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Admission Judges****6 August 2026 to 3 January 2027**

1. Week beginning	Duty Judge	Saturday	Admission Judge
6 August 2026	Hon Kwok J	8 August 2026	Hon Kwok J
10 August 2026	Hon Alex Lee J	15 August 2026	Hon Alex Lee J
17 August 2026	Hon Barnes J	22 August 2026	Hon Barnes J
24 August 2026	Hon Au-Yeung J	29 August 2026	Hon Harris J
31 August 2026	DHCJ Kent Yee	5 September 2026	Hon Leung J
7 September 2026	Hon Fung J	12 September 2026	Hon Fung J
14 September 2026	Hon D'Almada Remedios J	19 September 2026	Hon D'Almada Remedios J
21 September 2026	DHCJ Jonathan Wong	26 September 2026	Public Holiday
28 September 2026	Hon Au-Yeung J	3 October 2026	Hon Au-Yeung J
5 October 2026	Hon Lisa Wong J	10 October 2026	Hon Lisa Wong J
12 October 2026	Hon D Yau J	17 October 2026	Hon D Yau J
19 October 2026	Hon Tam J	24 October 2026	Hon Tam J
26 October 2026	DHCJ KC Chan	31 October 2026	Hon Leung J
2 November 2026	Hon Harris J	7 November 2026	Hon Au-Yeung J
9 November 2026	Hon H Au-Yeung J	14 November 2026	Hon H Au-Yeung J
16 November 2026	Hon Andrew Chan J	21 November 2026	Hon Andrew Chan J
23 November 2026	Hon Cheng J	28 November 2026	Hon Cheng J
30 November 2026	Hon Woodcock J	5 December 2026	Hon Woodcock J
7 December 2026	Hon Eugene Fung J	12 December 2026	Hon Eugene Fung J
14 December 2026	DHCJ Grace Chow	19 December 2026	Hon Anna Lai J
21 December 2026	Hon Anna Lai J	26 December 2026	Public Holiday
28 December 2026	Hon Mimmie Chan J	2 January 2027	Hon Mimmie Chan J

2. The Duty Judge can be contacted at this mobile phone number: 9137 9005.



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3. Members are advised that there could be last-minute changes to the above roster. On the other hand, any updates to the above roster may not be made available by the Judiciary to the Law Society for publication in time. Members may wish to make inquiries with the Registrar direct to ascertain the duty judge on a particular day.
4. Circular 26-444 (PA) is superseded.



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Property

CIRCULAR 26-475 (PA)

6 August 2026

26-475 (PA) PROPERTY

LANDS DEPARTMENT PRACTICE NOTES NOS. 6/2026 AND 7/2026

1. The Lands Department on 31 July 2026 issued the following Practice Notes:
 - (a) Practice Note No. 6/2026 on “*Charging Land Premium at Standard Rates on Lease Modifications for Redevelopment of Industrial Buildings*”
 - (b) Practice Note No. 7/2026 on “*Pilot Scheme for Charging Land Premium at Standard Rates on Lease Modification including Land Exchange for Development of Agricultural Land in the New Territories outside New Development Areas*”
2. Please click the following links for:

[Practice Note No.6/2026](#)

[Practice Note No.7/2026](#)



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Professional Indemnity Scheme

CIRCULAR 26-476 (PA)

6 August 2026

26-476 (PA) PROFESSIONAL INDEMNITY SCHEME ("PIS")

Application for Indemnity Form ("AI") and Gross Fee Income Report ("GFIR") to be submitted online on or before Saturday, 15 August 2026 5:30 p.m. (Repeat Circular)

The professional indemnity cover for all Hong Kong law firms for the 2025/2026 indemnity year will expire on Wednesday, 30 September 2026.

1. Renewal Forms

To renew indemnity, principals of law firms are required to submit an AI and a GFIR (except for new law firms, see paragraph 2(f) below) online via the PIS Digital Platform ("Platform") to the Scheme Manager, ESSAR Insurance Services Ltd. ("ESSAR") under rule 8 of the Solicitors (Professional Indemnity) Rules (Cap. 159M) ("Rules").

A notification email has been sent to the designated principal of each law firm from "do-not-reply@riskonnect.com" regarding the renewal of the 2026/2027 indemnity year via the Platform in Mid-July 2026.

