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Country Parks and Special Areas (Amendment) Regulation 2011

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 26 of the Country Parks Ordinance (Cap. 208))

1. Commencement

This Regulation comes into operation on 10 February 2012.

2. Country Parks and Special Areas Regulations amended

The Country Parks and Special Areas Regulations (Cap. 208 sub. leg. A) are amended as set out in section 3.

3. Schedule 3 substituted

Schedule 3—

Repeal the Schedule Substitute

"Schedule 3

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Admission Fees for Entering Specified Zones

Hong Kong Wetland Park

1. Application

This Schedule sets out the admission fees for entering the Hong Kong Wetland Park (*the Park*).

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2. Admission fee for a person

Subject to sections 3 and 4, the admission fee for entering the Park by a person who falls within a description specified in column 1 of the table below and makes a purchase of a kind in a subcolumn of column 2 of the table is the amount specified in that subcolumn opposite to the description.

	(Col	umn 1)	(Column 2)								
	Desc	ription	Kind of entry pass								
			(Subcolumn 1)	(Subcolumn 2)	(Subcolumn 3)						
			Single entry pass	Pass for an unlimited number of entries within 6 months	Pass for an unlimited number of entries within 1 year						
1.	Λη	erson who	\$15	\$25	\$50						
1.	is—	cison who	\$13	\$23	\$50						
	(a)	aged 3 or above, but below 18;									
	(b)	aged 3 or above and a full-time student;									
	(c)	aged 65 or above; or									
	(d)	aged 3 or above and a PWD.									

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	(Column 1)	(Column 2)								
	Description	Kind of entry pass								
		(Subcolumn 1)	(Subcolumn 2)	(Subcolumn 3)						
		G'14	Pass for an unlimited number of	Pass for an unlimited number of						
		Single entry pass	entries within 6 months	entries within 1 year						
2.	A person who is an accompanying carer of a PWD.	\$15	Not applicable	Not applicable						
3.	Any other person who is aged 18 or above.	\$30	\$50	\$100						

3. Admission fee for single entry as a person within a group

(1) The admission fee for a single entry into the Park by a person who falls within a description specified in column 1 of the table below and enters the Park as part of a group of the size specified in a subcolumn in column 2 of the table is the amount specified in that subcolumn opposite to the description.

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(Column 1)	(Column 2)									
Description	Fee per person in a group of the size specified									
	(Sub- column 1)	(Sub-column 2)	(Sub-column 3)	(Sub- column 4)						
	Group of 10 to 19 persons	Group of 20 to 29 persons	Group of 30 to 49 persons	Group of 50 or more persons						
1. A person who is—	\$13.5	\$12.7	\$12	\$10.5						
(a) aged 3 or above, but below 18;										
(b) aged 3 or above and a full-time student;										
(c) aged 65 or above; or										
(d) aged 3 or above and a PWD.										
2. A person who is an accompanying carer of a PWD.	\$13.5	\$12.7	\$12	\$10.5						
3. Any other person who is aged 18 or above.	\$27	\$25.5	\$24	\$21						

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(2) Subsection (1) applies only if the aggregate of the admission fees for all persons within the group is paid in full in one lump sum.

4. Admission fee for unlimited number of entries as a family

- (1) The admission fee paid by way of purchase of a family pass for an unlimited number of entries into the Park within the period of 1 year is \$200.
- (2) The family pass referred to in subsection (1) may only be issued to and used by a group of not more than 4 persons each aged 3 or above where a person in the group is the parent, step-parent or adoptive parent of another person in the group, and each of the remaining persons in the group is the spouse, child, stepchild or adopted child of the first-mentioned person.

5. No admission fee for person aged below 3

No admission fee is payable for entering the Park by a person aged below 3.

6. Meaning of PWD and accompanying carer

- (1) For the purposes of this Schedule—
 - (a) a PWD is a person who—
 - (i) holds a valid Registration Card for People with Disabilities; or
 - (ii) is accepted as a PWD by the Authority or any authorized officer under subsection (2);
 - (b) an accompanying carer of a PWD is a person identified by the PWD as such under subsection (3).

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(2) For the purposes of subsection (1)(a)(ii), the Authority or any authorized officer may accept a person as a PWD if, on the person's production of a certificate by a medical practitioner or other evidence, the Authority or the officer is satisfied that the person meets the criteria relating to disability set for the issue of a Registration Card for People with Disabilities by the Central Registry for Rehabilitation.

- (3) For the purposes of subsection (1)(b), a PWD may, on entering the Park, identify no more than one person as the accompanying carer of the PWD who will accompany the PWD to enter the Park and will provide care to the PWD while in the Park.
- (4) In this section—

Central Registry for Rehabilitation (康復服務中央檔案室) means the registry of that name established by the Government;

Registration Card for People with Disabilities (殘疾人士登記 證) means a card that is described as such and is issued by the Central Registry for Rehabilitation.".

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Explanatory Note Paragraph 1

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Explanatory Note

This Regulation replaces Schedule 3 to the Country Parks and Special Areas Regulations (Cap. 208 sub. leg. A) to provide that people with disabilities and their accompanying carers enjoy concessionary fee for admission into the Hong Kong Wetland Park.