Roads (Works, Use and Compensation) Ordinance (Chapter 370)

Scheme annexed to Plan No. 60309625/GZ/002 under section 5 describing PWP Item No. 7716CL Tseung Kwan O Further Development Infrastructure Works for Tseung Kwan O Stage I Landfill Site – Remaining Works

General Description of the Works

Under powers delegated by the Secretary for Transport and Housing under section 3(3) of the Roads (Works, Use and Compensation) Ordinance (Chapter 370) ("the Ordinance"), the Permanent Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport) proposes to execute the road works within the limit of works area as shown on Plan No. 60309625/GZ/002 ("the Plan") annexed hereto and described hereunder. The proposed road works are required to provide convenient access across the Eastern Channel at its southern side.

- 2. The general nature of the proposed works is as follows –
- (i) construction of a footbridge of approximately 108 metres long with the associated staircase, ramps, landscape areas and viewing platform across the Eastern Channel;
- (ii) permanent closure and conversion of a section of the existing promenade into abutment;
- (iii) permanent closure and conversion of sections of the existing landscape areas into footpaths, abutments and promenades;

- (iv) permanent closure and demolition of a section of the existing promenade;
- (v) temporary closure and reconstruction of a section of the existing footpath and landscape area;
- (vi) approximately 0.05 hectares of Government foreshore and/or sea-bed at Junk Bay to be reclaimed for the construction of the proposed viewing platform and foundation of the proposed footbridge; and
- (vii) ancillary works including modification of seawall and civil, landscaping, lighting and utility works.

Roads to be Closed and Government Foreshore and/or Sea-bed to be Reclaimed

3. For the purposes of or incidental to the works or the use, the Permanent Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport) proposes that powers under section 17 of the Ordinance may be exercised to close permanently a section of the existing promenade and sections of the existing landscape areas; to close temporarily sections of the existing footpaths, promenades and landscape areas; and to reclaim Government foreshore and/or sea-bed within the limit of works area as shown on the Plan. Temporary alternative access will be provided and temporary diversions will be carried out during the construction period as and when required. Further notice, setting out the manner in which such footpaths, promenades and landscape areas are to be closed and such Government foreshore and/or sea-bed are to be reclaimed, will be issued under section 18 of the Ordinance as and when required.

Apparatus whose Course or Position to be Altered

4. For the purposes of or incidental to the works or the use, the Permanent Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport) proposes that powers under section 20 of the Ordinance may be exercised to require alteration of the course or position of any existing utility services apparatus such as electricity cables and ducts, telecommunication cables and ducts, water mains, gas pipes and any other service apparatus lying within the limit of works area, and to require repairing of any road surface thereby disturbed. Further notice, setting out the manner in which the course or position of such apparatus is to be altered and the repair of any road surface, will be issued under section 20 of the Ordinance as and when required.

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