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## **Contaminated Mud Disposal at East Sha Chau Interim Report VI**

### **Purpose**

To provide Members with a regular update on general activities at East Sha Chau. The previous report to Members was Interim Report V which was discussed at the meeting on 25 November 1996.

### **Update on General Activities at East Sha Chau**

2. The active disposal pit is CMP III<sub>d</sub>, which is expected to be filled during the third quarter of 1997 after which CMP IV is planned to take over. Capping has been completed for CMP III<sub>b</sub> and capping has commenced for CMP III<sub>c</sub>. The attached drawing no. FMC/377G/2 shows the locations of disposal pits at East Sha Chau.

3. Environmental monitoring of sediment, water and biota in and around East Sha Chau has continued and no adverse trends have been identified. The monitoring programme now includes biota muscle tissue and whole body analyses for organic contaminants (PCB & PAH) as well as for metals. The first batch of organic test results is now being assessed although almost all of the tissue and whole body values are below analytical detection limits.

### **CMP IV**

4. The focused EIA for the proposed CMP IV was endorsed at the ACE meeting on 24 March 1997 and funds for the management, monitoring and capping of CMP IV are now being sought.

### **Review of the dredged sediment classification**

5. Interim Report V which was presented to Members in November 1996 outlined EVS Environment Consultants' recommendations for enhancing the present system of classification of dredged sediments. The Environmental Protection Department is now considering how best to take these recommendations forward.

**Next Report to ACE**

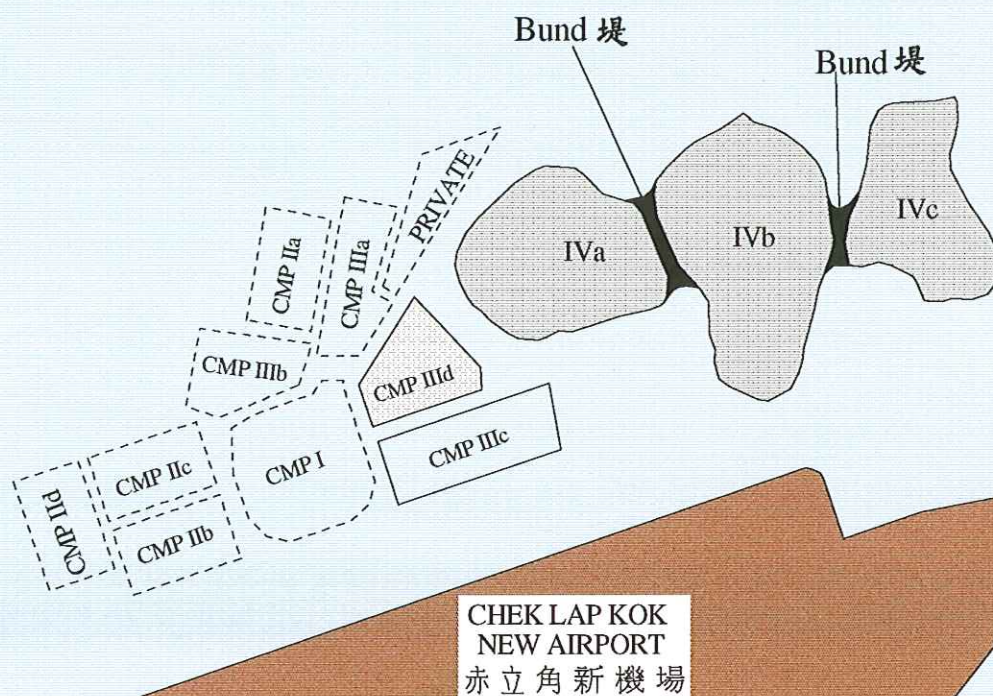
6. The next regular report to ACE, Interim Report VII, will be in July 1997.





**Attachment**

Drawing no. FMC/377G/2 "East Sha Chau Contaminated Mud Disposal Pits"

**Fill Management Committee Secretariat  
Geotechnical Engineering Office  
Civil Engineering Department  
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# 沙洲東部污泥卸置區 East Sha Chau Contaminated Mud Disposal Pits (CMPs)



-  Proposed CMP IV  
擬定四號泥坑
-  CMPs Being Filled  
回填中的泥坑
-  CMP Filled & Being Capped  
已回填和覆蓋中的泥坑
-  CMP's Filled & Capped  
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