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Presentation Ceremony of HKQAA Hong Kong Registration – Recycling Services Pilot Programme *cum* Kickoff Ceremony of HKQAA Hong Kong Registration – Eco-friendly Series

(8 October 2015, Hong Kong) Hong Kong Quality Assurance Agency ("HKQAA") today held the Presentation Ceremony for the "HKQAA Hong Kong Registration – Recycling Services" Pilot Program, presenting 61 registration and "companion" marks to 43 business entities at Hong Kong Science Park. Mr Wong Kam Sing, JP, Secretary for the Environment, joined the ceremony as the officiating guest to kick off another new initiative, the "HKQAA Hong Kong Registration – Ecofriendly Series".

Over 40 Business Entities Participate to Facilitate Recycling

HKQAA kicked off the "HKQAA Hong Kong Registration – Recycling Services" in May this year, to encourage organisations to dispose of, collect and treat waste properly. It aims to promote environmental protection and occupational health and safety practices within the recycling industry. "We intend to promote appropriate maintenance of downstream records of recyclable material, promote the clean recycling concept, and motivate the public and business community to support source separation and the recycling of waste," Ir Dr Hon Lo Wai Kwok, Chairman of HKQAA said.

There has been an overwhelming response from industry since the kickoff of the initiative. 43 business entities have joined the pilot program, obtaining 61 registration and "companion" marks. 18 organisations have registered as both "Waste Collectors" and "Waste Recyclers". Six have become "Waste Collectors" and 19 have joined as "Companions" (please refer to Appendix 1 for the List of Registered Organisations and "Companions"). The registered organisations and "Companions" were recognised in today's ceremony. Representatives from participating organisations and industry leaders shared good practice in environmental protection, and talked about development prospects, at the ceremony.

Adopt Eco-friendly Practices, Add Value to Brands

To further promote green industries, HKQAA today also kicked off a new initiative, the "HKQAA Hong Kong Registration – Eco-friendly Series", to encourage organisations to integrate environmental aspects into the design, production, delivery, use and disposal of their products and services, so as to improve environmental performance. The initiative encourages organisations' contribution to promoting environmental protection, based on traceable evidence that they have done so. It aims to enhance industry and public support for eco-friendly products and services.

This registration service is intended for the manufacturers, importers, traders, retailers and service providers of environmentally-friendly products. It encourages organisations to commit to the environment at different stages of the product life cycle by registering their products or services in the following categories: "Eco-friendly Material", "Eco-friendly Production", "Eco-friendly Product" or "Eco-friendly Service". Organisations which commit to supporting eco-friendly products can join as "Companions". Participating organisations will receive a registration or "companion" mark for promotional purposes.

"In addition to boosting an organisation's reputation and adding value to its brand, we believe the new initiatives will help the public identify registered organisations and 'Companions' using the prominent marks, so that they can make wise consumption choices," said Dr Michael Lam, CEO of HKQAA.



Applicability of "HKQAA Hong Kong Registration – Eco-friendly Series"

Eco-friendly Material

- Products' raw material / component material / packaging material made from / of the following material such as
- · recycled material
- bamboo
- · FSC certified products
- · material free of restricted substance

Eco-friendly Production

Products produced through eco-friendly production processes such as

- · prevention of pollution
- · use of sustainable resources
- · climate change mitigation and adaptation
- · protection of biodiversity and ecosystems
- · restoration of natural habitats

Eco-friendly Product

Products whose use or disposal results in an environmental performance improvement such as

- prevention of pollution
- use of sustainable resources
- · climate change mitigation and adaptation
- · protection of biodiversity and ecosystems
- · restoration of natural habitats
- · design disassembly

Eco-friendly Service

- •Services which are designed to minimise the impact on the environment, which results in an environmental performance improvement such as
- prevention of pollution
- use of sustainable resources

Companion

Organisations which

intend to show their commitment to supporting and using eco-friendly products



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- Mr Wilson Fung, Executive Director, Corporate Development, Airport Authority Hong Kong Waste Management
- Ms Katherine Lau, General Manger, Corporate Quality & Sustainability, Fuji Xerox (Hong Kong) Limited
 Fuji Xerox Integrated Recycling System



Mr Wong Kam Sing, Secretary for the Environment, the Government of the HKSAR (left 2), Ir Dr Hon Lo Wai Kwok, Chairman (right 2), Ir C. S. Ho, Deputy Chairman (left 1) and Dr Michael Lam, Chief Executive Officer (right 1) of HKQAA officiated the kickoff ceremony of "HKQAA Hong Kong Registration – Eco-friendly Series".





Ir Dr Hon Lo Wai Kwok, Chairman of HKQAA (left) presented the "companion" mark to a participating company of "HKQAA Hong Kong Registration – Recycling Services".



Mr Wong Kam Sing, Secretary for the Environment, the Government of the HKSAR, HKQAA Governing Council members, Stakeholder's Group, supporting organisations, as well as the registered organisations and Companions of "HKQAA Hong Kong Registration – Recycling Services".



