### NOISE CONTROL (CONSTRUCTION WORK) REGULATION

(Made under section 27(1A) of the Noise Control Ordinance (Cap. 400) after consultation with the Advisory Council on the Environment)

### 1. Commencement

This Regulation shall come into operation on 1 February 1996.

# 2. Interpretation

In this Regulation -

- "formwork" ( ) means any type of metallic, wooden or fibreglass construction including any structural support designed to enable concrete, cement or other material poured in a fluid state to assume a particular shape upon setting;
- "hammering" ( ) means to strike repeatedly any object, instrument or surface with any other object, instrument or surface;
- "rubble" ( ) means any kind of debris or superfluous material arising from construction work including bricks, concrete, metal, glass, wood, plastic, earth, rock, bamboo or fibreglass;
- "scaffolding" ( ) means any type of construction made of metal, wood or bamboo whose purpose is to enable temporary access to a part or parts of another structure or building whether completed or not.

#### 3. Construction work

The construction work in the <u>Schedule</u> is prescribed for the purpose of section 6(2) of the Ordinance.

- 1. Erection or dismantling of formwork or scaffolding.
- 2. Loading, unloading or handling of rubble, wooden boards, steel bars, wood or scaffolding material.
- 3. Hammering.

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## Explanatory Note

This Regulation prescribes the construction work to which section 6(2) of the Noise Control Ordinance (Cap. 400) applies.