

Clerk to Subcommittee on Fixed Penalty (Criminal Proceedings) (Amendment)  
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3 Garden Road  
Central  
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Dear Sir

Subcommittee on Fixed Penalty for Smoky Vehicles

The Private Sector Committee on the Environment (PSCE) is extremely interested in making oral representation to the Subcommittee Meeting on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November at 8:30 a.m.

We, the PSEC, feel that this subject of polluting emissions from vehicles is a most serious problem in Hong Kong and for its future. Any further delay in implementing increased stringent measures against offenders is another regressive step in the fight against air pollution.

It will be quite obvious to the public at large that Legco is just paying lip service to environmental issues and are in reality not committed to improving the present rapidly deteriorating conditions. It would be a tragic confirmation of the lack of courage and moral conviction in our political leaders if another resolution already passed, is again delayed.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely



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Executive Director

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The Private Sector Committee on the Environment was established in 1989 with the aim to pool the efforts and resources of a group of leading business conglomerates in order to address the environmental problems in Hong Kong.

The Committee is supported by :

- China Resources Enterprise, Limited
- CLP Power Hong Kong Limited
- Gammon Construction Limited
- Gold Peak Industries (Holdings) Limited
- Hong Kong Tourist Association
- Hongkong International Terminals Limited
- Jardine Pacific Limited
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- The Great Eagle Company, Limited
- The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited (chair of the Committee)
- The Hongkong Electric Company, Limited
- The Kowloon Motor Bus Company (1933) Limited
- Wheelock and Company Limited

The Deputy Secretary of the Environment and Food Bureau of the HKSAR attends all Committee meetings as an observer.

The objectives of the Committee are :

- to help to create a climate of public opinion which will assist Government, and where appropriate the private sector, in taking action on environmental issues;
- to sponsor environmental projects; and
- to explore a private sector approach to environmental issues.

The Committee is registered as a non-profit-making organisation.

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