Hong Kong Airport (Control of Obstructions) Ordinance, Cap 301

The Hong Kong Airport (Control of Obstructions) Ordinance restricts the height of any "building" to that prescribed. In this Ordinance, the word "building" includes any mast or pole or any pile driver, scaffolding, hoist or crane or other structure projecting skywards.

- 2. With construction projects, it is important that tower cranes and any item of temporary plant or equipment used should not exceed the prescribed height restrictions. However, under certain closely monitored conditions, the Director-General of Civil Aviation may be prepared to grant temporary exemption from the Ordinance to enable construction equipment to be erected above the statutory height limits.
- 3. Applications for such temporary exemption should be made on a standard form which can be obtained from the Airport Standards Division of the Civil Aviation Department (CAD) on Level 5, Office Building, Civil Aviation Department Headquarters, 1 Tung Fai Road, Hong Kong International Airport, Lantau, Hong Kong; by fax on 2795 8469 or by downloading from the website of CAD (http://www.cad.gov.hk).

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