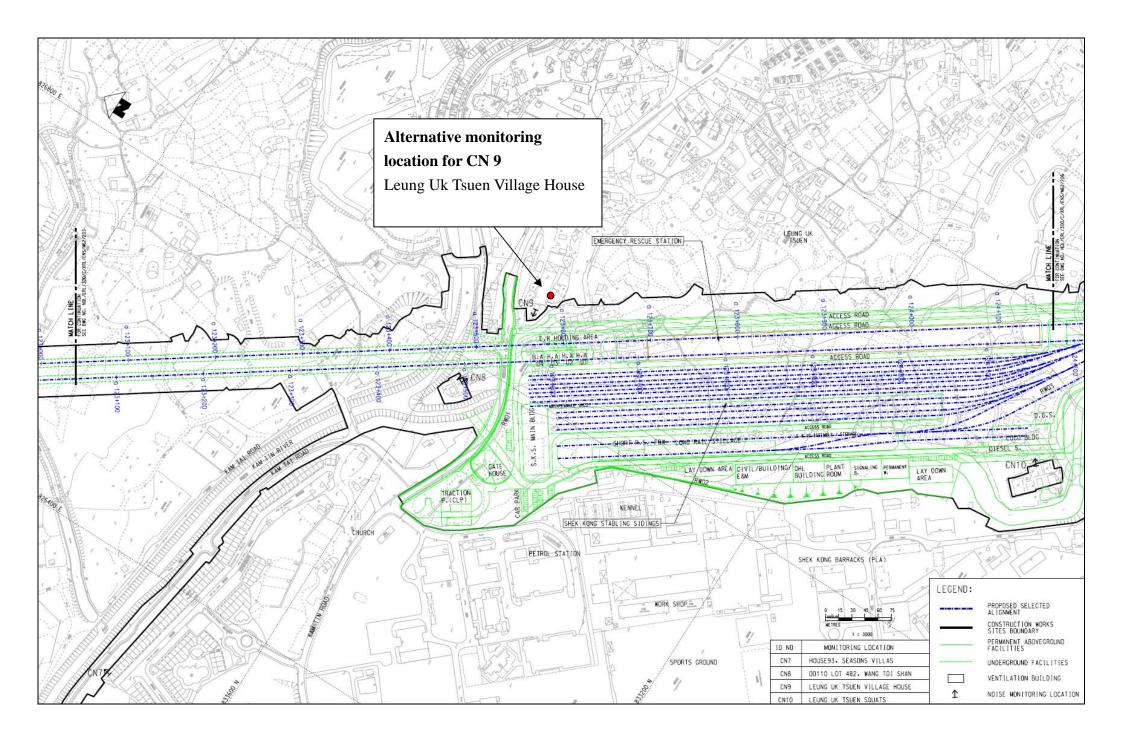
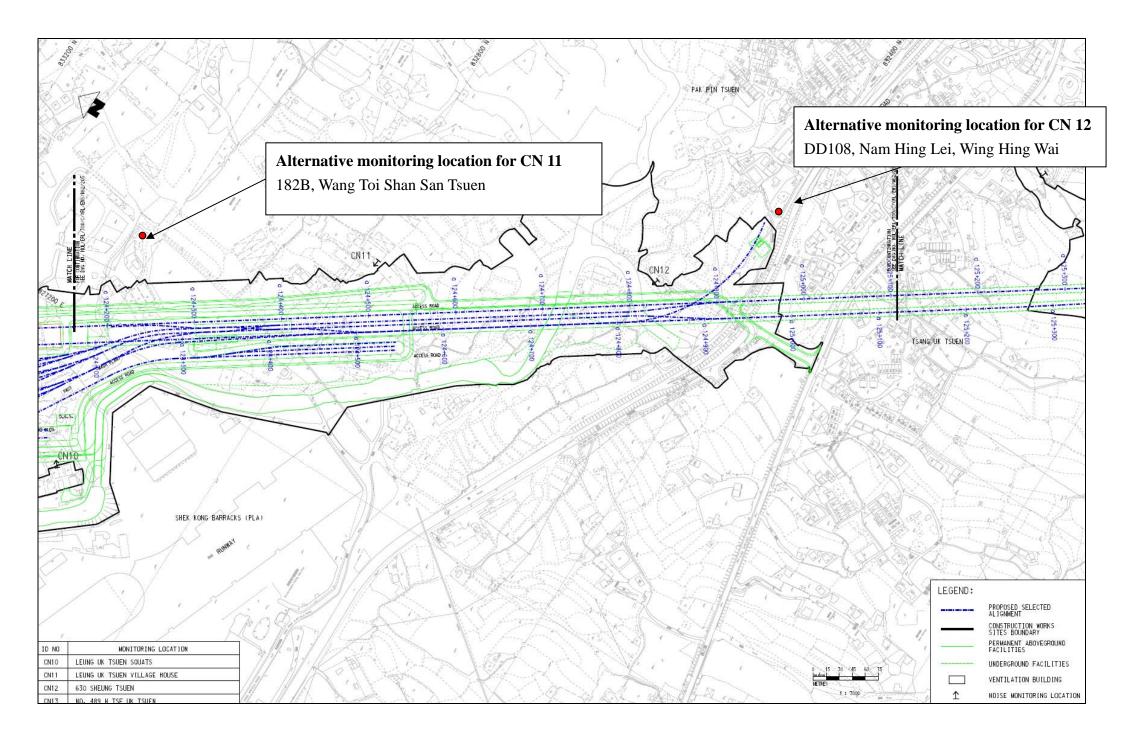
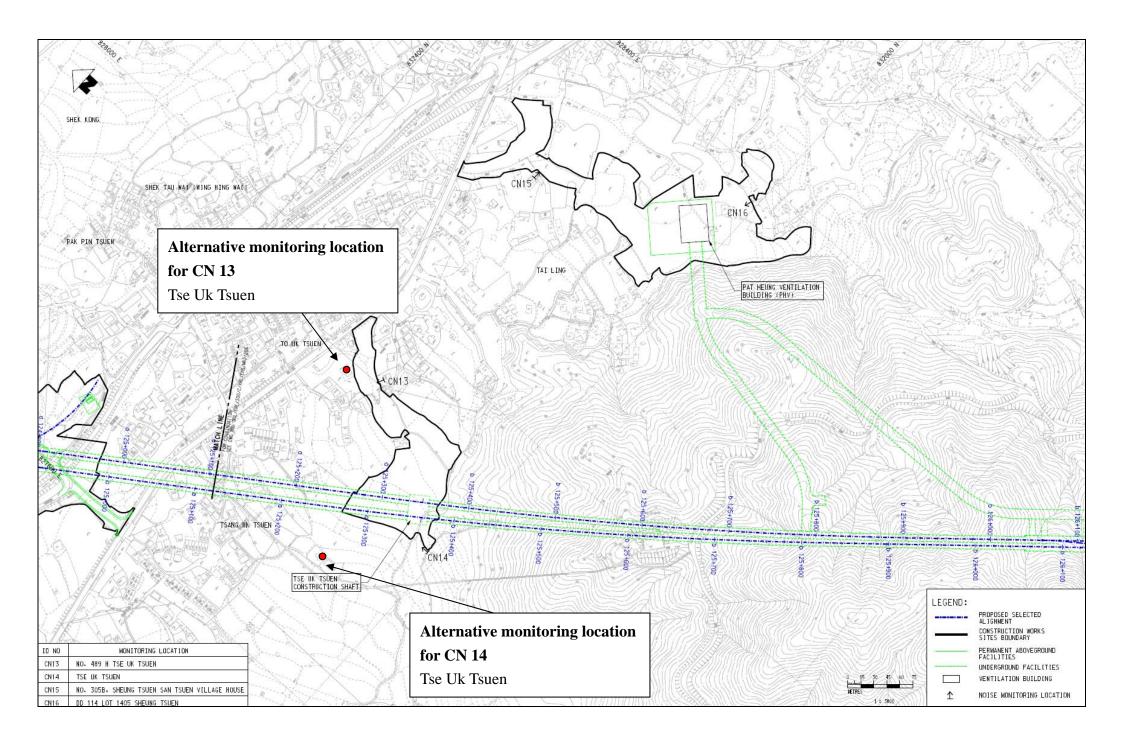
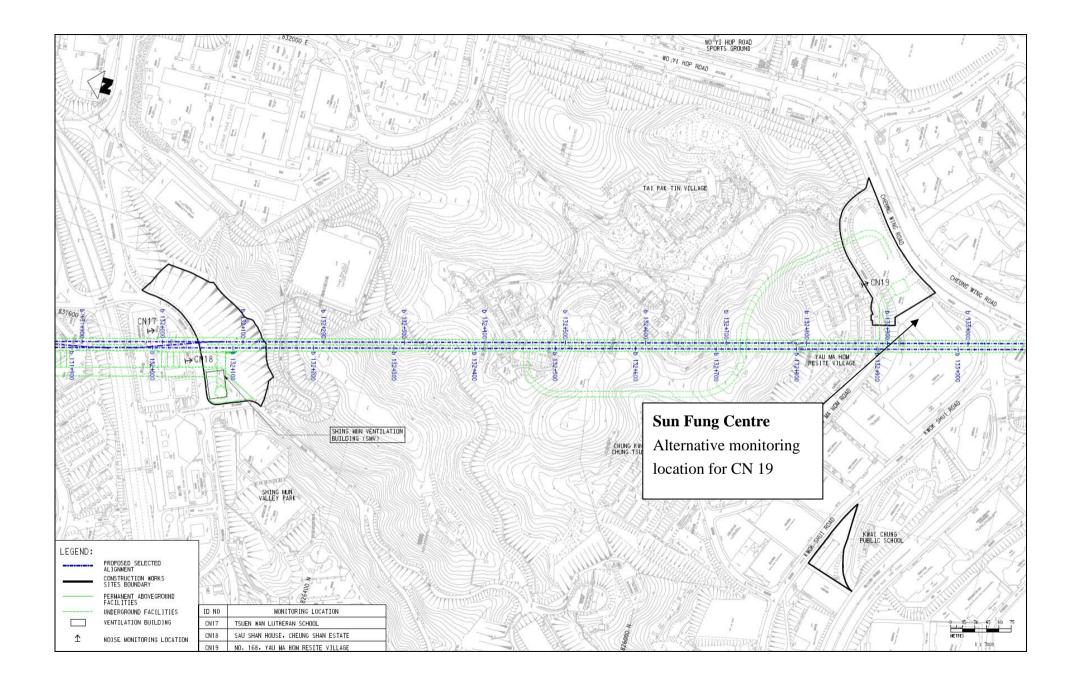


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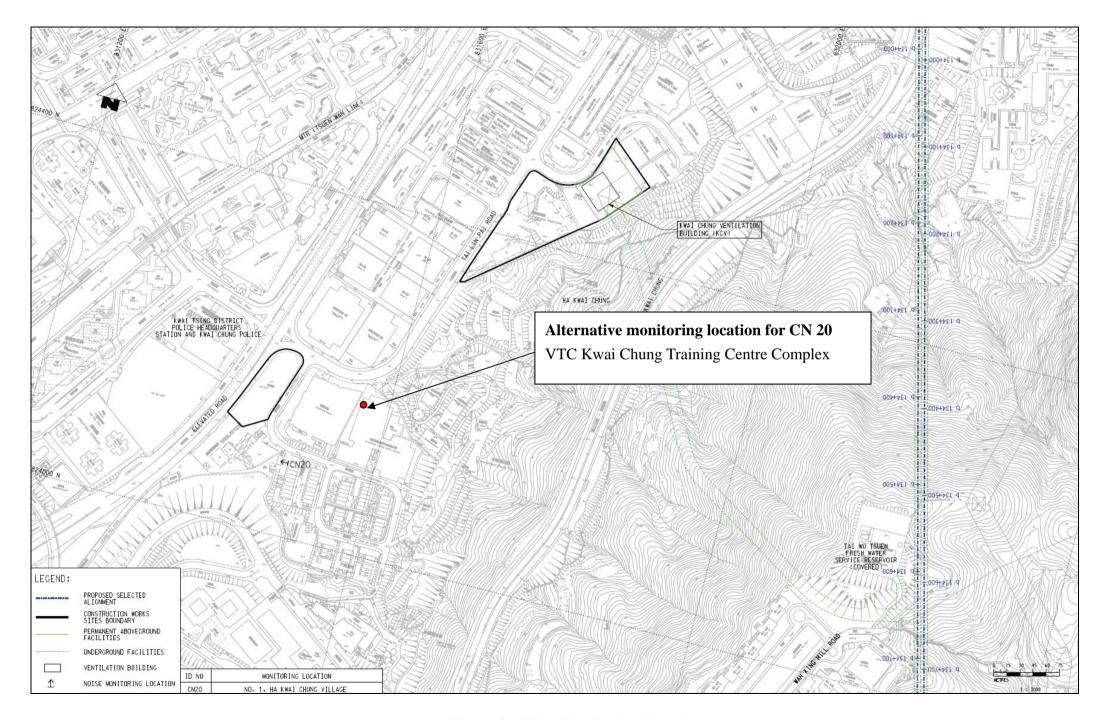
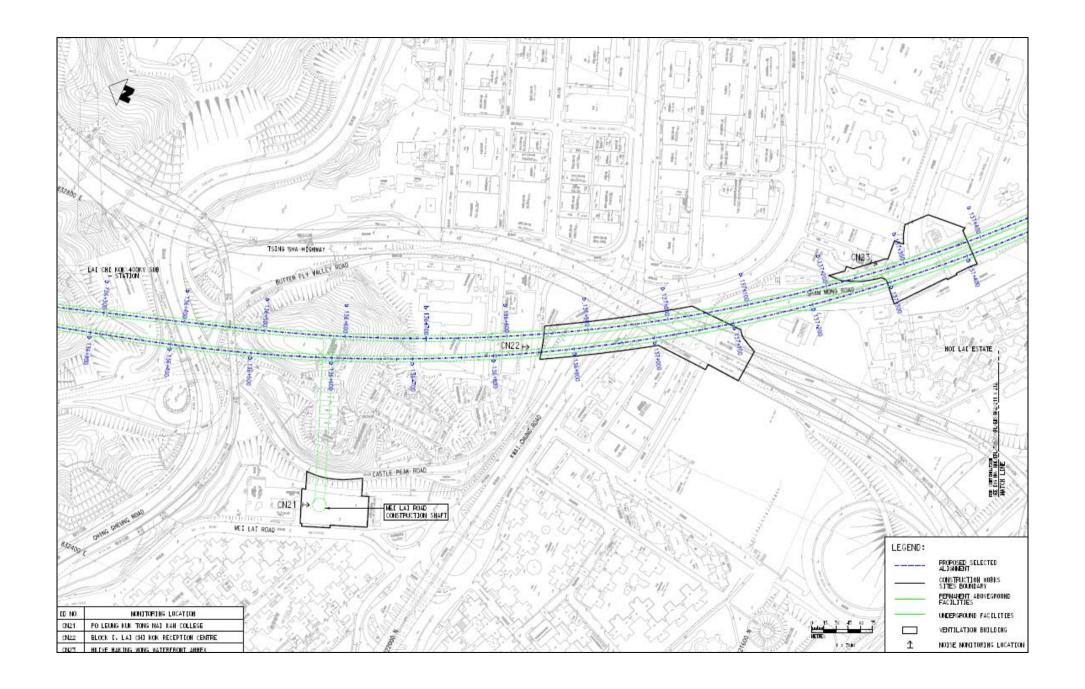
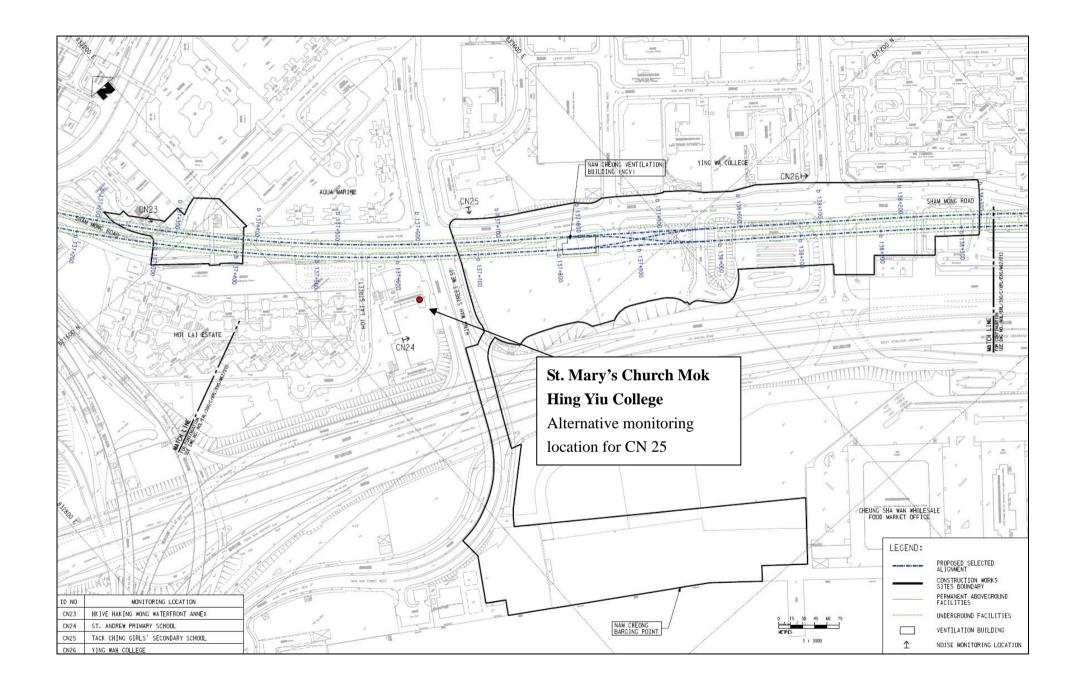
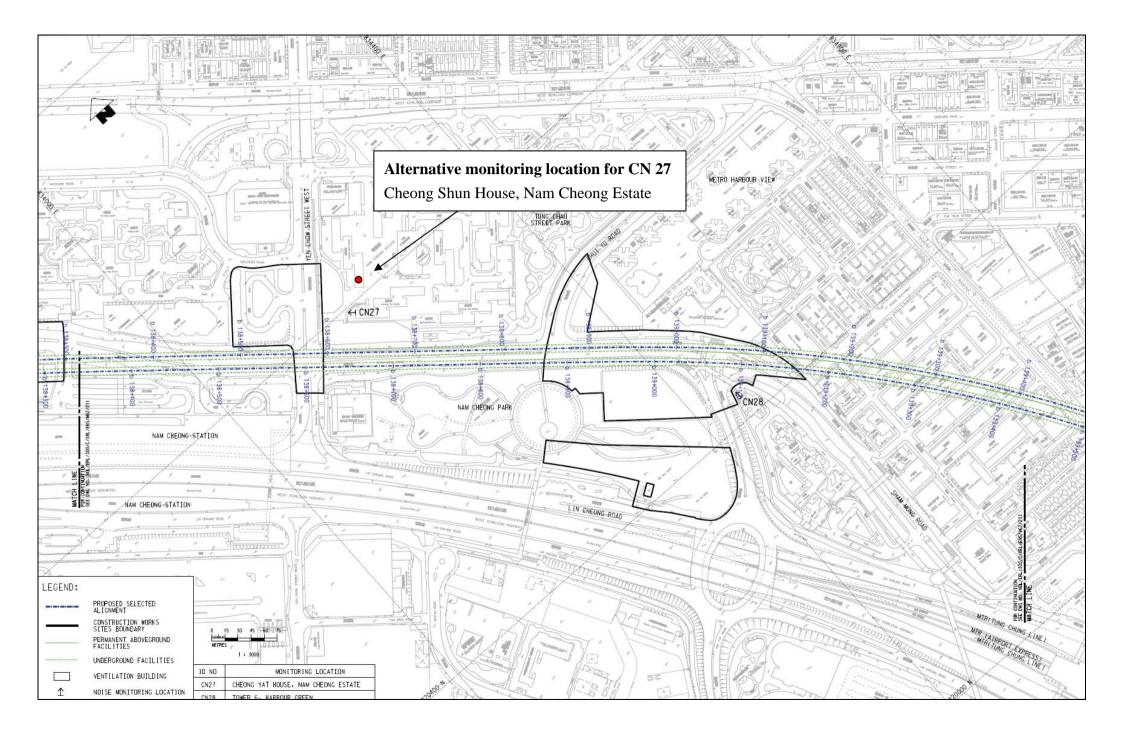
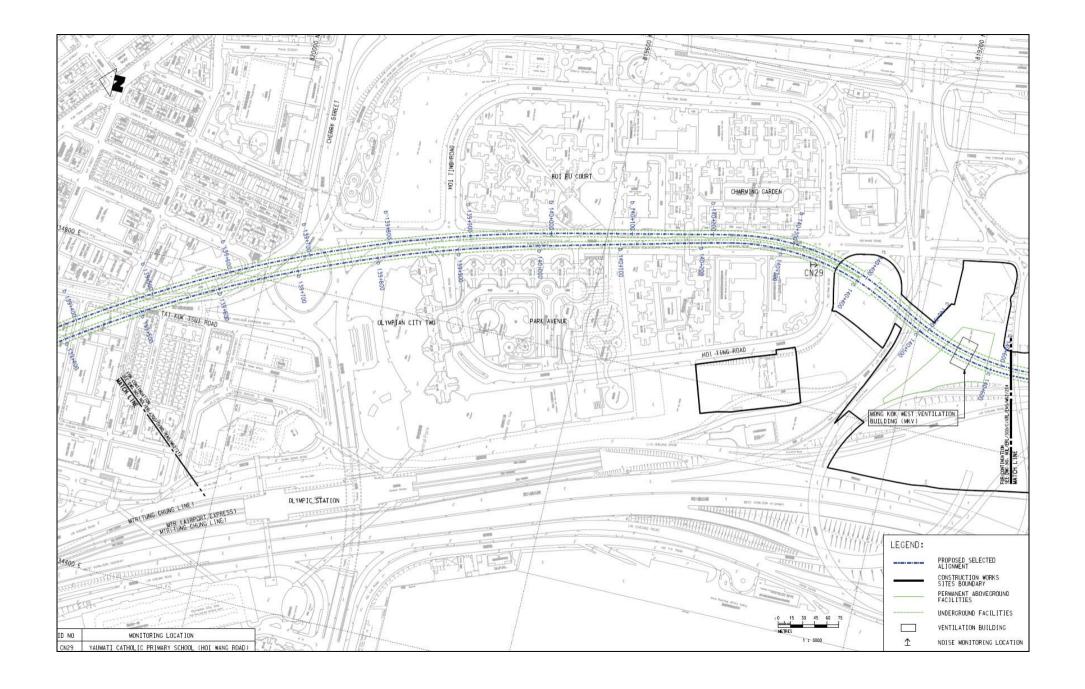


