LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL BRIEF

PUBLIC HEALTH AND MUNICIPAL SERVICES DESIGNATION OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

INTRODUCTION

The Director of Leisure and Cultural Services, in her capacity as the Authority ("Authority") under the Public Health and Municipal Services Ordinance Cap.132 ("the Ordinance"), manages and controls the libraries listed in the Schedule to the Designation of Libraries Order (Cap.132 sub. leg. O). Under Section 105K of the Ordinance, the Authority may, by order published in the Gazette, designate any building, or part of a building, as a library.

2. We propose to amend the Schedule to the Designation of Libraries Order (Cap. 132 sub. leg. O) as follows:

By repealing everything after "Offices," in item 50 -

"50. The part of the 5th floor of the Sai Kung Government Offices, Sai Kung (G.L.A. DS9), hatched red on the sketch plan dated 10 December 1984, signed by the Director of Urban Services and deposited in the Sai Kung District Office of the Leisure and Cultural Services Department."

and substituting -

"The part of the 5th floor of the Sai Kung Government Offices, 34 Chan Man Street, Sai Kung, shown in pink on the floor plan numbered SKM8395, signed by the Director of Leisure and Cultural Services on 26 June 2013 and deposited in the Hong Kong Central Library."

JUSTIFICATIONS

3. The Sai Kung Public Library is located at 5/F, Sai Kung Government Offices, 34 Ching Man Street, Sai Kung. To meet its operational needs, the library has recently been expanded by incorporating the adjourning area after

removal of the Sai Kung District Leisure Services Office of this Department. The amendment to the Schedule to the Designation of Libraries Order as proposed above shall come into operation on 15 November 2013. The proposal to designate the new premises as a library will enable the Authority to enforce the relevant regulations on its expansion to the adjacent premises for proper management.

AMENDMENT OF SCHEDULE TO THE DESIGNATION OF LIBRARIES ORDER (Cap. 132 sub. leg. O)

4. The Order at <u>Annex A</u> amends the Schedule to the Designation of Libraries Order to update the list of public libraries.

LEGISLATIVE TIMETABLE

5. The legislative timetable is as follows –

Publication in the Gazette 12 July 2013
Tabling at the Legislative Council 17 July 2013
for negative vetting

PUBLIC CONSULTATION AND PUBLICITY

6. Sai Kung District Council supported the expansion of the Sai Kung Public Library. The designation of the library premises as a library in the Schedule of the Ordinance will be published in the Gazette.

ENQUIRY

7. Please contact Mr. YM LEE, Assistant Director (Libraries & Development), at 2601 8945 for enquiries on this subject.

Leisure and Cultural Services Department

5 July 2013

Designation of Libraries (Amendment) (No. 4) Order 2013

(Made by the Director of Leisure and Cultural Services under section 105K of the Public Health and Municipal Services Ordinance (Cap. 132))

1. Commencement

This Order comes into operation on 15 November 2013.

2. Designation of Libraries Order amended

The Designation of Libraries Order (Cap. 132 sub. leg. O) is amended as set out in section 3.

3. Schedule amended

The Schedule, item 50—

Repeal

everything after "Offices,"

Substitute

"34 Chan Man Street, Sai Kung, shown in pink on the floor plan numbered SKM8395, signed by the Director of Leisure and Cultural Services on 26 June 2013 and deposited in the Hong Kong Central Library.".

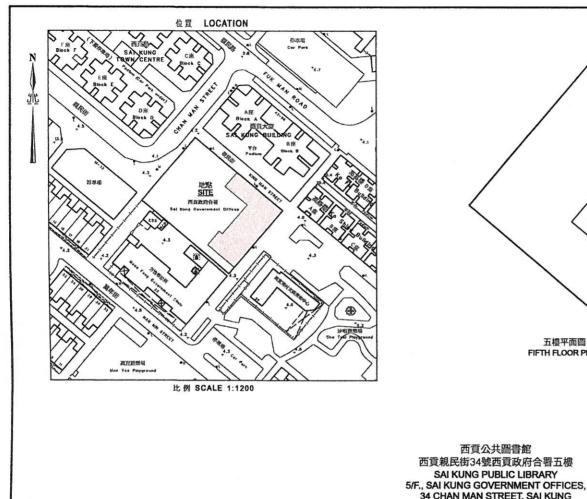
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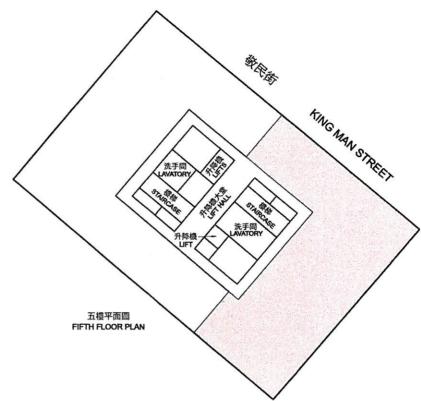
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2 July 2013

Explanatory Note

This Order amends the designation of the library in the Sai Kung Government Offices on its expansion to the adjacent premises. The management and control of the library is vested in the Director of Leisure and Cultural Services according to the Public Health and Municipal Services Ordinance (Cap. 132).





34 CHAN MAN STREET, SAI KUNG

Director of Leisure and Cultural Services

以粉紅色標示的面積約為 643 平方米 COLOURED PINK AREA 643 SQUARE METRES (ABOUT)

26 June 2013

比例尺 SCALE 1:400

國際由西頁遊園直接 Plan Prepared by District Survey Office, Sai Kung Survey and Mapping Office, Lands Department

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