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HKQAA Background

Hong Kong Quality Assurance Agency (HKQAA) is a non-profit organisation established by Hong Kong Government in 1989. As one of the leading conformity organisations in the Asia-Pacific region, HKQAA is committed to providing certification and assessment services. Through knowledge sharing and technology transfer, HKQAA helps enterprises enhance management performance and competitiveness. Apart from introducing world-class management systems to Hong Kong, HKQAA has also developed a wide range of innovative services to cope with increasingly diversified market demands and the growing need for sustainable development, bringing benefits to the community. Please visit http://www.hkqaa.org for further information.



Appendix 1

HKQAA Hong Kong Registration – Recycling Services香港品質保證局香港註冊-環保回收服務List of Registered Organisations註冊機構名單

(As of 7 October 2015 截至 2015 年 10 月 7 日)

Waste Collectors 廢物收集商

- All Profit International Trading Limited 利多國際貿易有限公司
- Baguio Waste Management & Recycling Limited 碧瑤廢物處理及回收有限公司
- Best Result Environmental Services Limited 恒毅環衛服務有限公司
- C & H Import and Export Company 全興進出口公司
- Chiho Tiande(HK) Limited 齊合天地(香港)有限公司
- Chuen Kee Resources Limited 泉記資源有限公司
- Hong Kong Hung Wai Wooden Board Company 香港鴻偉人造板公司
- Hong Kong Telford Envirotech Group Limited Telford @ ECO Park 香港德福環保科技集團有限公司一德福環保「環保園」工場
- Hong Kong Ying Cheung (International) Holdings Limited
 香港英昌(國際)控股有限公司
- Hop Sing Environmental Recycling Limited 合成環保回收有限公司
- Integrated Waste Solutions Group Holdings Limited 綜合環保集團有限公司
- Kin Xun Metalware Recycling Company 建迅鋼鐵回收有限公司
- King Wah Environment Recycle Limited 景樺環保回收有限公司
- Lau Choi Kee Papers Company Limited 劉財記紙業有限公司
- Lik Hsin 力軒環保回收公司
- Lik Shun Services Limited 力信服務有限公司
- Man Wah Import and Export Co 文華進出口公司
- On Kee (HK) Environmental Recycling Limited 安記(香港)環保回收有限公司
- Sun Ngai International Enterprise Limited 新毅國際企業有限公司
- United Recycle Materials (HK) Limited 聯合再生資源(香港)有限公司
- Wai Sang Waste Paper & Metal Co Ltd 偉生廢紙五金有限公司
- World Power Creation Limited



Waste Recyclers 廢物再造商

- All Profit International Trading Limited 利多國際貿易有限公司
- Baguio Waste Management & Recycling Limited
 碧瑤廢物處理及回收有限公司
- C & H Import and Export Company 全興進出口公司
- Chiho Tiande (HK) Limited 齊合天地 (香港) 有限公司
- Chuen Kee Resources Limited 泉記資源有限公司
- Hong Kong Hung Wai Wooden Board Company 香港鴻偉人造板公司
- Hong Kong Telford Envirotech Group Limited Telford @ ECO Park 香港德福環保科技集團有限公司一德福環保「環保園」工場
- Hong Kong Ying Cheung (International) Holdings Limited
 香港英昌(國際)控股有限公司
- Hop Shing Environmental Recycling Limited 合成環保回收有限公司
- Integrated Waste Solutions Group Holdings Limited 綜合環保集團有限公司
- Kin Xun Metalware Recycling Company 建迅鋼鐵回收有限公司
- King Wah Environment Recycle Limited 景樺環保回收有限公司
- Lau Choi Kee Papers Company Limited 劉財記紙業有限公司
- Li Tong (H.K.) Telecom Company Limited 俐通(香港)有限公司
- Mah Wah Import and Export Co 文華進出口公司
- Sun Ngai International Enterprise Limited 新毅國際企業有限公司
- United Recycle Materials (HK) Limited 聯合再生資源(香港)有限公司
- Wai Sang Waste Paper & Metal Co Ltd 偉生廢紙五金有限公司



Appendix 2

HKQAA Hong Kong Registration – Recycling Services 香港品質保證局香港註冊—環保回收服務 List of "Companions" 「同行者」名單

(As of 7 October 2015 截至 2015 年 10 月 7 日)

- Airport Authority 機場管理局
- A.S. Watson Gorup (HK) Limited Watson's Water 屈臣氏集團(香港)有限公司—屈臣氏蒸餾水
- Fuji Xerox (Hong Kong) Limited 富士施樂(香港)有限公司
- Hong Kong Science and Technology Parks Corporation Hong Kong Science Park 香港科技園公司一香港科學園
- Hong Kong Science and Technology Parks Corporation InnoCentre 香港科技園公司一創新中心
- Kai Shing Management Services Limited East Point City (Commercial)

 B勝管理服務有限公司

 - 東港城商場
- Kai Shing Management Services Limited Grand Pacific Views/Heights Management Services
 Office

啓勝管理服務有限公司-浪琴軒/海琴軒服務處

- Leo Paper Group (Hong Kong) Limited 利奧紙品集團(香港)有限公司
- MegaBox Management Services Limited
- MTR Corporation Limited Two International Finance Centre 香港鐵路有限公司—國際金融中心二期
- The Hong Kong Jockey Club 香港賽馬會
- Vogue Laundry Service Limited 雅潔洗衣有限公司