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## **INVESTIGATION REPORT ON**

#### ACTION AND LIMIT LEVEL NON-COMPLIANCE

## FOR

## **CONTRACT NO. HY/2013/03**

Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and **Ancillary Buildings and Facilities** 

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#### NON-COMPLIANCE INVESTIGATION REPORT No.: 0165-15-IR004

#### 1. Project Details

Contract No.: HY/2013/03

Contract Title: Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and Ancillary Buildings and Facilities

Project Proponent: Highways Department

Main Contractor: China Harbour Engineering Co. Ltd.

#### 2. Details of Non-compliance

Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170901DO\_v1) was forwarded by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 on 27 September 2017:

Monitoring Date: 1 September 2017

The Action and Limit Levels of dissolved oxygen (DO) at determined from baseline monitoring data are listed below:

Monitoring Parameter	Action Level (mg/L)	Limit Level (mg/L)
Surface and Middle	5.0	4.2 (except 5 mg/L for FCZ)
Bottom	4.7	3.6

Measured Level: Mid-flood tide

Parameter	Station	Depth	Measured at mid- ebb tide (mg/L)	Measured at mid- flood tide (mg/L)
DO	IS5	Bottom	4.4	4.4
DO	IS10(N)	Bottom	4.5	4.5
DO	IS(Mf)11	Bottom	4.6	4.5
DO	IS17	Bottom	4.5	5.2
DO	SR5(N)	Bottom	4.5	4.7

**Bold** means AL exceedance.

Monitoring was undertaken by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF. The Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170901DO\_v1) provided by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF is shown in **Appendix A**.

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#### 3. Investigation of Non-compliance

#### Summary of Investigation

As confirmed with Mr. Marko Chan, Environmental Officer, and operation team of Contract No. HY/2013/03, there was marine transportation on the date of exceedance. Regarding marine transportation, the vessels was sized to make sure adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash. Regarding marine-based works in Box Culvert B, the work undertaken in the current stage is the preparation work of precast installation which was suspended on the date of exceedance due to safety issues. But silt curtain was still maintained to enclose the work area of the outlet of the box culvert fully. All sea water flow into the work area of box culvert B will be treated by desilting facilities before discharge in accordance with the discharge license approved by EPD for Contract No. HY/2013/03. It was unlikely to consume any dissolved oxygen to cause the DO exceedances recorded at the concerned WQM stations during mid-flood and mid-ebb tide on 1 September 2017.

The location of the WQM station where exceedances were recorded and all relevant WQM stations are shown in **Figure 1** and the location of marine-based construction works are shown in **Figure 2**.

#### Investigation Results

The ET of Contract No. HY/2013/03 concluded that the captioned exceedance was not related to the construction site activities of the contract. Nevertheless, the Contractor had been reminded to comply with the requirements stipulated in the Environmental Mitigation Implementation Schedule (EMIS) of the EM&A Manual, in particular:

• Water Quality:

W1-

- 1. Barges and hopper dredgers shall have tight fitting seals to their bottom openings to prevent leakage of material;
- 2. Any pipe leakages shall be repaired quickly. Plant should not be operated with leaking pipes;
- 3. Loading of barges and hoppers shall be controlled to prevent splashing of dredged material to the surrounding water. Barges or hoppers shall not be filled to a level which will cause overflow of materials or pollution of water during loading or transportation;
- 4. Excess material shall be cleaned from the decks and exposed fittings of barges and hopper dredgers before the vessel is moved;
- 5. Adequate freeboard shall be maintained on barges to reduce the likelihood of decks being washed by wave action; and
- 6. All vessels shall be sized such that adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash.

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#### 4. Follow up Status (Exceedance)

During weekly site audit on 31 August, 8 and 14 September 2017, ET confirmed the Contractor had provided workable and effective water quality mitigation measures.

#### 5. Recommendation to the Contractor

The Contractor was reminded to continue to fully maintain all water quality mitigation measures.

#### 6. Follow up Status (Overall)

The captioned exceedance was not related to the Contract and therefore, no additional follow-up action is needed. However, ET proposed recommendations to Contractor in particular to the following aspects when there are marine construction activities.

Water Quality:

- Barges and hopper dredgers shall have tight fitting seals to their bottom openings to prevent leakage of material;
- Any pipe leakages shall be repaired quickly. Plant should not be operated with leaking pipes;
- Loading of barges and hoppers shall be controlled to prevent splashing of dredged material to the surrounding water. Barges or hoppers shall not be filled to a level which will cause overflow of materials or pollution of water during loading or transportation;
- Excess material shall be cleaned from the decks and exposed fittings of barges and hopper dredgers before the vessel is moved;
- Adequate freeboard shall be maintained on barges to reduce the likelihood of decks being washed by wave action; and
- All vessels shall be sized such that adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash.

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Figure 1

The Location of WQM Stations







IMPACT STATIONS



CONTROL / FAR FIELD STATIONS

SENSITIVE RECEIVERS STATIONS

## FIGURE 4.1- LOCATION OF WATER QUALITY MONITORING STATIONS

## SETTING OUT SCHEDULE

MONITORING	CO-OR	CO-ORDINATES			
STATIONS	EASTING	NORTHING			
1\$5	811579	817106			
IS(Mf)6	812101	817873			
IS7	812244	818777			
IS8	814251	818412			
IS(Mf)9	813273	818850			
IS10	812577	820670			
IS10(N)	812942	820455			
IS(Mf)11	813562	820716			
IS(Mf)16	814328	819497			
IS17	814539	820391			
SR3	810525	816456			
SR4(N)	814705	817859			
SR5	811489	820455			
SR 5(N)	812569	821475			
SR6	805837	821818			
SR7	814293	821431			
SR10A	823741	823495			
SR10B(N)	823683	820881			
CS(Mf)3	809989	821117			
CS(Mf)3(N)	808814	822355			
CS(Mf)5	817990	821129			
CS4	810025	824004			
CS6	817028	823992			
CSA	818103	823064			

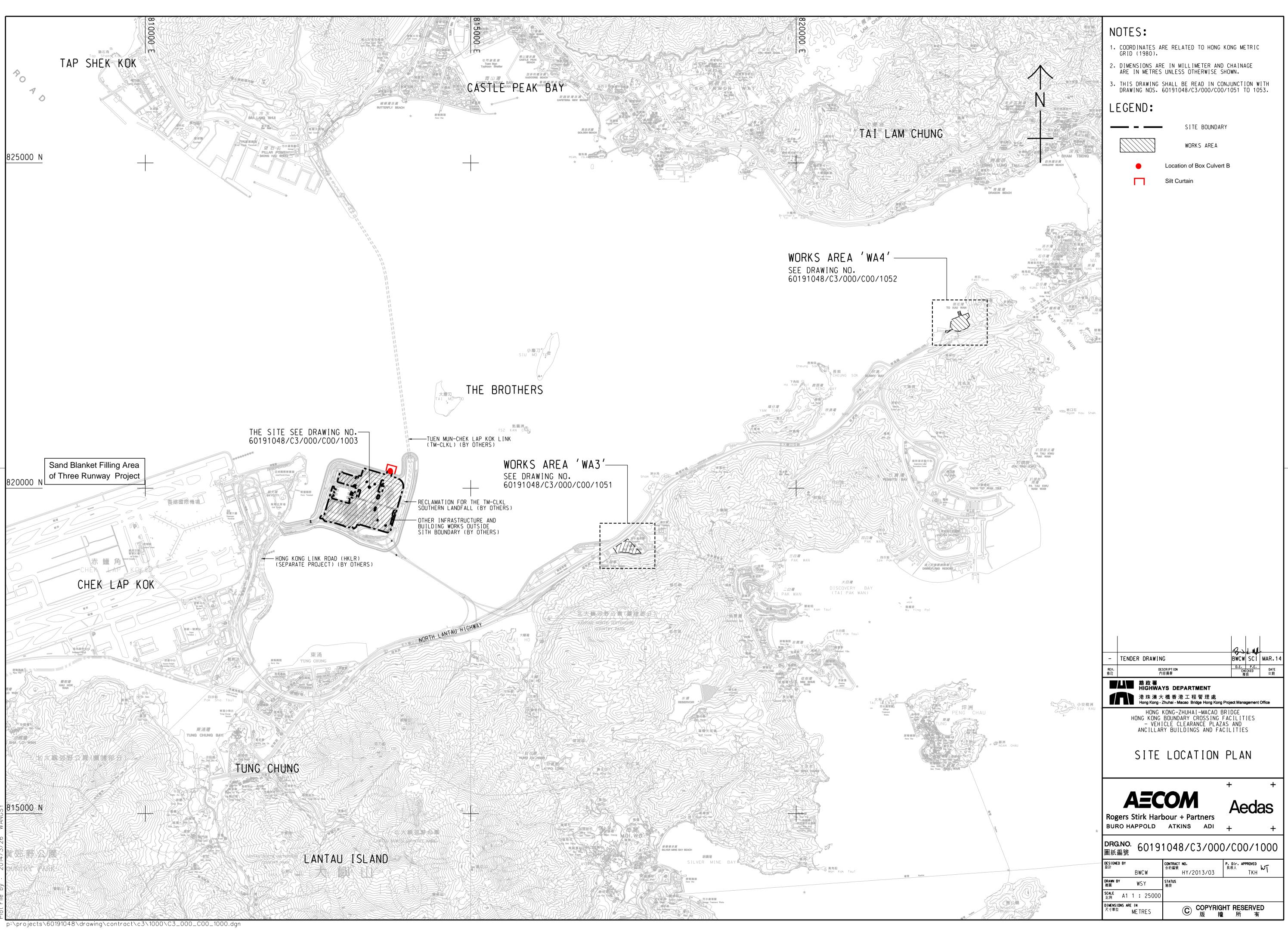
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Figure 2

## The Locations of Marine Transportation and Marine-based Construction Works



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Appendix A

Notification of Limit Level Exceedance (20170901DO\_v1)

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Hong Kor	No. HY/2013/0 ng- Zhuhai- M ng Boundary (	acao Bridg	je acilities – Passenge	er Clearance Buildin	g		
Notificati	ons of Enviro	nmental Q	uality Limits Exceed	ances		Notificatio	on No.: 20170901DO_v1
Date of N	otification: 5	September	2017				
Works In Septembe		a collected f	rom water sampling v	works on 1 Septembe	er 2017 and the	e results we	re issued on 4
Monitorin	ng Location: V	Vater Qualit	y Monitoring Station				
Paramete	er: Dissolved C	xygen (DO	)/ Suspended Solid (S	SS)/ Turbidity (TURB)	)		
Action &	Limit Level (A	L & LL) / N	leasured Level:				
PARAM	STATION	DEPTH	AL (mg/L)	LL (mg/L)	MEASUREI EBB TIDE		MEASURED AT MID- FLOOD TIDE (mg/L)
DO	IS5	Bottom	Surface and	Surface and Middle	4.	4	4.4
DO	IS10(N)	Bottom			4.	5	4.5
DO	IS(Mf)11	Bottom	5.0	4.2 (except 5	4.	6	4.5
DO	IS17	Bottom	Bottom	mg/L for FCZ) Bottom	4.	5	5.2
DO	SR5(N)	Bottom	4.7	3.6	4.	5	4.7
LL means Bold mea	Action Level. Limit Level. Ins AL exceeda Inderline me		eedances.				
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#### ACTION AND LIMIT LEVEL NON-COMPLIANCE

## FOR

## **CONTRACT NO. HY/2013/03**

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#### 1. Project Details

Contract No.: HY/2013/03

Contract Title: Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and Ancillary Buildings and Facilities

Project Proponent: Highways Department

Main Contractor: China Harbour Engineering Co. Ltd.

#### 2. Details of Non-compliance

Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170906DO\_TURB\_v3 & 20170906SS\_v1) were forwarded by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 on 26 September 2017 and 21 September 2017 respectively:

Monitoring Date: 6 September 2017

The Action and Limit Levels of dissolved oxygen (DO), turbidity and suspended solid (SS) at determined from baseline monitoring data are listed below:

Monitoring Parameter	Action Level (mg/L)	Limit Level (mg/L)
DO (Surface and Middle)	5.0	4.2 (except 5 mg/L for FCZ)
DO (Bottom)	4.7	3.6
Depth-averaged turbidity	27.5 and 120% (i.e. 17.6 for mid-ebb/18.7 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's turbidity at the same tide of the same day	47.0 and 130% (i.e. 19.0 for mid-ebb/20.2 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's turbidity at the same tide of the same day
SS	23.5 and 120% (i.e. 11.3 for mid-ebb /14.1 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's SS at the same tide of the same day	34.4 and 130% (i.e. 12.3 for mid-ebb/15.3 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's SS at the same tide of the same day and 10mg/L for WSD Seawater intakes

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Parameter Station		Depth	Measured at mid- ebb tide (mg/L)	Measured at mid- flood tide (mg/L)
	IS17	Bottom	4.6	4.9
	SR6	Surface & Middle	5.7	4.8
DO	SR10A	Surface & Middle	<u>4.9</u>	<u>4.6</u>
		Bottom	4.8	4.5
	SR10B(N)	Surface & Middle	<u>4.8</u>	<u>4.6</u>
		Bottom	4.8	4.5
Turbidity	Turbidity IS(Mf)11		14.6 NTU	27.9 NTU
	IS8	Dooth	8.1	26.4
SS	SR4(N)	Depth	9.4	25.3
	SR6	average	6.2	23.6

Notes:

Bold means AL exceedances

Bold with underline means LL exceedances Upstream control stations of mid-ebb tide: CS(Mf)3(N) and CS4 Upstream control stations of mid-flood tide: CS(Mf)5, CS6 and CSA

Monitoring was undertaken by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF. The Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170906DO\_TURB\_v3 & 20170906SS\_v1) provided by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF are shown in **Appendix A**.

#### 3. Investigation of Non-compliance

#### Summary of Investigation

As confirmed with Mr. Marko Chan, Environmental Officer, and operation team of Contract No. HY/2013/03, there was marine transportation on the date of exceedance. Regarding marine transportation, the vessels was sized to make sure adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash. For SS exceedance recorded at the WQM station IS8. SR4(N) and SR6, the concerned WQM stations where the exceedances were recorded were not close to the marine delivery route of Contract No. HY/2013/03, while there was no notification of exceedance received at the WQM stations closer to the marine delivery route, such as IS10(N). For turbidity exceedance recorded at the WQM station IS(Mf)11 closer to the marine delivery route, there was no turbidity exceedance recorded at WQM station IS10(N) which also close to the marine delivery route. Regarding marine-based works in Box Culvert B, the work undertaken at the date of exceedance was preparation work of precast installation which had a cofferdam to separate seawater and works area. Silt curtain was also maintained to enclose the work area of the outlet of the box culvert fully. All sea water flows into the work area of box culvert B will be treated by desilting facilities

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before discharge in accordance with the discharge license approved by EPD for Contract No. HY/2013/03. It was unlikely to consume any dissolved oxygen or generate suspended solid to cause the DO, turbidity and SS exceedances recorded at the concerned WQM stations during mid-flood and mid-ebb tide on 6 September 2017. Besides, the concerned WQM stations where DO and SS exceedances recorded were far away from the works areas (i.e. box Culvert B), while there was only Action Level exceedance of turbidity but no notification of exceedance of DO and SS received at the WQM stations closer to the works areas, such as IS(Mf)11. Therefore, the exceedances on 6 September 2017 was considered not related to construction site activities of Contract No. HY/2013/03.

The location of the WQM stations where exceedances were recorded and all relevant WQM stations are shown in **Figure 1** and the locations of marine-based construction works are shown in **Figure 2**.

#### Investigation Results

The ET of Contract No. HY/2013/03 concluded that the captioned exceedance was not related to the construction site activities of the contract. Nevertheless, the Contractor had been reminded to comply with the requirements stipulated in the Environmental Mitigation Implementation Schedule (EMIS) of the EM&A Manual, in particular:

• Water Quality:

W1-

- 1. barges and hopper dredgers shall have tight fitting seals to their bottom openings to prevent leakage of material;
- 2. any pipe leakages shall be repaired quickly. Plant should not be operated with leaking pipes;
- loading of barges and hoppers shall be controlled to prevent splashing of dredged material to the surrounding water. Barges or hoppers shall not be filled to a level which will cause overflow of materials or pollution of water during loading or transportation;
- 4. excess material shall be cleaned from the decks and exposed fittings of barges and hopper dredgers before the vessel is moved;
- 5. adequate freeboard shall be maintained on barges to reduce the likelihood of decks being washed by wave action; and
- 6. all vessels shall be sized such that adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash.

W2-

- 1. wastewater from temporary site facilities should be controlled to prevent direct discharge to surface or marine waters;
- storm drainage shall be directed to storm drains via adequately designed sand/silt removal facilities such as sand traps, silt traps and sediment basins. Channels, earth bunds or sand bag barriers should be provided on site to properly direct stormwater to such silt removal facilities. Catchpits and perimeter channels should be constructed in advance of site formation works and earthworks;

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- 3. silt removal facilities, channels and manholes shall be maintained and any deposited silt and grit shall be removed regularly, including specifically at the onset of and after each rainstorm;
- 4. rainwater pumped out from trenches or foundation excavations should be discharged into storm drains via silt removal facilities;
- 5. measures should be taken to prevent the washout of construction materials, soil, silt or debris into any drainage system;
- 6. open stockpiles of construction materials (e.g. aggregates and sand) on site should be covered with tarpaulin or similar fabric during rainstorms;
- 7. discharges of surface run-off into foul sewers must always be prevented in order not to unduly overload the foul sewerage system;
- 8. surface run-off from bunded areas should pass through oil/grease traps prior to discharge to the stormwater system.

#### 4. Follow up Status (Exceedance)

During weekly site audit on 25 and 31 August, 8 and 15 September 2017, ET confirmed the Contractor had provided workable and effective water quality mitigation measures.

#### 5. Recommendation to the Contractor

The Contractor was reminded to continue to fully maintain all water quality mitigation measures.

#### 6. Follow up Status (Overall)

The captioned exceedance was not related to the Contract and therefore, no additional follow-up action is needed. However, ET proposed recommendations to Contractor in particular to the following aspects when there are marine construction activities.

Water Quality:

- Barges and hopper dredgers shall have tight fitting seals to their bottom openings to prevent leakage of material;
- Any pipe leakages shall be repaired quickly. Plant should not be operated with leaking pipes;
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- Excess material shall be cleaned from the decks and exposed fittings of barges and hopper dredgers before the vessel is moved;
- Adequate freeboard shall be maintained on barges to reduce the likelihood of decks being washed by wave action; and
- All vessels shall be sized such that adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash.