All Hong Kong law firms are required to complete and submit the AI and GFIR (as a scanned (black and white) copy attachment to the AI) executed in accordance with paragraph 2(a)(ii) below to ESSAR via the Platform online **on or before 15 August 2026 at 5:30 p.m.**, for the renewal of their indemnity for the 2026/2027 indemnity year, which commences on 1 October 2026. No physical/ hard copy or other forms will be accepted by ESSAR.

For enquiries on the Platform, please contact:

ESSAR Insurance Services Ltd
Ms. Pamela Poon, Scheme Administrator (direct line: +852 2862-4251); or
Ms. Erica Kwok, Assistant Scheme Administrator (direct line: +852 2861-6300)
34/F, One Island East, Taikoo Place
18 Westlands Road, Quarry Bay, Hong Kong
Telephone no.: +852 2861-6666 (general)



2. The procedure for submitting the AI and GFIR (together the “Documents”) online

a) Execution of the Documents

- (i) The AI must be signed by a principal of the law firm.
- (ii) The GFIR must:
 - (1) be signed by a **Certified Public Accountant (Practising) (“CPA”) reporting the gross fee income of the law firm’s Practice for the immediately preceding accounting year of not less than twelve (12) months;**
 - (2) be issued under the **letterhead of a CPA firm;**
 - (3) specify the **CPA’s full name and Practising Certificate number (at the signature block of the GFIR);**

If this is the law firm’s first time submitting a GFIR, the GFIR should cover the gross fee income of the law firm’s Practice from its commencement date and for not less than twelve (12) months.

If the law firm has changed its accounting year end, the GFIR should cover the period from the law firm’s last reported accounting year end to the immediately preceding new accounting year end.

The Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants informed its members through its Circular in May 2022 to utilize the updated GFIR for the purpose of rule 8 of the Rules. The sample wording of the GFIR will be available for downloading when a law firm accesses its AI online.

b) Date of Submission: **on or before 15 August 2026**

- (i) The AI requires a law firm to state the name(s) of the solicitor(s) and foreign lawyer(s) practising under the law firm’s name as at 31 July 2026. This is because under paragraph 2(1)(a) of Schedule 1 to the Rules, with the exception of new law firms, ESSAR will calculate the amount of annual contribution based on the number of solicitors and foreign lawyers on that date.
- (ii) **Under rule 8(1) of the Rules, the last day to submit the Documents is Saturday, 15 August 2026.**

c) Failure to submit the Documents by the statutory deadline of 15 August 2026

Failure to comply with rule 8 is a breach of the Rules. Any failure shall be considered by the Working Party on PIS Gross Fee Income Reports and Contributions (“Working Party”) with recommendations to the Council to take appropriate action.



d) Documents are to be submitted ONLINE ONLY via the Platform

Do NOT send physical or hard copies of the Documents to ESSAR or the Law Society.

e) Application for an Extension of Time: To be sent to The Law Society

If for any reason a law firm is not able to meet the statutory deadline of 15 August 2026, the law firm should make a **PRIOR** application to the Council for an extension of time to submit the Documents, **setting out (i) the period of time extension required and (ii) the reasons for requiring it.** All applications should be addressed to the **Assistant Director, Professional Indemnity Scheme, at The Law Society of Hong Kong, 26/F, The Center, 99 Queen's Road Central, Central, Hong Kong.** Applications should be made **on or before 6 August 2026** as there is **no guarantee** that applications received after this date can be considered by the Working Party before the statutory deadline of 15 August 2026.

f) New Law Firms or Law Firms without the first set of Audited Accounts

A new law firm, i.e. a law firm which commenced practice after 15 August 2025 or a law firm which has not had its first set of accounts audited, will not need to submit a GFIR by 15 August 2026. It must, however, submit an AI online via the Platform by 15 August 2026 to comply with rule 8(1) of the Rules. The new law firm will not need to state the amount of gross fee income in the AI. Pursuant to paragraph 2(2) of Schedule 1 to the Rules, the new law firm will pay a basic average contribution for the PIS renewal for the 2026/2027 indemnity year.

g) Law Firms intending to Cease Practice

Any law firm which intends to cease Practice prior to the commencement of the 2026/2027 indemnity year must comply with Practice Direction D7 of the Law Society Practice Directions. In particular, for the purpose of professional indemnity cover, the law firm **must give notice of cessation to ESSAR at least 8 weeks prior to 30 September 2026.** If the notice period ends on a date after 30 September 2026, the law firm may be required to pay contribution for the whole of the 2026/2027 indemnity year subject to any adjustment to be made upon cessation of Practice.

