

MARINE DEPARTMENT NOTICE NO. 60/2023

(Marine Works)

Submarine Cable Laying Operations from Lantau Island to Peng Chau

With immediate effect and for a period of approximately three months, submarine cable laying operations will be carried out along the following co-ordinates (WGS 84 Datum) from (A) to (G):

(A)	22° 17.551'N	114° 01.145'E
(B)	22° 17.546'N	114° 01.165'E
(C)	22° 17.528'N	114° 01.284'E
(D)	22° 17.356'N	114° 01.619'E
(E)	22° 17.373'N	114° 01.776'E
(F)	22° 17.380'N	114° 01.806'E
(G)	22° 17.351'N	114° 01.910'E

2. The works will be carried out by one cable laying barge. Two tugboats, two guard boats and one work boat will provide assistance. The number of vessels engaged in the works will change from time to time to suit operational requirements. Vessels engaged in the works will display signals as prescribed in international and local regulations.

3 A working area of approximately 50 metres around the cable laying barge will be established. Yellow marker buoys fitted with yellow flashing lights will be laid to mark the positions of the anchors extending from the cable laying barge.

4. The hours of work will be from 0700 to 1900 hours. No works will be carried out on Sundays and public holidays. Vessels employed for the works will not stay in the works area outside the hours of work.

5. Diving operations will be carried out from time to time during the hours of work.

6. Vessels navigating in the vicinity should proceed with caution and keep clear of the works area at slow speed, bearing in mind there are divers working in the area.

7. A drawing showing the alignment of the cable is attached to this Notice. This Notice is an extension of Marine Department Notice No. 227/2022.

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