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To: All Registered General Building Contractors

All Registered Specialist Contractors

All Registered Minor Works Contractors

All Authorized Persons

All Registered Structural Engineers

All Registered Geotechnical Engineers

Dear Sirs/Madams,

Anti-mosquito Measures in Construction Sites

With the recently imported case of Zika virus infection and the onset of the rainy season, I cannot emphasize more on the importance of your support in combating mosquitoes due to the serious potential health hazard associated with these notorious disease-spreading insects. Your site staff should be vigilant in eliminating potential mosquito breeding niches in construction sites. Reference should be made to the mosquito prevention and control measures uploaded in the website of Food and Environmental Hygiene Department. Should there be a situation in this regard or in the event that a registered contractor is summoned for mosquito-related offences, immediate and thorough auditing of his anti-mosquito measures should be conducted with necessary enhancement.

Yours faithfully,

(LEUNG Tung-choi, Thomas) for Director of Buildings