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- measures should be taken to prevent the washout of construction materials, soil, silt or debris into any drainage system;
- open stockpiles of construction materials (e.g. aggregates and sand) on site should be covered with tarpaulin or similar fabric during rainstorms;
- discharges of surface run-off into foul sewers must always be prevented in order not to unduly overload the foul sewerage system;
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Figure 1

The Location of WQM Stations







IMPACT STATIONS



CONTROL / FAR FIELD STATIONS

SENSITIVE RECEIVERS STATIONS

## FIGURE 4.1- LOCATION OF WATER QUALITY MONITORING STATIONS

## SETTING OUT SCHEDULE

MONITORING	CO-OR	CO-ORDINATES			
STATIONS	EASTING	NORTHING			
1\$5	811579	817106			
IS(Mf)6	812101	817873			
IS7	812244	818777			
IS8	814251	818412			
IS(Mf)9	813273	818850			
IS10	812577	820670			
IS10(N)	812942	820455			
IS(Mf)11	813562	820716			
IS(Mf)16	814328	819497			
IS17	814539	820391			
SR3	810525	816456			
SR4(N)	814705	817859			
SR5	811489	820455			
SR 5(N)	812569	821475			
SR6	805837	821818			
SR7	814293	821431			
SR10A	823741	823495			
SR10B(N)	823683	820881			
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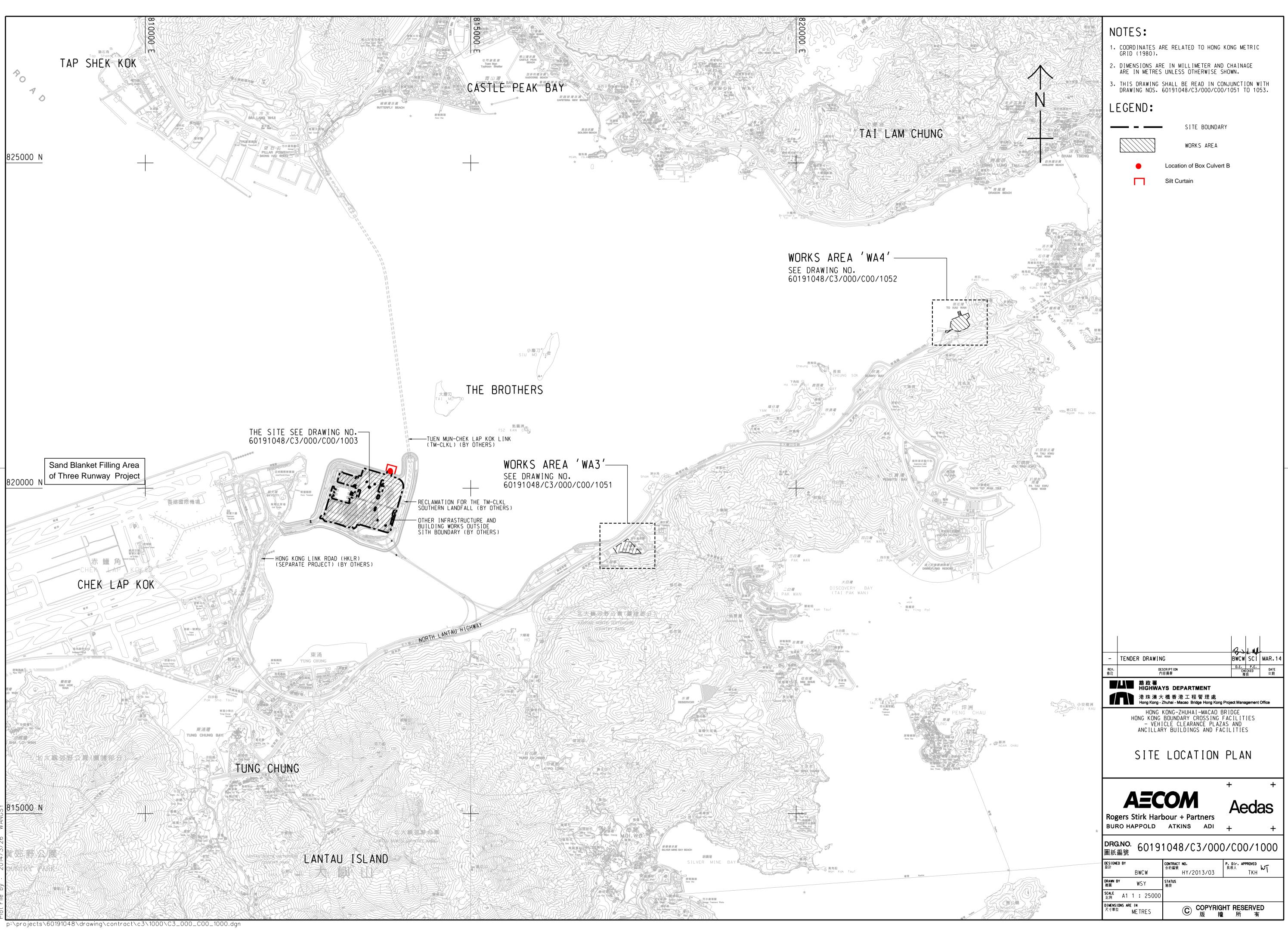
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Figure 2

## The Locations of Marine Transportation and Marine-based Construction Works



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Appendix A

Notification of Limit Level Exceedance

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Contract No. HY/2013/01 -



Hong Ko		Crossing F		r Clearance Building ances	,	20170906DO_TURB_v3
Date of N	otification: 1	1 Septembe	er 2017			
Works In September		collected f	rom water sampling w	vorks on 6 September	2017 and the results wer	re issued on 11
Monitorin	g Location: W	/ater Qualit	y Monitoring Station			
Paramete	r: Dissolved O	xygen (DO)	/ <del>Suspended Solid (S</del>	SH Turbidity (TURB)		
Action &	Limit Level (A	L & LL) / N	leasured Level:			
PARAM	STATION	DEPTH	AL (mg/L)	LL (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- EBB TIDE (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- FLOOD TIDE (mg/L)
	IS17	Bottom			4.6	4.9
	SR6	Surface and Middle	Surface and Middle 5.0	Surface and Middle 4.2 (except 5 mg/L for	5.7	4.8
DO	SR10A	Surface and Middle			<u>4.9</u>	<u>4.6</u>
		Bottom 4.7	FCZ) Bottom	4.8	4.5	
	SR10B(N)	Surface and Middle	4.7	3.6	<u>4.8</u>	<u>4.6</u>
		Bottom			4.8	4.5
TURB	IS(Mf)11	Depth Average	27.5 and 120% (i.e. 17.6 for mid- ebb/18.7 for mid- flood) of upstream control station's turbidity at the same tide of the same day	47.0 and 130% (i.e. 19.0 for mid- ebb/20.2 for mid- flood) of upstream control station's turbidity at the same tide of the same day	14.6	27.9

Remarks:

Bold means AL exceedances.

Bold with underline means LL exceedances.

Upstream control stations of mid-ebb tide: CS(Mf)3(N) and CS4

Upstream control stations of mid-flood tide: CS(Mf)5, CS6 and CSA

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Contract No. HY/2013/01 -Hong Kong- Zhuhai- Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities – Passenger Clearance Building Notifications of Environmental Quality Limits Exceedances Notification No.: 20170906SS\_v1 Date of Notification: 19 September 2017 Works Inspected: Data collected from water sampling works on 6 September 2017 and the results were issued on 15 September 2017 Monitoring Location: Water Quality Monitoring Station Parameter: Dissolved Oxygen (DO)/ Suspended Solid (SS)/ Turbidity (TURB) Action & Limit Level (AL & LL) / Measured Level: MEASURED AT MID-MEASURED AT MID-PARAM STATION DEPTH AL (mg/L) LL (mg/L) EBB TIDE (mg/L) FLOOD TIDE (mg/L) 34.4 and 130% 23.5 and 120% (i.e. 12.3 for mid-26.4 IS8 8.1 (i.e. 11.3 for midebb/15.3 for midebb/14.1 for midflood) of upstream Depth flood) of upstream control station's SS 9.4 SR4(N) 25.3 control station's Average SS at the same SS at the same tide of the same tide of the same day and 10mg/L SR6 6.2 day for WSD Seawater 23.6 intakes

Remarks:

Bold means AL exceedances. Bold with underline means LL exceedances.

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## **INVESTIGATION REPORT ON**

#### ACTION AND LIMIT LEVEL NON-COMPLIANCE

## FOR

## **CONTRACT NO. HY/2013/03**

Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and **Ancillary Buildings and Facilities** 

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#### NON-COMPLIANCE INVESTIGATION REPORT No.: 0165-15-IR006

#### 1. Project Details

Contract No.: HY/2013/03

Contract Title: Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and Ancillary Buildings and Facilities

Project Proponent: Highways Department

Main Contractor: China Harbour Engineering Co. Ltd.

#### 2. Details of Non-compliance

Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170908DO\_TURB\_v2) were forwarded by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 on 26 September 2017. Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170908SS) were forwarded by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 on 21 September 2017:

Monitoring Date: 8 September 2017

The Action and Limit Levels of dissolved oxygen (DO), turbidity and suspended solid (SS) at determined from baseline monitoring data are listed below:

Monitoring Parameter	Action Level (mg/L)	Limit Level (mg/L)
DO (Surface and Middle)	5.0	4.2 (except 5 mg/L for FCZ)
DO (Bottom)	4.7	3.6
Depth-averaged turbidity*	27.5 and 120% (i.e. 20.2 for mid-ebb/13.7 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's turbidity at the same tide of the same day	47.0 and 130% (i.e. 21.9 for mid-ebb/14.9 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's turbidity at the same tide of the same day
SS	23.5 and 120% (i.e. 20.4 for mid-ebb /10.5 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's SS at the same tide of the same day	34.4 and 130% (i.e. 22.1 for mid-ebb/11.4 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's SS at the same tide of the same day and 10mg/L for WSD Seawater intakes

\*: The unit for turbidity is nephelometric turbidity unit (NTU)

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Parameter	Station	Depth	Measured at mid-ebb tide (mg/L)	Measured at mid-flood tide (mg/L)
	IS5	Surface & Middle	5.0	4.9
	IS7	Surface & Middle	4.8	5.1
	157	Bottom	4.6	5.2
	IS8	Surface & Middle	5.0	4.9
	IS(Mf)9	Surface & Middle	5.3	4.8
	IS10(N)	Surface & Middle	4.9	4.7
		Surface & Middle	5.0	4.7
	IS(Mf)11	Bottom	4.8	4.6
		Surface & Middle	4.6	4.9
DO	IS(Mf)16	Bottom	4.3	5.0
DO	1017	Surface & Middle	4.9	4.7
	IS17	Bottom	4.3	4.5
	SR3	Surface & Middle	4.7	4.9
	SR4(N)	Surface & Middle	5.2	4.9
	SR5(N)	Surface & Middle	5.0	4.8
	SR6	Surface & Middle	4.9	4.9
	SR7	Surface & Middle	5.1	4.9
	SR10A	Surface & Middle	<u>4.9</u>	<u>4.3</u>
		Bottom	4.8	4.3
	SR10B(N)	Surface & Middle	<u>4.8</u>	<u>4.7</u>
	IS5		34.4	6.6
Turbidity*	IS10(N)	Dopth average	25.2	31.6
	IS(Mf)11	Depth average	17.8	29.0
	SR6		12.2	35.3
	IS5		28.4	8.7
SS	IS10(N)	Depth average	19.5	<u>35.5</u>
	IS(Mf)11		15.4	33.2

Notes:

Bold means AL exceedances

Bold with underline means LL exceedances

Upstream control stations of mid-ebb tide: CS(Mf)3(N) and CS4

Upstream control stations of mid-flood tide: CS(Mf)5, CS6 and CSA

\* The unit for turbidity is nephelometric turbidity unit (NTU)

Monitoring was undertaken by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF. The Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170908DO\_TURB\_v2 & 20170908SS) provided by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF are shown in **Appendix A**.

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#### 3. Investigation of Non-compliance

#### Summary of Investigation

As confirmed with Mr. Marko Chan, Environmental Officer, and operation team of Contract No. HY/2013/03, there was no marine transportation on the date of exceedance. Regarding marine-based works in Box Culvert B, the work undertaken at the date of exceedance was preparation work of precast installation which had a cofferdam to separate seawater and works area. Silt curtain was also maintained to enclose the work area of the outlet of the box culvert fully. All sea water flows into the work area of box culvert B will be treated by desilting facilities before discharge in accordance with the discharge license approved by EPD for Contract No. HY/2013/03.Besides, no organic matter discharge from the works areas (i.e. box Culvert B) was observed. It was unlikely to consume any dissolved oxygen to cause DO exceedances recorded at the concerned WQM stations during mid-flood and mid-ebb tide on 8 September 2017.

For turbidity and SS exceedance recorded at the WQM station IS10(N) closer to the works area Box Culvert B, there was no turbidity and SS exceedance recorded at the same WQM station under similar work environment on 06 September 2017 and 11 September 2017. For turbidity and SS exceedance recorded at the WQM station IS(Mf)11 closer to the works area Box Culvert B, there was no turbidity and SS exceedance recorded at the same WQM station under similar work environment on 11 September 2017. For turbidity and SS exceedance recorded at the WQM station IS6 and SR6, the exceedance recorded at the concerned WQM station is far away from the marine works area of Contract No. HY/2013/03. It was unlikely that the works undertaken by Contract No. HY/2013/03 caused turbidity or SS exceedance recorded at the concerned WQM station 8 September 2017.

The location of the WQM stations where exceedances were recorded and all relevant WQM stations are shown in **Figure 1** and the locations of marine-based construction works are shown in **Figure 2**.

#### Investigation Results

The ET of Contract No. HY/2013/03 concluded that the captioned exceedance was not related to the construction site activities of the contract. Nevertheless, the Contractor had been reminded to comply with the requirements stipulated in the Environmental Mitigation Implementation Schedule (EMIS) of the EM&A Manual, in particular:

• Water Quality:

W1-

- 1. barges and hopper dredgers shall have tight fitting seals to their bottom openings to prevent leakage of material;
- 2. any pipe leakages shall be repaired quickly. Plant should not be operated with leaking pipes;

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- loading of barges and hoppers shall be controlled to prevent splashing of dredged material to the surrounding water. Barges or hoppers shall not be filled to a level which will cause overflow of materials or pollution of water during loading or transportation;
- 4. excess material shall be cleaned from the decks and exposed fittings of barges and hopper dredgers before the vessel is moved;
- 5. adequate freeboard shall be maintained on barges to reduce the likelihood of decks being washed by wave action; and
- 6. all vessels shall be sized such that adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash.

W2-

- 1. wastewater from temporary site facilities should be controlled to prevent direct discharge to surface or marine waters;
- storm drainage shall be directed to storm drains via adequately designed sand/silt removal facilities such as sand traps, silt traps and sediment basins. Channels, earth bunds or sand bag barriers should be provided on site to properly direct stormwater to such silt removal facilities. Catchpits and perimeter channels should be constructed in advance of site formation works and earthworks;
- 3. silt removal facilities, channels and manholes shall be maintained and any deposited silt and grit shall be removed regularly, including specifically at the onset of and after each rainstorm;
- 4. rainwater pumped out from trenches or foundation excavations should be discharged into storm drains via silt removal facilities;
- 5. measures should be taken to prevent the washout of construction materials, soil, silt or debris into any drainage system;
- 6. open stockpiles of construction materials (e.g. aggregates and sand) on site should be covered with tarpaulin or similar fabric during rainstorms;
- 7. discharges of surface run-off into foul sewers must always be prevented in order not to unduly overload the foul sewerage system;
- 8. surface run-off from bunded areas should pass through oil/grease traps prior to discharge to the stormwater system.

#### 4. Follow up Status (Exceedance)

During weekly site audit on 25 and 31 August, 8 and 15 September 2017, ET confirmed the Contractor had provided workable and effective water quality mitigation measures.

Photos showing the site situation of marine works in Box Culvert B which was taken during the site audit in mid-October are shown in **Appendix B**.

#### 5. Recommendation to the Contractor

The Contractor was reminded to continue to fully maintain all water quality mitigation measures.

#### 6. Follow up Status (Overall)

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The captioned exceedance was not related to the Contract and therefore, no additional follow-up action is needed. However, ET proposed recommendations to Contractor in particular to the following aspects when there are marine construction activities.

Water Quality:

- Barges and hopper dredgers shall have tight fitting seals to their bottom openings to prevent leakage of material;
- Any pipe leakages shall be repaired quickly. Plant should not be operated with leaking pipes;
- Loading of barges and hoppers shall be controlled to prevent splashing of dredged material to the surrounding water. Barges or hoppers shall not be filled to a level which will cause overflow of materials or pollution of water during loading or transportation;
- Excess material shall be cleaned from the decks and exposed fittings of barges and hopper dredgers before the vessel is moved;
- Adequate freeboard shall be maintained on barges to reduce the likelihood of decks being washed by wave action; and
- All vessels shall be sized such that adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash.
- wastewater from temporary site facilities should be controlled to prevent direct discharge to surface or marine waters;
- storm drainage shall be directed to storm drains via adequately designed sand/silt removal facilities such as sand traps, silt traps and sediment basins. Channels, earth bunds or sand bag barriers should be provided on site to properly direct stormwater to such silt removal facilities. Catchpits and perimeter channels should be constructed in advance of site formation works and earthworks;
- silt removal facilities, channels and manholes shall be maintained and any deposited silt and grit shall be removed regularly, including specifically at the onset of and after each rainstorm;
- rainwater pumped out from trenches or foundation excavations should be discharged into storm drains via silt removal facilities;
- measures should be taken to prevent the washout of construction materials, soil, silt or debris into any drainage system;
- open stockpiles of construction materials (e.g. aggregates and sand) on site should be covered with tarpaulin or similar fabric during rainstorms;
- discharges of surface run-off into foul sewers must always be prevented in order not to unduly overload the foul sewerage system;
- surface run-off from bunded areas should pass through oil/grease traps prior to discharge to the stormwater system.

