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Dear Sir / Madam,

**Legislative Council**  
**Panel on Environmental Affairs**  
**Expansion of Hong Kong International Airport (HKIA) into a Three-Runway System (3RS) and its Related Impacts on the Environment**

We write with reference to the meeting to be held by the Panel on Environmental Affairs on Tuesday, 6 January 2015 to receive views from the public on the 3RS project at HKIA. Nixon Cleaning Company Limited (Nixon) would like to give its views on this strategically important project.

In a previous submission to the Legislative Council, Nixon expressed its support for the 3RS project because expansion of HKIA is very important for maintaining Hong Kong's economic competitiveness as well as ensuring HKIA retains its status as a leading regional and global hub for passenger and cargo traffic.

Further, we also stressed that the 3RS project will bring broad and critical economic benefits to Hong Kong including: (1) more employment across a range of different sectors; and (2) deepened connectivity with regional and global economies, which will further enhance competitiveness. These benefits will help drive Hong Kong's GDP growth into the future.

However, it is important that the 3RS project should also strike a sustainable balance between generating economic benefits and protecting our environment now and for future generations. In this connection, we note the Airport Authority Hong Kong (AAHK) did propose a series of measures to mitigate the environmental impact of the 3RS project in its Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) report. Further, AAHK also took on board 18 additional measures recommended to it by the Advisory Council on the Environment (ACE) to further strengthen environmental protection for this project before the EIA was approved on 7 November 2014 by the Environmental Protection Department.



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Nixon is of the view that the 3RS project will strike a sustainable balance between economic development and the environment. This is, inter alia, reflected in the project's adoption of additional measures proposed by ACE and the considerable effort by AAHK to solicit feedback from various non governmental organisations and the community.

Accordingly, Nixon firmly supports the 3RS project as its development will preserve and ultimately enhance Hong Kong's competitiveness in a highly competitive and interdependent global economy. Moreover, the 3RS will cement HKIA's position as a highly efficient airport that people and businesses will continue to prefer to use not only now but also well into the future.

Nixon appreciates this opportunity to share its perspective on this project with the objective of making a sustainable contribution to the economic well-being of Hong Kong.

Yours faithfully,  
For and on behalf of  
Nixon Cleaning Co. Ltd.

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