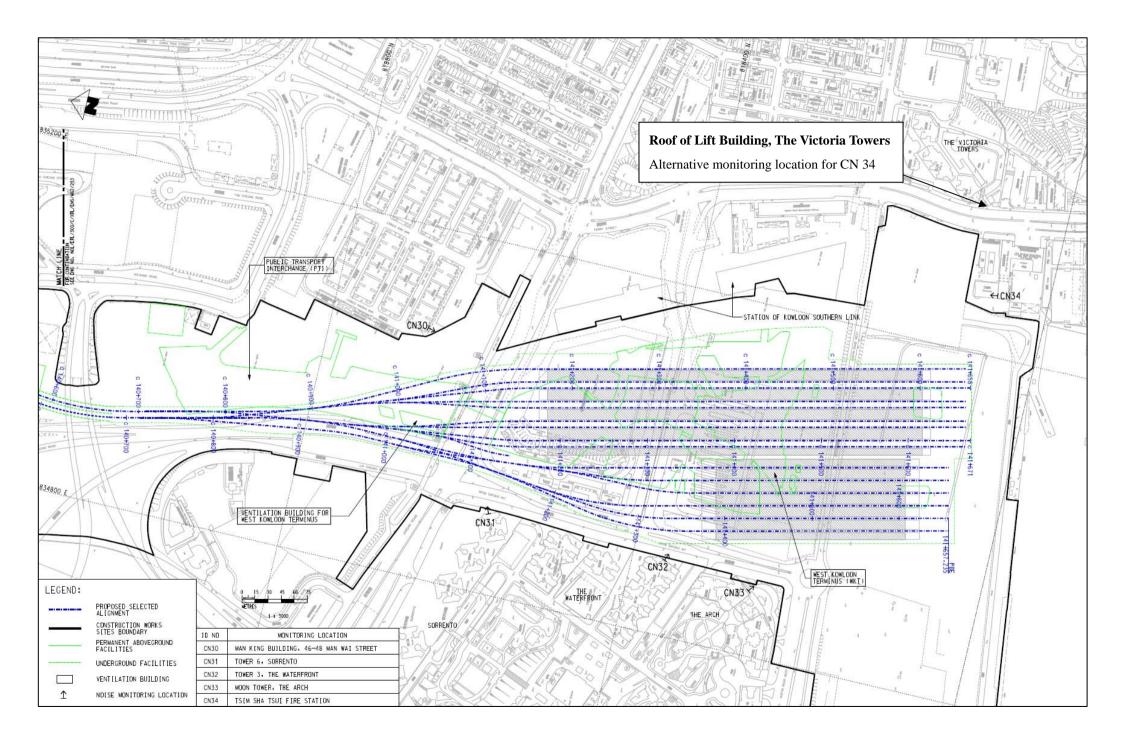
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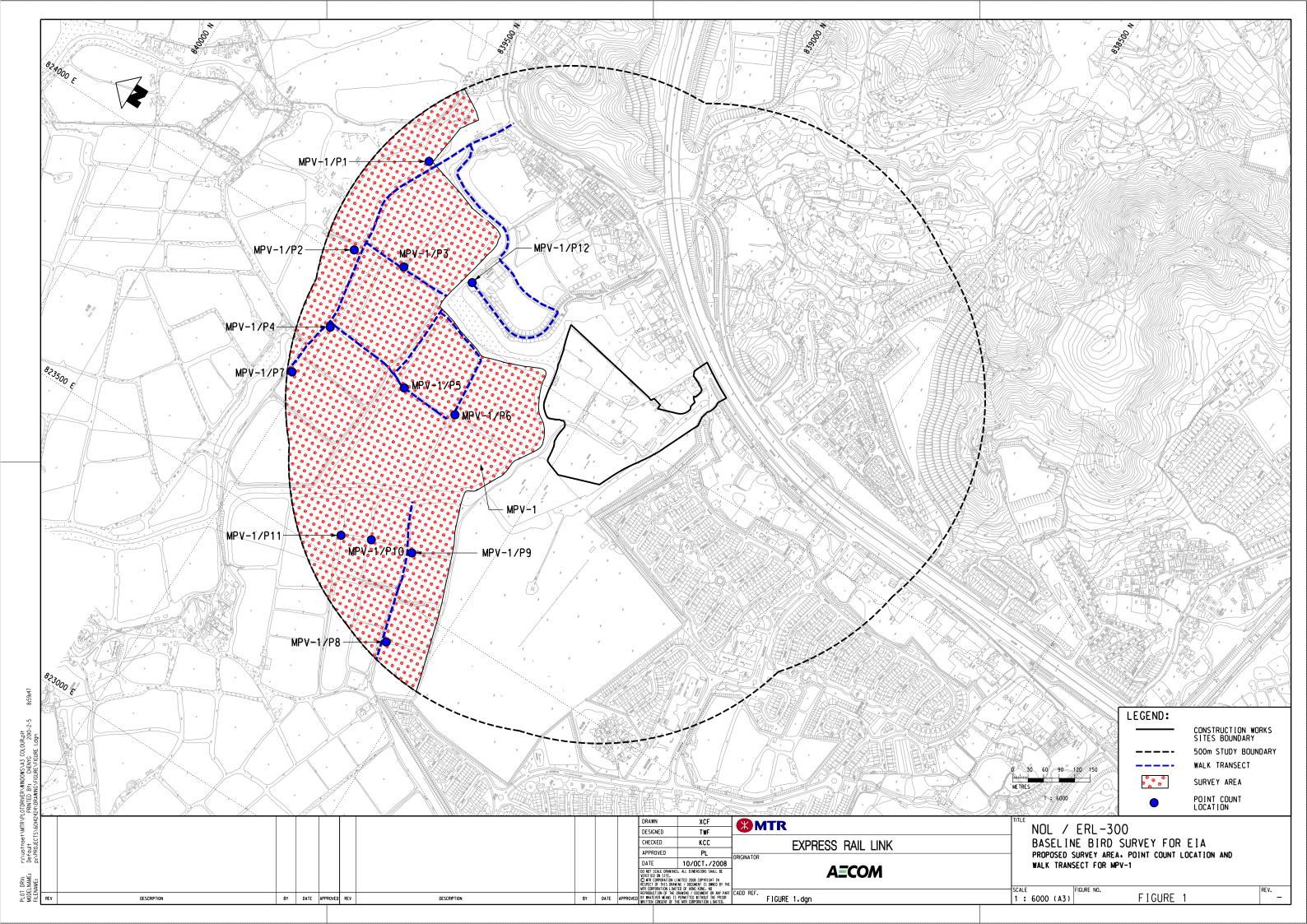