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Figure 1

The Location of WQM Stations







IMPACT STATIONS



CONTROL / FAR FIELD STATIONS

SENSITIVE RECEIVERS STATIONS

## FIGURE 4.1- LOCATION OF WATER QUALITY MONITORING STATIONS

## SETTING OUT SCHEDULE

MONITORING	CO-ORDINATES		
STATIONS	EASTING	NORTHING	
1\$5	811579	817106	
IS(Mf)6	812101	817873	
IS7	812244	818777	
IS8	814251	818412	
IS(Mf)9	813273	818850	
IS10	812577	820670	
IS10(N)	812942	820455	
IS(Mf)11	813562	820716	
IS(Mf)16	814328	819497	
IS17	814539	820391	
SR3	810525	816456	
SR4(N)	814705	817859	
SR5	811489	820455	
SR 5(N)	812569	821475	
SR6	805837	821818	
SR7	814293	821431	
SR10A	823741	823495	
SR10B(N)	823683	820881	
CS(Mf)3	809989	821117	
CS(Mf)3(N)	808814	822355	
CS(Mf)5	817990	821129	
CS4	810025	824004	
CS6	817028	823992	
CSA	818103	823064	

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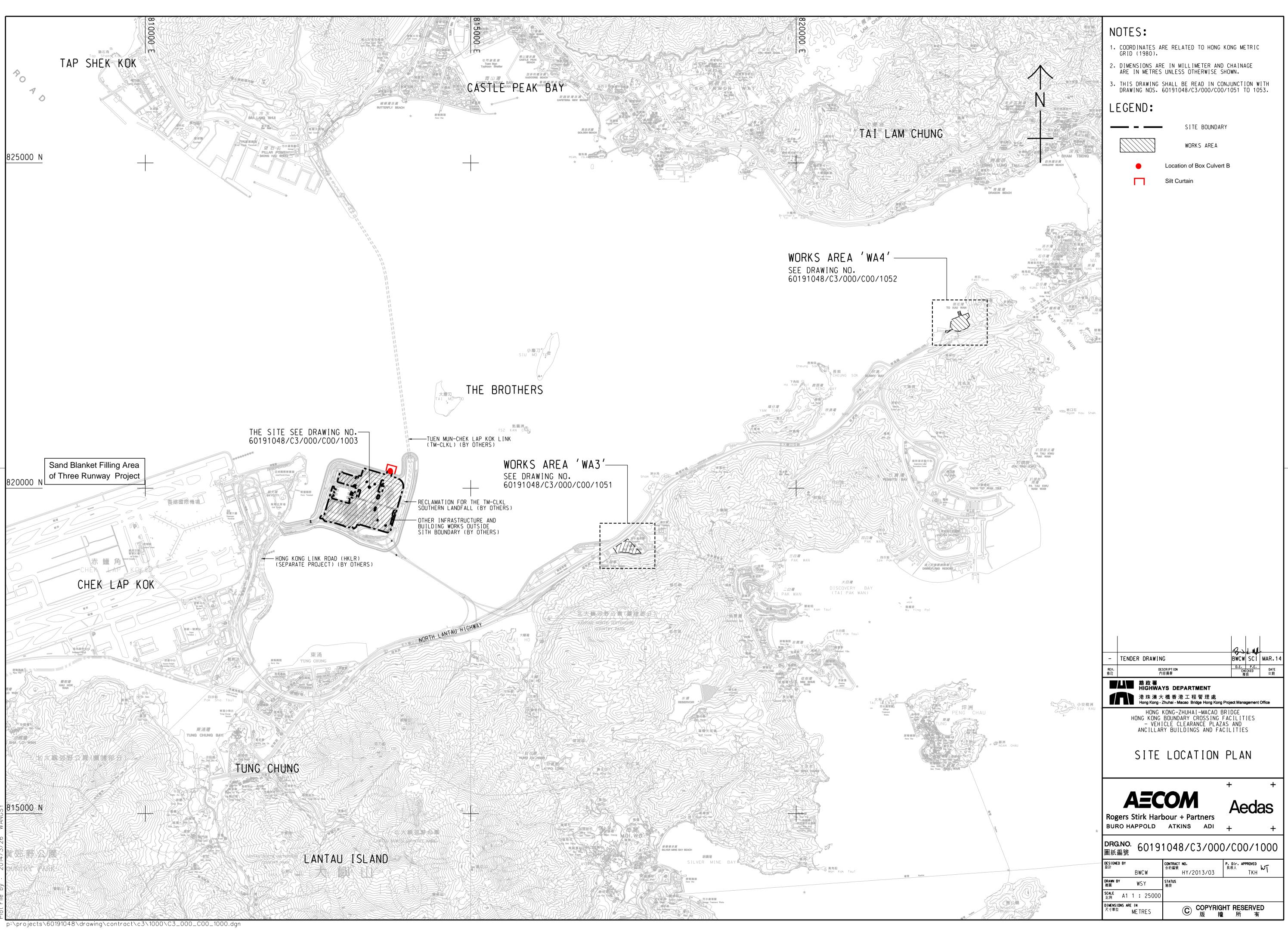
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Figure 2

## The Locations of Marine Transportation and Marine-based Construction Works



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Appendix A

**Notification of Limit Level Exceedance** 

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Notificati	ons of Enviro	onmental Quality Limit	s Exceedances	•	Nouncation No.: 2	20170908DO_TURB_v2	
Date of N	lotification: 1	3 September 2017					
Works In Septembe		a collected from water s	ampling works	on 8 September	2017 and the results wer	e issued on 12	
Monitorir	ng Location: \	Water Quality Monitoring	g Station				
Paramete	er: Dissolved (	Dxygen (DO)/ <del>Suspende</del>	<del>ed Solid (SS)/</del> Tu	urbidity (TURB)			
Action &	Limit Level (	AL & LL) / Measured L	evel:				
PARAM	STATION	DEPTH	AL (mg/L)	LL (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- EBB TIDE (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID FLOOD TIDE (mg/L	
	IS5	Surface and Middle			5.0	4.9	
	107	Surface and Middle			4.8	5.1	
	IS7	Bottom			4.6	5.2	
	IS8	Surface and Middle			5.0	4.9	
	IS(Mf)9	Surface and Middle			5.3	4.8	
	IS10(N)	Surface and Middle			4.9	4.7	
	10/11/24	Surface and Middle	Surface and Middle 5.0 Bottom 4.7		5.0	4.7	
	IS(Mf)11	Bottom		Surface and Middle 4.2 (except 5 mg/L for FCZ) Bottom 3.6	4.8	4.6	
	10/11/04/0	Surface and Middle			4.6	4.9	
	IS(Mf)16	Bottom			4.3	5.0	
DO	1047	Surface and Middle			4.9	4.7	
	IS17	Bottom			4.3	4.5	
	SR3	Surface and Middle			4.7	4.9	
	SR4(N)	Surface and Middle			5.2	4.9	
	SR5(N)	Surface and Middle			5.0	4.8	
	SR6	Surface and Middle			4.9	4.9	
	SR7	Surface and Middle			5.1	4.9	
	SR10A	Surface and Middle			<u>4.9</u>	4.3	
	SRIUA	Bottom			4.8	4.3	
	SR10B(N)	Surface and Middle			4.8	<u>4.7</u>	
TURB	IS5		27.5 and 120% (i.e. 20.2 for mid- ebb/13.7 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's turbidity at the same tide of the same day	120% (i.e. 130% (i 20.2 for mid- 21.9 for r	47.0 and 130% (i.e. 21.9 for mid-	34.4	6.6
	IS10(N)	Depth Average		ebb/14.9 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's turbidity at	25.2	31.6	
	IS(Mf)11				17.8	29.0	
	SR6			the same tide of the same day	12.2	35.3	

Remarks:

Bold means AL exceedances.

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Bold with underline means LL exceedances. Upstream control stations of mid-ebb tide: CS(Mf)3(N) and CS4 Upstream control stations of mid-flood tide: CS(Mf)5, CS6 and CSA

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Date of N	otification: 19	9 Septembe	er 2017						
Works Ins September		a collected f	rom water sampling w	orks on 8 September	2017 and the results wer	e issued on 18			
Monitorin	g Location: W	/ater Qualit	y Monitoring Station						
Paramete	r: <del>Dissolved O</del>	xygen (DO	¥ Suspended Solid (S	S) <del>/ Turbidity (TURB)</del>					
Action &	Limit Level (A	L & LL) / N	leasured Level:						
PARAM	STATION	DEPTH	AL (mg/L)	LL (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- EBB TIDE (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- FLOOD TIDE (mg/L)			
	IS5		23.5 and 120% (i.e. 20.4 for mid-	34.4 and 130% (i.e. 22.1 for mid- ebb/11.4 for mid-	28.4	8.7			
SS	IS10(N)	Depth Average	ebb/10.5 for mid- flood) of upstream control station's SS at the same	flood) of upstream control station's SS at the same tide of the same	19.5	<u>35.5</u>			
	IS(Mf)11		tide of the same day	day and 10mg/L for WSD Seawater intakes	15.4	33.2			

Remarks:

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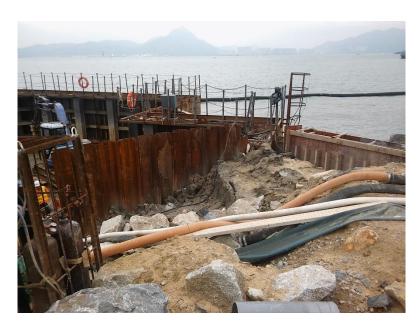
Appendix **B** 

Photo showing the site situation of marine works in Box Culvert B

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#### ACTION AND LIMIT LEVEL NON-COMPLIANCE

## FOR

## **CONTRACT NO. HY/2013/03**

Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and **Ancillary Buildings and Facilities** 

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#### NON-COMPLIANCE INVESTIGATION REPORT No.: 0165-15-IR007

#### 1. **Project Details**

Contract No.: HY/2013/03

Contract Title: Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and Ancillary Buildings and Facilities

Project Proponent: Highways Department

Main Contractor: China Harbour Engineering Co. Ltd.

#### 2. Details of Non-compliance

Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170911DO\_v1) were forwarded by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 on 27 September 2017:

Monitoring Date: 11 September 2017

The Action and Limit Levels of dissolved oxygen (DO), turbidity and suspended solid (SS) at determined from baseline monitoring data are listed below:

Monitoring Parameter	Action Level (mg/L)	Limit Level (mg/L)	
DO (Surface and Middle)	5.0	4.2 (except 5 mg/L for FCZ)	
DO (Bottom)	4.7	3.6	

Parameter	Station	Depth	Measured at mid- ebb tide (mg/L)	Measured at mid- flood tide (mg/L)
	IS8	Surface & Middle	5.2	4.8
	130	Bottom	5.0	4.6
	IS(Mf)9	Surface & Middle	5.3	4.8
		Surface & Middle	4.9	4.6
	IS10(N)	Bottom	4.8	4.4
		Surface & Middle	4.9	4.6
	IS(Mf)11	Bottom	4.6	4.5
		Surface & Middle	5.2	4.7
DO	IS(Mf)16	Bottom	4.3	4.6
20	1047	Surface & Middle	4.8	4.5
	IS17	Bottom	4.2	4.2
	SR4(N)	Surface & Middle	5.3	4.8
		Surface & Middle	4.7	4.6
	SR5(N)	Bottom	4.6	4.6
	SD6	Surface & Middle	4.7	4.7
	SR6	Bottom	4.7	4.6
	SR7	Surface & Middle	4.9	4.7

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		Bottom	4.8	4.7
	SR10A	Surface & Middle	5.2	<u>4.5</u>
	SKIUA	Bottom	5.1	4.1
		Surface & Middle	<u>4.8</u>	<u>4.2</u>
	SR10B(N)	Bottom	4.6	4.0

Notes:

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Monitoring was undertaken by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF. The Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170911DO\_v1) provided by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF are shown in **Appendix A**.

#### 3. Investigation of Non-compliance

#### Summary of Investigation

As confirmed with Mr. Marko Chan, Environmental Officer, and operation team of Contract No. HY/2013/03, there was marine transportation on the date of exceedance. Regarding marine transportation, the vessels was sized to make sure adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash. Regarding marine-based works in Box Culvert B, the work undertaken at the date of exceedance was preparation work of precast installation which had a cofferdam to separate seawater and works area. Silt curtain was also maintained to enclose the work area of the outlet of the box culvert fully. All sea water flows into the work area of box culvert B will be treated by desilting facilities before discharge in accordance with the discharge license approved by EPD for Contract No. HY/2013/03. It was unlikely to consume any dissolved oxygen to cause the DO exceedances recorded at the concerned WQM stations during midflood and mid-ebb tide on 11 September 2017. Besides, no organic matter discharge from the works areas (i.e. box Culvert B) was observed, while there was only Action Level exceedance of DO at the WQM stations closer to the works areas, such as IS(Mf)11. Therefore, the exceedances on 11 September 2017 was considered not related to construction site activities of Contract No. HY/2013/03

The location of the WQM stations where exceedances were recorded and all relevant WQM stations are shown in **Figure 1** and the locations of marine-based construction works are shown in **Figure 2**.

#### Investigation Results

The ET of Contract No. HY/2013/03 concluded that the captioned exceedance was not related to the construction site activities of the contract. Nevertheless, the Contractor had been reminded to comply with the requirements stipulated in the Environmental Mitigation Implementation Schedule (EMIS) of the EM&A Manual, in particular:

#### Water Quality:

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Figure 1

The Location of WQM Stations







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# FIGURE 4.1- LOCATION OF WATER QUALITY MONITORING STATIONS

# SETTING OUT SCHEDULE

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IS(Mf)6	812101	817873
IS7	812244	818777
IS8	814251	818412
IS(Mf)9	813273	818850
IS10	812577	820670
IS10(N)	812942	820455
IS(Mf)11	813562	820716
IS(Mf)16	814328	819497
IS17	814539	820391
SR3	810525	816456
SR4(N)	814705	817859
SR5	811489	820455
SR 5(N)	812569	821475
SR6	805837	821818
SR7	814293	821431
SR10A	823741	823495
SR10B(N)	823683	820881
CS(Mf)3	809989	821117
CS(Mf)3(N)	808814	822355
CS(Mf)5	817990	821129
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CS6	817028	823992
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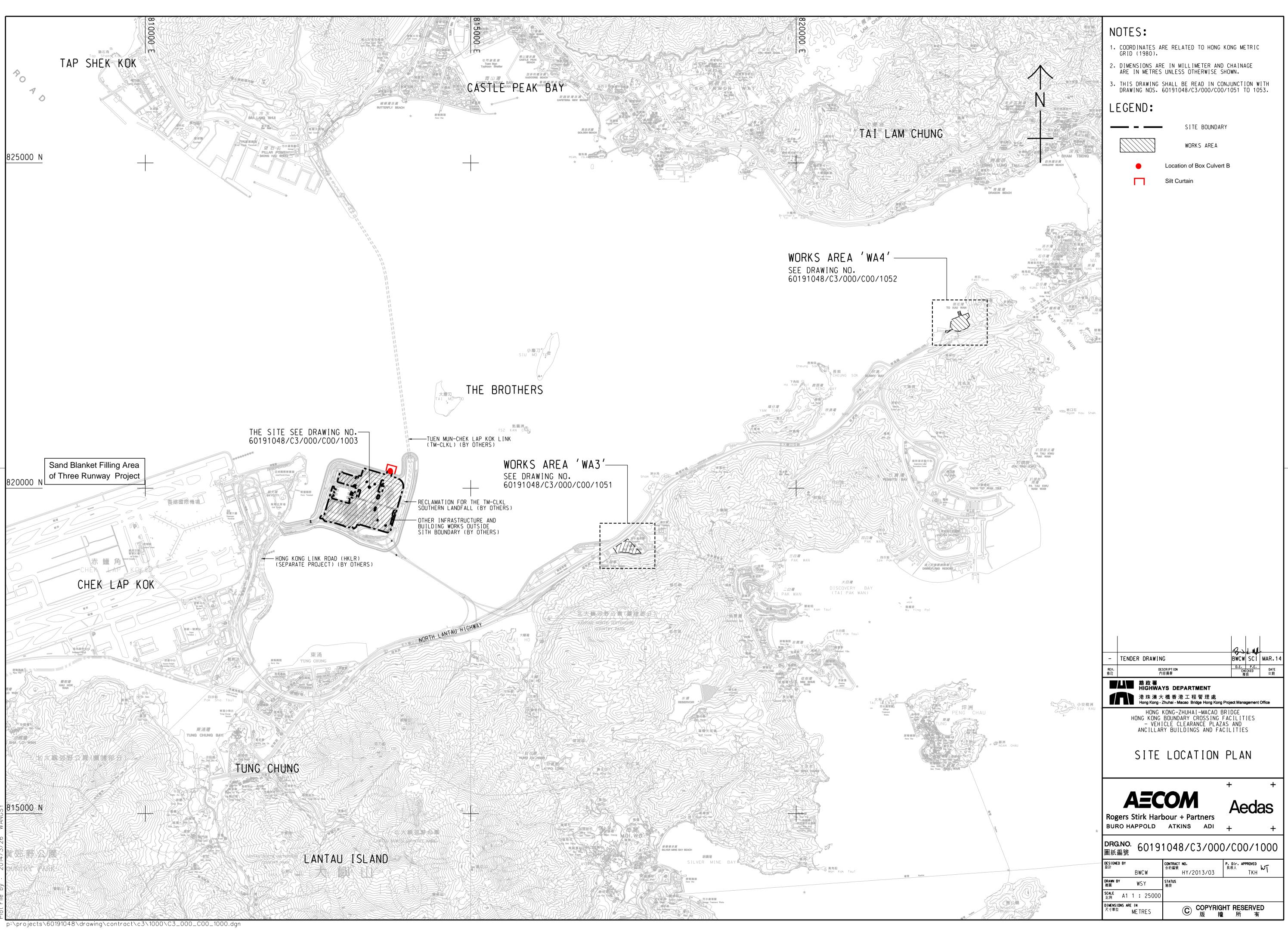
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Figure 2

## The Locations of Marine Transportation and Marine-based Construction Works



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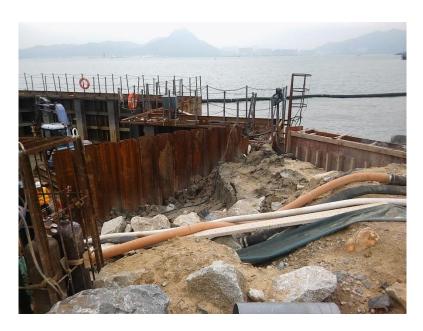
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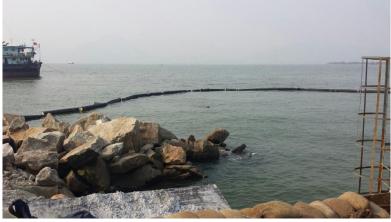
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## **CONTRACT NO. HY/2013/03**

Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and **Ancillary Buildings and Facilities** 

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#### NON-COMPLIANCE INVESTIGATION REPORT No.: 0165-15-IR008

#### 1. **Project Details**

Contract No.: HY/2013/03

Contract Title: Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and Ancillary Buildings and Facilities

Project Proponent: Highways Department

Main Contractor: China Harbour Engineering Co. Ltd.

