

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (FEES) REGULATION

(Made by Secretary for Planning, Environment and Lands after consultation with the Advisory Council on the Environment under section 32(2) of the Environmental Impact Assessment Ordinance (Ord. No. 9 of 1997))

1. Commencement

This Regulation shall come into operation on a day to be appointed by the Secretary for Planning, Environment and Lands by notice in the Gazette.

2. Fees for applications under the Ordinance

The fees specified in the Schedule shall be the prescribed application fees for the purposes of sections 5(2)(d), 6(2), 10(1)(e), 12(5) and 13(6) of the Ordinance, as may be applicable.

3. Waiver of fees

The fees referred to in regulation 2 shall be waived in respect of Government departments, otherwise than those which operate under a trading fund for the purpose of the Trading Funds Ordinance (Cap. 430), and their employees in the course of carrying out their official duties.

SCHEDULE
APPLICATION FEES

[reg. 2]

| Item | Particulars | Fee \$ |
|------|---|-----------|
| 1. | Application for an environmental impact assessment study brief referred to in section 5(1)(a) of the Ordinance. | 15,400 |
| 2. | Application under section 5(1)(b) of the Ordinance for approval to apply directly for an environmental permit. | 17,700 |
| 3. | Application under section 6(2) of the Ordinance for approval of an environmental impact assessment report. | 39,800 |
| 4. | Application for an environmental permit referred to in section 10(1)(a). | 15,600 |
| 5. | Application for a further environmental permit referred to in section 12(1). | 5,690 |
| 6. | Application under section 13(1) for a variation of the conditions of an environmental permit. | 7,780 |

Explanatory Note

The purpose of this Regulation is to prescribe the application fees that are payable for the application for an

environmental impact assessment study brief, approval to apply directly for an environmental permit, approval of an environmental impact assessment report, an environmental permit, a further environmental permit and a variation of the conditions of an environmental permit as required under the Environmental Impact Assessment Ordinance (Ord. No. 9 of 1997), and to grant a waiver of the fees to Government departments and their employees in respect of such applications made in the course of carrying out their official duties.