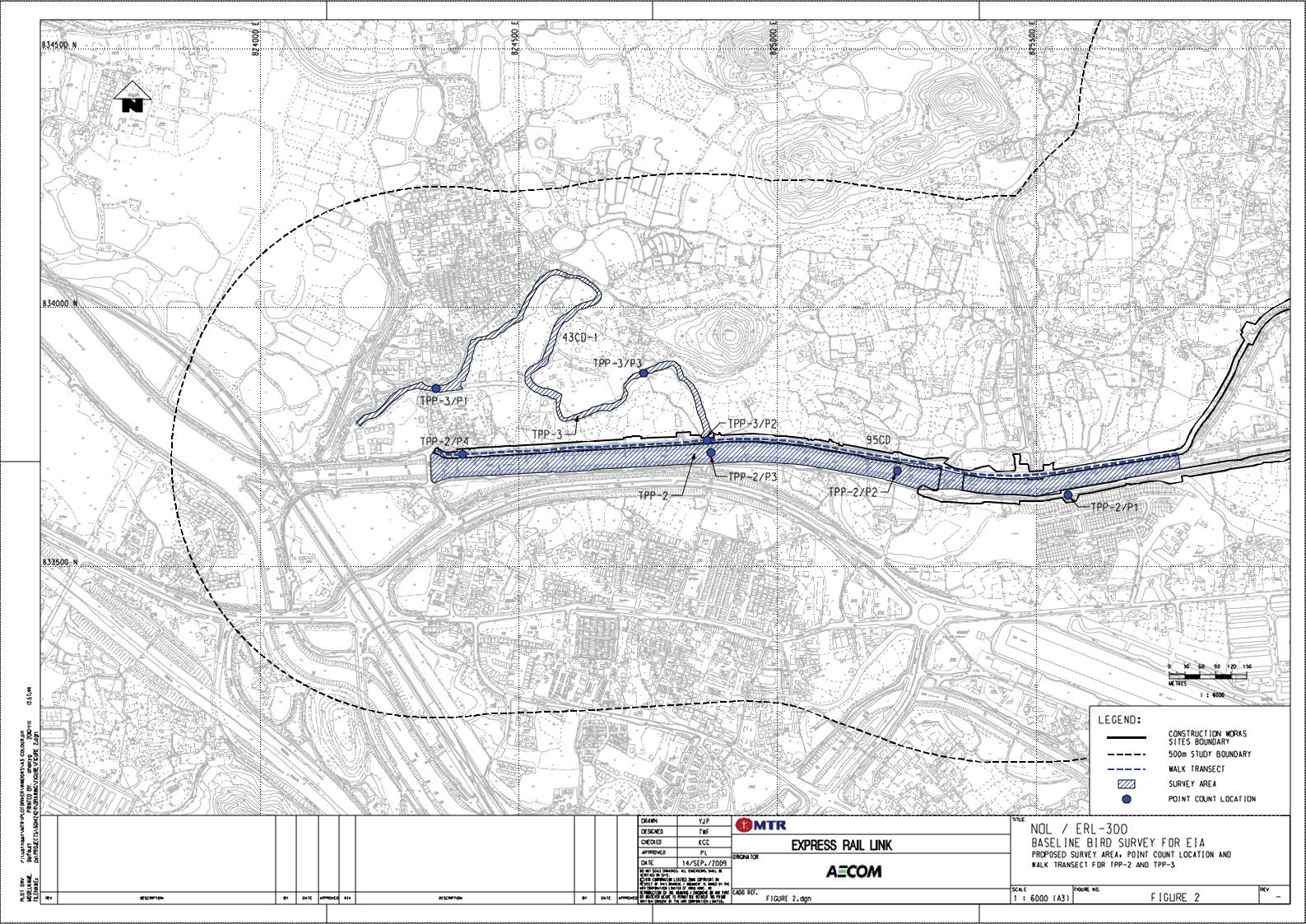


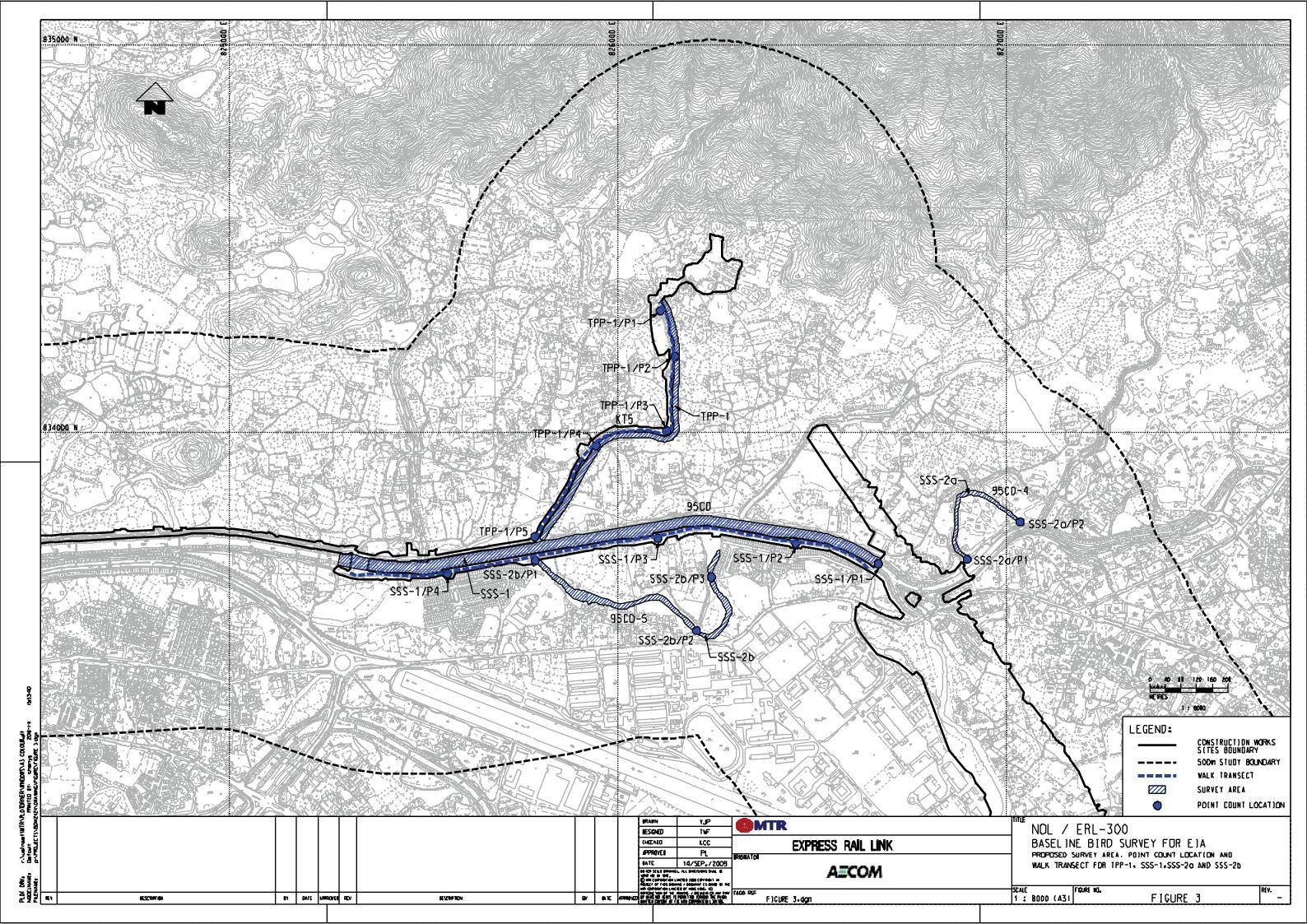


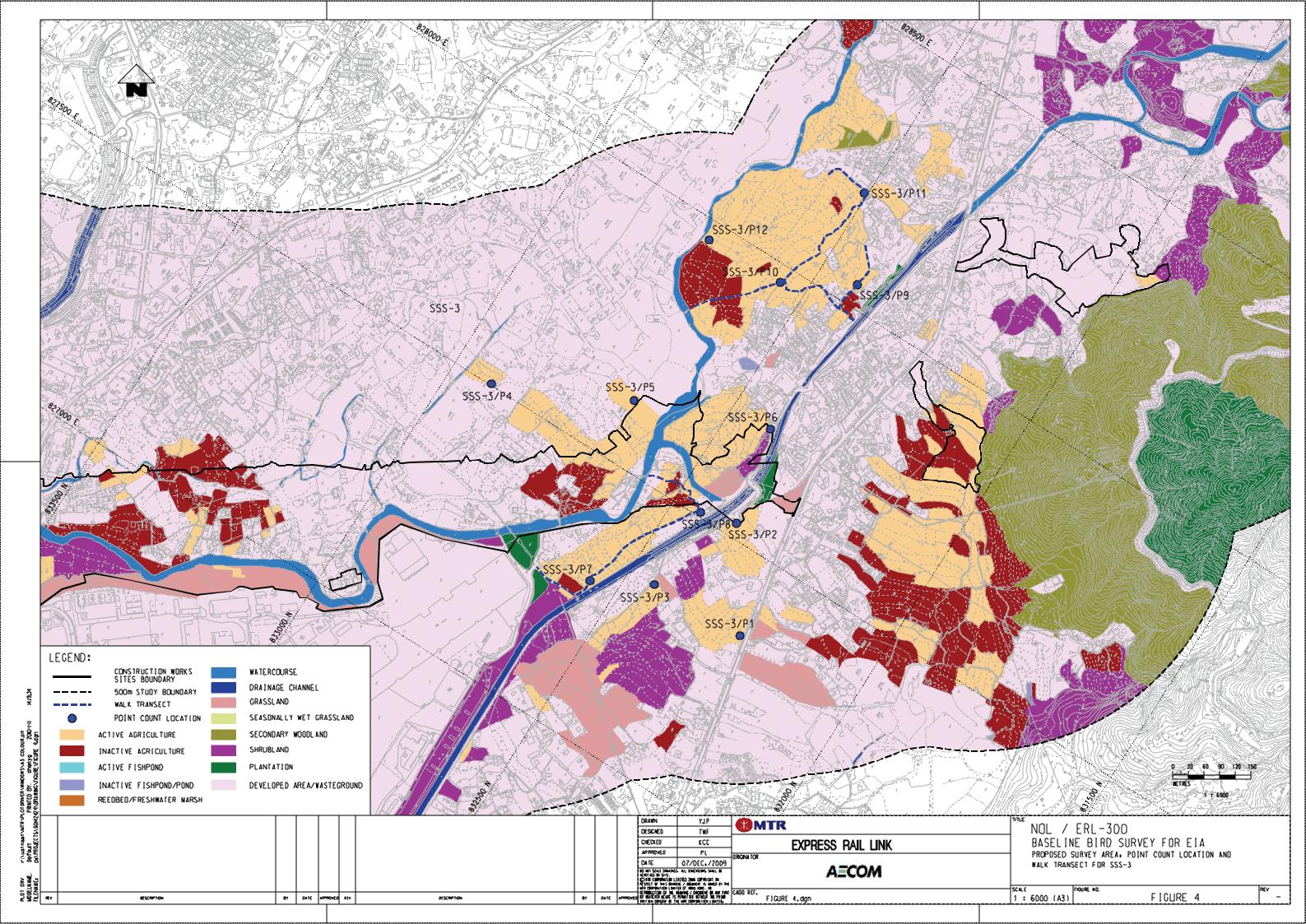


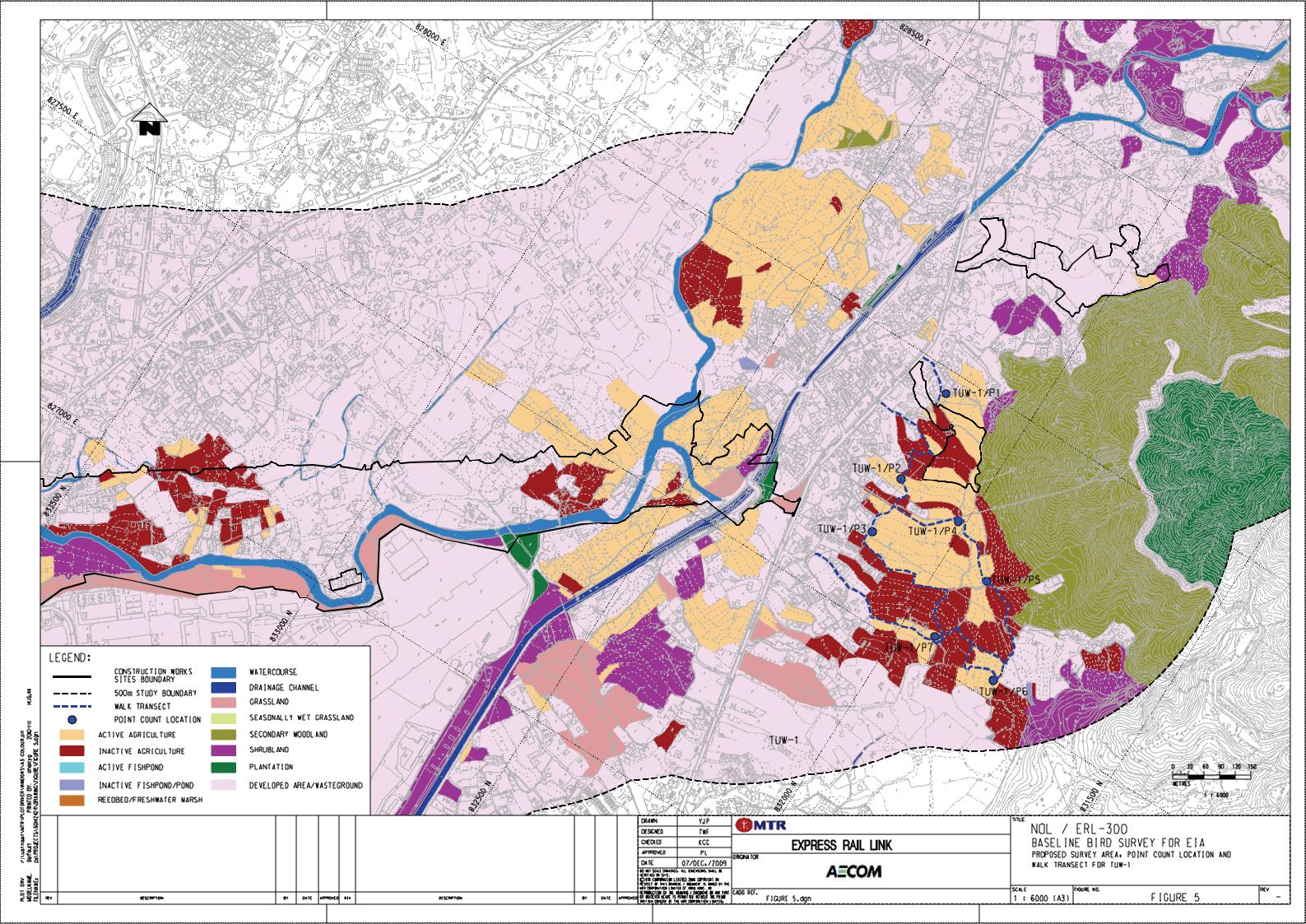


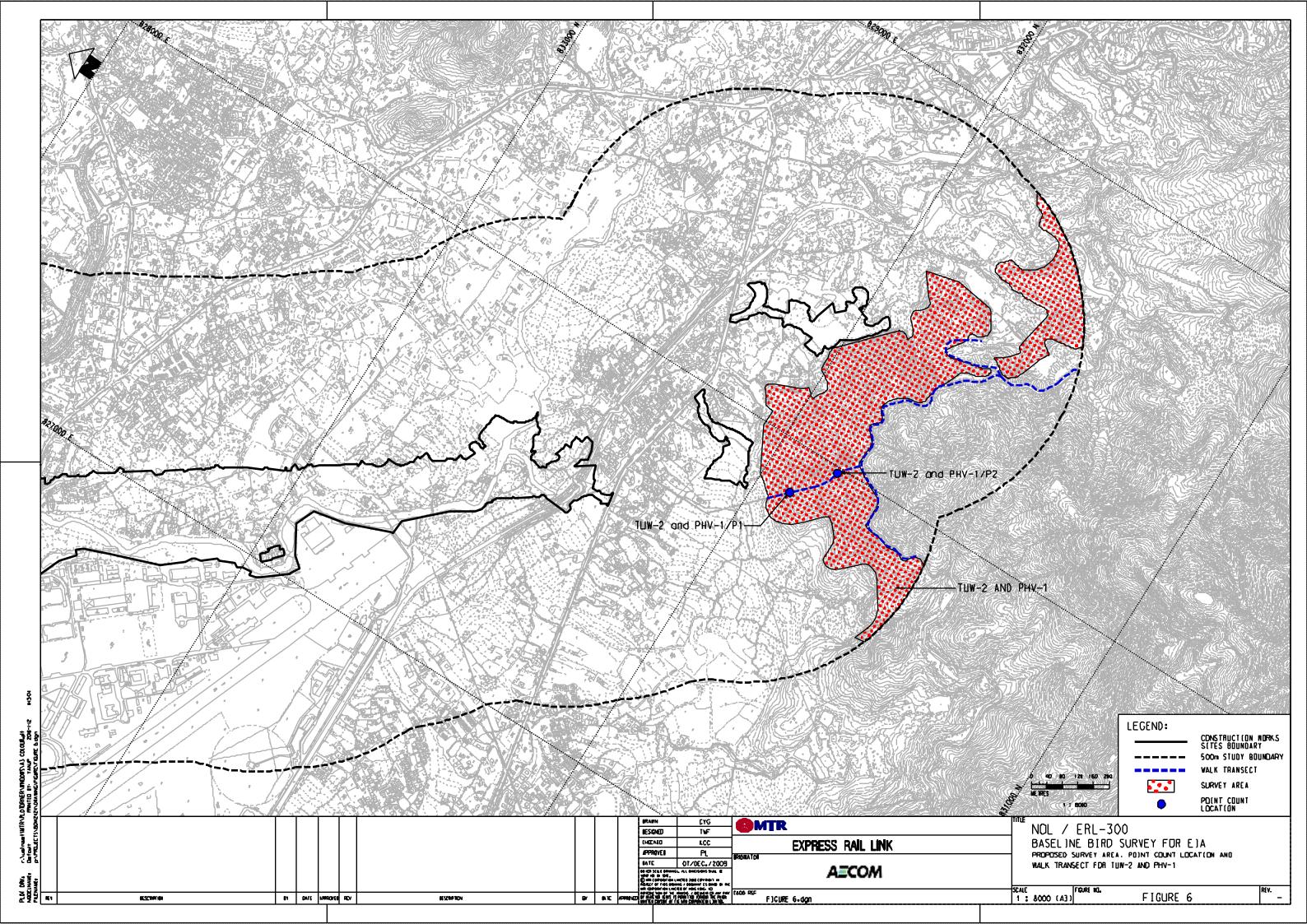


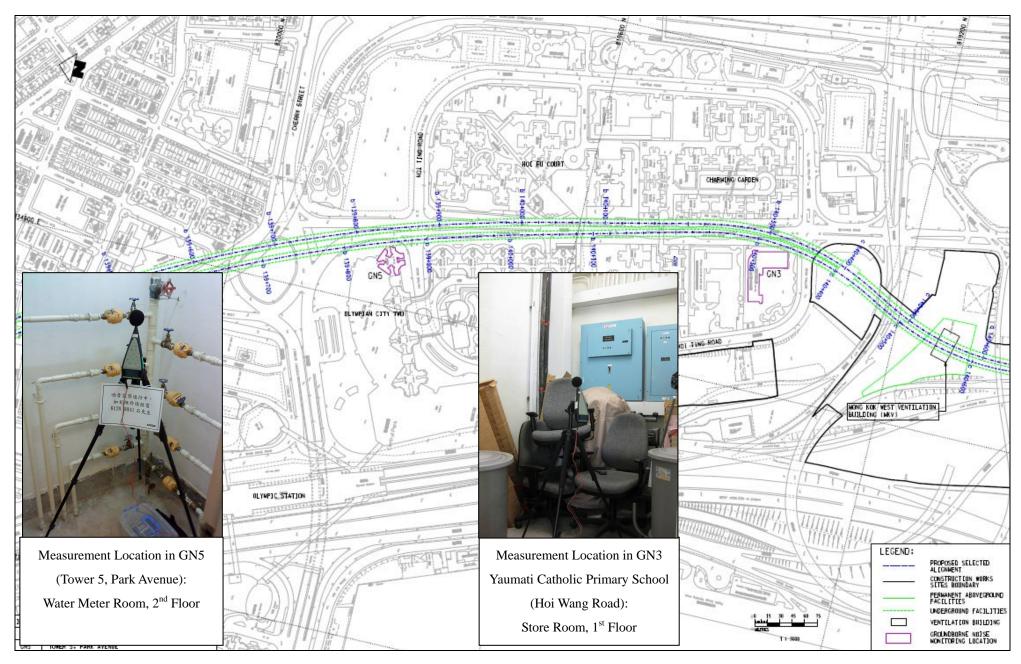






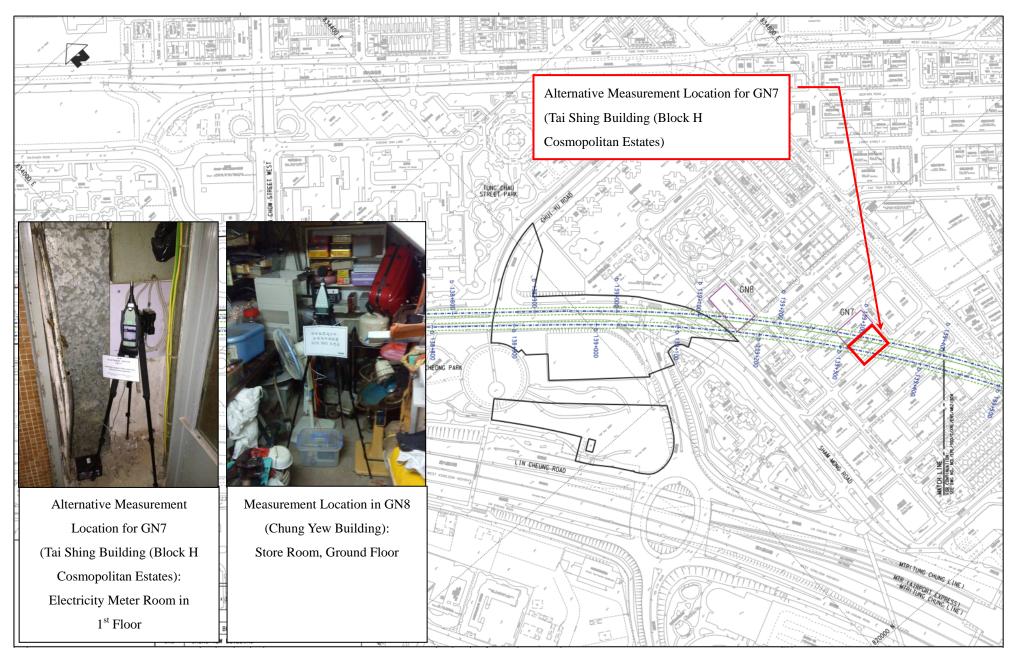






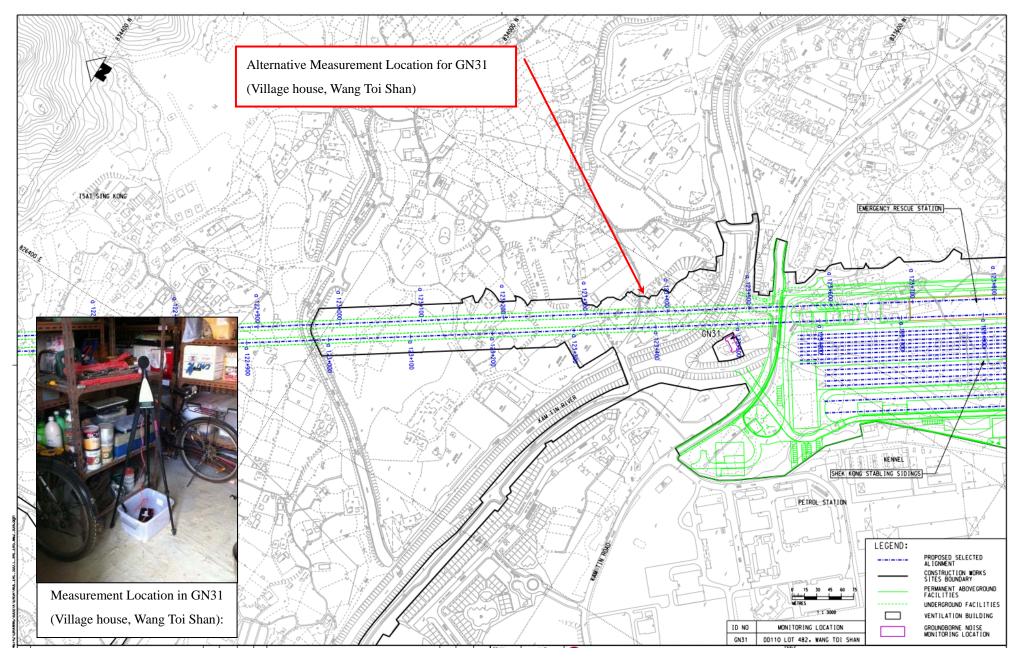
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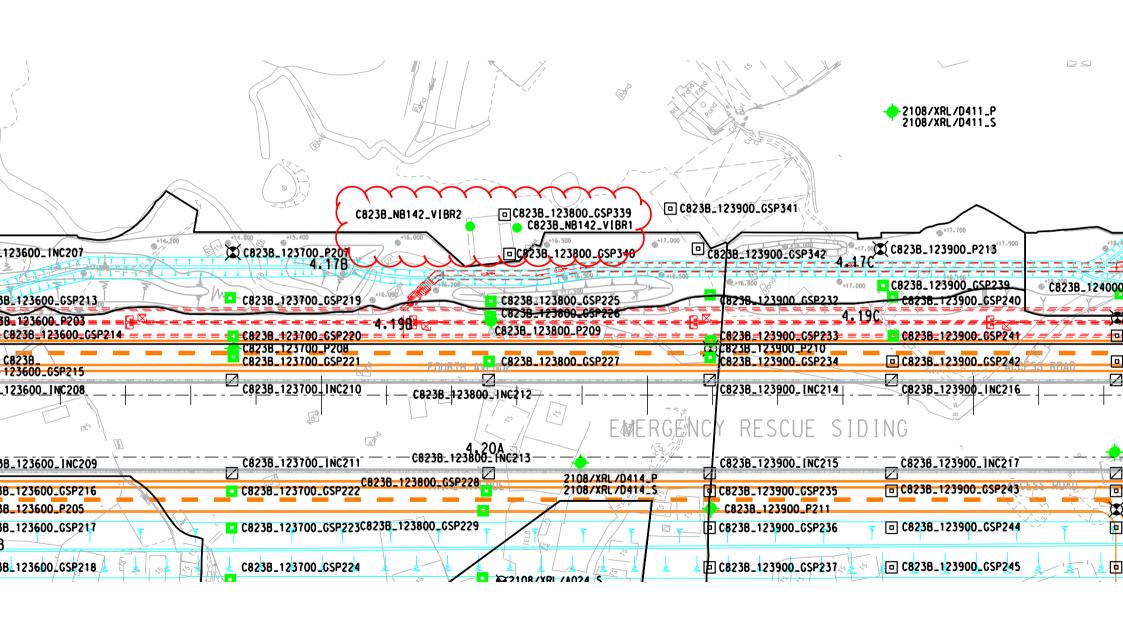
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Appendix E Monitoring Schedule

Actual Construction Dust (24-hr TSP) Impact Monitoring Schedule - May 2013

Note 1: TSP denotes Total Suspended Particulate

			May-2013			
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	AM11, AM12, AM13, AM14, AM15, AM16, AM17	3	AM1, AM2, AM4, AM9, AM10
5	6 AM3, AM5, AM6,	7	8 AM11, AM12, AM13, AM14,	9	10 AM1, AM2, AM4,	11 AM3, AM5, AM6,
12	AM7, AM8 13 AM11, AM12, AM13, AM14,	14	AM15, AM16, AM17	16 AM3, AM5, AM6,	AM9, AM10	AM7, AM8 18 AM11, AM12, AM13, AM14,
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	AM1, AM2, AM4, AM9, AM10	AM3, AM5, AM6, AM8 [#]		AM11, AM12, AM13, AM14, AM15, AM16, AM17		

[#] 24-hr TSP impact monitoring for AM7 was suspended on 28 February 2013 due to power supply shortage from 28 May 2013 to 1 June 2013. The 24-hr TSP impact monitoring has been resumed on 3 June 2013.

Tentative Construction Dust (24-hr TSP) Impact Monitoring Schedule - June 2013

Note 1: **TSP** denotes Total Suspended Particulate

			Jun-2013			
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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						AM1, AM2, AM4, AM9, AM10
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9	10	11	12	13	14	15
		AM11, AM12, AM13, AM14, AM15, AM16, AM17		AM1, AM2, AM4, AM9, AM10	AM3, AM5, AM6, AM7, AM8	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	AM11, AM12, AM13, AM14, AM15, AM16, AM17		AM1, AM2, AM4, AM9, AM10	AM3, AM5, AM6, AM7, AM8		AM11, AM12, AM13, AM14, AM15, AM16, AM17
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
		AM1, AM2, AM4, AM9, AM10	AM3, AM5, AM6, AM7, AM8		AM11, AM12, AM13, AM14, AM15, AM16, AM17	
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30-May-13					
31-May-13					

Remarks: No ground-borne noise monitoring was conducted in the reporting month.

Ground-borne Noise Monitoring Schedule in the Next Reporting Month (01 June 2013 - 30 June 2013)

	GN3	GN5	GN7	GN8	GN31
Date	Yaumati Catholic Primary		Tai Shing Building (Block		Village House at Wang Toi
	School (Hoi Wang Road)	Tower 5, Park Avenue		Chung Yew Building	Shan
01-Jun-13					
02-Jun-13					
03-Jun-13					
04-Jun-13					
05-Jun-13					
06-Jun-13					
07-Jun-13					
08-Jun-13					
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22-Jun-13					
23-Jun-13					
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25-Jun-13					
26-Jun-13					
27-Jun-13					
28-Jun-13					
29-Jun-13					
30-Jun-13					

Appendix E Monitoring Schedule

Works Area	Survey Site	Date of Survey in May 2013	Tentative Date of Survey in June 2013
MPV	MPV-1	14 May 2013	13 June 2013
Access road leading to TPP	TPP-1	14 May 2013	13 June 2013
Access road leading to TPP	TPP-2	14 May 2013	13 June 2013
Access road leading to TPP	TPP-3	14 May 2013	13 June 2013
Access road leading to SSS / ERS	SSS-2a	14 May 2013	13 June 2013
Access road leading to SSS / ERS	SSS-3	14 May 2013	13 June 2013
TUW	TUW-1	14 May 2013	13 June 2013
TUW	TUW-2 (grouped with PHV-1 due to overlapping of survey area	14 May 2013	13 June 2013
PHV	PHV-1 (grouped with TUW-2 due to overlapping of survey area)	14 May 2013	13 June 2013

Appendix F
Graphical Plots of
Monitoring Results

APPENDIX F: Air Quality Monitoring Results - 24-hour TSP Monitoring

- AM1

Date	24-hour TSP Monitoring Results	Action Level	Limit Level
	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$	(μg/m ³)
2013-05-04	16.8	217.3	260
2013-05-10	26.4	217.3	260
2013-05-15	22.8	217.3	260
2013-05-21	29.9	217.3	260
2013-05-27	22.0	217.3	260

- AM3

Date	24-hour TSP Monitoring Results	Action Level	Limit Level
	(μg/m ³)	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$
2013-05-06	31.6	154.7	260
2013-05-11	17.2	154.7	260
2013-05-16	14.4	154.7	260
2013-05-22	25.2	154.7	260
2013-05-27	24.8	154.7	260

- AM5

Date	24-hour TSP Monitoring Results (µg/m³)	Action Level (μg/m³)	Limit Level (µg/m³)