#### 2. Details of Non-compliance

Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170913DO\_v2) were forwarded by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 on 4 October 2017:

Monitoring Date: 13 September 2017

The Action and Limit Levels of dissolved oxygen (DO), turbidity and suspended solid (SS) at determined from baseline monitoring data are listed below:

Monitoring Parameter	Action Level (mg/L)	Limit Level (mg/L)
DO (Surface and Middle)	5.0	4.2 (except 5 mg/L for FCZ)
DO (Bottom)	4.7	3.6

Parameter	Station	Depth	Measured at mid- ebb tide (mg/L)	Measured at mid- flood tide (mg/L)
	IS5	Bottom	4.1	4.1
	IS(Mf)9	Bottom	6.5	4.2
	IS10(N)	Surface & Middle	4.7	5.0
	IS(Mf)11	Surface & Middle	5.1	4.9
<b>D</b> 0	IS(Mf)16	Bottom	4.1	4.2
	IS17	Surface & Middle	5.0	4.9
DO	1017	Bottom	3.8	4.1
	SR5(N)	Surface & Middle	4.8	5.5
	SR10A	Surface & Middle	<u>4.9</u>	<u>4.4</u>
	SKIUA	Bottom	5.2	3.9
		Surface & Middle	5.2	<u>4.4</u>
	SR10B(N)	Bottom	5.4	4.1

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# Summary of Investigation

As confirmed with Mr. Marko Chan, Environmental Officer, and operation team of Contract No. HY/2013/03, there was marine transportation on the date of exceedance. Regarding marine transportation, the vessels was sized to make sure adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash. Regarding marine-based works in Box Culvert B, the work undertaken at the date of exceedance was preparation work of precast installation which had a cofferdam to separate seawater and works area. Silt curtain was also maintained to enclose the work area of the outlet of the box culvert fully. All sea water flows into the work area of box culvert B will be treated by desilting facilities before discharge in accordance with the discharge license approved by EPD for Contract No. HY/2013/03. Besides, no organic matter discharge from the works areas (i.e. box Culvert B) was observed. It was unlikely to consume any dissolved oxygen to cause the DO exceedances recorded at the concerned WQM stations during mid-flood and mid-ebb tide on 13 September 2017.

The location of the WQM stations where exceedances were recorded and all relevant WQM stations are shown in **Figure 1** and the locations of marine-based construction works are shown in **Figure 2**.

#### Investigation Results

The ET of Contract No. HY/2013/03 concluded that the captioned exceedance was not related to the construction site activities of the contract. Nevertheless, the Contractor had been reminded to comply with the requirements stipulated in the Environmental Mitigation Implementation Schedule (EMIS) of the EM&A Manual, in particular:

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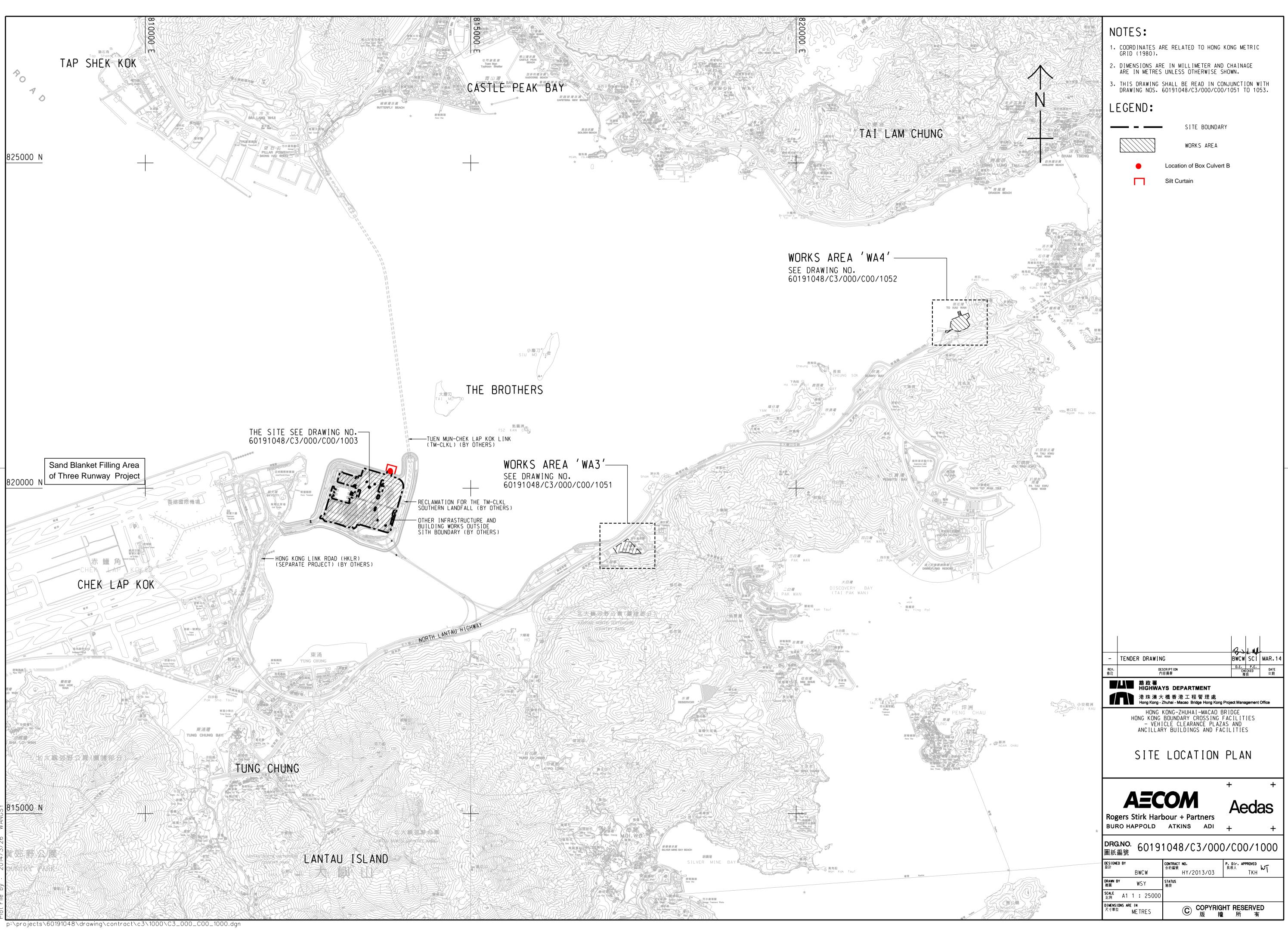
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Figure 2

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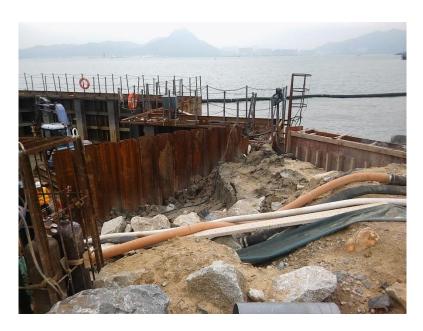
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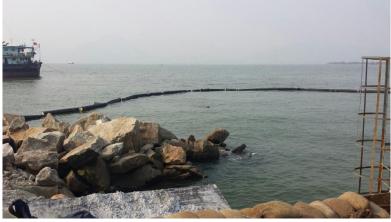
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#### 1. Project Details

Contract No.: HY/2013/03

Contract Title: Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and Ancillary Buildings and Facilities

Project Proponent: Highways Department

Main Contractor: China Harbour Engineering Co. Ltd.

#### 2. Details of Non-compliance

Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170915DO\_TURB\_v3) were forwarded by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 on 27 September 2017:

Monitoring Date: 15 September 2017

The Action and Limit Levels of dissolved oxygen (DO), turbidity and suspended solid (SS) at determined from baseline monitoring data are listed below:

Monitoring Parameter	Action Level (mg/L)	Limit Level (mg/L)
DO (Surface and Middle)	5.0	4.2 (except 5 mg/L for FCZ)
DO (Bottom)	4.7	3.6
Depth- averaged turbidity	27.5 and 120% (i.e. 19.6 for mid-ebb/15.4 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's turbidity at the same tide of the same day	47.5 and 130% (i.e. 21.2 for mid- ebb/16.7 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's turbidity at the same tide of the same day

Parameter	Station	Depth	Measured at mid- ebb tide (mg/L)	Measured at mid- flood tide (mg/L)
	IS10(N)	Bottom	4.2	4.5
	IS(Mf)11	Surface & Middle	4.1	4.7
	IS17 SR6 SR10A	Surface & Middle	4.9	5.7
DO		Bottom	3.9	4.7
DO		Surface & Middle	5.5	4.8
		Bottom	4.7	4.5
		Surface & Middle	5.5	<u>4.7</u>
		Bottom	5.4	3.9

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	SR10B(N)	Surface & Middle	5.4	<u>4.6</u>
		Bottom	5.0	4.3
Turbidity	IS8	Depth average	10.6 NTU	<u>95.4 NTU*</u>

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Upstream control stations of mid-ebb tide: CS(Mf)3(N) and CS4 Upstream control stations of mid-flood tide: CS(Mf)5, CS6 and CSA \*The muddy water was observed due to 3 fast boats were moving around near the monitoring location during measurement period.

Monitoring was undertaken by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF. The Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170915DO\_TURB\_v3) provided by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF are shown in **Appendix A**.

#### 3. Investigation of Non-compliance

#### Summary of Investigation

As confirmed with Mr. Marko Chan, Environmental Officer, and operation team of Contract No. HY/2013/03, there was marine transportation on the date of exceedance. Regarding marine transportation, the vessels was sized to make sure adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash. For turbidity exceedance recorded at the WQM station IS8, the concerned WQM stations where the exceedances were recorded were not close to the marine delivery route of Contract No. HY/2013/03, while there was no notification of exceedance received at the WQM stations closer to the marine delivery route, such as IS(Mf)11. Regarding marine-based works in Box Culvert B, the work undertaken at the date of exceedance was preparation work of precast installation which had a cofferdam to separate seawater and works area. Silt curtain was also maintained to enclose the work area of the outlet of the box culvert fully. All sea water flows into the work area of box culvert B will be treated by desilting facilities before discharge in accordance with the discharge license approved by EPD for Contract No. HY/2013/03. Besides, no organic matter discharge from the works areas (i.e. box Culvert B) was observed. It was unlikely that the works undertaken by Contract No. HY/2013/03 consumed any dissolved oxygen to cause DO exceedances recorded at the concerned WQM stations during mid-flood and mid-ebb tide on 15 September 2017.

For turbidity exceedance, the exceedance recorded at the concerned WQM station (i.e. IS8) is far away from the marine works area of Contract No. HY/2013/03, while there was no notification of exceedance received at the WQM stations closer to the works areas, such as IS(Mf)11. Besides, fast boats moving around near the monitoring location during measurement period as mentioned in Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance may be one of the reason for turbidity exceedance.

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It was unlikely that the works undertaken by Contract No. HY/2013/03 caused turbidity exceedance recorded at the concerned WQM stations during mid-flood tide on 15 September 2017.

The location of the WQM stations where exceedances were recorded and all relevant WQM stations are shown in **Figure 1** and the locations of marine-based construction works are shown in **Figure 2**.

#### Investigation Results

The ET of Contract No. HY/2013/03 concluded that the captioned exceedance was not related to the construction site activities of the contract. Nevertheless, the Contractor had been reminded to comply with the requirements stipulated in the Environmental Mitigation Implementation Schedule (EMIS) of the EM&A Manual, in particular:

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- 1. barges and hopper dredgers shall have tight fitting seals to their bottom openings to prevent leakage of material;
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- loading of barges and hoppers shall be controlled to prevent splashing of dredged material to the surrounding water. Barges or hoppers shall not be filled to a level which will cause overflow of materials or pollution of water during loading or transportation;
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- 3. silt removal facilities, channels and manholes shall be maintained and any deposited silt and grit shall be removed regularly, including specifically at the onset of and after each rainstorm;
- 4. rainwater pumped out from trenches or foundation excavations should be discharged into storm drains via silt removal facilities;
- 5. measures should be taken to prevent the washout of construction materials, soil, silt or debris into any drainage system;



- 6. open stockpiles of construction materials (e.g. aggregates and sand) on site should be covered with tarpaulin or similar fabric during rainstorms;
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#### 4. Follow up Status (Exceedance)

During weekly site audit on 8, 15 and 21 September 2017, ET confirmed the Contractor had provided workable and effective water quality mitigation measures.

Photos showing the site situation of marine works in Box Culvert B which was taken during the site audit in mid-October are shown in **Appendix B**.

#### 5. Recommendation to the Contractor

The Contractor was reminded to continue to fully maintain all water quality mitigation measures.

#### 6. Follow up Status (Overall)

The captioned exceedance was not related to the Contract and therefore, no additional follow-up action is needed. However, ET proposed recommendations to Contractor in particular to the following aspects when there are marine construction activities.

Water Quality:

- Barges and hopper dredgers shall have tight fitting seals to their bottom openings to prevent leakage of material;
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- measures should be taken to prevent the washout of construction materials, soil, silt or debris into any drainage system;
- open stockpiles of construction materials (e.g. aggregates and sand) on site should be covered with tarpaulin or similar fabric during rainstorms;
- discharges of surface run-off into foul sewers must always be prevented in order not to unduly overload the foul sewerage system;
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Figure 1

The Location of WQM Stations







IMPACT STATIONS



CONTROL / FAR FIELD STATIONS

SENSITIVE RECEIVERS STATIONS

# FIGURE 4.1- LOCATION OF WATER QUALITY MONITORING STATIONS

## SETTING OUT SCHEDULE

MONITORING	CO-OR	DINATES
STATIONS	EASTING	NORTHING
1\$5	811579	817106
IS(Mf)6	812101	817873
IS7	812244	818777
IS8	814251	818412
IS(Mf)9	813273	818850
IS10	812577	820670
IS10(N)	812942	820455
IS(Mf)11	813562	820716
IS(Mf)16	814328	819497
IS17	814539	820391
SR3	810525	816456
SR4(N)	814705	817859
SR5	811489	820455
SR 5(N)	812569	821475
SR6	805837	821818
SR7	814293	821431
SR10A	823741	823495
SR10B(N)	823683	820881
CS(Mf)3	809989	821117
CS(Mf)3(N)	808814	822355
CS(Mf)5	817990	821129
CS4	810025	824004
CS6	817028	823992
CSA	818103	823064

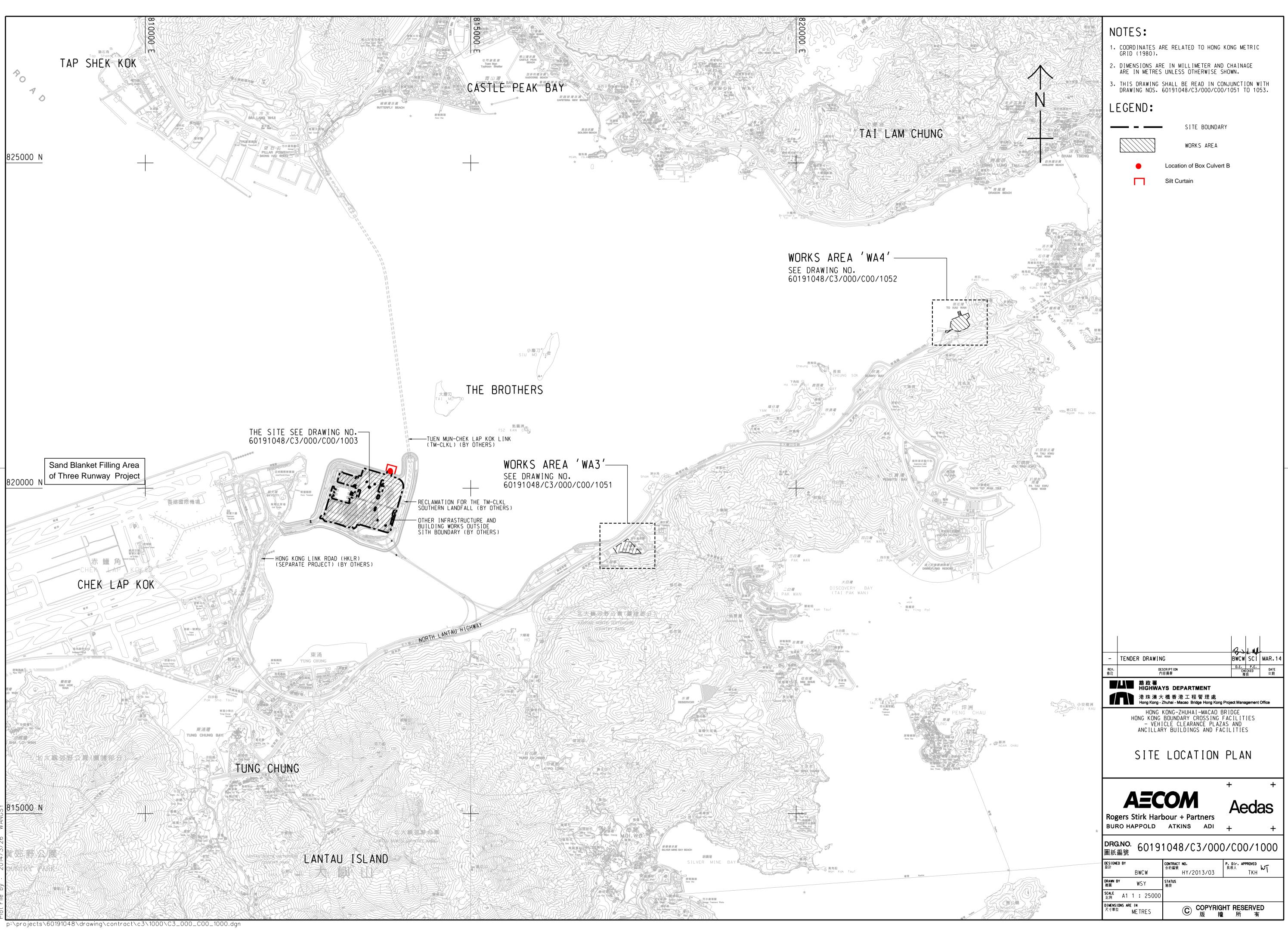
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Figure 2

### The Locations of Marine Transportation and Marine-based Construction Works



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Appendix A

Notification of Limit Level Exceedance

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Date of N	otification: 2	1 September 2017						
Works In Septembe		a collected from water s	ampling works o	on 15 Septembe	r 2017 and the results we	ere issued on 19		
Monitorin	g Location: V	Water Quality Monitoring	g Station					
Paramete	r: Dissolved C	Dxygen (DO)/ Suspende	ed Solid (SS)/ Tu	rbidity (TURB)				
Action &	Limit Level (/	AL & LL) / Measured L	evel:	,				
PARAM	STATION	DEPTH	AL (mg/L)	LL (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- EBB TIDE (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- FLOOD TIDE (mg/L)		
	IS10(N)	Bottom			4.2	4.5		
	IS(Mf)11	Surface and Middle	Surface and Middle 5.0 Bottom 4.7		4.1	4.7		
	10.17	Surface and Middle			4.9	5.7		
	IS17	Bottom			3.9	4.7		
DO	SR6	Surface and Middle				(except 5	5.5	4.8
00	SRO	Bottom		mg/L for FCZ)	4.7	4.5		
	SR10A	Surface and Middle		Bottom	5.5	<u>4.7</u>		
	SICIUA	Bottom		3.6	5.4	3.9		
	SR10B(N)	Surface and Middle			5.4	<u>4.6</u>		
	SK IUB(N)	Bottom			5.0	4.3		
TURB	IS8	Depth Average	27.5 and 120% (i.e. 19.6 for mid- ebb/15.4 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's turbidity at the same tide of the same day	47.0 and 130% (i.e. 21.2 for mid- ebb/16.7 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's turbidity at the same tide of the same day	10.6	<u>95.4*</u>		

Remarks:

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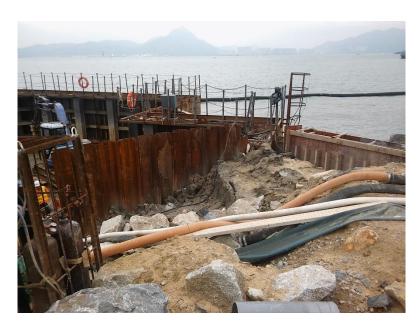
Appendix **B** 

Photo showing the site situation of marine works in Box Culvert B

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### **INVESTIGATION REPORT ON**

#### ACTION AND LIMIT LEVEL NON-COMPLIANCE

### FOR

#### **CONTRACT NO. HY/2013/03**

Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and **Ancillary Buildings and Facilities** 

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#### NON-COMPLIANCE INVESTIGATION REPORT No.: 0165-15-IR0010

#### 1. **Project Details**

Contract No.: HY/2013/03

Contract Title: Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and Ancillary Buildings and Facilities

Project Proponent: Highways Department

Main Contractor: China Harbour Engineering Co. Ltd.

