#### **Protecting & Exploring Our Nature**

# An Overview of Environmental Conditions on Cable Car

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#### Overview ( )

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J Environmental Planning ( )
J Environmental Protection ( )
J The Beauty of Ngong Ping 360
  ( 360 )
J Responses to Comments ( )
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#### **Environmental Planning** (

- J In development since 1998
  - J 8 routes examined
- J Bi-cable system minimum nos. of towers
- J EIA
  - J Green Groups involved with EIA
  - J EIA endorsed by EPD, approved by ACE
  - J Vetted and endorsed by CMPB
  - J Environmental Permit conditions

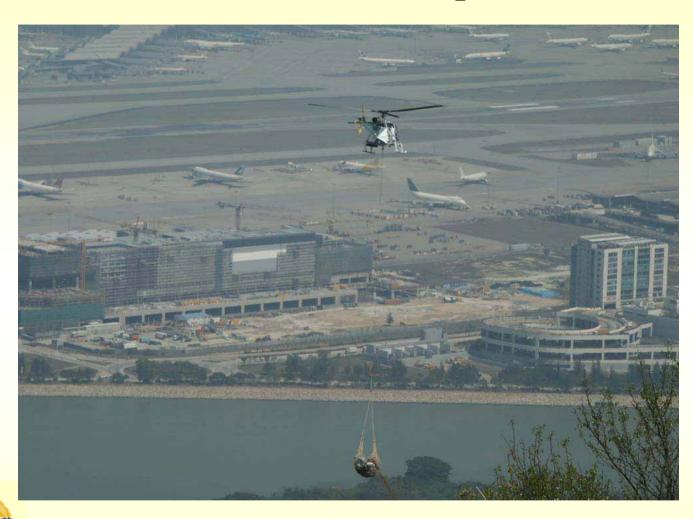
Independent public involvement – Sustainability Advisory Board (SAB)

#### **Environmental Protection** (

- J Helicopter flights, more than 16,000 trips
- J Mules to provide transport
- J Training of all staff
  - J More than 150,000 man hours of works
- J Lantau North Country Park extended
- J Environmental monitoring and audit
- J Erosion control at all sites