2013-05-06	50.5	152	260
2013-05-11	24.6	152	260
2013-05-16	21.1	152	260
2013-05-22	19.7	152	260
2013-05-28	24.5	152	260

- AM7

Date	24-hour TSP Monitoring Results	Action Level	Limit Level
	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$
2013-05-06	36.6	149.8	260
2013-05-11	14.6	149.8	260
2013-05-16	24.3	149.8	260
2013-05-22	11.1	149.8	260
2013-05-28	N/A	149.8	260

- AM2

Date	24-hour TSP Monitoring Results	Action Level	Limit Level
	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$
2013-05-04	50.7	179.4	260
2013-05-10	34.1	179.4	260
2013-05-15	22.3	179.4	260
2013-05-21	27.4	179.4	260
2013-05-27	29.3	179.4	260

- AM4

Date	24-hour TSP Monitoring Results	Action Level	Limit Level
	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$
2013-05-04	10.1	148.6	260
2013-05-10	20.7	148.6	260
2013-05-15	36.7	148.6	260
2013-05-21	19.0	148.6	260
2013-05-27	25.2	148.6	260

- AM6

Date	24-hour TSP Monitoring Results	Action Level	Limit Level
	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$
2013-05-06	30.9	145.6	260
2013-05-11	16.6	145.6	260
2013-05-16	12.6	145.6	260
2013-05-22	10.3	145.6	260
2013-05-28	20.4	145.6	260

- AM8

Date	24-hour TSP Monitoring Results	Action Level	Limit Level
	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$
2013-05-06	17.8	158.2	260
2013-05-11	17.9	158.2	260
2013-05-16	13.1	158.2	260
2013-05-22	10.1	158.2	260
2013-05-28	15.4	158.2	260

⁻ Impact monitoring at Tse Uk Tsuen (AM 7) on 28 May 2013 was not carried out due to power supply shortage.

APPENDIX F: Air Quality Monitoring Results - 24-hour TSP Monitoring

- AM9

Date	24-hour TSP Monitoring Results	Action Level	Limit Level
	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$
2013-05-04	22.2	171.2	260
2013-05-10	31.5	171.2	260
2013-05-15	51.2	171.2	260
2013-05-21	27.4	171.2	260
2013-05-27	27.8	171.2	260

- AM11

Date	24-hour TSP Monitoring Results	Action Level	Limit Level
	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$
2013-05-02	13.1	160.3	260
2013-05-08	9.0	160.3	260
2013-05-13	27.9	160.3	260
2013-05-18	13.3	160.3	260
2013-05-24	12.9	160.3	260
2013-05-30	45.5	160.3	260

- AM13

Date	24-hour TSP Monitoring Results	Action Level	Limit Level
2013-05-02	(μg/m³) 38.6	$(\mu g/m^3)$ 180.3	(μg/m ³)
2013-05-08	23.5	180.3	260
2013-05-13	23.2	180.3	260
2013-05-18	25.0	180.3	260
2013-05-24	14.0	180.3	260
2013-05-30	9.5	180.3	260

- AM15

Date	24-hour TSP Monitoring Results	Action Level	Limit Level
	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$
2013-05-02	55.4	168.8	260
2013-05-08	16.0	168.8	260
2013-05-13	30.7	168.8	260
2013-05-18	13.7	168.8	260
2013-05-24	130.1	168.8	260
2013-05-30	29.4	168.8	260

- AM17

Date	24-hour TSP Monitoring Results Action Level		Limit Level
	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$
2013-05-02	40.4	179.3	260
2013-05-08	27.8	179.3	260
2013-05-13	27.6	179.3	260
2013-05-18	28.4	179.3	260
2013-05-24	155.8	179.3	260
2013-05-30	25.6	179.3	260

Remark:

Bold value indicated an Action level exceedance Bold & Italic value indicated an Limit level exceedance

- AM10

Date	24-hour TSP Monitoring Results	Action Level	Limit Level
	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$
2013-05-04	24.2	174.8	260
2013-05-10	21.3	174.8	260
2013-05-15	23.6	174.8	260
2013-05-21	24.8	174.8	260
2013-05-27	10.0	174.8	260

- AM12

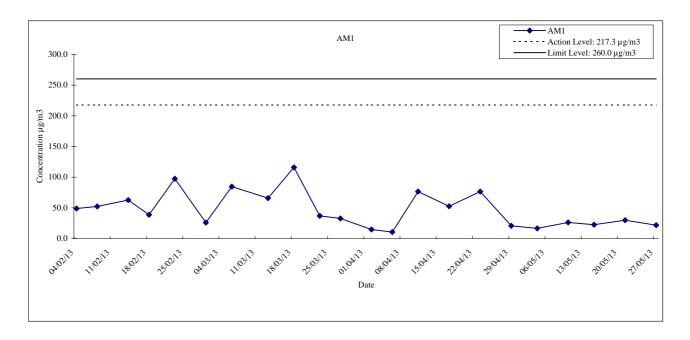
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	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$
2013-05-02	36.5	162.5	260
2013-05-08	41.5	162.5	260
2013-05-13	32.2	162.5	260
2013-05-18	11.7	162.5	260
2013-05-24	14.3	162.5	260
2013-05-30	27.5	162.5	260

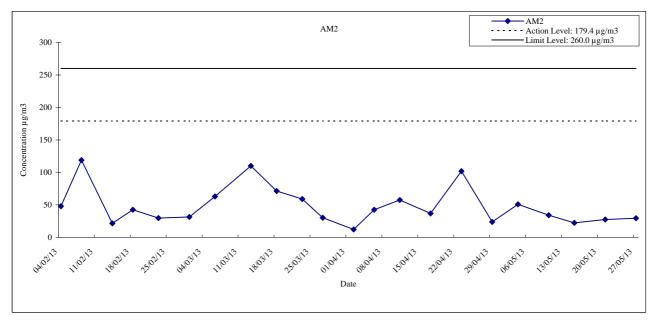
- AM14

Date	24-hour TSP Monitoring Results Action Level		Limit Level
	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$
2013-05-02	29.2	158.2	260
2013-05-08	40.7	158.2	260
2013-05-13	21.1	158.2	260
2013-05-18	12.4	158.2	260
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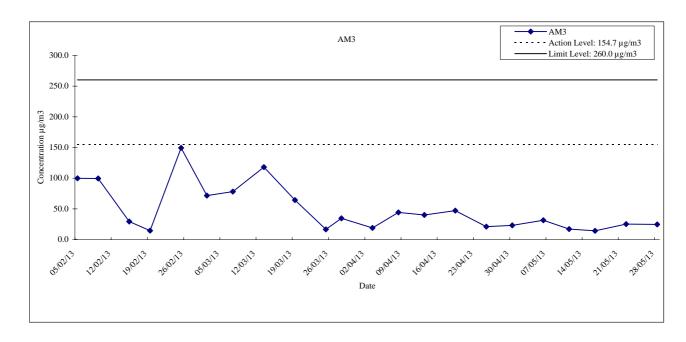
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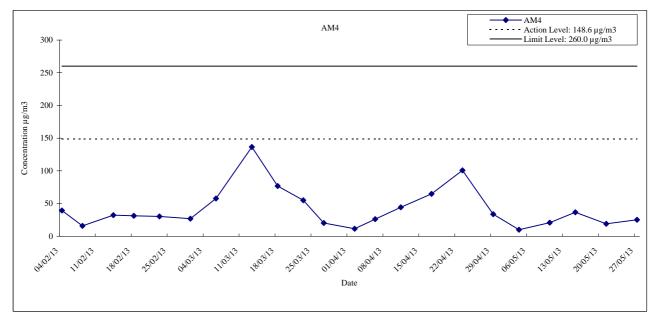
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	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$	$(\mu g/m^3)$
2013-05-02	33.9	155.9	260
2013-05-08	28.4	155.9	260
2013-05-13	25.8	155.9	260
2013-05-18	13.8	155.9	260
2013-05-24	89.6	155.9	260
2013-05-30	29.7	155.9	260