#### 2. Details of Non-compliance

Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170918DO & 20170918SS) were forwarded by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 on 21 September 2017 & 27 September 2017:

Monitoring Date: 18 September 2017

The Action and Limit Levels of dissolved oxygen (DO) and suspended solid (SS) at determined from baseline monitoring data are listed below:

Monitoring Parameter	Action Level (mg/L)	Limit Level (mg/L)
DO (Surface and Middle)	5.0	4.2 (except 5 mg/L for FCZ)
DO (Bottom)	4.7	3.6
Depth- averaged Suspended Solid	23.5 and 120% (i.e. 9.9 for mid-ebb/13.4 for mid- flood) of upstream control station's SS at the same tide of the same day	34.4 and 130% (i.e. 10.8 for mid- ebb/14.5 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's SS at the same tide of the same day and 10mg/L for WSD Seawater intakes

Parameter	Station Depth		Measured at mid- ebb tide (mg/L)	Measured at mid- flood tide (mg/L)
	IS5	Bottom	4.5	5.8
	IS10(N)	Bottom	4.6	5.0
	IS(Mf)11	Bottom	4.6	5.0
	IS(Mf)16	Bottom	4.4	5.0
DO	SR6	Surface & Middle	4.7	4.4
	SKU	Bottom	4.5	4.3
	SR10A	Surface & Middle	5.5	<u>4.7</u>
	SR10B(N)	Surface & Middle	5.4	4.9
SS	IS8	Depth average	6.3	25.0

Notes:

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Monitoring was undertaken by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF. The Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170918DO & 20170918SS) provided by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF are shown in **Appendix A**.

#### 3. Investigation of Non-compliance

#### Summary of Investigation

As confirmed with Mr. Marko Chan, Environmental Officer, and operation team of Contract No. HY/2013/03, there was marine transportation on the date of exceedance. Regarding marine transportation, the vessels was sized to make sure adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash. For SS exceedance recorded at the WQM station IS8, the concerned WQM stations where the exceedances were recorded were not close to the marine delivery route of Contract No. HY/2013/03, while there was no notification of exceedance received at the WQM stations closer to the marine delivery route, such as IS(Mf)11. Regarding marine-based works in Box Culvert B, the work undertaken at the date of exceedance was preparation work of precast installation which had a cofferdam to separate seawater and works area. Silt curtain was also maintained to enclose the work area of the outlet of the box culvert fully. All sea water flows into the work area of box culvert B will be treated by desilting facilities before discharge in accordance with the discharge license approved by EPD for Contract No. HY/2013/03. Besides, no organic matter discharge from the works areas (i.e. box Culvert B) was observed. It was unlikely to consume any dissolved oxygen to cause the DO exceedances recorded at the concerned WQM stations during mid-flood and mid-ebb tide on 18 September 2017.

For SS exceedance, the exceedance recorded at the concerned WQM station (i.e. IS8) is far away from the marine works area of Contract No. HY/2013/03, while there was no notification of exceedance received at the WQM stations closer to the works areas, such as IS(Mf)11. It was unlikely that the works undertaken by Contract No. HY/2013/03 caused SS exceedance recorded at the concerned WQM station during mid-flood tide on 18 September 2017.

The location of the WQM stations where exceedances were recorded and all relevant WQM stations are shown in **Figure 1** and the locations of marine-based construction works are shown in **Figure 2**.

#### Investigation Results

The ET of Contract No. HY/2013/03 concluded that the captioned exceedance was not related to the construction site activities of the contract. Nevertheless, the Contractor had been reminded to comply with the requirements stipulated in the

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- 6. open stockpiles of construction materials (e.g. aggregates and sand) on site should be covered with tarpaulin or similar fabric during rainstorms;
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- 8. surface run-off from bunded areas should pass through oil/grease traps prior to discharge to the stormwater system.

#### 4. Follow up Status (Exceedance)

During weekly site audit on 8, 15 and 21 September 2017, ET confirmed the Contractor had provided workable and effective water quality mitigation measures.

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The Contractor was reminded to continue to fully maintain all water quality mitigation measures.

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Figure 1

The Location of WQM Stations







IMPACT STATIONS



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SENSITIVE RECEIVERS STATIONS

# FIGURE 4.1- LOCATION OF WATER QUALITY MONITORING STATIONS

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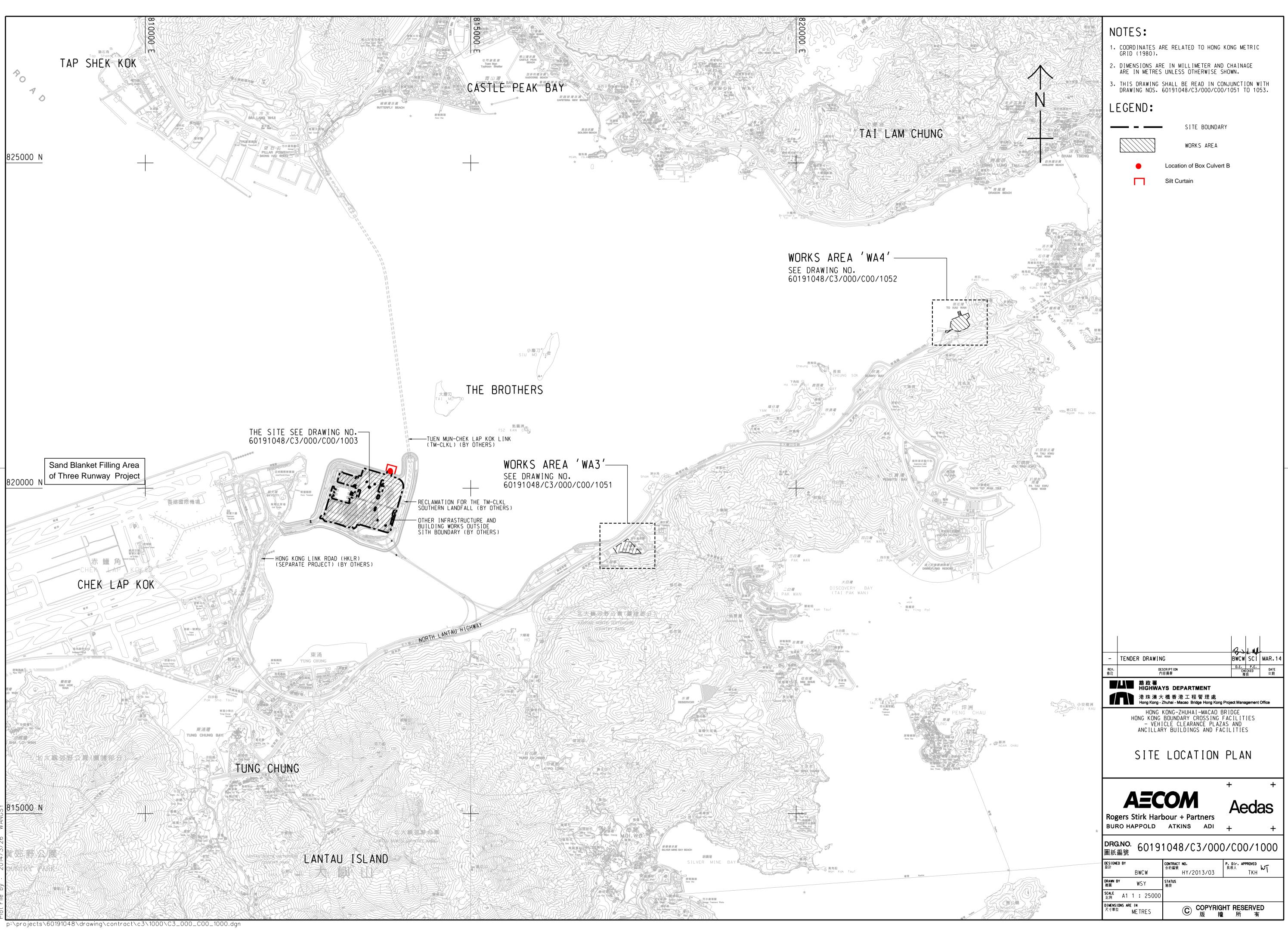
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Figure 2

### The Locations of Marine Transportation and Marine-based Construction Works



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Appendix A

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Notifications of Environmental Quality Limits Exceedances

Notification No.: 20170918SS

Date of Notification: 27 September 2017

Works Inspected: Data collected from water sampling works on 18 September 2017 and the results were issued on 27 September 2017

Monitoring Location: Water Quality Monitoring Station

Parameter: Dissolved Oxygen (DO)/ Suspended Solid (SS)/ Turbidity (TURB)

Action &	Action & Limit Level (AL & LL) / Measured Level:						
PARAM	STATION	DEPTH	AL (mg/L)	LL (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- EBB TIDE (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- FLOOD TIDE (mg/L)	
SS	IS8	Depth Average	23.5 and 120% (i.e. 9.9 for mid- ebb/13.4 for mid- flood) of upstream control station's SS at the same tide of the same day	34.4 and 130% (i.e. 10.8 for mid- ebb/14.5 for mid- flood) of upstream control station's SS at the same tide of the same day and 10mg/L for WSD Seawater intakes	6.3	25.0	

Remarks:

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Upstream control stations of mid-flood tide: CS(Mf)5, CS6 and CSA

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Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities – Passenger Clearance Building Notifications of Environmental Quality Limits Exceedances

Notification No.: 20170918DO

Date of Notification: 21 September 2017

Works Inspected: Data collected from water sampling works on 18 September 2017 and the results were issued on 21 September 2017

Monitoring Location: Water Quality Monitoring Station

Parameter: Dissolved Oxygen (DO)/ Suspended Solid (SS)/ Turbidity (TURB)

#### Action & Limit Level (AL & LL) / Measured Level:

PARAM	STATION	DEPTH	AL (mg/L)	LL (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- EBB TIDE (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- FLOOD TIDE (mg/L)					
	IS5	Bottom			4.5	5.8					
	IS10(N)	Bottom	Surface and Middle 5.0 Bottom	Surface and	4.6	5.0					
	IS(Mf)11	Bottom		Middle	Middle	Middle	Middle	Middle	Middle 4.2	4.6	5.0
DO	IS(Mf)16	Bottom									
00	SR6	Surface and Middle		mg/L for FCZ)	4.7	4.4					
	Bottom	4.7	Bottom	4.5	4.3						
	SR10A	Surface and Middle	]	3.6	5.5	<u>4.7</u>					
	SR10B(N)	Surface and Middle			5.4	<u>4.9</u>					

Remarks: Bold means AL exceedances.

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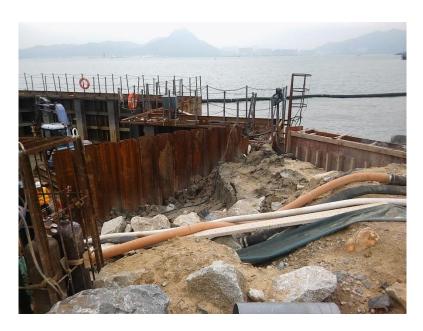
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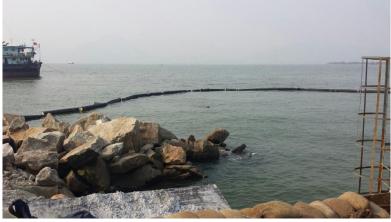
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### **INVESTIGATION REPORT ON**

#### ACTION AND LIMIT LEVEL NON-COMPLIANCE

### FOR

#### **CONTRACT NO. HY/2013/03**

Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and **Ancillary Buildings and Facilities** 

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#### NON-COMPLIANCE INVESTIGATION REPORT No.: 0165-15-IR0011

#### 1. **Project Details**

Contract No.: HY/2013/03

Contract Title: Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and Ancillary Buildings and Facilities

Project Proponent: Highways Department

Main Contractor: China Harbour Engineering Co. Ltd.

#### 2. Details of Non-compliance

Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170920DO) was forwarded by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 on 27 September 2017. Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170920SS) was forwarded by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 on 06 October 2017:

Monitoring Date: 20 September 2017

The Action and Limit Levels of dissolved oxygen (DO) at determined from baseline monitoring data are listed below:

Monitoring Parameter	Action Level (mg/L)	Limit Level (mg/L)
DO (Surface and Middle)	5.0	4.2 (except 5 mg/L for FCZ)
DO (Bottom)	4.7	3.6
SS	23.5 and 120% (i.e. 20.4 for mid-ebb /10.5 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's SS at the same tide of the same day	34.4 and 130% (i.e. 22.1 for mid- ebb/11.4 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's SS at the same tide of the same day and 10mg/L for WSD Seawater intakes

Parameter	Station	Depth	Measured at mid- ebb tide (mg/L)	Measured at mid- flood tide (mg/L)
	SR6	Surface & Middle	5.1	4.5
		Bottom	5.0	4.6
DO	SR10A	Surface & Middle	5.0	<u>4.5</u>
		Bottom	4.7	4.5
	SR10B(N)	Surface & Middle	5.0	<u>4.5</u>
SS	SR6	Depth average	10.4	25.4

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Notes: Bold means AL exceedances Bold with underline means LL exceedances Upstream control stations of mid-ebb tide: CS(Mf)3(N) and CS4 Upstream control stations of mid-flood tide: CS(Mf)5, CS6 and CSA

Monitoring was undertaken by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF. The Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170920DO) provided by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF are shown in **Appendix A**.

#### 3. Investigation of Non-compliance

#### Summary of Investigation

As confirmed with Mr. Marko Chan, Environmental Officer, and operation team of Contract No. HY/2013/03, there was marine transportation on the date of exceedance. Regarding marine transportation, the vessels was sized to make sure adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash. For turbidity exceedance recorded at the WQM station SR6, the concerned WQM stations where the exceedances were recorded were not close to the marine delivery route of Contract No. HY/2013/03, while there was no notification of exceedance received at the WQM stations closer to the marine delivery route, such as IS(Mf)11. Regarding marine-based works in Box Culvert B, the work undertaken at the date of exceedance was preparation work of precast installation which had a cofferdam to separate seawater and works area. Silt curtain was also maintained to enclose the work area of the outlet of the box culvert fully. All sea water flows into the work area of box culvert B will be treated by desilting facilities before discharge in accordance with the discharge license approved by EPD for Contract No. HY/2013/03. In addition, the exceedances recorded at the concerned WQM stations (i.e. SR6, SR10A and SR10B(N)) are far away from the marine works area of Contract No. HY/2013/03, while there was no notification of exceedance received at the WQM stations closer to the works areas, such as IS(Mf)11. It was unlikely to consume any dissolved oxygen to cause the DO exceedances recorded at the concerned WQM stations during mid-flood tide on 20 September 2017.

The location of the WQM stations where exceedances were recorded and all relevant WQM stations are shown in **Figure 1** and the locations of marine-based construction works are shown in **Figure 2**.

#### Investigation Results

The ET of Contract No. HY/2013/03 concluded that the captioned exceedance was not related to the construction site activities of the contract. Nevertheless, the Contractor had been reminded to comply with the requirements stipulated in the Environmental Mitigation Implementation Schedule (EMIS) of the EM&A Manual, in particular:



- Water Quality:
  - W1-
  - 1. barges and hopper dredgers shall have tight fitting seals to their bottom openings to prevent leakage of material;
  - 2. any pipe leakages shall be repaired quickly. Plant should not be operated with leaking pipes;
  - loading of barges and hoppers shall be controlled to prevent splashing of dredged material to the surrounding water. Barges or hoppers shall not be filled to a level which will cause overflow of materials or pollution of water during loading or transportation;
  - 4. excess material shall be cleaned from the decks and exposed fittings of barges and hopper dredgers before the vessel is moved;
  - 5. adequate freeboard shall be maintained on barges to reduce the likelihood of decks being washed by wave action; and
  - 6. all vessels shall be sized such that adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash.

W2-

- 1. wastewater from temporary site facilities should be controlled to prevent direct discharge to surface or marine waters;
- storm drainage shall be directed to storm drains via adequately designed sand/silt removal facilities such as sand traps, silt traps and sediment basins. Channels, earth bunds or sand bag barriers should be provided on site to properly direct stormwater to such silt removal facilities. Catchpits and perimeter channels should be constructed in advance of site formation works and earthworks;
- 3. silt removal facilities, channels and manholes shall be maintained and any deposited silt and grit shall be removed regularly, including specifically at the onset of and after each rainstorm;
- 4. rainwater pumped out from trenches or foundation excavations should be discharged into storm drains via silt removal facilities;
- 5. measures should be taken to prevent the washout of construction materials, soil, silt or debris into any drainage system;
- 6. open stockpiles of construction materials (e.g. aggregates and sand) on site should be covered with tarpaulin or similar fabric during rainstorms;
- discharges of surface run-off into foul sewers must always be prevented in order not to unduly overload the foul sewerage system;
- 8. surface run-off from bunded areas should pass through oil/grease traps prior to discharge to the stormwater system.

