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**General Specification for Civil Engineering Works 2020 Edition (GS) and
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Dear all,

On behalf of the Steering Committee for the General Specification for Civil Engineering Works, I am pleased to announce and attach the publication of the “General Specification for Civil Engineering Works 2020 Edition” (GS) and “Guidance Notes for Civil Engineering Works 2020 Edition” (GN).



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2. The electronics files of the new edition of GS will be uploaded onto the CEDD website:

<https://www.cedd.gov.hk/eng/publications/standards-spec-handbooks-cost/stan-gs-2020/index.html>

3. The electronic file of the new edition of GN will be uploaded to the Works Group Intranet Portal and is restricted to internal use by the Government departments.

4. A grace period of 1.5 years is introduced. GS 2020 Edition shall be adopted in all public works contracts for which tenders are invited on or after **1 July 2022**.

Regards,
Wendy K Y Lau
Secretary of the Steering Committee for the
General Specification for Civil Engineering Works

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