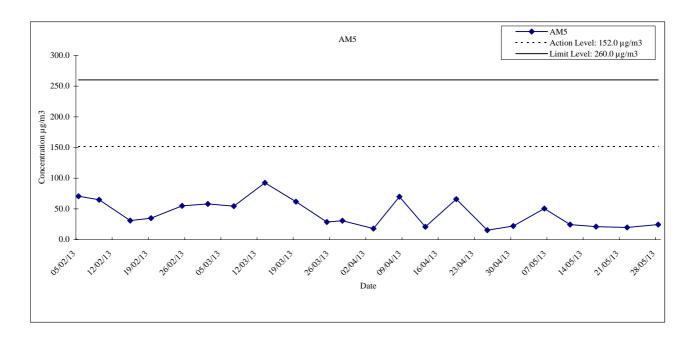


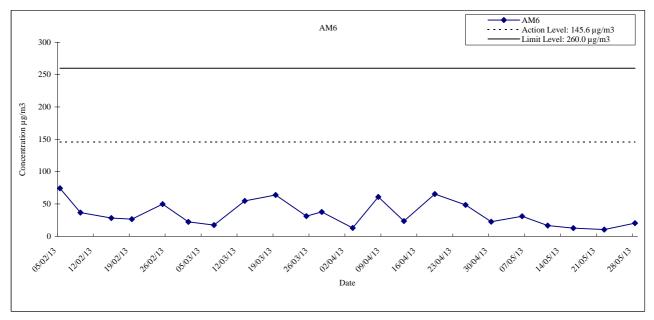
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	Monitoring Result for Location AM1 and AM2	APPENDIX	F



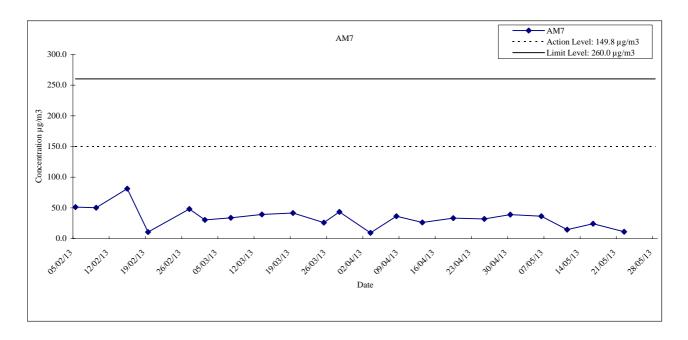


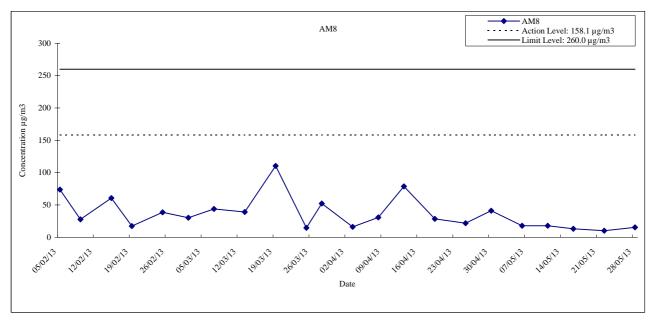
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MTR	Graphical Presentation of 24-hour TSP		_
	Monitoring Result for Location AM3 and AM4	APPENDIX	F





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MTR	Graphical Presentation of 24-hour TSP		
	Monitoring Result for Location AM5 and AM6	APPENDIX	F

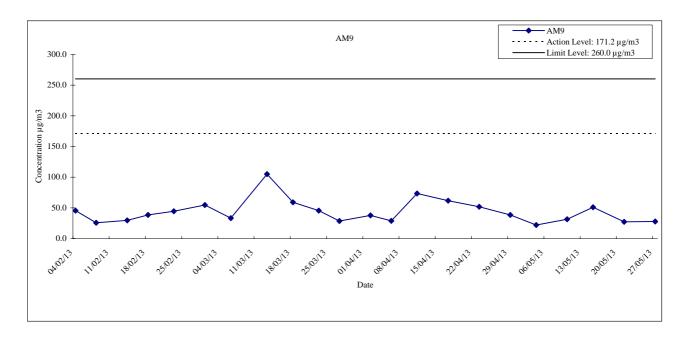


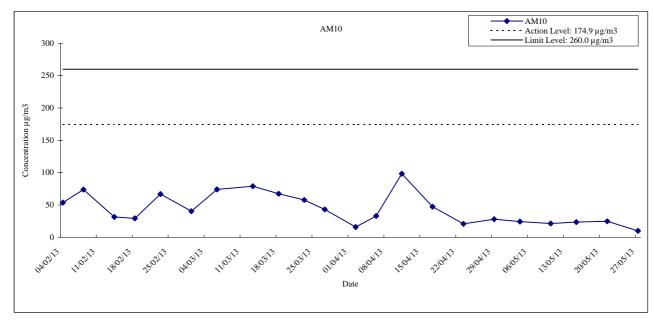


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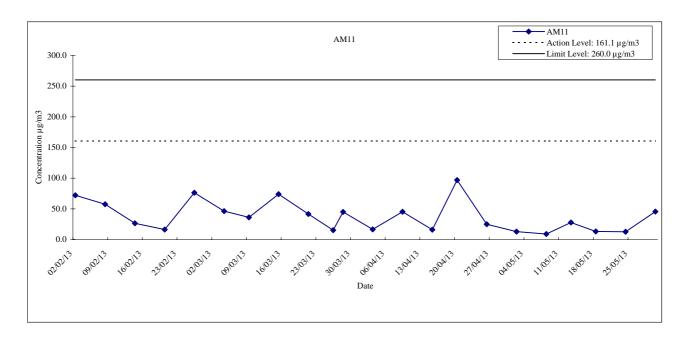
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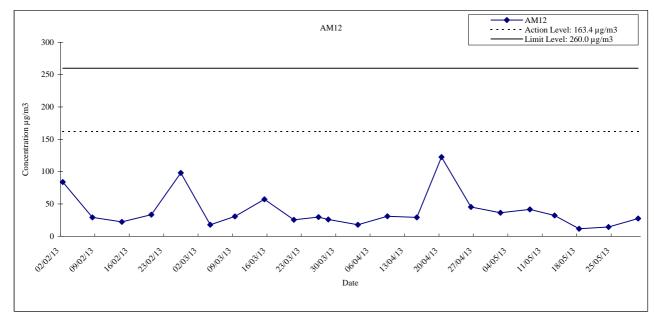
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	Monitoring Result for Location AM7 and AM8	APPENDIX	F



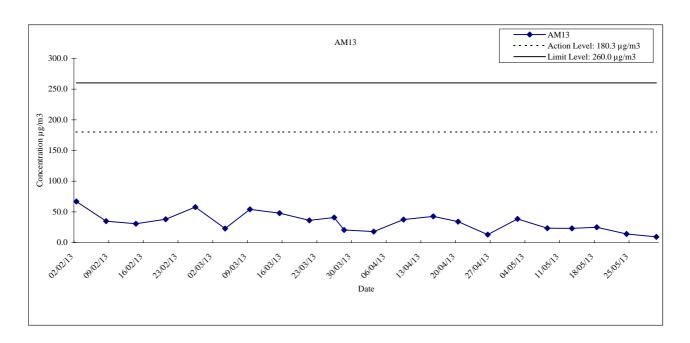


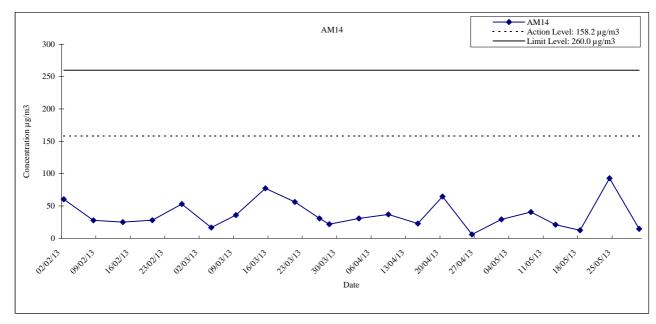
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* MTR	Graphical Presentation of 24-hour TSP		
	Monitoring Result for Location AM9 and AM10	APPENDIX	F



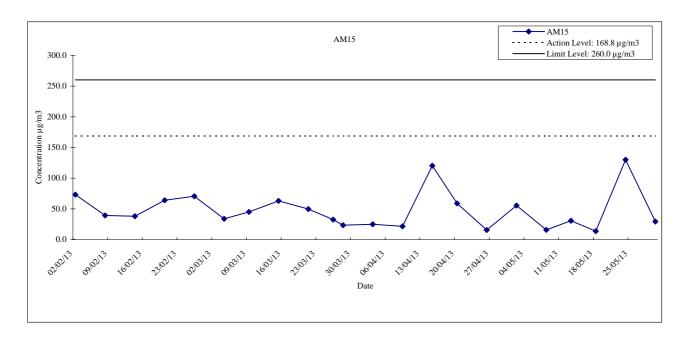


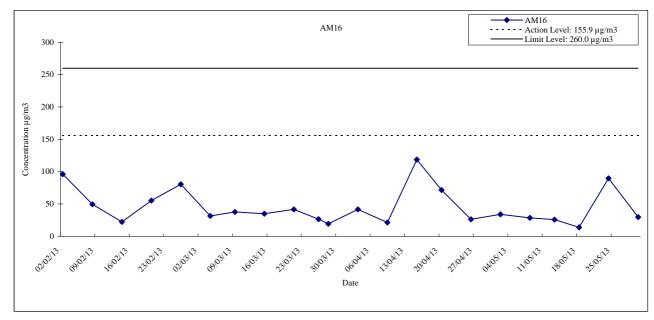
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* MTR	Graphical Presentation of 24-hour TSP		
	Monitoring Result for Location AM11 and AM12	APPENDIX	F



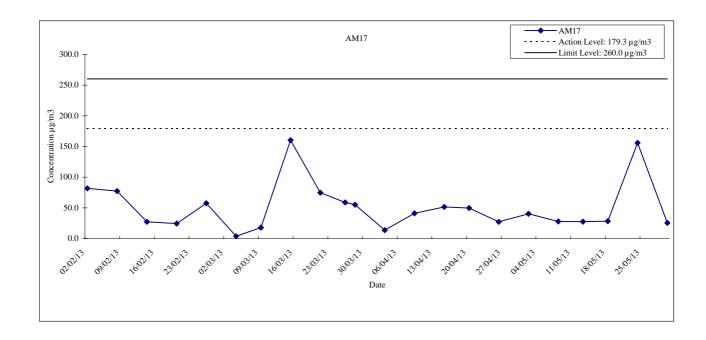


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X MTR	Graphical Presentation of 24-hour TSP		_
	Monitoring Result for Location AM13 and AM14	APPENDIX	F





	Hong Kong Section of Guangzhou-Shenzhen-Hong Kong Express Rail Link	Date	2013
*MTR	Graphical Presentation of 24-hour TSP		
	Monitoring Result for Location AM15 and AM16	APPENDIX	F



	Hong Kong Section of Guangzhou-Shenzhen-Hong Kong Express Rail Link	Date	2013
MTR	Graphical Presentation of 24-hour TSP	APPENDIX	E
	Monitoring Result for Location AM17	APPENDIX	r

APPENDIX F: Noise Monitoring Results

- CN1

- CNI			
Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
N/A			

- CN2

Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	71	75	N
2013-05-09	71	75	N
2013-05-15	69	75	N
2013-05-23	68	75	N
2013-05-31	66	75	N

- CN3

- CN3			
Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-03	57	75	N
2013-05-09	57	75	N
2013-05-15	69	75	N
2013-05-23	68	75	N
2013-05-29	61	75	Ň

- CN4

- C114			
Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	73	75	N
2013-05-09	56	75	N
2013-05-15	60	75	N
2013-05-23	72	75	N
2013-05-29	65	75	N

- CN5

- CN5			
Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-09	59	75	N
2013-05-15	61	75	N
2013-05-23	60	75	N
2013-05-29	59	75	N

- CN6

- C110			
Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-09	59	75	N
2013-05-15	58	75	N
2013-05-23	64	75	N
2013-05-29	59	75	N

- CN7

Date	Noise Monitoring Results Leq, dB(A)	Limit Level Leq, dB(A)	Exceedance?
2013-05-02	65	75	N
2013-05-10	68	75	N
2013-05-15	70	75	N
2013-05-23	74	75	N
2013-05-29	69	75	N

- CN8

Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	74	75	N
2013-05-10	67	75	N
2013-05-13	73	75	N
2013-05-23	67	75	N
2013-05-29	66	75	N

- CN9

Date	Noise Monitoring Results Leq, dB(A)	Limit Level	Exceedance?
2013-05-02	67	75	N
2013-05-10	60	75	N
2013-05-15	64	75	N
2013-05-23	65	75	N
2013-05-29	64	75	N

- CN10

Date	Noise Monitoring Results Leq, dB(A)	Limit Level	Exceedance?
2013-05-02	60	75	N
2013-05-09	58	75	N
2013-05-15	56	75	N
2013-05-23	68	75	N
2013-05-29	65	75	N

- CN11

Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	58	75	N
2013-05-09	59	75	N
2013-05-13	59	75	N
2013-05-23	68	75	N
2013-05-29	61	75	N

- CN12

Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	56	75	N
2013-05-09	66	75	N
2013-05-15	61	75	N
2013-05-23	53	75	N
2013-05-29	71	75	N

Note:

- Impact monitoring at No. 142 Mai Po San Tsuen (CN 1) had been temporarily suspended since December 2012 due to house removal. Monitoring at this location will be resumed when an alternative location is determined.

- CN13

- 01113			
Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	59	75	Ν
2013-05-09	61	75	Ν
2013-05-15	60	75	N
2013-05-21	65	75	N
2013-05-29	60	75	N

- CN14

Date	Noise Monitoring Results Leq, dB(A)	Limit Level	Exceedance?
2013-05-02	65	75	N
2013-05-09	56	75	N
2013-05-15	59	75	N
2013-05-23	63	75	N
2013-05-28	64	75	N

- CN15

- CIVIS			
Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	68	75	N
2013-05-09	66	75	Ν
2013-05-15	67	75	N
2013-05-23	74	75	N
2013-05-29	67	75	N

- CN16

- C1110			
Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	58	75	N
2013-05-09	53	75	N
2013-05-15	56	75	N
2013-05-23	58	75	N
2013-05-28	59	75	N

- CN18

Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
60	75	N
60	75	N
61	75	N
61	75	N
61	75	N
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- CN19

Date	Noise Monitoring Results Leq, dB(A)	Limit Level Leq, dB(A)	Exceedance?
2013-05-02	64	75	N
2013-05-09	68	75	N
2013-05-15	65	75	N
2013-05-23	62	75	N
2013-05-29	66	75	N

- CN20

Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	63	70	N
2013-05-09	64	70	N
2013-05-15	65	70	N
2013-05-23	67	70	N
2013-05-29	62	70	N

- CN21

Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	69	70	N
2013-05-09	69	70	N
2013-05-15	68	70	N
2013-05-23	59	65	N
2013-05-29	68	70	N

- CN22

- C1122			
Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	72	75	N
2013-05-09	71	75	N
2013-05-15	72	75	N
2013-05-23	72	75	N
2013-05-29	72	75	Ň

- CN23

Date	Noise Monitoring Results Leq, dB(A)	Limit Level	Exceedance?
2013-05-02	80	70	Y
2013-05-09	65	70	N
2013-05-15	67	70	N
2013-05-23	64	70	N
2013-05-29	63	70	N

- Impact monitoring at Tsuen Wan Lutheran School (CN 17) had been temporarily suspended since December 2010 due to school closure. Monitoring at this location will be resumed subject to confirmation of school operation or other noise sensitive use at CN 17.
- A correction factor (-9 dB(A)) has been applied at CN19 to take into account the noise barrier effect. The correction factor was agreed with IEC according to Section 3.11 of the EM&A Manual.
- Noise limit level of CN20, CN21, CN23, CN24, CN25, CN26 & CN29, which are school, is 70dB(A) on normal weekdays and 65dB(A) during examination period.

