

TECHNICAL VISIT ON FIRE SAFETY OF HERITAGE BUILDINGS AT CENTRAL POLICE COMPOUND

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Date:	8 October 2011 (Saturday)
Time :	9:30am to 12:00 noon
Venue:	Entrance of Central Police Compound at Hollywood Road

Scope and Objectives

The Central Police Compound comprises three groups of buildings, namely the Central Police Station, the former Central Magistracy and the Victoria Prison. They were declared as monuments under the Antiquities and Monuments Ordinance in 1995.

In April 2007, the Hong Kong Jockey Club (HKJC) submitted a conceptual proposal of revitalizing the Compound to the Government, who accepted in principle the proposal. Subsequently, the HKJC conducted a six-month public engagement exercise to engage stakeholders through various channels and activities. During public engagement exercise, quite diverse views on the adaptive re-use were received.

In July 2008, the Government entered into a partnership with the HKJC to take forward the project with the objective of achieving both conservation and revitalization of this highly important heritage site, taking the opportunity to showcase Hong Kong how new and sustainable uses can be integrated creatively into a historic site while preserving the overall historic fabrics.

HKISC is pleased to invite Ir Gabriel Yam, Associate of Ove Arup & Partner (HK), to conduct a program beginning with a briefing of the development followed by challenges encountered on fire issues and structural issues in compliance with the current standards. A guided site tour will be arranged afterwards.

The number of participants is limited to 50 and the registration fee will be at **\$100** per head. Prior registration is required.

For registration, please complete and return the **Standard Reply Form** via email to **Mr Sam CHAN at heritagefirehkisc@gmail.com**. The deadline of application is **4 October 2011**. Successful members will be notified by email after the deadline. The organizer reserves the right to decline the application if no HKISC or HKIE membership no. is submitted. Non members may apply for the above technical visit upon successful acceptance as HKISC member.

All participants are reminded to wear their own safety shoes and to purchase their insurance.



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REGISTRATION FORM
(To be received on or before 4 October 2011)

Please follow the 2-step registration procedure:

1. Fax the completed registration form to *Mr Sam CHAN* (Fax: 852-2334 6389) for preliminary registration.
2. Post the completed registration form within 7 days together with a crossed cheque payable to **Hong Kong Institute of Steel Construction Limited** to *Mr Sam CHAN*, at:

The Hong Kong Institute of Steel Construction
c/o Room TU743, Department of Civil and Structural Engineering,
The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Hunghom, Kowloon, Hong Kong

on or before the deadline.

To: Mr Sam CHAN

Fax: 852- 2334 6389

Personal Details:

Title	Name in full (Block Letter)	Name of Company	Tel.	Fax	E-mail address	Institution/ Membership No.

I enclose a crossed cheque (no. _____) with a sum of HK\$ _____ for the registration fee of the captioned Technical Visit.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

CPD Certificate of Attendance Please tick the appropriate box to indicate your choice:

Yes, I/ we would like to have CPD certificate(s). Not request for certificate(s).