Trail kept open at all times

# **Material Delivery** (





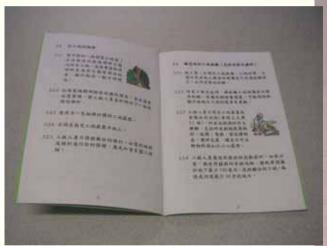
# **Material Delivery** (





**By Mules** 

# Training (





**Environmental Code of Practice** 

# **Erosion Control** (



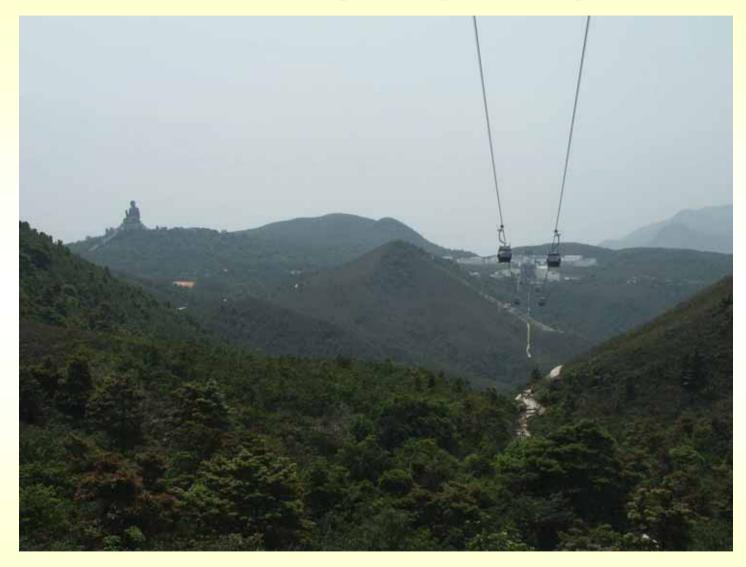


**Double bund wall at site perimeter** 





**Testing & Commissioning** 

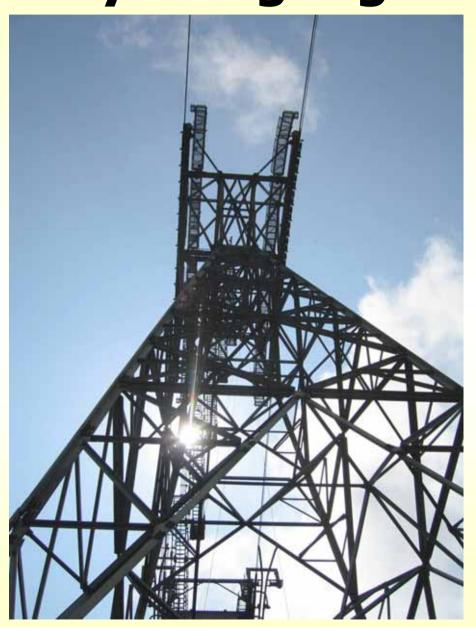








**Tower 6** 





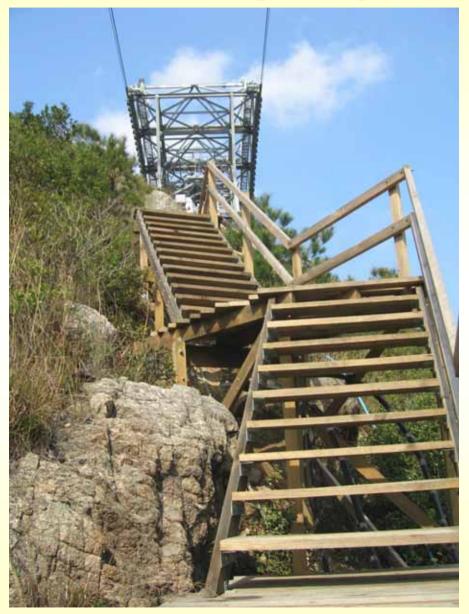
**Tower 5** 













**Tower 3** 





**Across the Sea Channel** 

## **Responses to Comments**





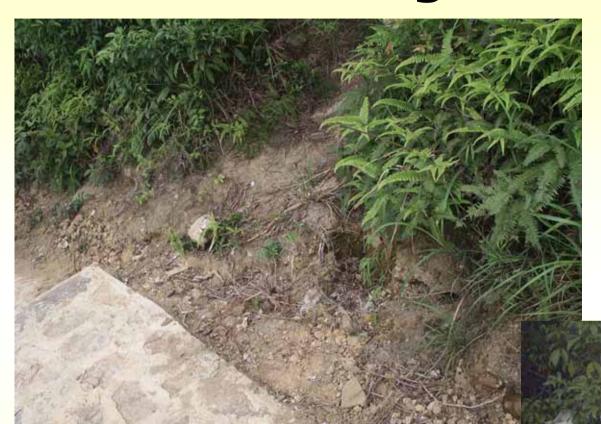






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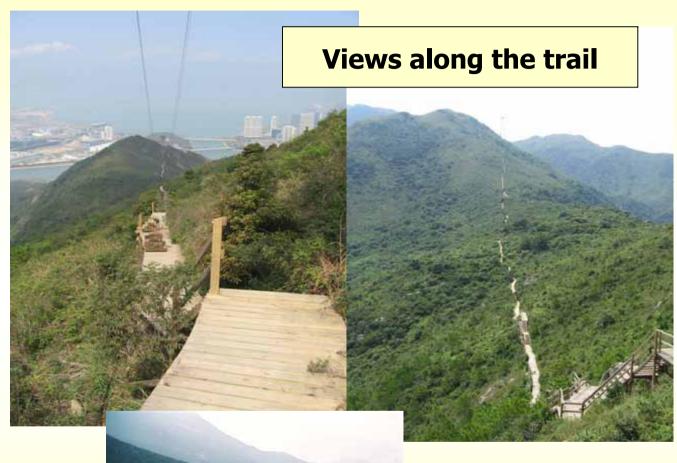


February 2006



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#### **Emergency Rescue Trail** (





**Sunset Peak, NOT the Cable Car** 

#### **Emergency Rescue Trail** (



# **Tree Trimming (**





**February 2006** 

# Mikania ( )



**April 2006** 



January 2006

#### Planting Programme ( )

- J Three hectares (~13,500 tree seedlings) at Nei Lak Shan
- J ~600 tree seedlings at Ngong Ping stream site
- J Landscaping ~2,000 seedlings at towers and angle station
- J Restitutive planting of species of conservation interest Ratio 2:1 (~200 to 250 seedlings)

J Native species only



#### Fire Prevention Strategy (

- J Prominent no-smoking signage
- J Specially trained staff



Signage inside all cabins

platform



**Additional** signage on platform

**Back pack** 

fire pumps

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#### Conclusion ( )

J Work undertaken with due respect

J No exceedance to limits or non-compliance

J No ground or water contamination

J Toxicology impact minimal



#### Conclusion ( )

J Albert Chan's proposals generally implemented

J Cable Car will expand eco-tourism



#### Summary ( )

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