#### 4. Follow up Status (Exceedance)

During weekly site audit on 25 and 31 August, 8, 15 and 21 September 2017, ET confirmed the Contractor had provided workable and effective water quality mitigation measures.

Photos showing the site situation of marine works in Box Culvert B which was taken during the site audit in mid-October are shown in **Appendix B**.



#### 5. Recommendation to the Contractor

The Contractor was reminded to continue to fully maintain all water quality mitigation measures.

#### 6. Follow up Status (Overall)

The captioned exceedance was not related to the Contract and therefore, no additional follow-up action is needed. However, ET proposed recommendations to Contractor in particular to the following aspects when there are marine construction activities.

Water Quality:

- Barges and hopper dredgers shall have tight fitting seals to their bottom openings to prevent leakage of material;
- Any pipe leakages shall be repaired quickly. Plant should not be operated with leaking pipes;
- Loading of barges and hoppers shall be controlled to prevent splashing of dredged material to the surrounding water. Barges or hoppers shall not be filled to a level which will cause overflow of materials or pollution of water during loading or transportation;
- Excess material shall be cleaned from the decks and exposed fittings of barges and hopper dredgers before the vessel is moved;
- Adequate freeboard shall be maintained on barges to reduce the likelihood of decks being washed by wave action; and
- All vessels shall be sized such that adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash.
- wastewater from temporary site facilities should be controlled to prevent direct discharge to surface or marine waters;
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- silt removal facilities, channels and manholes shall be maintained and any deposited silt and grit shall be removed regularly, including specifically at the onset of and after each rainstorm;
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- measures should be taken to prevent the washout of construction materials, soil, silt or debris into any drainage system;
- open stockpiles of construction materials (e.g. aggregates and sand) on site should be covered with tarpaulin or similar fabric during rainstorms;
- discharges of surface run-off into foul sewers must always be prevented in order not to unduly overload the foul sewerage system;

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• surface run-off from bunded areas should pass through oil/grease traps prior to discharge to the stormwater system.

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Figure 1

The Location of WQM Stations







IMPACT STATIONS



CONTROL / FAR FIELD STATIONS

SENSITIVE RECEIVERS STATIONS

# FIGURE 4.1- LOCATION OF WATER QUALITY MONITORING STATIONS

## SETTING OUT SCHEDULE

MONITORING	CO-OR	DINATES
STATIONS	EASTING	NORTHING
1\$5	811579	817106
IS(Mf)6	812101	817873
IS7	812244	818777
IS8	814251	818412
IS(Mf)9	813273	818850
IS10	812577	820670
IS10(N)	812942	820455
IS(Mf)11	813562	820716
IS(Mf)16	814328	819497
IS17	814539	820391
SR3	810525	816456
SR4(N)	814705	817859
SR5	811489	820455
SR 5(N)	812569	821475
SR6	805837	821818
SR7	814293	821431
SR10A	823741	823495
SR10B(N)	823683	820881
CS(Mf)3	809989	821117
CS(Mf)3(N)	808814	822355
CS(Mf)5	817990	821129
CS4	810025	824004
CS6	817028	823992
CSA	818103	823064

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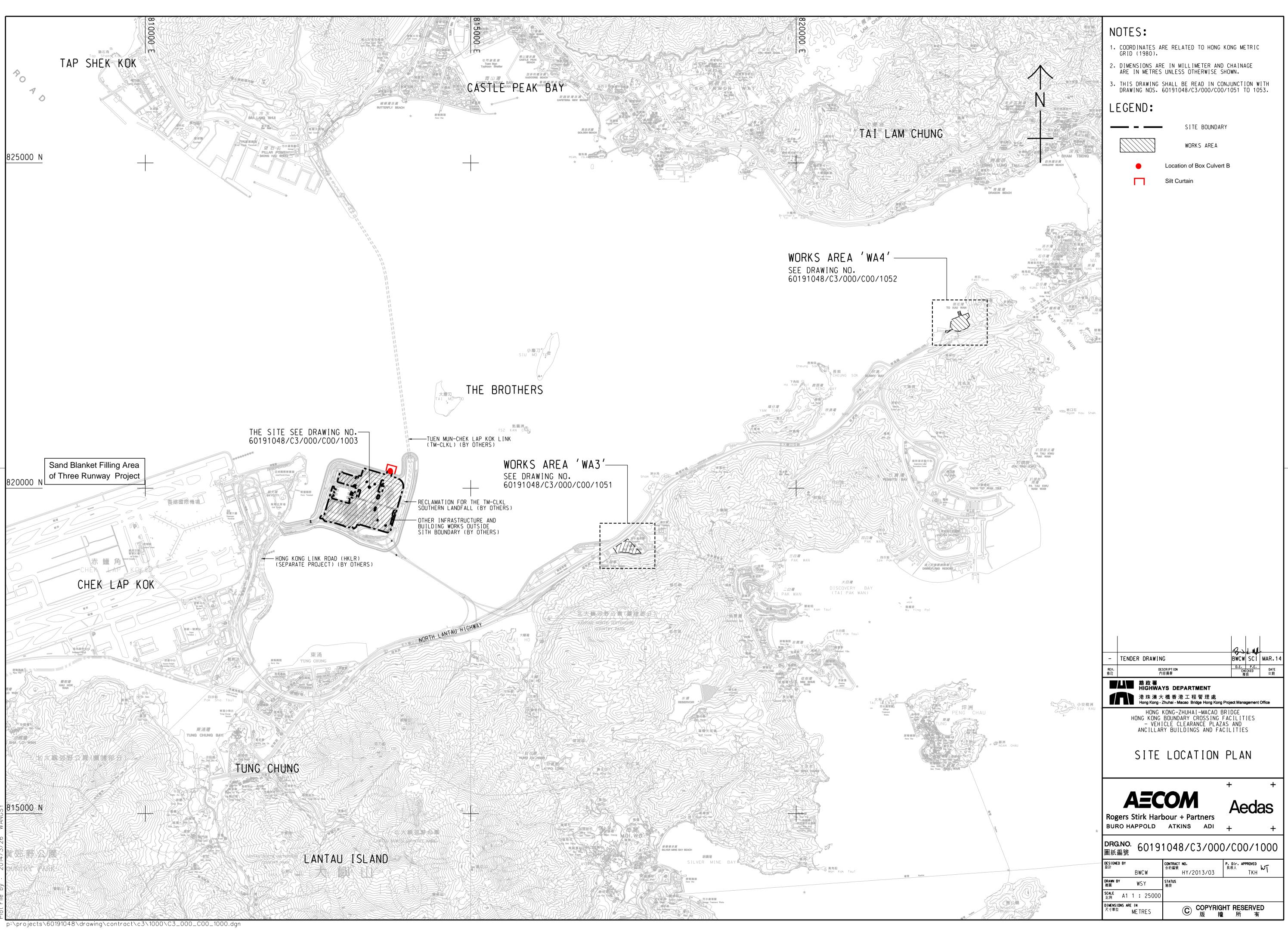
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Figure 2

### The Locations of Marine Transportation and Marine-based Construction Works



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Appendix A

Notification of Limit Level Exceedance

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Hong Kong- Zhuhai- Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities – Passenger Clearance Building Notifications of Environmental Quality Limits Exceedances Notification No.: 20170920DO Date of Notification: 25 September 2017 Works Inspected: Data collected from water sampling works on 20 September 2017 and the results were issued on 23 September 2017 Monitoring Location: Water Quality Monitoring Station Parameter: Dissolved Oxygen (DO)/ Suspended Solid (SS)/ Turbidity (TURB) Action & Limit Level (AL & LL) / Measured Level: MEASURED AT MID-MEASURED AT MID-PARAM STATION DEPTH AL (mg/L) LL (mg/L) EBB TIDE (mg/L) FLOOD TIDE (mg/L) Surface and Surface and Middle 5.1 4.5 SR6 Middle Surface and 4.6 5.0 Bottom 4.2 Middle (except 5 5.0 DO Surface and Middle 5.0 <u>4.5</u> mg/L for SR10A Bottom FCZ) 4.7 Bottom 4.5 4.7 Bottom SR10B(N) Surface and Middle 5.0 4.5 3.6 Remarks: Bold means AL exceedances. Bold with underline means LL exceedances.

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Contract No. HY/2013/01 -Hong Kong- Zhuhai- Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Passenger Clearance Building Notifications of Environmental Quality Limits Exceedances

Notification No.: 20170920SS

Date of Notification: 6 October 2017

Works Inspected: Data collected from water sampling works on 20 September 2017 and the results were issued on 29 September 2017

Monitoring Location: Water Quality Monitoring Station

Parameter: Dissolved Oxygen (DO)/ Suspended Solid (SS)/ Turbidity (TURB)

Action & Limit Level (AL & LL) / Measured Level:						
PARAM	STATION	DEPTH	AL (mg/L)	LL (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- EBB TIDE (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- FLOOD TIDE (mg/L)
SS	SR6	Depth Average	23.5 and 120% (i.e. 16.7 for mid- ebb/19.0 for mid- flood) of upstream control station's SS at the same tide of the same day	34.4 and 130% (i.e. 18.1 for mid- ebb/20.6 for mid- flood) of upstream control station's SS at the same tide of the same day and 10mg/L for WSD Seawater intakes	10.4	25.4

Remarks:

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Upstream control stations of mid-ebb tide: CS(Mf)3(N) and CS4

Upstream control stations of mid-flood tide: CS(Mf)5, CS6 and CSA

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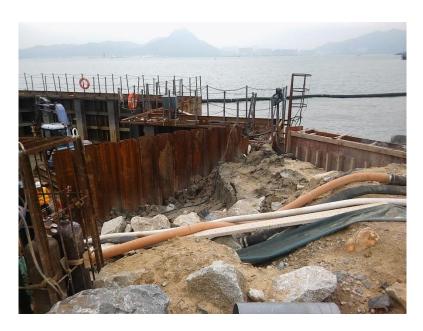
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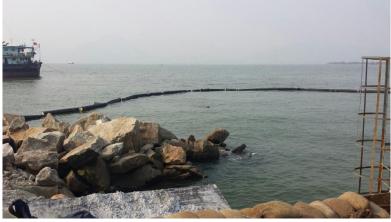
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#### 1. **Project Details**

Contract No.: HY/2013/03

Contract Title: Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and Ancillary Buildings and Facilities

Project Proponent: Highways Department

Main Contractor: China Harbour Engineering Co. Ltd.

#### 2. Details of Non-compliance

Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170922DO) was forwarded by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 on 27 September 2017:

Monitoring Date: 22 September 2017

The Action and Limit Levels of dissolved oxygen (DO) at determined from baseline monitoring data are listed below:

Monitoring Parameter	Action Level (mg/L)	Limit Level (mg/L)
DO (Surface and Middle)	5.0	4.2 (except 5 mg/L for FCZ)
DO (Bottom)	4.7	3.6

Parameter	Station	Depth	Measured at mid- ebb tide (mg/L)	Measured at mid- flood tide (mg/L)
	IS8	Surface & Middle	5.2	4.8
	IS(Mf)9	Surface & Middle	5.3	4.9
	IS10(N)	Surface & Middle	4.8	4.8
		Bottom	4.6	4.8
DO	IS(Mf)11	Surface & Middle	4.7	4.9
	IS(Mf)16	Surface & Middle	5.1	4.8
	IS17	Surface & Middle	5.0	4.8
	SR3	Surface & Middle	4.9	5.0
	SR4(N)	Surface & Middle	5.2	4.8

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SR5(N)	Surface & Middle	4.9	4.8
SR6	Surface & Middle	4.8	4.8
SR7	Surface & Middle	5.0	4.8
SR10A	Surface & Middle	<u>4.9</u>	<u>4.7</u>
SR10B(N)	Surface & Middle	<u>4.8</u>	<u>4.6</u>
	Bottom	4.9	4.5

#### Notes:

Bold means AL exceedances Bold with underline means LL exceedances

Monitoring was undertaken by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF. The Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170922DO) provided by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF are shown in **Appendix A**.

#### 3. Investigation of Non-compliance

#### Summary of Investigation

As confirmed with Mr. Marko Chan, Environmental Officer, and operation team of Contract No. HY/2013/03, there was marine transportation on the date of exceedance. Regarding marine transportation, the vessels was sized to make sure adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash. Regarding marine-based works in Box Culvert B, the work undertaken at the date of exceedance was preparation work of precast installation which had a cofferdam to separate seawater and works area. Silt curtain was also maintained to enclose the work area of the outlet of the box culvert fully. All sea water flows into the work area of box culvert B will be treated by desilting facilities before discharge in accordance with the discharge license approved by EPD for Contract No. HY/2013/03. Besides, no organic matter discharge from the works areas (i.e. box Culvert B) was observed. It was unlikely to consume any dissolved oxygen to cause the DO exceedances recorded at the concerned WQM stations during mid-flood tide on 22 September 2017.

The location of the WQM stations where exceedances were recorded and all relevant WQM stations are shown in **Figure 1** and the locations of marine-based construction works are shown in **Figure 2**.

#### Investigation Results

The ET of Contract No. HY/2013/03 concluded that the captioned exceedance was not related to the construction site activities of the contract. Nevertheless, the Contractor had been reminded to comply with the requirements stipulated in the

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Environmental Mitigation Implementation Schedule (EMIS) of the EM&A Manual, in particular:

• Water Quality:

W1-

- 1. barges and hopper dredgers shall have tight fitting seals to their bottom openings to prevent leakage of material;
- 2. any pipe leakages shall be repaired quickly. Plant should not be operated with leaking pipes;
- loading of barges and hoppers shall be controlled to prevent splashing of dredged material to the surrounding water. Barges or hoppers shall not be filled to a level which will cause overflow of materials or pollution of water during loading or transportation;
- 4. excess material shall be cleaned from the decks and exposed fittings of barges and hopper dredgers before the vessel is moved;
- 5. adequate freeboard shall be maintained on barges to reduce the likelihood of decks being washed by wave action; and
- 6. all vessels shall be sized such that adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash.

W2-

- 1. wastewater from temporary site facilities should be controlled to prevent direct discharge to surface or marine waters;
- storm drainage shall be directed to storm drains via adequately designed sand/silt removal facilities such as sand traps, silt traps and sediment basins. Channels, earth bunds or sand bag barriers should be provided on site to properly direct stormwater to such silt removal facilities. Catchpits and perimeter channels should be constructed in advance of site formation works and earthworks;
- 3. silt removal facilities, channels and manholes shall be maintained and any deposited silt and grit shall be removed regularly, including specifically at the onset of and after each rainstorm;
- 4. rainwater pumped out from trenches or foundation excavations should be discharged into storm drains via silt removal facilities;
- 5. measures should be taken to prevent the washout of construction materials, soil, silt or debris into any drainage system;
- 6. open stockpiles of construction materials (e.g. aggregates and sand) on site should be covered with tarpaulin or similar fabric during rainstorms;
- 7. discharges of surface run-off into foul sewers must always be prevented in order not to unduly overload the foul sewerage system;
- 8. surface run-off from bunded areas should pass through oil/grease traps prior to discharge to the stormwater system.

### 4. Follow up Status (Exceedance)

During weekly site audit on 8, 15, 21 and 25 September 2017, ET confirmed the Contractor had provided workable and effective water quality mitigation measures.

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Photos showing the site situation of marine works in Box Culvert B which was taken during the site audit in mid-October are shown in **Appendix B**.

#### 5. Recommendation to the Contractor

The Contractor was reminded to continue to fully maintain all water quality mitigation measures.

#### 6. Follow up Status (Overall)

The captioned exceedance was not related to the Contract and therefore, no additional follow-up action is needed. However, ET proposed recommendations to Contractor in particular to the following aspects when there are marine construction activities.

Water Quality:

- Barges and hopper dredgers shall have tight fitting seals to their bottom openings to prevent leakage of material;
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- surface run-off from bunded areas should pass through oil/grease traps ٠ prior to discharge to the stormwater system.

