It is hereby notified that sealed tenders in duplicate are invited for the following:

Tender reference Subject Closing Date

OR/T/2001 Taking up of appointment as provisional liquidators under s.194(1A) of the Companies Ordinance

27.4.2001

Interested parties with the following qualification may submit tender:

- 1. (i) There must be in the firm or the company at least two persons who are Recognised Professionals.
 - (ii) At least one of the Recognised Professionals must be a Professional Person who must
 - (a) have at least 3 years of post-qualification experience
 - (b) have a minimum of 200 chargeable hours ("the Qualifying Chargeable Hours")over the last 3 years
 - (i) of which, at least 100 hours must be related to insolvency work (creditors or compulsory liquidations) or receiverships;
 - (ii) the remaining hours may be on solvent liquidations [in which case the chargeable hours counting towards the Qualifying Chargeable Hours would be reduced by 50%, so that two chargeable hours on solvent liquidation will be counted as one Qualifying Chargeable Hour]; and
 - (iii) which must have been performed on a minimum of 4 separate winding-up cases of unconnected companies,

- (c) be a current member of either one or more of the following professional bodies:
 - (i) Hong Kong Society of Accountants
 - (ii) Law Society of Hong Kong
 - (iii) Hong Kong Institute of Chartered Secretaries
- 2. The firm or the company must have a minimum of two Appointment Takers. At least one of the Appointment Takers must be a Professional Person.

Forms of tender and further particulars are obtainable from the Official Receiver's Office, 10/Floor, Queensway Government Offices, 66 Queensway, Hong Kong (Tel. No.: 2867 2447).

Additional information is also available on the Internet at the following address: http://www.info.gov.hk/oro/new/index.htm

Tenders must be clearly marked with the tender reference and the subject of the tenders on the outside of the envelope (but should not bear any indication which may relate the tender to the tenderer) addressed to the Chairman, Tender Opening Committee, Government Supplies Department, and placed in the Government Supplies Department Tender Box situated at the Ground Floor, North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, Hong Kong before 9:00 a.m. on the closing date of the tender as stated above. Late tenders will not be accepted.

The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region does not bind itself to accept the lowest tender or any tender, and reserves the right to negotiate with any tenderer about the terms of the offer.

Details of the award of this contract will be published in the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Gazette and made available on the Internet.