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DECLARATION OF CHANGE OF TITLES (PLANNING, ENVIRONMENT AND LANDS BUREAU AND SECRETARY FOR PLANNING, ENVIRONMENT AND LANDS) NOTICE 1999

(Made under section 55 of the Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance (Cap. 1))

1. Commencement

This Notice shall come into operation on 1 January 2000.

2. Change of titles

(1) The title of the Planning, Environment and Lands Bureau is declared to be changed to the Planning and Lands Bureau.

(2) The title of the Secretary for Planning, Environment and Lands is declared to be changed to the Secretary for Planning and Lands.

3. Amendment of references to title

(1) The titles of---

(a) the Planning and Lands Bureau is substituted for that of the Planning, Environment and Lands Bureau; and

(b) the Secretary for Planning and Lands is substituted for that of the Secretary for Planning, Environment and Lands,

wherever occurring in any instrument, contract or legal proceedings made or commenced before 1 January 2000.

(2) The enactments specified in column 2 of the Schedule are amended by substituting "Secretary for Planning and Lands" for "Secretary for Planning, Environment and Lands" wherever occurring in the provisions specified opposite to them in column 3.

(3) Section 2(1) of the Hong Kong Airport (Control of Obstructions) Ordinance (Cap. 301) is amended in the definition of "Secretary"---

(a) by substituting "Secretary for Planning and Lands" for "Secretary for Planning, Environment and Lands";

(b) by substituting "規劃地政局局長" for "規劃環境地政局局長".

SCHEDULE [s. 3(2)]

Item Enactment Provision

1. Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance Schedule 6.
(Cap. 1)

2. Land Development Corporation Ordinance (Cap. 15) Section 2 (in the definition of "Secretary").

3. Buildings Ordinance (Cap. 123) Sections 5(1) and (3A), 5AA(2)(a), 11(1) and (4A), 11AA(2)(a), 38(1) and (5), 39A(1) and 46(2)(a).
4. Town Planning Ordinance (Cap. 131) Section 24(1).
5. Aerial Ropeways (Safety) Ordinance (Cap. 211) Section 28(1).
6. Lifts and Escalators (Safety) Ordinance (Cap. 327) Section 2(1) (in the definition of "Secretary").
7. Electricity Networks (Statutory Easements) Ordinance (Cap. 357) Sections 2 (in the definition of "approved scheme"), 3(1), 7(1) and 9(2), (3) and (4).
8. Western Harbour Crossing Ordinance (Cap. 436) Section 15(2).
9. Sewage Tunnels (Statutory Easements) Ordinance (Cap. 438) Section 2 (in the definition of "Secretary").
10. Registrar General (Establishment) (Transfer of Functions and Repeal) Ordinance (Cap. 439) Section 31.
11. Land Drainage Ordinance (Cap. 446) Section 2 (in the definition of "Secretary").
12. Land Survey Ordinance (Cap. 473) Section 2 (in the definition of "Secretary").
13. Tai Lam Tunnel and Yuen Long Approach Road Ordinance (Cap. 474) Section 15(2).
14. Land (Compulsory Sale for Redevelopment) Ordinance (Cap. 545) Section 12(1).

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Chief Secretary for Administration

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Explanatory Note

This Notice---

(a) declares a change in the titles of the Planning, Environment and Lands Bureau and the Secretary for Planning, Environment and Lands; and

(b) consequently amends references to those titles---

(i) in certain enactments; and

(ii) wherever occurring in any instrument, contract or legal proceedings made or commenced before 1 January 2000.