APPENDIX F: Noise Monitoring Results

- CN24

Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	67	70	N
2013-05-09	66	70	N
2013-05-15	67	70	N
2013-05-23	66	70	N
2013-05-29	67	70	N

- CN25

Date	Noise Monitoring Results Leq, dB(A)	Limit Level Leq, dB(A)	Exceedance?
2013-05-02	68	70	N
2013-05-09	68	70	N
2013-05-15	68	70	N
2013-05-23	68	70	N
2013-05-29	68	70	N

- CN26

Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	71	65	N
2013-05-09	58	65	N
2013-05-16	55	70	N
2013-05-23	58	70	N
2013-05-28	63	70	N

- CN27

-	- 01127			
	Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
		Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
	2013-05-02	67	75	N
	2013-05-09	66	75	N
	2013-05-15	65	75	N
	2013-05-23	64	75	N
	2013-05-29	66	75	N

- CN28

- C1120			
Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	71	75	N
2013-05-09	70	75	Ν
2013-05-15	70	75	Ν
2013-05-23	75	75	N
2013-05-29	70	75	N

- CN29

Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	66	70	N
2013-05-09	67	70	N
2013-05-14	66	70	N
2013-05-23	68	70	N
2013-05-28	68	70	N

- CN30

Date	Noise Monitoring Results Leq, dB(A)	Limit Level Leq, dB(A)	Exceedance?
2013-05-02	68	75	N
2013-05-09	71	75	N
2013-05-15	70	75	N
2013-05-23	71	75	N
2013-05-29	68	75	Ň

- CN31

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Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	75	75	N
2013-05-09	74	75	N
2013-05-15	72	75	N
2013-05-23	74	75	N
2013-05-29	73	75	N

- CN32

- CN32			
Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	78	75	Υ
2013-05-09	75	75	N
2013-05-15	74	75	N
2013-05-23	74	75	N
2013-05-29	75	75	N

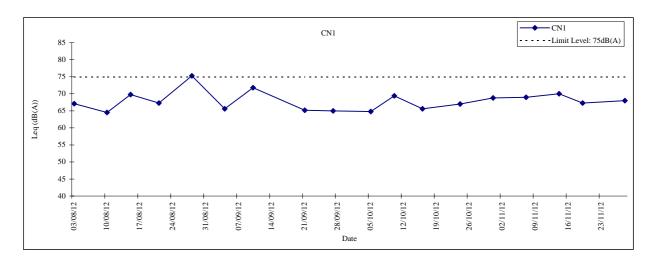
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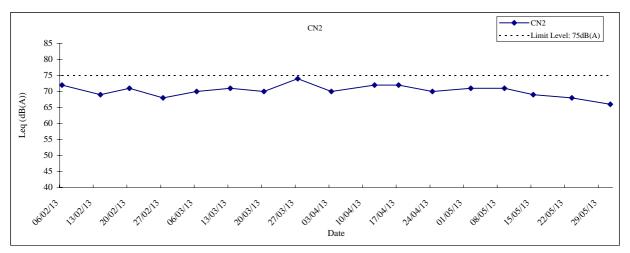
Date	Noise Monitoring Results	Limit Level	Exceedance?
	Leq, dB(A)	Leq, dB(A)	
2013-05-02	75	75	N
2013-05-09	74	75	N
2013-05-15	73	75	N
2013-05-23	73	75	N
2013-05-29	74	75	N

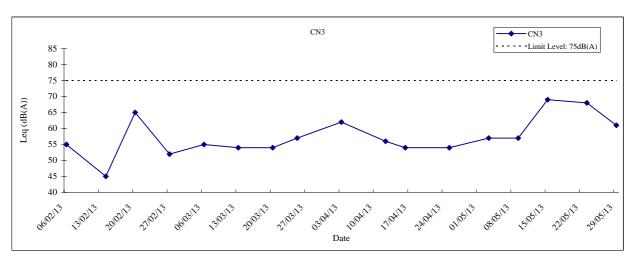
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2013-05-02	72	75	N	
2013-05-09	73	75	N	
2013-05-15	72	75	N	
2013-05-23	74	75	N	
2013-05-29	74	75	N	

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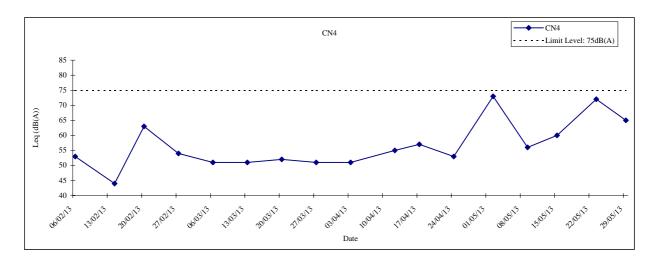


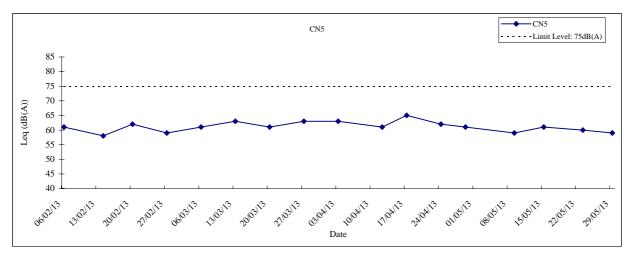


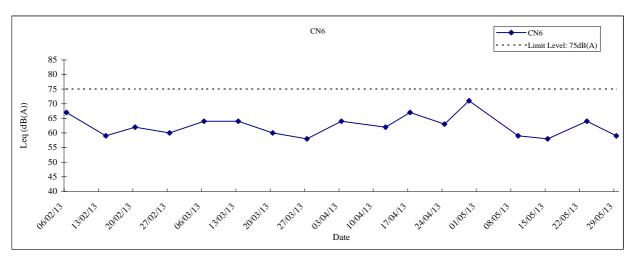


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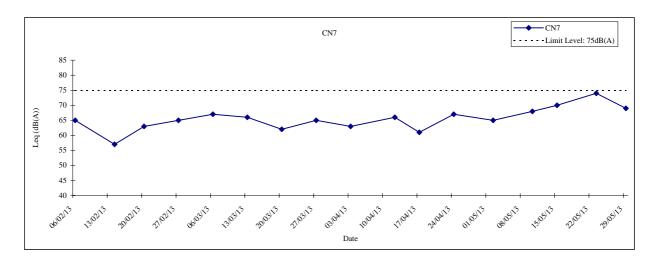
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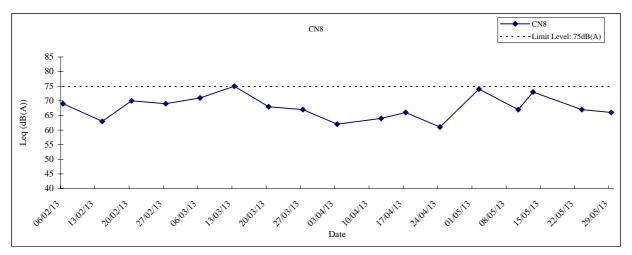


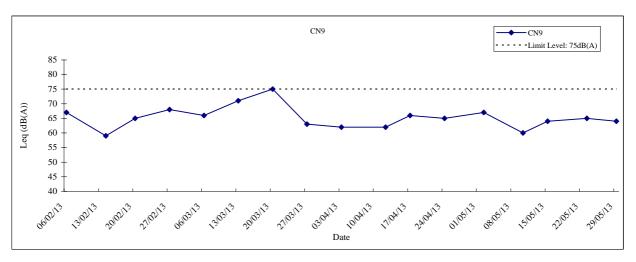




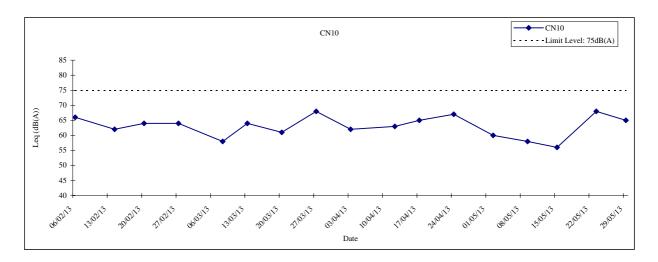
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	Graphical Presentation of Noise	APPENDIX	F
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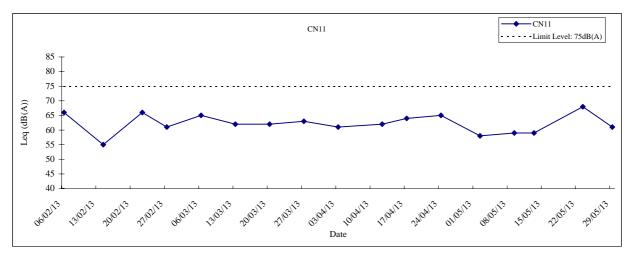


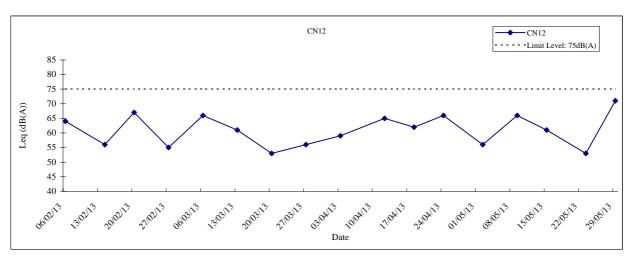




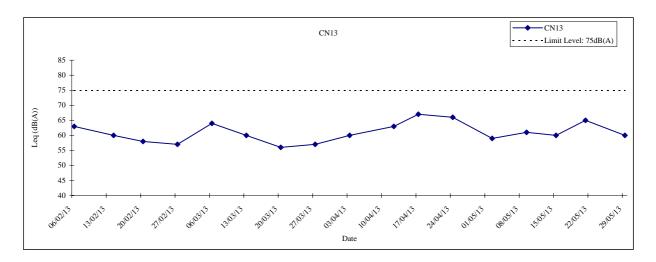
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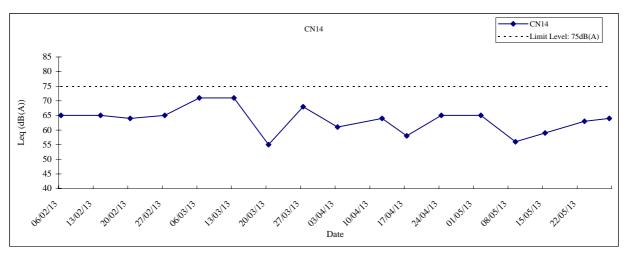


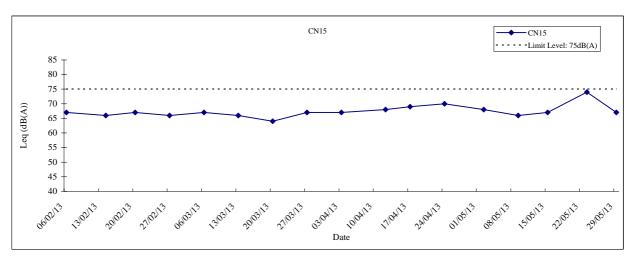




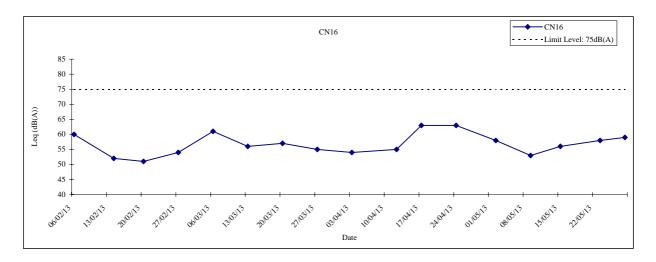
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* MTR	Graphical Presentation of Noise	APPENDIX	F
	Monitoring Results for Location CN10, C11 and CN12		

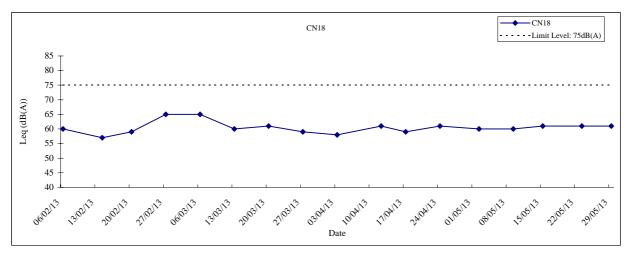


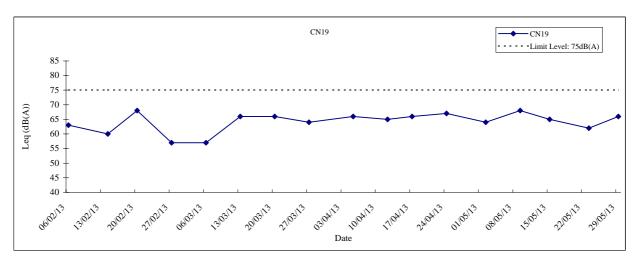




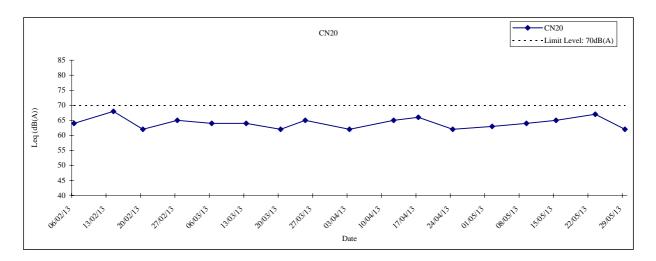
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* MTR	Graphical Presentation of Noise	APPENDIX	F
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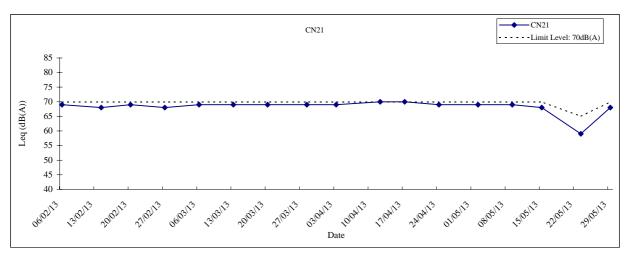


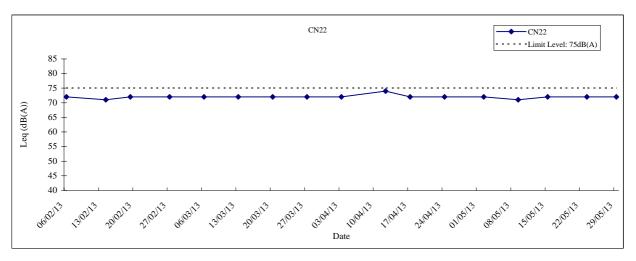




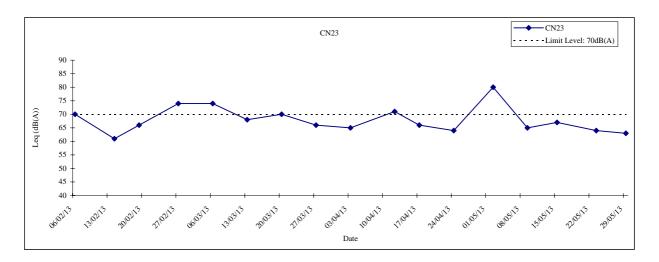
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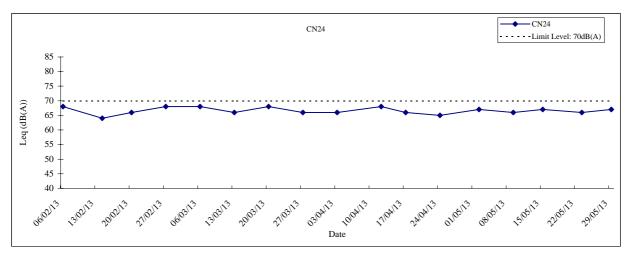


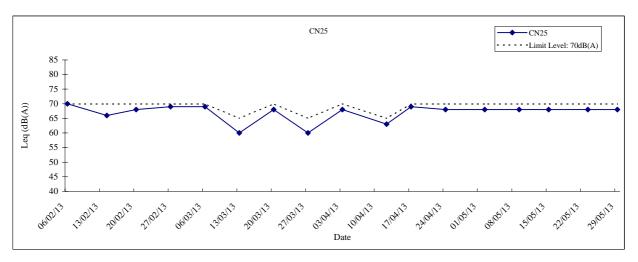




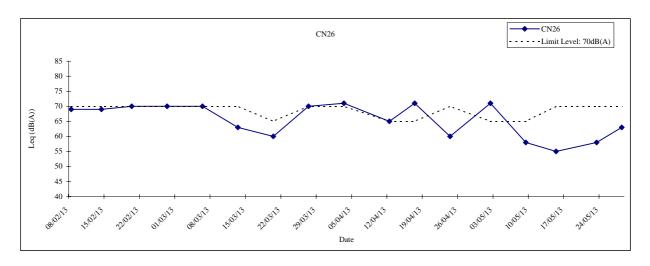
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	Monitoring Results for Location CN20, CN21 and CN22		

