

**Application for exemption under section 6(1)(a) of the  
Air Pollution Control (Ocean Going Vessels) (Fuel at Berth) Regulation (Cap. 311AA)**

*Please read the Notes to Applicant carefully before completing this application. Please send the completed form together with supporting documents to Air Policy Group, Environmental Protection Department, 33/F, Revenue Tower, 5 Gloucester Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong or email to ogyfuelswitch@epd.gov.hk or fax to (852)2838-2155.*

**New / Renewal\* Application**

**Part A**

**Particulars of Applicant**

Name of owner/ master/ agent of vessel*		
#Business Registration No. (for application made by a company):		
#HKID/ Passport No. (for application made by an individual):		
Contact Person	Capacity	
Telephone	Fax	Email
Address		

**Part B**

**Particulars of Vessel**

Name of Vessel	Call Sign
Nationality of Vessel	Type of Vessel
IMO Number (If no IMO number, please provide vessel registration number)	Gross Tonnage

*\*Delete where inapplicable.*

*# Copy of the document has to be submitted together with this application*

**PART C**

**Technology Used**

1. Please specify the technology that the vessel listed in Part B uses to reduce SO<sub>2</sub> emission.

2. Please explain the reduction in SO<sub>2</sub> emission achieved by the technology used as compared to the use of 0.5% sulphur fuel. (Please use separate sheets if necessary.)

**PART D**

**Operating Procedure for Technology**

Please describe the operating procedure for the technology specified in Part C. (Please use separate sheets if necessary.)

**PART E**

**Maintenance Requirement for Technology**

Please describe the maintenance requirement for the technology specified in Part C. (Please use separate sheets if necessary.)

**PART F**  
**Supporting Documents**

Please list the copies of the specific documents in English or in Chinese that you are providing with this application. (please tick where appropriate):

- company registration certificate (for application made by a company only)
- HKID card or passport (for application made by an individual only)
- International Air Pollution Prevention certificate
- certificate issued by International Association of Classification Society
- measurement data of SO<sub>2</sub> emission reduction with the adoption of the technology specified in Part C from the technology manufacturer
- operation manual of the technology adopted as specified in Part C
- maintenance manual of the technology adopted as specified in Part C
- other documents (please specify)

**PART G**  
**Declaration of Applicant**

I certify that the particulars given in this application are correct and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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Name of Signatory

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Capacity of Signatory

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Date

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Applicant's Signature/ Authorized Signature

### **Notes to Application**

- (1) The master, the owner (including owner, bareboat charterer, manager and operator of the vessel) or the agent of a vessel may apply to the Environmental Protection Department (the EPD) for an exemption from the application of section 4(1) of the Air Pollution Control (Ocean Going Vessels) (Fuel at Berth) Regulation (Cap 311AA) by adopting sulphur dioxide (SO<sub>2</sub>) emission control technology in the vessel.
- (2) An exemption may be granted only if the vessel uses technology that can achieve the reduction of SO<sub>2</sub> emission during berthing at least as effective the use of 0.5% sulphur fuel.
- (3) The application must be made at least 14 days before the date on which the vessel is intended to enter the waters of Hong Kong for the first exempted call in relation to the exemption.
- (4) The EPD may require the applicant to provide any further information or documents that it considers necessary for determining the application.
- (5) An exemption may be granted subject to any conditions the EPD thinks fit.
- (6) The EPD may grant an exemption for a period of 3 years (starting from the approval date of exemption); and renew an exemption, each time for a period of 3 years.
- (7) An application for renewal must be made not earlier than 3 months before, and not later than 14 days before, the date on which the exemption expires.

### **Personal Information Collection Statement**

#### **Purpose of Collection**

1. The personal data provided by means of this form will be used by Environmental Protection Department for one or more of the following purposes:
  - a. activities relating to the processing of your submission in this form;
  - b. administration and enforcement of relevant environmental legislation;
  - c. pollution complaint investigations;
  - d. statistical and any other legitimate purposes; and
  - e. to facilitate communications between Government and yourself.
2. The provision of personal data by means of this form is voluntary. If you do not provide sufficient information, we may not be able to process your application.

#### **Classes of Transferees**

3. The personal data you provided by means of this form may be disclosed to :
  - a. other government bureaux and departments, and any other organizations for the purpose mentioned in paragraph 1 above; and
  - b. other persons as permitted by the relevant legislation.

#### **Access to Personal Data**

4. You have a right of access and correction with respect to personal data as provided for in section 18 and 22 and principle 6 of Schedule 1 of the Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance. Your right of access includes the right to obtain a copy of your personal data provided by this form.

#### **Enquires**

5. Enquires concerning the personal data collected by means of this form, including the making of access and corrections, should be addressed to:  
Senior Environmental Protection Officer (Knowledge Management)  
40/F, Revenue Tower, 5 Gloucester Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong.  
Tel: 2838 3111                      Fax: 2838 3111