## **MARINE DEPARTMENT NOTICE NO. 147/2023**

(Marine Works)

## Submarine Outfall Construction Works at Po Toi O

With immediate effect and for a period of approximately 18 months, submarine outfall construction works will be carried out within the area bounded by straight lines joining the following co-ordinates (WGS 84 Datum) from (A) to (L) and the adjacent shoreline:

(A)	22° 16.622'N	114° 17.811'E
(B)	22° 16.623'N	114° 17.811'E
(C)	22° 16.625'N	114° 17.815'E
(D)	22° 16.824'N	114° 17.815'E
(E)	22° 16.824'N	114° 17.809'E
(F)	22° 16.844'N	114° 17.809'E
(G)	22° 16.844'N	114° 17.827'E
(H)	22° 16.824'N	114° 17.827'E
(I)	22° 16.824'N	114° 17.821'E
(J)	22° 16.630'N	114° 17.821'E
(K)	22° 16.627'N	114° 17.823'E
(L)	22° 16.628'N	114° 17.831'E

- 2. The works will be carried out by three dumb lighters and one hopper barge. Two tugs 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 30 metres around each lighter and 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 lighters and barge.
- 4. A slit curtain, extending from the sea surface to the sea bed, will be established within the works area. The silt curtain is a large piece of netting used to contain mud and sediments. Yellow marker buoys fitted with yellow flashing lights will be laid to mark the extent of the silt curtain.

- 5. 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 stay in the works area outside the hours of work.
- 6. Diving operations will be carried out from time to time during the hours of work.
- 7. 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.
- 8. A drawing showing the works area is attached to this Notice. This Notice supersedes Marine Department Notice No. 170/2022.

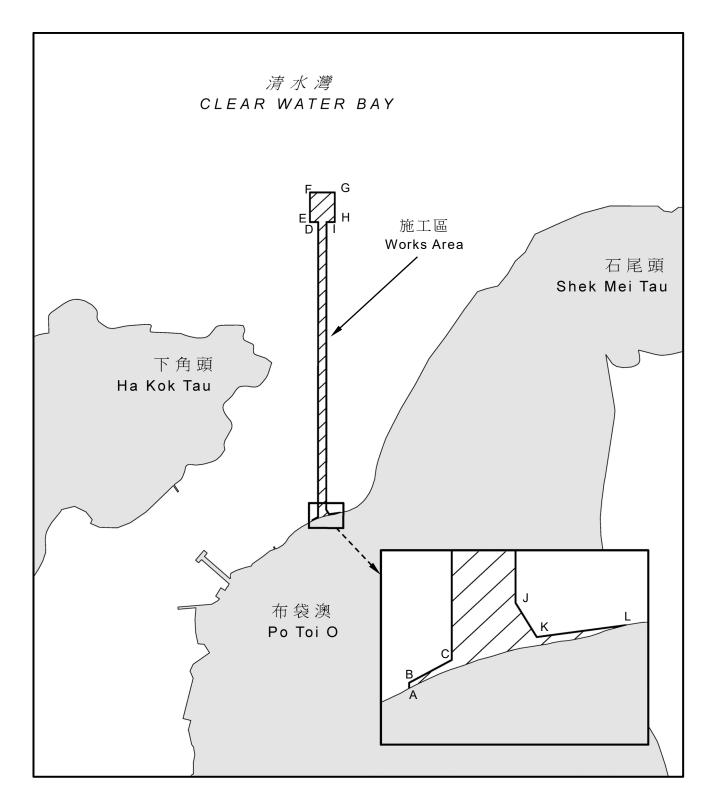
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