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Figure 1

The Location of WQM Stations







IMPACT STATIONS



CONTROL / FAR FIELD STATIONS

SENSITIVE RECEIVERS STATIONS

# FIGURE 4.1- LOCATION OF WATER QUALITY MONITORING STATIONS

# SETTING OUT SCHEDULE

MONITORING	CO-OR	CO-ORDINATES			
STATIONS	EASTING	NORTHING			
1\$5	811579	817106			
IS(Mf)6	812101	817873			
IS7	812244	818777			
IS8	814251	818412			
IS(Mf)9	813273	818850			
IS10	812577	820670			
IS10(N)	812942	820455			
IS(Mf)11	813562	820716			
IS(Mf)16	814328	819497			
IS17	814539	820391			
SR3	810525	816456			
SR4(N)	814705	817859			
SR5	811489	820455			
SR 5(N)	812569	821475			
SR6	805837	821818			
SR7	814293	821431			
SR10A	823741	823495			
SR10B(N)	823683	820881			
CS(Mf)3	809989	821117			
CS(Mf)3(N)	808814	822355			
CS(Mf)5	817990	821129			
CS4	810025	824004			
CS6	817028	823992			
CSA	818103	823064			

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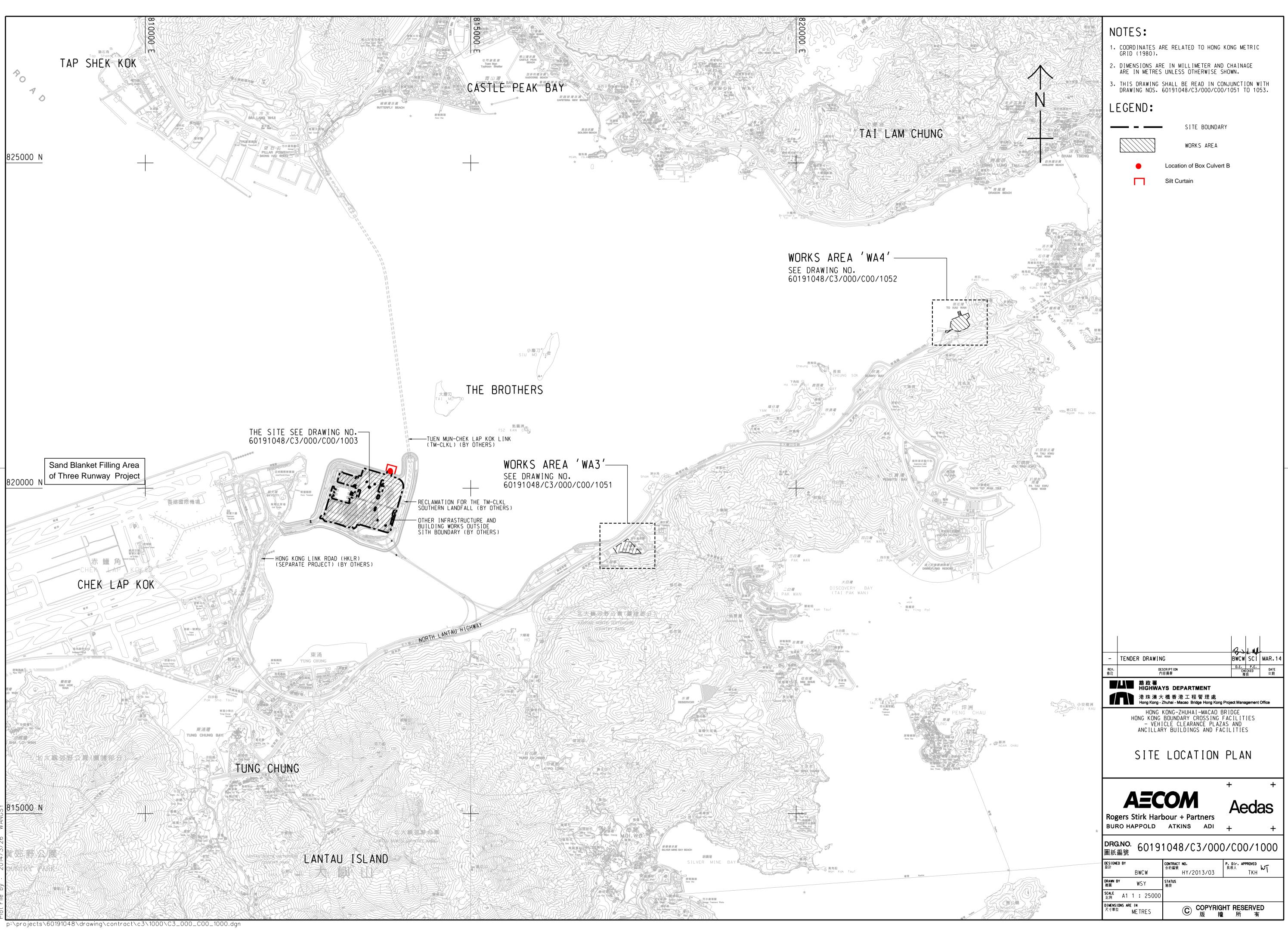
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Figure 2

## The Locations of Marine Transportation and Marine-based Construction Works



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Contract No. HY/2013/01 -Hong Kong- Zhuhai- Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities – Passenger Clearance Building Notifications of Environmental Quality Limits Exceedances Notification No.: 20170922DO Date of Notification: 27 September 2017 Works Inspected: Data collected from water sampling works on 22 September 2017 and the results were issued on 26 September 2017 Monitoring Location: Water Quality Monitoring Station Parameter: Dissolved Oxygen (DO)/ Suspended Solid (SS)/ Turbidity (TURB) Action & Limit Level (AL & LL) / Measured Level: MEASURED AT MID-MEASURED AT MID-PARAM STATION DEPTH LL (mg/L) AL (mg/L) EBB TIDE (mg/L) FLOOD TIDE (mg/L) IS8 Surface and Middle 5.2 4.8 IS(Mf)9 Surface and Middle 5.3 4.9 Surface and Middle 4.8 4.8 IS10(N) Bottom 4.6 4.8 4.7 IS(Mf)11 Surface and Middle 4.9 IS(Mf)16 Surface and Middle Surface and 5.1 4.8 Middle Surface and IS17 Surface and Middle 5.0 4.8 4.2 Middle (except 5 SR3 Surface and Middle 5.0 4.9 5.0 mg/L for DO Bottom FCZ) SR4(N) 5.2 4.8 Surface and Middle 4.7 Bottom SR5(N) Surface and Middle 4.9 4.8 3.6 SR6 Surface and Middle 4.8 4.8 SR7 Surface and Middle 5.0 4.8 SR10A 4.7 Surface and Middle 4.9 Surface and Middle 4.8 4.6 SR10B(N) 4.5 4.9 Bottom

Remarks: Bold means AL exceedances.

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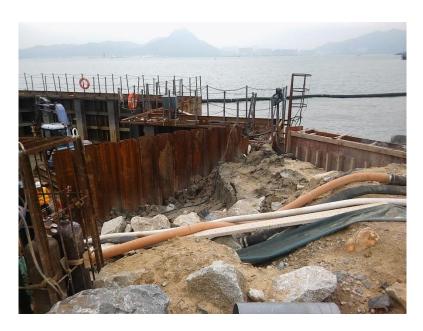
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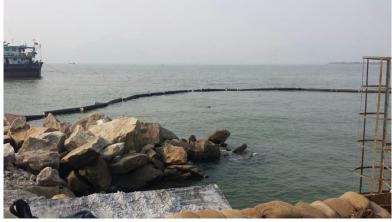
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# **INVESTIGATION REPORT ON**

### ACTION AND LIMIT LEVEL NON-COMPLIANCE

# FOR

## **CONTRACT NO. HY/2013/03**

Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and **Ancillary Buildings and Facilities** 

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#### NON-COMPLIANCE INVESTIGATION REPORT No.: 0165-15-IR0013

#### 1. **Project Details**

Contract No.: HY/2013/03

Contract Title: Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and Ancillary Buildings and Facilities

Project Proponent: Highways Department

Main Contractor: China Harbour Engineering Co. Ltd.

#### 2. Details of Non-compliance

Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170925DO) was forwarded by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 on 4 October 2017. Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170925SS) was forwarded by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 on 9 October 2017:

Monitoring Date: 25 September 2017

The Action and Limit Levels of dissolved oxygen (DO) at determined from baseline monitoring data are listed below:

Monitoring Parameter	Action Level (mg/L)	Limit Level (mg/L)
DO (Surface and Middle)	5.0	4.2 (except 5 mg/L for FCZ)
DO (Bottom)	4.7	3.6
SS	23.5 and 120% (i.e. 7.3 for mid-ebb /9.1 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's SS at the same tide of the same day	34.4 and 130% (i.e. 7.9 for mid-ebb/9.8 for mid-flood) of upstream control station's SS at the same tide of the same day and 10mg/L for WSD Seawater intakes

Parameter	Station	Depth	Measured at mid- ebb tide (mg/L)	Measured at mid- flood tide (mg/L)
DO	SR10B(N)	Surface & Middle	5.1	<u>4.7</u>
	· · ·	Bottom	5.0	4.6
SS	IS8	Depth average	11.3	30.4

Notes:

Bold means AL exceedances

Bold with underline means LL exceedances

Upstream control stations of mid-ebb tide: CS(Mf)3(N) and CS4

Upstream control stations of mid-flood tide: CS(Mf)5, CS6 and CSA

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Monitoring was undertaken by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF. The Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170925DO) & (20170925SS) provided by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF are shown in **Appendix A**.

#### 3. Investigation of Non-compliance

#### Summary of Investigation

As confirmed with Mr. Marko Chan, Environmental Officer, and operation team of Contract No. HY/2013/03, there was marine transportation on the date of exceedance. Regarding marine transportation, the vessels was sized to make sure adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash. For SS exceedance recorded at the WQM station IS8. the concerned WQM stations where the exceedances were recorded were not close to the marine delivery route of Contract No. HY/2013/03, while there was no notification of exceedance received at the WQM stations closer to the marine delivery route, such as IS(Mf)11. Regarding marine-based works in Box Culvert B, the work undertaken at the date of exceedance was preparation work of precast installation which had a cofferdam to separate seawater and works area. Silt curtain was also maintained to enclose the work area of the outlet of the box culvert fully. All sea water flows into the work area of box culvert B will be treated by desilting facilities before discharge in accordance with the discharge license approved by EPD for Contract No. HY/2013/03. In addition, the concerned WQM station where exceedances were recorded (i.e. SR10B(N)) was far away from the marine works area of Contract No. HY/2013/03, while there was no notification of exceedance received at the WQM stations closer to the works areas, such as IS(Mf)11. It was unlikely to consume any dissolved oxygen to cause the DO exceedances recorded at the concerned WQM stations during mid-flood and mid-ebb tide on 25 September 2017.

For SS exceedance, the exceedance recorded at the concerned WQM station (i.e. IS8) is far away from the marine works area of Contract No. HY/2013/03, while there was no notification of exceedance received at the WQM stations closer to the works areas, such as IS(Mf)11. It was unlikely that the works undertaken by Contract No. HY/2013/03 caused SS exceedance recorded at the concerned WQM station during mid-flood tide on 25 September 2017.

The location of the WQM stations where exceedances were recorded and all relevant WQM stations are shown in **Figure 1** and the locations of marine-based construction works are shown in **Figure 2**.

#### **Investigation Results**

The ET of Contract No. HY/2013/03 concluded that the captioned exceedance was not related to the construction site activities of the contract. Nevertheless, the Contractor had been reminded to comply with the requirements stipulated in the Environmental Mitigation Implementation Schedule (EMIS) of the EM&A Manual, in particular:



• Water Quality:

W1-

- 1. barges and hopper dredgers shall have tight fitting seals to their bottom openings to prevent leakage of material;
- any pipe leakages shall be repaired quickly. Plant should not be operated with leaking pipes;
- loading of barges and hoppers shall be controlled to prevent splashing of dredged material to the surrounding water. Barges or hoppers shall not be filled to a level which will cause overflow of materials or pollution of water during loading or transportation;
- 4. excess material shall be cleaned from the decks and exposed fittings of barges and hopper dredgers before the vessel is moved;
- 5. adequate freeboard shall be maintained on barges to reduce the likelihood of decks being washed by wave action; and
- 6. all vessels shall be sized such that adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash.

W2-

- 1. wastewater from temporary site facilities should be controlled to prevent direct discharge to surface or marine waters;
- storm drainage shall be directed to storm drains via adequately designed sand/silt removal facilities such as sand traps, silt traps and sediment basins. Channels, earth bunds or sand bag barriers should be provided on site to properly direct stormwater to such silt removal facilities. Catchpits and perimeter channels should be constructed in advance of site formation works and earthworks;
- 3. silt removal facilities, channels and manholes shall be maintained and any deposited silt and grit shall be removed regularly, including specifically at the onset of and after each rainstorm;
- 4. rainwater pumped out from trenches or foundation excavations should be discharged into storm drains via silt removal facilities;
- 5. measures should be taken to prevent the washout of construction materials, soil, silt or debris into any drainage system;
- 6. open stockpiles of construction materials (e.g. aggregates and sand) on site should be covered with tarpaulin or similar fabric during rainstorms;
- 7. discharges of surface run-off into foul sewers must always be prevented in order not to unduly overload the foul sewerage system;
- 8. surface run-off from bunded areas should pass through oil/grease traps prior to discharge to the stormwater system.

### 4. Follow up Status (Exceedance)

During weekly site audit on 8, 15, 21 and 25 September 2017, ET confirmed the Contractor had provided workable and effective water quality mitigation measures.

Photos showing the site situation of marine works in Box Culvert B which was taken during the site audit in mid-October are shown in **Appendix B**.



#### 5. Recommendation to the Contractor

The Contractor was reminded to continue to fully maintain all water quality mitigation measures.

#### 6. Follow up Status (Overall)

The captioned exceedance was not related to the Contract and therefore, no additional follow-up action is needed. However, ET proposed recommendations to Contractor in particular to the following aspects when there are marine construction activities.

Water Quality:

- Barges and hopper dredgers shall have tight fitting seals to their bottom openings to prevent leakage of material;
- Any pipe leakages shall be repaired quickly. Plant should not be operated with leaking pipes;
- Loading of barges and hoppers shall be controlled to prevent splashing of dredged material to the surrounding water. Barges or hoppers shall not be filled to a level which will cause overflow of materials or pollution of water during loading or transportation;
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- wastewater from temporary site facilities should be controlled to prevent direct discharge to surface or marine waters;
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• surface run-off from bunded areas should pass through oil/grease traps prior to discharge to the stormwater system.

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Figure 1

The Location of WQM Stations







IMPACT STATIONS



CONTROL / FAR FIELD STATIONS

SENSITIVE RECEIVERS STATIONS

# FIGURE 4.1- LOCATION OF WATER QUALITY MONITORING STATIONS

# SETTING OUT SCHEDULE

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IS(Mf)9	813273	818850			
IS10	812577	820670			
IS10(N)	812942	820455			
IS(Mf)11	813562	820716			
IS(Mf)16	814328	819497			
IS17	814539	820391			
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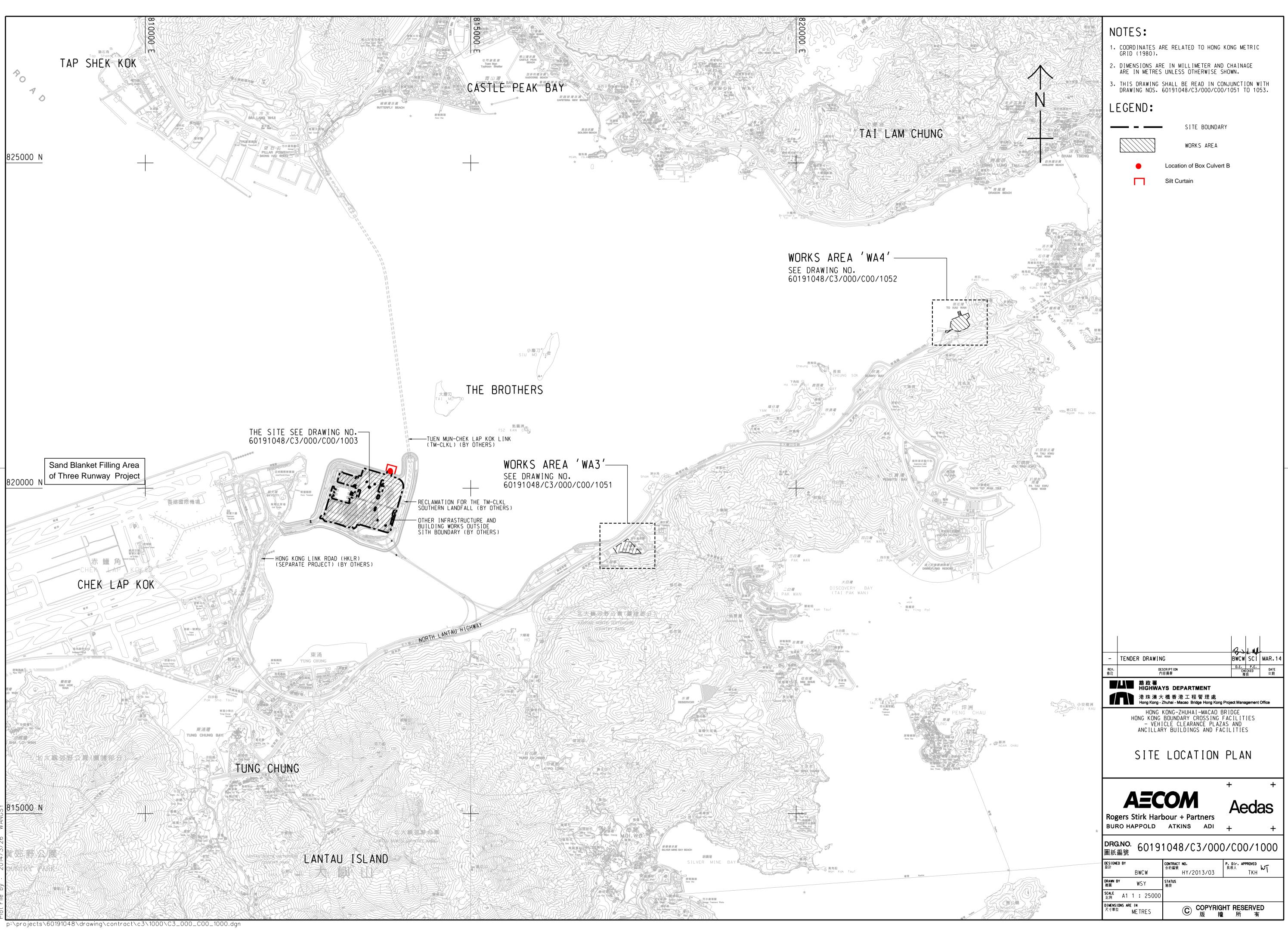
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Figure 2

## The Locations of Marine Transportation and Marine-based Construction Works



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Appendix A

Notification of Limit Level Exceedance

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Notifications of Environmental Quality Limits Exceedances

Notification No.: 20170925DO

Date of Notification: 3 October 2017

Works Inspected: Data collected from water sampling works on 25 September 2017 and the results were issued on 29 September 2017

Monitoring Location: Water Quality Monitoring Station

Parameter: Dissolved Oxygen (DO)/ Suspended Solid (SS)/ Turbidity (TURB)

#### Action & Limit Level (AL & LL) / Measured Level:

PARAM	STATION	DEPTH	AL (mg/L)	LL (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- EBB TIDE (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- FLOOD TIDE (mg/L)
		Surface and Middle	Surface and Middle 5.0	Surface and Middle 4.2 (except 5	5.1	<u>4.7</u>
DO	SR10B(N)	Bottom	Bottom 4.7	mg/L for FCZ) Bottom 3.6	5.0	4.6

Remarks:

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Remarks:

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Upstream control stations of mid-flood tide: CS(Mf)5, CS6 and CSA

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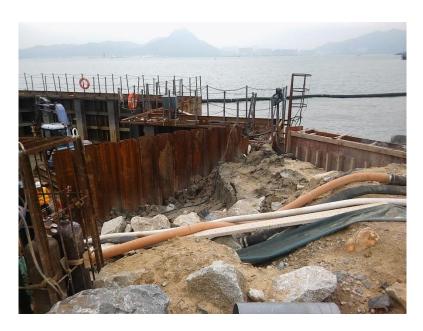
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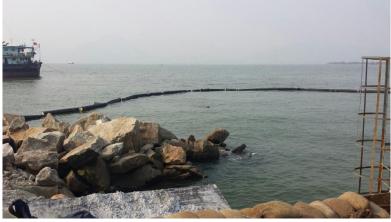
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### ACTION AND LIMIT LEVEL NON-COMPLIANCE

# FOR

## **CONTRACT NO. HY/2013/03**

Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and **Ancillary Buildings and Facilities** 

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#### NON-COMPLIANCE INVESTIGATION REPORT No.: 0165-15-IR014

#### 1. Project Details

Contract No.: HY/2013/03

Contract Title: Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and Ancillary Buildings and Facilities

Project Proponent: Highways Department

Main Contractor: China Harbour Engineering Co. Ltd.

