

# The Hong Kong Institute of Facility Management

(in Collaboration with HKU SPACE) 2012 CPD Talk (CPD120504)

### Venue:

HKU SPACE Centre (Rm xxx) HKU SPACE Po Leung Kuk Community College (HPCC) Campus 66 Leighton Road Causeway Bay, HK

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**Programme:**CPD Talk

CPD hour: Two (2) points

Fee: Free of Charge

**Relevant Core Competencies:** 

(1) Mtce & Operations Mgt(2) Project & Contract Mgt

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**CPD Technical Visit (CPD120504)** 

Topic: CPD Series on FM related Statutory Requirements and Code of Practices #1

- Introduction of Minor Works Control System (MWCS)

Date: 4th May 2012 (Friday) Time: 1900hr - 2100hr

Speaker: Ms. Emy WONG, Structural Engineer, Buildings Department

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#### Abstract / Content:

### **Introduction of Minor Works Control System**

The CPD talk will give an instruction of Minor Works Control System (MWCS). This is relevant to FM professionals and practitioners involved in minor works.

The Minor Works Control System (MWCS) has been fully implemented on 31 December 2010. In order not to violate the legal requirements of the new system, any member of the public intending to carry out minor works should employ prescribed building professionals (PBP) and/or prescribed registered contractors (PRC) to do so.

The MWCS introduces a new category of building works, a total of 118 items of building works have been included as minor works subject to the control under the MWCS. The size, location and respective criteria of each item of minor works are set out in the Building (Minor Works) Regulation. These minor works are classified into three classes according to their scale, complexity and risk to safety:

Class I (total of 40 items) includes mainly those relatively more complicated minor works Class II (total of 40 items) comprises those of comparatively lower complexity and risk to safety Class III (total of 38 items) mainly includes common household minor works

The carrying out of minor works can be commenced through the Simplified Requirements of the MWCS, without the need to obtain prior approval of plans and consent in writing for the commencement of the works from the Building Authority. Any person, whether the owners themselves or their agents (for example the design company), is required to appoint Prescribed Building Professionals (PBP)/Prescribed Registered Contractors (PRC) to carry out the minor works.

The MWCS also introduced 15 items of "Designated Exempted Works", of which their complexity and risk to safety are lower than that of the minor works. In accordance with the Buildings Ordinance, the "Designated Exempted Works" may be commenced without prior approval of plans and consent for commencement of works from the Buildings Department, and without the need to appoint Authorized Persons and registered contractors for the carrying out of the works.

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