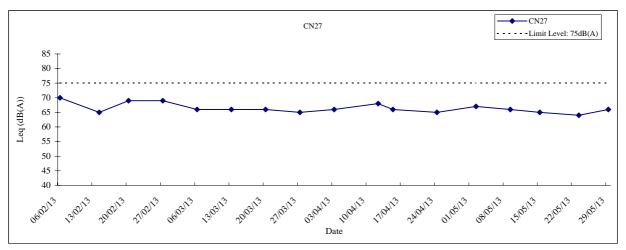


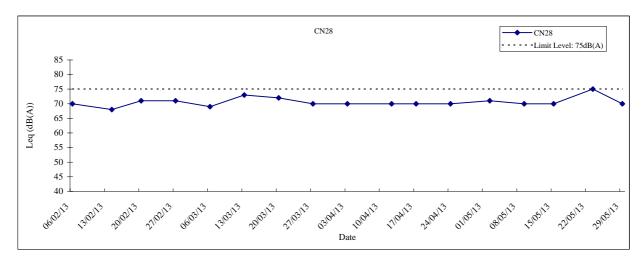




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* MTR	Graphical Presentation of Noise	APPENDIX	F
	Monitoring Results for Location CN23, CN24 and CN25		

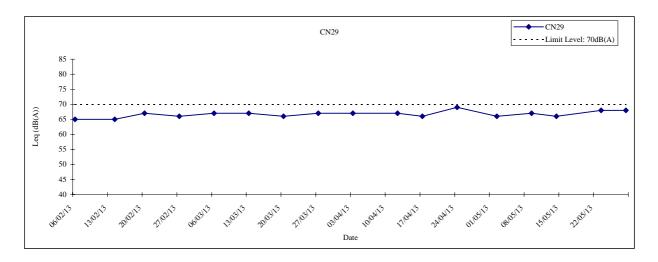


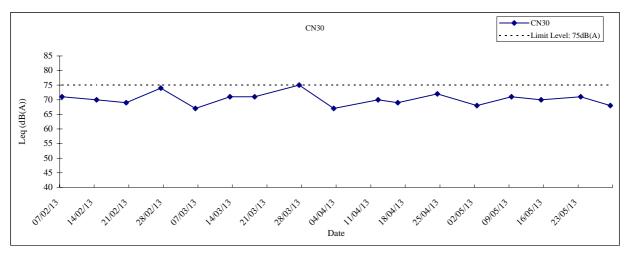


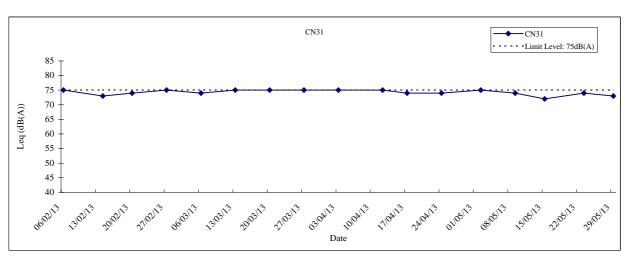


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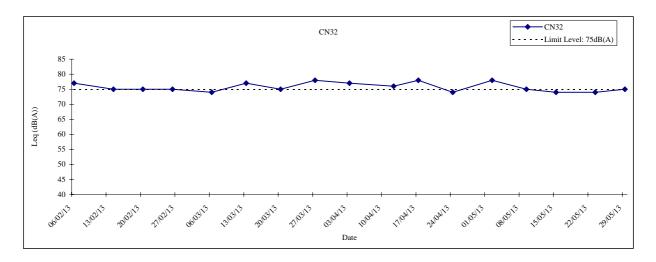
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	Monitoring Results for Location CN26, CN27 and CN28	APPENDIX	F

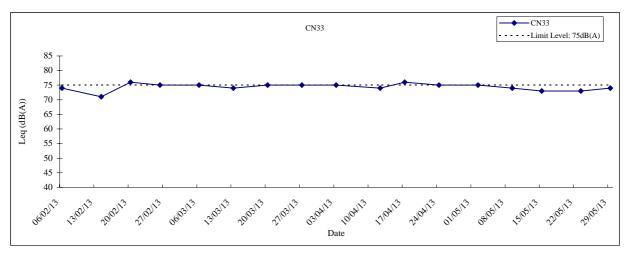


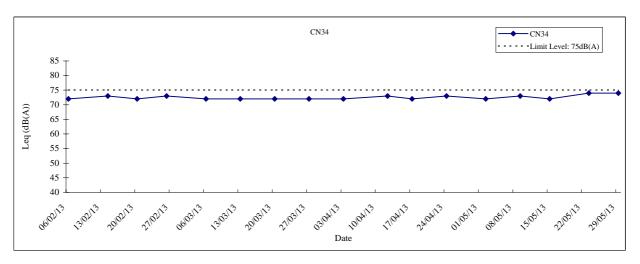




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	Monitoring Results for Location CN29, CN30 and CN31		







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MTR	Graphical Presentation of Noise		
	Monitoring Results for Location CN32, CN33 and CN34	APPENDIX	F

Appendix G

Bird Species and Abundance Recorded during Avifauna Survey

Appendix G Bird Species and Abundance Recorded during the Avifauna Monitoring in May 2013

Works Area: MPV Survey Site: MPV-1 Survey Date: 13 May 2013

	vey Date: 13 May 2013			Point Count Location												
Common Name (1)	Chinese Name	Principal Status (2)	MPV-1/P1	MPV-1/P2	MPV-1/P3	MPV-1/P4	MPV-1/P5			MPV-1/P8	MPV-1/P9	MPV-1/P10	MPV-1/P11	MPV-1/P12	Sub-total	Walk Transect
Little Grebe	小鸊鷉	Р	1		4							1			6	
Great Egret	大白鷺	Р				1			1		1				3	
Intermediate Egret	中白鷺	M,P			1										1	
Little Egret	小白鷺	Р			4		1	5	2	2	1	1	1		17	√
Cattle Egret	牛背鷺	Р							1						1	
Chinese Pond Heron	池鷺	Р		1	2		1	15	3				1		23	
Tufted Duck	鳳頭潛鴨	W			1										1	
Black Kite	黑鳶(麻鷹)	W,R													0	√
White-breasted Waterhen	白胸苦惡鳥	R			1										1	√
Common Sandpiper	磯鷸	M,W			2										2	
	白翅浮鷗	M						55							55	√
	珠頸斑鳩	R						1	2	3		1			7	
	噪鵑	Su,R													0	√
Greater Coucal	褐翅鴉鵑	R						2							2	√
Common Kingfisher	普通翠鳥	AM,P		1				1							2	
Barn Swallow	家燕	SpM,Su	3	1	5			4	4	2					19	√
Red-rumped Swallow	金腰燕	M			3	1									4	
Yellow Wagtail	黄鶺鴒	M,W						5							5	
White Wagtail	白鶺鴒	W,R						2		1					3	
•	紅耳鵯	R								·					0	√
Chinese Bulbul	白頭鵯	R						9	2						11	√
	棕背伯勞	R						,						1	1	
	鵲鴝	R							1	1					2	√
Yellow-bellied Prinia	黄腹山鷦鶯	R	4	1	3		1	1	2	3	1			1	17	, √
Plain Prinia	純色山鷦鶯	R	1	2	2				1	1	1	1			9	, √
Great Tit	大山雀	R		_				1							1	
Masked Laughingthrush	黑臉噪鶥	R	1							1					2	
	暗綠繡眼鳥	R,?W						12							12	√
Eurasian Tree Sparrow	麻雀	R				10		10						1	21	
	絲光椋鳥	W							1						1	
	黑領椋鳥	R			2			1		1					4	√
White-shouldered Starling	灰背椋鳥	M,W,Su													0	√
Crested Myna	八哥	R	1						1	2	1				5	, √
Common Magpie	喜鵲	R	· ·			2				1	i i				3	
Large-billed Crow	大嘴烏鴉	R								·					0	√
Azure-winged Magpie	灰喜鵲	Category E*													0	,
	No. of Birds at															
No. of Birds			241													
	No. of Birds Recorded from Point Count: No. of Species Recorded from Point Count:		30													
Total No. of Species:		36														
Total No. of Sne	cies of Conserva	-														

⁽¹⁾ Species in bold represents Species of Conservation Interest.

⁽²⁾ R=resident; Sp=spring; Su=summer visitor; A=autumn; W=winter visitor; M=migrant; P=present all year; ?W=the extent of immigration in winter is unclear

^{*} Category E: Species for which all published Hong Kong records are considered likely to relate to birds that have escaped or have been released from captivity and do not possess a Principal Status. [Principal status was assessed with reference to Carey et al. (2001): The Avifauna of Hong Kong]

Works Area: Access road leading to TPP

Survey Site: TPP-1 Survey Date: 13 May 2013

Survey Date: 13 May 2013				Po	oint Count Locati	on			
Common Name ⁽¹⁾	Chinese Name	Principal Status (2)	TPP-1/P1	TPP-1/P2	TPP-1/P3	TPP-1/P4	TPP-1/P5	Sub-total	Walk Transect
Little Egret	小白鷺	Р						0	√
White-breasted Waterhen	白胸苦惡鳥	R		1	3			4	√
Spotted Dove	珠頸斑鳩	R		1	2		1	4	√
Large Hawk Cuckoo	鷹鵑	Su			1			1	√
Common Koel	噪鵑	Su,R		1				1	√
Greater Coucal	褐翅鴉鵑	R						0	√
Barn Swallow	家燕	SpM,Su	1	4	3		1	9	√
White Wagtail	白鶺鴒	W,R	1	1	2			4	√
Red-whiskered Bulbul	紅耳鵯	R		2		1		3	√
Chinese Bulbul	白頭鵯	R	2				1	3	√
Oriental Magpie Robin	鵲鴝	R						0	√
Yellow-bellied Prinia	黃腹山鷦鶯	R	1	1				2	
Plain Prinia	純色山鷦鶯	R						0	√
Common Tailorbird	長尾縫葉鶯	R						0	√
Japanese White-eye	暗綠繡眼鳥	R,?W						0	√
Scaly-breasted Munia	斑文鳥	R				5	10	15	√
Eurasian Tree Sparrow	麻雀	R			5	5	2	12	√
White-cheeked Starling	灰椋鳥	W			3			3	
Black-collared Starling	黑領椋鳥	R				2		2	
White-shouldered Starling	灰背椋鳥	M,W,Su				1		1	
Common Myna	家八哥	R				2		2	
-		Birds at Each Point:	5	11	19	16	15		
No.	. of Birds Recorde	d from Point Count:			66				
No. of	No. of Species Recorded from Point Count:								
T (1))	Total No. of Species:								
Total No	Total No. of Species of Conservation Interest								

- (1) Species in bold represents Species of Conservation Interest.
- (2) R=resident; Sp=spring; Su=summer visitor; W=winter visitor; M=migrant; P=present all year; ?W=the extent of immigration in winter is unclear [Principal status was assessed with reference to Carey *et al*. (2001): The Avifauna of Hong Kong]

Works Area: Access road leading to TPP

Survey Site: TPP-2 Survey Date: 13 May 2013

Survey Date: 13 May 201				Point Cou	nt Location			
Common Name (1)	Chinese Name	Principal Status (2)	TPP-2/P1	TPP-2/P2	TPP-2/P3	TPP-2/P4	Sub-total	Walk Transect
Little Egret	小白鷺	Р			1		1	√
Cattle Egret	牛背鷺	Р	10				10	V
Chinese Pond Heron	池鷺	Р			1		1	√
Black Kite	黑鳶(麻鷹)	W,R	1				1	
Little Ringed Plover	金眶鴴(黑領鴴)	W,R	2				2	
Spotted Dove	珠頸斑鳩	R	1				1	
Large Hawk Cuckoo	鷹鵑	Su		1			1	
Common Koel	噪鵑	Su,R		1			1	√
Barn Swallow	家燕	SpM,Su	1	2	1	5	9	V
White Wagtail	白鶺鴒	W,R	2				2	√
Red-whiskered Bulbul	紅耳鵯	R			4	4	8	V
Chinese Bulbul	白頭鵯	R					0	V
Long-tailed Shrike	棕背伯勞	R			1		1	
Oriental Magpie Robin	鵲鴝	R	1	1			2	
Yellow-bellied Prinia	黃腹山鷦鶯	R	1	1			2	
Plain Prinia	純色山鷦鶯	R		1			1	
Common Tailorbird	長尾縫葉鶯	R		1	1		2	
Great Tit	大山雀	R				1	1	
Scaly-breasted Munia	斑文鳥	R				12	12	
Eurasian Tree Sparrow	麻雀	R					0	√
	No. of Birds at Each Point:		19	8	9	22		
N	No. of Birds Recorded from Point Count:				58			
No.	of Species Record	ded from Point Count:		1				
	Total No. of Species:			2				
Total	Total No. of Species of Conservation Interest:							

- (1) Species in bold represents Species of Conservation Interest.
- (2) R=resident; Sp=spring; Su=summer visitor; W=winter visitor; M=migrant; P=present all year [Principal status was assessed with reference to Carey *et al.* (2001): The Avifauna of Hong Kong]

Works Area: Access road leading to TPP

Survey Site: TPP-3

Survey Date: 13 May 2013

			Poi	int Count Locat	ion	
Common Name	Chinese Name	Principal Status (1)	TPP-3/P1	TPP-3/P2	TPP-3/P3	Sub-total
Chinese Pond Heron	池鷺	Р			1	1
Barn Swallow	家燕	SpM,Su		1		1
Red-whiskered Bulbul	紅耳鵯	R	2	3		5
Chinese Bulbul	白頭鵯	R	2			2
Yellow-bellied Prinia	黄腹山鷦鶯	R		1		1
Common Tailorbird	長尾縫葉鶯	R			1	1
Japanese White-eye	暗綠繡眼鳥	R,?W	1			1
Eurasian Tree Sparrow	麻雀	R	2			2
Common Magpie	喜鵲	R	1			1
	No. of	Birds at Each Point:	8	5	2	
	No. of Birds Records	ed from Point Count:		15		
N	o. of Species Recorde			9		
T ./-		Total No. of Species:				
I Ota	I No. of Species of Co	onservation Interest: [

- (1) Species in bold represents Species of Conservation Interest.
- (2) R=resident; Sp=spring; Su=summer visitor; M=migrant; P=present all year; ?W=the extent of immigration in winter is unclear [Principal status was assessed with reference to Carey *et al.* (2001): The Avifauna of Hong Kong]

Works Area: SSS / ERS Survey Site: SSS-2a Survey Date: 13 May 2013

			Point Cou	nt Location	
Common Name	Chinese Name	Principal Status ⁽¹⁾	SSS-2a/P1	SSS-2a/P2	Sub-total
Spotted Dove	珠頸斑鳩	R	1		1
Barn Swallow	家燕	SpM,Su	1		1
Red-whiskered Bulbul	紅耳鵯	R	3		3
Yellow-bellied Prinia	黃腹山鷦鶯	R	1		1
Common Tailorbird	長尾縫葉鶯	R		1	1
Japanese White-eye	暗綠繡眼鳥	R,?W		5	5
	No. of Birds at	t Each Point:	6	6	
No. o	f Birds Recorded from	Point Count:	1	2	
No. of S	pecies Recorded from	Point Count:	_	6	
	Total No	. of Species:			
Total No. o	of Species of Conservation	tion Interest:		0	

Note:

(1) R=resident; Sp=spring; Su=summer visitor; M=migrant; ?W=the extent of immigration in winter is unclear [Principal status was assessed with reference to Carey *et al.* (2001): The Avifauna of Hong Kong]

Appendix G Bird Species and Abundance Recorded during the Avifauna Monitoring in May 2013

