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To: All Registered Surveyors

ABOLISHMENT OF "APPROVED ASSISTANT SURVEYORS"

Under the Land Surveyors (Amendment) Act 2004 (Cap 156) which comes into operation on 31.3.05, Part VI of the principal Act pertaining to the "Approved Assistant Surveyors" (AAS) is repealed. Consequentially, the Land Surveyors (Approved Assistant Surveyors) Rules 2000 is revoked.

- With the AAS abolished, the Board will cease to maintain the Register of Assistant Surveyors.
- 3 Pursuant to the Land Surveyors (Approved Assistant Surveyors) (Revocation) Rules 2005, no refund shall be made in the respect of any fee paid under the revoked Land Surveyors (Approved Assistant Surveyors) Rules.
- The AAS under direct employment of the registered surveyor will be called "assistant" henceforth. Under the consequential amendments made to the Boundaries and Survey Maps Act (BSMA), registered surveyors are required to apply to the Chief Surveyor to authorise their assistants to enter any land, seabed, foreshore or building for conducting cadastral surveys pursuant to section 11A of the BSMA. The Chief Surveyor is issuing a CS Circular on this matter.

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