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**Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance
(Amendment of Schedule 6) Order 2022**

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 62(3) of the Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance (Cap. 1))

1. Commencement

This Order comes into operation on 1 July 2022.

2. Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance amended

The Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance (Cap. 1) is amended as set out in section 3.

3. Schedule 6 amended (public officers)

(1) Schedule 6, after item “Secretary for Justice”—

Add

“Deputy Chief Secretary for Administration

Deputy Financial Secretary

Deputy Secretary for Justice”.

(2) Schedule 6, after item “Secretary for Constitutional and Mainland Affairs”—

Add

“Secretary for Culture, Sports and Tourism”.

(3) Schedule 6, item “Secretary for the Environment”—

Repeal

“the Environment”

Substitute

Section 3

“Environment and Ecology”.

- (4) Schedule 6, item “Secretary for Food and Health”—

Repeal

“Food and Health”

Substitute

“Health”.

- (5) Schedule 6, item “Secretary for Home Affairs”—

Repeal

“Affairs”

Substitute

“and Youth Affairs”.

- (6) Schedule 6, before item “Secretary for Innovation and Technology”—

Add

“Secretary for Housing”.

- (7) Schedule 6, item “Secretary for Innovation and Technology”—

Repeal

“Innovation and Technology”

Substitute

“Innovation, Technology and Industry”.

- (8) Schedule 6, item “Secretary for Transport and Housing”—

Repeal

“Housing”

Substitute

“Logistics”.

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Explanatory Note

Schedule 6 to the Interpretation and General Clauses Ordinance (Cap. 1) contains a list of public officers who are empowered to signify the exercise of statutory powers and the performance of statutory duties by the Chief Executive.

2. This Order amends that Schedule—
- (a) to add “Deputy Chief Secretary for Administration”, “Deputy Financial Secretary”, “Deputy Secretary for Justice” and “Secretary for Culture, Sports and Tourism” to the list;
 - (b) to replace “Secretary for the Environment” in the list with “Secretary for Environment and Ecology”;
 - (c) to replace “Secretary for Food and Health” in the list with “Secretary for Health”;
 - (d) to replace “Secretary for Home Affairs” in the list with “Secretary for Home and Youth Affairs”;
 - (e) to replace “Secretary for Innovation and Technology” in the list with “Secretary for Innovation, Technology and Industry”; and
 - (f) to replace “Secretary for Transport and Housing” in the list with “Secretary for Transport and Logistics” and “Secretary for Housing”.