Works Area: SSS / ERS Survey Site: SSS-3 Survey Date: 13 May 2013

Survey Date: 13 May 2013				_	_	_	_	Point Co	unt Location	_	_	_	_	_		
Common Name (1)	Chinese Name	Principal						Foint Co	uni Location						Sub-total	Walk
Common Name	Cilliese Name	Status (2)	SSS-3/P1	SSS-3/P2	SSS-3/P3	SSS-3/P4	SSS-3/P5	SSS-3/P6	SSS-3/P7	SSS-3/P8	SSS-3/P9	SSS-3/P10	SSS-3/P11	SSS-3/P12	Sub-total	Transect
Little Egret	小白鷺	Р				2						1			3	√
Chinese Pond Heron	池鷺	Р					2		2			2			6	√
Black Kite	黑鳶(麻鷹)	W,R													0	√
Besra	松雀鷹	R													0	√
White-breasted Waterhen	白胸苦惡鳥	R				1	3		1			1			6	
Little Ringed Plover	金眶鴴(黑領鴴)	W,R				2						1		1	4	
Rock Dove	原鴿	R													0	V
Spotted Dove	珠頸斑鳩	R	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3		3	2	16	√
Large Hawk Cuckoo	鷹鵑	Su			1	1	1	1	1						5	√
Common Koel	噪鵑	Su,R			1		1		1						3	√
Greater Coucal	褐翅鴉鵑	R										1			1	
Barn Swallow	家燕	SpM,Su	1			3	2	3	2		2	10	5		28	√
White Wagtail	白鶺鴒	W,R			1	3		1		1		1		2	9	√
Red-whiskered Bulbul	紅耳鵯	R	2	1	1	2		3	1		6		4	2	22	√
Chinese Bulbul	白頭鵯	R	1	1		1	5		1		1		2		12	√
Long-tailed Shrike	棕背伯勞	R									1				1	
Oriental Magpie Robin	鵲鴝	R		1		1	2	2							6	√
Masked Laughingthrush	黑臉噪鶥	R			3	1	3	1		1				1	10	√
Yellow-bellied Prinia	黃腹山鷦鶯	R		1		1	3		3		3				11	
Plain Prinia	純色山鷦鶯	R				1	2	1	1				2		7	√
Common Tailorbird	長尾縫葉鶯	R						1		1				1	3	√
Great Tit	大山雀	R													0	√
Japanese White-eye	暗綠繡眼鳥	R,?W				1	1	2	1				2		7	V
Scaly-breasted Munia	斑文鳥	R									5		2		7	V
Eurasian Tree Sparrow	麻雀	R	2			1	2	1	1		5	5	3	3	23	V
Black-collared Starling	黑領椋鳥	R				1		3	2		2		2	2	12	V
White-shouldered Starling	灰背椋鳥	M,W,Su						2			7	5	2	1	17	√
Common Myna	家八哥	R										1		1	2	√
Crested Myna	八哥	R			4	2	1	1				2	3	1	14	√
	No. of Birds at Each Point			5	12	25	29	23	18	4	35	30	30	17		
No. of Birds	No. of Birds Recorded from Point Count:			235												
No. of Species	s Recorded from I	Point Count:							25							
	Total No.	of Species:							29							
Total No. of Species of Conservation Interest									3							

⁽¹⁾ Species in bold represents Species of Conservation Interest
(2) R=resident; Sp=spring; Su=summer visitor; W=winter visitor; M=migrant; P=present all year; ?W=the extent of immigration in winter is unclear [Principal status was assessed with reference to Carey et al. (2001): The Avifauna of Hong Kong]

Appendix G Bird Species and Abundance Recorded during the Avifauna Monitoring in May 2013

Works Area: TUW Survey Site: TUW-1 Survey Date: 13 May 2013

Survey Date: 13 May 2013					Poi	nt Count Loca	tion				
Common Name ⁽¹⁾	Chinese Name	Principal Status	TUW-1/P1	TUW-1/P2	TUW-1/P3	TUW-1/P4	TUW-1/P5	TUW-1/P6	TUW-1/P7	Sub-total	Walk Transect
Little Egret	小白鷺	Р					1		1	2	√
Chinese Pond Heron	池鷺	Р		1		1				2	√
Cinnamon Bittern	栗葦鳽	M							1	1	
Black Kite	黑鳶(麻鷹)	W,R								0	√
White-breasted Waterhen	白胸苦惡鳥	R								0	√
Rock Dove	原鴿	R								0	V
Spotted Dove	珠頸斑鳩	R	1		1		1	1	3	7	√
Large Hawk Cuckoo	鷹鵑	Su								0	V
Common Koel	噪鵑	Su,R								0	√
Greater Coucal	褐翅鴉鵑	R						1		1	V
Common Kingfisher	普通翠鳥	AM,P						2		2	
Yellow Wagtail	黃鶺鴒	M,W							2	2	
Barn Swallow	家燕	SpM,Su	8	3	4	3	2		2	22	V
White Wagtail	白鶺鴒	W,R			2	1				3	
Red-whiskered Bulbul	紅耳鵯	R	2	6		2	3	2	2	17	V
Chinese Bulbul	白頭鵯	R	2	4	1	1		1		9	V
Sooty-headed Bulbul	白喉紅臀鵯	R						3	1	4	V
Long-tailed Shrike	棕背伯勞	R								0	V
Oriental Magpie Robin	鵲鴝	R				1			1	2	V
Masked Laughingthrush	黑臉噪鶥	R		2					3	5	V
Yellow-bellied Prinia	黃腹山鷦鶯	R	1	1	1		1	1	2	7	V
Plain Prinia	純色山鷦鶯	R							1	1	
Common Tailorbird	長尾縫葉鶯	R	1	1	1	1			1	5	√
Japanese White-eye	暗綠繡眼鳥	R,?W							3	3	V
Scaly-breasted Munia	斑文鳥	R			2					2	V
Eurasian Tree Sparrow	麻雀	R								0	V
Crested Myna	八哥	R			1		1		5	7	V
Black Drongo	黑卷尾	M,Su		2						2	
Black-collared Starling	黑領椋鳥	R					1	1		2	V
White-shouldered Starling	灰背椋鳥	M,W,Su		1	3	1	1	3		9	V
N		rds at Each Point:	15	21	16	11 117	11	15	28		
	of Birds Recorded					23					
NO. Of S	No. of Species Recorded from Point Count: Total No. of Species:					30					
Total No.	Total No. of Species of Conservation Interest:										
i otal No.	oi opecies di Cons	sei vation interest:	I			3					

 ⁽¹⁾ Species in bold represents Species of Conservation Interest
 (2) R=resident; Sp= Spring; Su=summer visitor; A=autumn; W=winter visitor; M=migrant; P=present all year; ?W=extent of immigration in winter is unclea [Principal status was assessed with reference to Careyet al. (2001): The Avifauna of Hong Kong]

Works Area: TUW and PHV

Survey Site: TUW-2 and PHV-1 (grouped together due to overlapping of survey area)

Survey Date: 13 May 2013

Survey Date: 13 May 2013			Point Cou	nt Location		
Common Name (1)	Chinese Name	Principal Status (2)	TUW-2 and PHV-1/P1	TUW-2 and PHV-1/P2	Sub-total	Walk Transect
Spotted Dove	珠頸斑鳩	R			0	V
Large Hawk Cuckoo	鷹鵑	Su	1		1	V
Common Koel	噪鵑	Su,R			0	$\sqrt{}$
Barn Swallow	家燕	SpM,Su	1		1	V
Red-whiskered Bulbul	紅耳鵯	R	1	1	2	√
Chinese Bulbul	白頭鵯	R	2	2	4	√
Oriental Magpie Robin	鵲鴝	R			0	√
Rufous-capped Babbler	紅頭穗鶥	R		1	1	√
Masked Laughingthrush	黑臉噪鶥	R	1		1	
Black-throated Laughingthrush	黑喉噪鶥	R			0	V
Hwamei	畫眉	R			0	V
Yellow-bellied Prinia	黃腹山鷦鶯	R			0	$\sqrt{}$
Common Tailorbird	長尾縫葉鶯	R	1		1	$\sqrt{}$
Great Tit	大山雀	R			0	$\sqrt{}$
Velvet-fronted Nuthatch	絨額帀鳥	R			0	$\sqrt{}$
Scarlet-backed Flowerpecker	朱背啄花鳥	R			0	$\sqrt{}$
ork-tailed Sunbird	叉尾太陽鳥	R			0	$\sqrt{}$
Japanese White-eye	暗綠繡眼鳥	R,?W	2	1	3	$\sqrt{}$
	No.	of Birds at Each Point:	9	5		
	No. of Birds Reco	rded from Point Count:	1	4		
	No. of Species Reco	rded from Point Count:		8		
		Total No. of Species:	1	8		
•	Total No. of Species of	Conservation Interest:		1		

⁽¹⁾ Species in bold represents Species of Conservation Interest.

⁽²⁾ R=resident; Sp=spring; Su=summer visitor; M=migrant; ?W=extent of immigration in winter is unclear [Principal status was assessed with reference to Carey *et al.* (2001): The Avifauna of Hong Kong]

Appendix H

Representative Photographs of the Avifauna Monitoring

Appendix H Representative Photographs taken during the Avifauna Monitoring in May 2013



Plate 1 Little Grebe at Point Count Location MPV-1/P3



Plate 2 White-winged Tern at Point Count Location MPV-1/P6



Plate 3 Chinese Pond Heron at Point Count Locations TPP-3/P2 Locations TPP-2/P2 to TPP-2/P4

Appendix H Representative Photographs taken during the Avifauna Monitoring in May 2013



Plate 4 White-shouldered Starling Nest (inside electric Box as shown by the red arrow) at Point Count Location SSS-3/P11



Plate 5 Black-collared Starling Nest (on electric cable as shown by the red arrow) at Point Count Location SSS-3/P11

Appendix I

Certified Arborist Inspection Record

MTR Express Rail Link, Contract 801

Monthly Audit Inspection Record

May 2013

Audit of tree works, including tree protection, pruning work, transplanting work, maintenance works in the temporary holding nursery, and compensation tree planting

Date	Contract	Activity Description	Purpose
23/05/13	801 – Siu Lang Shui (Nursery)	Inspection of trees to be transplanted within the	Regular audit of tree works
(SLS)	So Kwun Wat Nursery	contract	World
27/05/13			
(SKW)			
03/06/13	802 - Nam Cheong Property Parcel 40.2, and Sham	Inspection of retained trees and trees to be	Regular audit of tree works
	Mong Rd Footpath, Private Lot NKIL6436	transplanted within the	World
		contract	
03/06/13	805 - Sham Mong Road Parcel 41.4,38.3, Sham	Inspection of retained trees and trees to be	Regular audit of tree works
	Mong Road Footpath (near 38.3), and Footpath of	transplanted within the	
	Sham Mong Rd, Parcels 38.6/38.7 (footpath	contract	
	alongside CLP Building)		
	NKIL 6363 (CLP Building)		
23/05/13	811A—WKT station North	Inspection of retained trees and trees to be	Regular audit of tree works
	Ngo Cheung Road, Hoi Wang Road, Lin Cheung	transplanted within the	WOLKS
	Road	contract	
23/05/13	811B - WKT Approach Tunnels – South	Inspection of retained trees and trees to be	Regular audit of tree works
	Parcel 44.1, Lin Cheung Road, and Jordan Road	transplanted within the	WOLKS
	Footpath & Central Divider	contract	
03/06/13	816D WRK – Integrated Series Contractors Site	Inspection of retained trees and trees to be	Regular audit of tree works
	Office Private Lot – STT-RDS/KSL-002	transplanted within the contract	
03/06/13	820 - Mei Lai Road to Hoi Ting Road Tunnels	Inspection of retained trees and trees to be	Regular audit of tree works
	Parcel 37.2, 37.3, Kwai Chung Road (Footpath near	transplanted within the	WOIKS
	37.5)	contract	
	Sham Mong Road & Hing Wah Street West Footpath		
	Parcel 39.1, 40.4, Sham Mong Road (Nam Cheong		
	Park)		
	Private Lot STT-KX2382, Private Lot STT-KX2416		

27/05/13	821—Shek Yam to Mei Lai Road Tunnels Parcel NT-9 (slope) NT-10	Inspection of retained trees and trees to be transplanted within the contract	Regular audit of tree works
27/05/13 24/05/13 27/05/13	822 - Tse Uk Tsuen to Shek Yam Tunnels Parcels NT-6 (Pat Heung), NT-7, and NT-8, Site Office - San Kwai Street, Kwai Hing, Parcel NT-17 (6.6, 6.9) 822—Siu Lam FW Service Reservoir	Inspection of retained trees and trees to be transplanted within the contract	Regular audit of tree works
24/05/13	823A - Kam Tin Tunnels Parcels NT-5A, NT-5.1A, and NT-5.3A	Inspection of retained trees and trees to be transplanted within the contract	Regular audit of tree works
24/05/13	823B - SSS and ERS Parcels NT-5.1B, NT-5.2, and NT-5.3B	Inspection of retained trees and trees to be transplanted within the contract	Regular audit of tree works
28/05/13 (NTM) 24/05/13 (TKP)	824 Ngau Tam Mei to Tai Kong Po Tunnels NT-3, NT-5.1A, NT-4	Inspection of retained trees and trees to be transplanted within the contract	Regular audit of tree works
28/05/13	825 - Mai Po to Ngau Tam Mei Tunnels Parcels NT-1a (Mai Po), CP-12, and verges of Castle Peak Road - Mai Po	Inspection of retained trees and trees to be transplanted within the contract	Regular audit of tree works
28/05/13	826 – Huang Gang to Mai Po Tunnel	Inspection of retained trees and trees to be transplanted within the contract	Regular audit of tree works

Signed by: Matthew PRYOR (RLA, CA)

Appendix J Meteorological Data

Date MAY	Mean Pressure (hPa)	Air	Air Temperature			Mean Relative Humidity	Mean Amount of Cloud	Total Rainfall (mm)
		Maximum	Mean	Minimum	(deg. C)	(%)	(%)	
		(deg. C)	(deg. C)	(deg. C)				
1	1009.5	25.1	21.8	20.1	19.4	86	76	1.2
2	1010.6	21.9	19.3	16.6	14.1	73	87	0.9
3	1011.1	22.1	19.7	18.7	17	85	88	33.8
4	1013.7	22.5	20.8	18.4	17.7	83	87	Trace
5	1014.5	24.1	22.1	20.8	19.8	87	86	Trace
6	1013.2	23.7	22.4	21.3	20.8	91	87	Trace
7	1012.1	25.6	23.3	22.3	21.3	89	88	Trace
8	1011.1	23.2	22.9	22.3	21.7	93	90	29.7
9	1010	29.2	25.2	22.8	23.6	91	78	31.3
10	1008.2	28.6	25	23.4	23.5	91	77	23.4
11	1006.6	28.9	25.6	23	22.6	84	69	0.1
12	1007.8	26.5	24.7	24.1	23.3	92	86	1.4
13	1007.6	29.9	26	23.9	23.8	88	73	0.2
14	1006.5	28.8	26.2	25	24.6	91	72	Trace
15	1005.2	31	28.4	25.9	25.7	85	81	Trace
16	1005.5	30	27.6	24.7	24.9	86	83	5.4
17	1007.7	27.5	25.9	24.8	24.9	94	86	13.9
18	1006.8	30.8	28.3	25.8	26.1	88	85	21
19	1005.4	30.9	29.2	28.2	26.1	84	88	0.1
20	1004.8	31.6	29	25.7	25.5	82	82	26
21	1005.5	29	25.7	23.5	24.2	91	86	26.3
22	1006.1	26.2	24.8	23.4	23.9	95	90	230.8
23	1009	29.4	26.5	24.2	24.1	87	84	Trace
24	1009.6	31.3	27.8	25.6	24.2	81	71	Trace
25	1009.7	26.9	25.7	24.6	25.1	96	89	52
26	1007.6	29.7	27.8	25.5	25.3	87	85	11.3
27	1006.9	29.8	28.8	27.9	25.5	82	86	0.1
28	1008.9	31.1	29.2	27.7	25.9	83	72	Trace
29	1010.9	31.9	29.1	27.8	25.6	81	76	0.4
30	1010.7	32.5	29.3	27.2	25	78	54	-
31	1009.4	33	29.5	27.2	24.5	75	28	-
Mean/Total	1008.8	28.2	25.7	23.9	23.2	86	80	509.3
Normal*	1009.3	28.4	25.9	24.1	22.6	83	76	304.7

Date MAY	Number of hours of Reduced Visibility# (hours)	Total Bright Sunshine (hours)	Daily Global Solar Radiation (MJ/m²)	Total Evaporation (mm)	Prevailing Wind Direction (degrees)	Mean Wind Speed (km/h)
1	2	2.7	8.16	3.1	100	30.6
2	0	0.7	11.03	3.2	60	44.4
3	0	0.1	6.52	3.8	60	35.5
4	1	-	6.65	1	60	27
5	0	0.2	9.4	2.1	60	20.3
6	4	-	7.87	1.7	70	24.1
7	2	1.5	13.74	3.3	70	22.1
8	2	-	2.64	3.2	70	30.4
9	1	5.2	17.45	3.9	90	13.3
10	0	1.4	8.02	5.3	70	8.8
11	7	6.9	18.82	1.6	240	10
12	2	1.8	10.56	2.4	40	13
13	4	7.6	21.3	3.7	50	13.2
14	0	3.9	14.87	3.1	130	17.3
15	0	1.3	10.75	3.5	200	25.9
16	0	-	5.78	0.6	230	25.9
17	0	1.7	8.27	3.7	40	7.8
18	0	4.9	16.13	5.9	230	18.7
19	0	4.7	18.47	2.1	240	28.4
20	0	3.9	14.78	3.3	230	25.8
21	0	1.6	7.97	-	60	11.5
22	0	-	2.34	1.1	210	15.8
23	0	3.1	14.83	3.1	240	7.2
24	0	8.3	19.16	2.5	160	10.8
25	0	=	4.71	2	140	17.4
26	0	1.4	8.61	3.4	220	26.8
27	0	0.8	11.34	2.8	240	27
28	0	5.8	17.46	4.8	230	18.4
29	0	3.6	13.89	3.1	210	11.9
30	0	8.7	21.2	4.8	240	7.9
31	0	8.9	28.29	7	240	13.4
Mean/Total	25	90.7	12.29	95.1	60	19.7
Normal*	53.8§	140.4	14.19	110.7	80	19.7
Station	Hong Kong International Airport	King's Park			Waglan Island	