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25 September 2009

Chartered Institute of Housing Room 2709-11, Shui On Centre, Nos 6-8 Harbour Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong. (Attn.: The Chairman)

Dear Sir/Madam,

# First Stage Public Engagement Exercise for the Review and Development of Marine Water Quality Objectives

The Environmental Protection Department (EPD) is inviting the community to offer views on the Review and Development of Marine Water Quality Objectives (WQOs). The First Stage Public Engagement Document that we issued today is enclosed for your information.

WQOs specify the water quality that should be achieved and maintained in order to promote the conservation and best use of our waters in the public interest. The aim of our review is to develop revised sets of WQOs that will serve as the objective and scientific basis for planning our environmental protection programmes and initiatives.

The public engagement exercise will proceed in two stages. In the first stage, we wish to gather views on the key issues to be addressed and the proposed approaches and methodologies to be adopted in the review and development of marine WQOs. The public will be further consulted on our proposals towards the end of the review.

We have uploaded the Public Engagement Document and the Technical Note to http://www.epd.gov.hk/epd/wqo\_review/. This dedicated website also features a wide range of information including water quality data, the various examples of beneficial uses and overseas practices.

You are cordially invited to forward your views and comments to us by <u>31 December</u> <u>2009</u> by the following means :

By post

33/F Revenue Tower

5 Gloucester Road

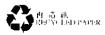
Wan Chai

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By email:

wqo review@epd.gov.hk



A public seminar will also be held on 31 October 2009 (Saturday) to gather public views. Your assistance is kindly sought to circulate the documents and encourage your members to participate in the public seminar. Please refer to the enclosed registration form for details and return to us by 28 October 2009 if you or your colleagues wish to attend.

We look forward to receiving your valuable views on the exercise.

Yours sincerely,

(Elvis WK AU)

Assistant Director (Water Policy) for Director of Environmental Protection

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檢討與制定海水水質指標:第一階段公眾諮詢

環境保護署(環保署)正檢討與制定海水水質指標,並誠邀公眾提出意見。現

附上我們於今天發表的第一階段公眾諮詢文件,以供參考。

水質指標訂明本港水域應達致與保持的水質,旨在保護水域及促進最佳運用,

以符合公眾利益。這項檢討的目的是修訂現有的海水水質指標,作爲規劃各項環境

保護綱領和措施時的客觀及科學基礎。

我們將分兩階段徵詢公眾意見。在第一階段,我們期望就檢討與制定海水水質

指標的主要事項及擬採用的原則和方法,蒐集公眾意見。我們將於檢討後期就相關

建議進一步諮詢公眾。

公 聚 諮 詢 文 件 及 技 術 摘 要 均 可 於 環 保 署 專 題 網 頁 下 載 , 網 址 爲 :

http://www.epd.gov.hk/epd/wgo review/。專題網頁亦提供一系列相關資訊,包括水質

數據、實益用途例子及海外做法。

現誠邀你於 2009 年 12 月 31 日或之前,透過以下方式提出意見及建議:

郵遞

: 灣仔告士打道 5 號

稅務大樓 33 樓

傳真

: 2838 2155

電郵

: wqo review@epd.gov.hk



我們亦訂於 2009 年 10 月 31 日(星期六)舉辦公眾研討會,以收集公眾意見。 謹請傳閱有關文件,並鼓勵 貴會會員踴躍參加,詳情請參見隨函附上的登記表格。 如你或 貴會會員有意出席研討會,請於 2009 年 10 月 28 日或之前將登記表格交回 環保署。

我們期望收到你對檢討與制定海水水質指標的寶貴意見。有勞之處, 謹此致謝。

## 環境保護署署長

(助理署長(水質政策) 區偉光 代行)

連附件

二零零九年九月二十五日



#### Registration Form for Public Seminar 公眾研討會 登記表格

#### 公眾研討會 Public Seminar

會場 Venue:

禮頓山 社區會堂

Leighton Hill Community Hall

地址 Address:

香港 跑馬地 黃泥涌道 133 號

133 Wong Nai Chung Road, Happy Valley, Hong Kong

日期 Date:

2009年10月31日(星期六)

31 October 2009 (Saturday)

時間 Time:

上午10時至中午12時

10 am - 12 noon

語言 Language:

英語及廣東話(將提供即時傳譯服務)

English and Cantonese (simultaneous interpretation will be provided)

### 登記 Registration

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請填妥此表格並於 2009 年 10 月 28 日或之前,電郵 / 傳真 / 郵寄 至環境保護署:

Please complete the Registration Form and send it to us by e-mail / fax / post on or before 28 October 2009:

電郵 E-mail: wgo review@epd.gov.hk

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#### 郵寄地址 Mailing Address:

海水水質指標檢討

**WQO** Review

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**Environmental Protection Department** Water Policy and Science Group

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# 公眾研討會會場的位置

Location of the Venue of the Public Seminar