#### 2. Details of Non-compliance

Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170927\_DO\_NOE\_v1) were forwarded by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 on 4 October 2017:

Monitoring Date: 27 September 2017

The Action and Limit Levels of dissolved oxygen (DO) at determined from baseline monitoring data are listed below:

Monitoring Parameter	Action Level (mg/L)	Limit Level (mg/L)
DO (Surface and Middle)	5.0	4.2 (except 5 mg/L for FCZ)
DO (Bottom)	4.7	3.6

Parameter	Station	Depth	Measured at mid- ebb tide (mg/L)	Measured at mid- flood tide (mg/L)
	IS10(N)	Bottom	4.6	5.0
	IS17	Bottom	4.6	4.8
	SR5(N)	Bottom	4.6	5.0
DO	SR10A	Bottom	5.3	4.6
	SR10B(N)	Surface & Middle	5.0	<u>4.7</u>
		Bottom	4.4	4.4

Notes:

Bold means AL exceedances

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Monitoring was undertaken by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF. The Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170927\_DO\_NOE\_v1) provided by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF are shown in **Appendix A**.

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#### 3. Investigation of Non-compliance

#### Summary of Investigation

As confirmed with Mr. Marko Chan, Environmental Officer, and operation team of Contract No. HY/2013/03, there was marine transportation on the date of exceedance. Regarding marine transportation, the vessels was sized to make sure adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash. Regarding marine-based works in Box Culvert B, the work undertaken at the date of exceedance was preparation work of precast installation which had a cofferdam to separate seawater and works area. Silt curtain was also maintained to enclose the work area of the outlet of the box culvert fully. All sea water flows into the work area of box culvert B will be treated by desilting facilities before discharge in accordance with the discharge license approved by EPD for Contract No. HY/2013/03. In addition, the concerned WQM stations where the exceedances were recorded were far away from the marine works area of Contract No. HY/2013/03, while there was no notification of exceedance received at the WQM stations closer to the works areas, such as IS(Mf)11. It was unlikely to consume any dissolved oxygen to cause the DO exceedances recorded at the concerned WQM stations during mid-flood tide on 27 September 2017.

The location of the WQM stations where exceedances were recorded and all relevant WQM stations are shown in Figure 1 and the locations of marine-based construction works are shown in Figure 2.

#### **Investigation Results**

The ET of Contract No. HY/2013/03 concluded that the captioned exceedance was not related to the construction site activities of the contract. Nevertheless, the Contractor had been reminded to comply with the requirements stipulated in the Environmental Mitigation Implementation Schedule (EMIS) of the EM&A Manual, in particular:

Water Quality: .

W1-

- 1. barges and hopper dredgers shall have tight fitting seals to their bottom openings to prevent leakage of material;
- 2. any pipe leakages shall be repaired quickly. Plant should not be operated with leaking pipes:
- 3. loading of barges and hoppers shall be controlled to prevent splashing of dredged material to the surrounding water. Barges or hoppers shall not be filled to a level which will cause overflow of materials or pollution of water during loading or transportation;
- 4. excess material shall be cleaned from the decks and exposed fittings of barges and hopper dredgers before the vessel is moved;
- 5. adequate freeboard shall be maintained on barges to reduce the likelihood of decks being washed by wave action; and
- 6. all vessels shall be sized such that adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that

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undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash.

W2-

- 1. wastewater from temporary site facilities should be controlled to prevent direct discharge to surface or marine waters;
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- 3. silt removal facilities, channels and manholes shall be maintained and any deposited silt and grit shall be removed regularly, including specifically at the onset of and after each rainstorm;
- 4. rainwater pumped out from trenches or foundation excavations should be discharged into storm drains via silt removal facilities;
- 5. measures should be taken to prevent the washout of construction materials, soil, silt or debris into any drainage system;
- 6. open stockpiles of construction materials (e.g. aggregates and sand) on site should be covered with tarpaulin or similar fabric during rainstorms;
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IS10(N)	812942	820455	
IS(Mf)11	813562	820716	
IS(Mf)16	814328	819497	
IS17	814539	820391	
SR3	810525	816456	
SR4(N)	814705	817859	
SR5	811489	820455	
SR 5(N)	812569	821475	
SR6	805837	821818	
SR7	814293	821431	
SR10A	823741	823495	
SR10B(N)	823683	820881	
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CS6	817028	823992	
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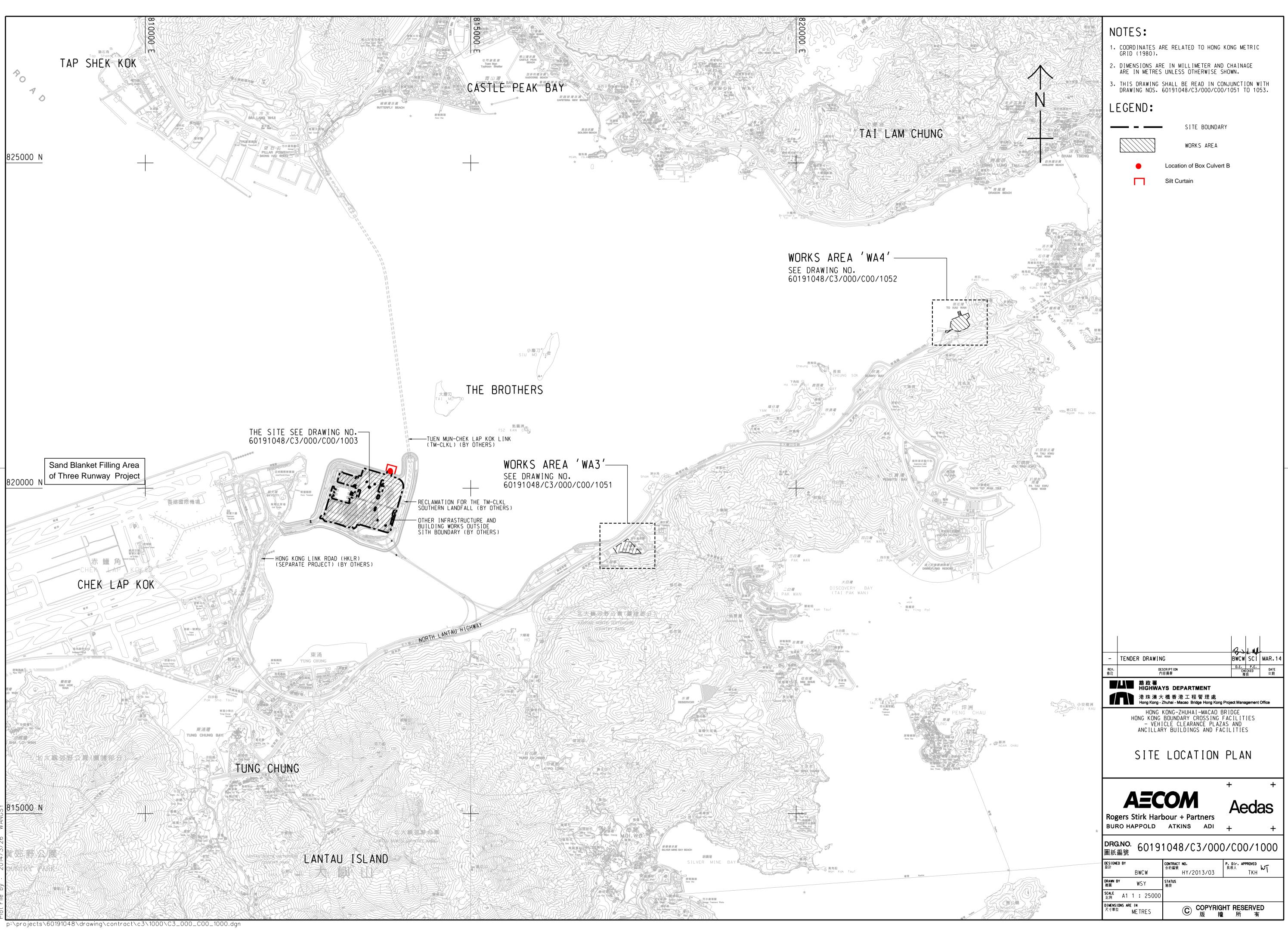
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Figure 2

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Hong Kong	Hong Kong- Zhuhai- Macao Bridge							
Hong Kong	Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities – Passenger Clearance Building							
Notification	Notifications of Environmental Quality Limits Exceedances Notification No.: 20170927 DO NOE v1							
Date of Not	tification: 4	October 2017						
Works Insp	Works Inspected: Data collected from water sampling works on 27 September 2017 and the results were issued on 3 October 2017							
Monitoring	Location: W	ater Quality Monito	oring Station					
Parameter:	Dissolved Ox	kygen (DO)/ <del>Suspe</del>	nded Solid (SS)/ Turt	<del>oidity (TURB)</del>				
Action & Li	mit Level (Al	L & LL) / Measure	d Level:					
PARAM	STATION	DEPTH	AL (mg/L)	LL (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID-EBB TIDE (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID-FLOOD TIDE (mg/L)		
DO	IS10(N)	Bottom	Surface and Middle 5.0 Bottom 4.7	Surface and	4.6	5.0		
DO	IS17	Bottom		5.0 Bottom		Middle	4.6	4.8
DO	SR5(N)	Bottom			4.2	4.6	5.0	
DO	SR10A	Bottom			(except 5 mg/L for FCZ)	5.3	4.6	
DO	SR10B(N)	Surface and Middle			Bottom 3.6	5.0	<u>4.7</u>	
DO	SR10B(N)	Bottom			4.4	4.4		

Remarks:

Bold means AL exceedances.

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Upstream control stations of mid-ebb tide: CS(Mf)3(N) and CS4

Upstream control stations of mid-flood tide: CS(Mf)5, CS6 and CSA

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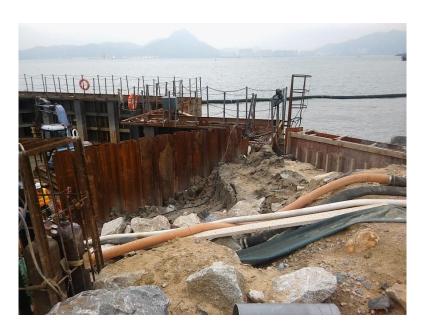
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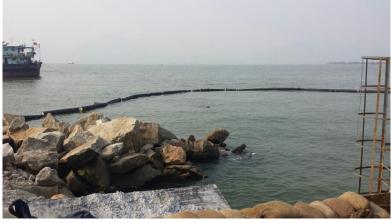
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# **INVESTIGATION REPORT ON**

## ACTION AND LIMIT LEVEL NON-COMPLIANCE

## FOR

## **CONTRACT NO. HY/2013/03**

Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and **Ancillary Buildings and Facilities** 

Report No. Ref.: 0165-15-IR0015

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### NON-COMPLIANCE INVESTIGATION REPORT No.: 0165-15-IR015

#### 1. Project Details

Contract No.: HY/2013/03

Contract Title: Hong Kong Zhuhai Macao Bridge Hong Kong Boundary Crossing Facilities - Vehicle Clearance Plazas and Ancillary Buildings and Facilities

Project Proponent: Highways Department

Main Contractor: China Harbour Engineering Co. Ltd.

### 2. Details of Non-compliance

Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170929DO) were forwarded by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 on 9 October 2017:

Monitoring Date: 29 September 2017

The Action and Limit Levels of dissolved oxygen (DO) at determined from baseline monitoring data are listed below:

Monitoring Parameter	Action Level (mg/L)	Limit Level (mg/L)
DO (Surface and Middle)	5.0	4.2 (except 5 mg/L for FCZ)
DO (Bottom)	4.7	3.6

Parameter	Station	Depth	Measured at mid- ebb tide (mg/L)	Measured at mid- flood tide (mg/L)
	IS5	Bottom	4.8	4.4
	IS7	Bottom	4.3	15.0
	IS8	Bottom	4.4	5.7
	IS10(N)	Surface &	4.8	6.2
DO		Middle		
		Bottom	4.2	4.2
	IS(Mf)11	Bottom	4.6	4.1
	IS(Mf)16	Bottom	4.4	5.5
	IS17	Bottom	4.7	4.2
	SR5(N)	Bottom	4.3	4.2
	SR10B(N)	Bottom	4.5	5.0

Notes:

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Red tide was observed by ET for Contract No. HY/2013/01 near WQM stations, SR3, IS5, IS(Mf)6, IS7 and IS(Mf)16, during mid-flood tide on 29 September 2017

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Monitoring was undertaken by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF. The Notification of Action/Limit Level Exceedance (20170927\_DO\_NOE\_v1) provided by the ET of Contract No. HY/2013/01 of HKBCF are shown in **Appendix A**. **Investigation of Non-compliance** 

#### Summary of Investigation

As confirmed with Mr. Marko Chan, Environmental Officer, and operation team of Contract No. HY/2013/03, there was marine transportation on the date of exceedance. Regarding marine transportation, the vessels was sized to make sure adequate clearance is maintained between vessels and the sea bed at all states of the tide to ensure that undue turbidity is not generated by turbulence from vessel movement or propeller wash. Regarding marine-based works in Box Culvert B, the work undertaken at the date of exceedance was preparation work of precast installation which had a cofferdam to separate seawater and works area. Silt curtain was also maintained to enclose the work area of the outlet of the box culvert fully. All sea water flows into the work area of box culvert B will be treated by desilting facilities before discharge in accordance with the discharge license approved by EPD for Contract No. HY/2013/03. It was unlikely to consume any dissolved oxygen to cause the DO exceedances recorded at the concerned WQM stations during midflood tide on 29 September 2017.

The location of the WQM stations where exceedances were recorded and all relevant WQM stations are shown in **Figure 1** and the locations of marine-based construction works are shown in **Figure 2**.

### Investigation Results

The ET of Contract No. HY/2013/03 concluded that the captioned exceedance was not related to the construction site activities of the contract. Nevertheless, the Contractor had been reminded to comply with the requirements stipulated in the Environmental Mitigation Implementation Schedule (EMIS) of the EM&A Manual, in particular:

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W1-

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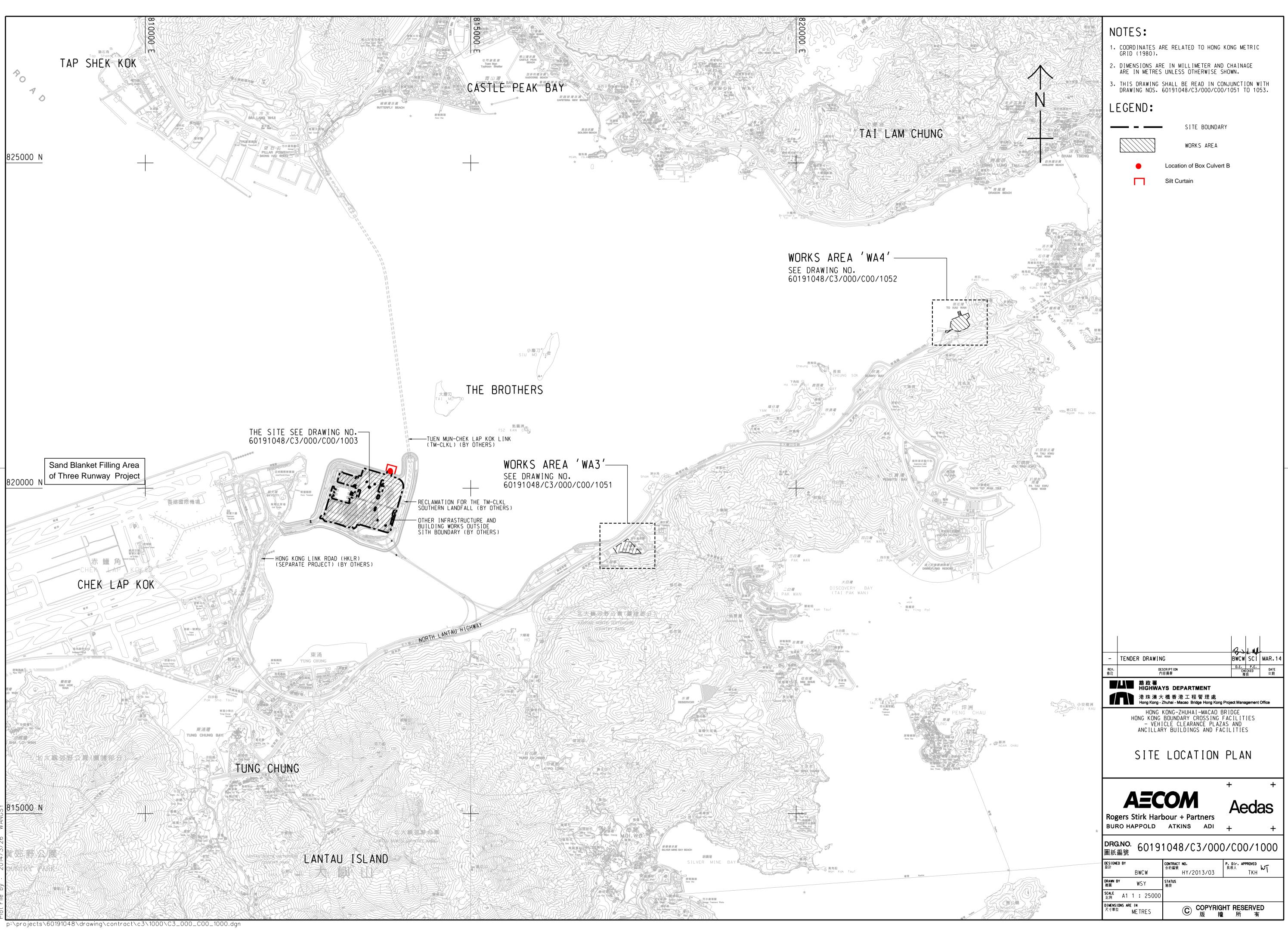
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Figure 2

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Notification No.: 20170929DO

Date of Notification: 9 October 2017

Works Inspected: Data collected from water sampling works on 29 September 2017 and the results were issued on 6 October 2017

Monitoring Location: Water Quality Monitoring Station

Parameter: Dissolved Oxygen (DO)/ Suspended Solid (SS)/ Turbidity (TURB)

#### Action & Limit Level (AL & LL) / Measured Level:

PARAM	STATION	DEPTH	AL (mg/L)	LL (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- EBB TIDE (mg/L)	MEASURED AT MID- FLOOD TIDE (mg/L)
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Appendix **B** 

Photo showing the site situation of marine works in Box Culvert B

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