3. **An email regarding the PIS renewal 2026/2027 has been sent to the designated email address of the designated principal of each law firm on 9 July 2026 by the Law Society. Members are reminded to take note that the email has been sent from "adpis_group@hklawsoc.org.hk".**



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Solicitors

CIRCULAR 26-477 (COM)

6 August 2026

26-477 (COM) Practising Certificate (Special Conditions) Rules

Notice of Intention to Apply for a Practising Certificate (2027) (Repeat Circular)

1. The “Notice of Intention to Apply for a Practising Certificate” (the “Notice”) required under Section 5 of the Practising Certificates (Special Conditions) Rules (the “Rules”) is not an application for a practising certificate.
2. The Notice should be completed and declared **only if**:
 - (a) you are applying for the issue of a practising certificate for the first time;
 - (b) you have been censured or ordered to pay a penalty or costs by the Solicitor Disciplinary Tribunal since you were last issued a practising certificate;
 - (c) you have failed or refused to give the Law Society a sufficient and satisfactory explanation in respect of any matter relating to your conduct when invited to do so since you were last issued a practising certificate, and have been notified in writing by the Law Society that you have so failed or refused;
 - (d) you have been suspended from practice since you were last issued a practising certificate and the period of your suspension has expired;
 - (e) you have had your name removed from, or struck off, the Roll of Solicitors since you were last issued a practising certificate and your name has been restored to the Roll of Solicitors;
 - (f) you have become bankrupt since you were last issued a practising certificate and have been discharged;
 - (g) you have had a monetary judgment (not being a judgment excepted under the Rules) given against you since you were last issued a practising certificate;



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- (h) you have not been in full-time practice of law for two continuous years immediately prior to the giving of notice of your intention to apply for a practising certificate (see Circular [04-310 \(SD\)](#) for details); or
 - (i) you were a principal in, or consultant of, a firm at the time of an intervention of the firm by the Law Society during the preceding 18 months.
3. Solicitors to whom the Rules apply must give the Law Society at least 6 weeks' notice before applying for a practising certificate. You are encouraged to return the completed Notice to the Law Society **by 18 September 2026**, and in any event, **by 16 October 2026**.
 4. Blank copies of the Notice may be obtained from the Law Society or downloaded from the Law Society's website by clicking [here](#). Please click [here](#) for the Notes on How to Fill in the Notice.
 5. Late submission of the Notice may delay the processing of your practising certificate application and result in the practising certificate bearing its actual date of issue rather than being backdated. Members are reminded that the Standing Committee on Compliance takes a very serious view of practising without a valid practising certificate.
 6. The Notice should be declared before a solicitor of another firm or company in order to comply with Principle 13.09 of 'The Hong Kong Solicitors' Guide to Professional Conduct Volume 1, 3rd Edition. Please refer to [Principle 13.09](#) for details.
 7. The Rules came into effect in February 2003. Please refer to Circulars [03-29\(SD\)](#) and [04-310\(SD\)](#) for details.



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CIRCULAR 26-478 (PA)

6 August 2026

26-478 (PA) JUDICIARY

Contact Details (as at 5 August 2026)

1. The Judiciary Administrator has updated the current contact details of the clerks assigned to High Court Judges, Deputy Judges, Recorders and Masters.
2. Members should encourage their clerks to check the Judiciary's website for the most up-to-date information on the contact details:

[English Version](#) and [Chinese Version](#)

3. Please click the following links for information on
 - (a) [Telephone directory of Clerks to Chief Judge / Justices of Appeal of the Court of Appeal of the High Court](#)
 - (b) [Telephone directory of Clerks to Judges of Court of First Instance of the High Court](#)
 - (c) [Telephone directory of Clerks to Deputy Judges of the Court of First Instance of the High Court](#)
 - (d) [Telephone directory of Clerks to High Court Masters](#)
 - (e) [Matters handled at the Clerk of Court's Office](#)
 - (f) [Matters handled at the High Court Registry](#)
 - (g) [Clerk of Court's Office - Listing](#)
 - Hearings before Court of First Instance Judges (Civil matters and various tribunal appeals) - Room G32, G/F
 - Criminal matters - Room G31, G/F



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(h) [Clerk of Court's Office - Listing of appeals \(except tribunal appeals\)](#)

- Civil appeals - Room G30, G/F
- Criminal appeals and appeals from magistrates' courts - Room G28, G/F

(i) [Listing of hearings before High Court Masters \(LG1 Rm 108A & 108B\)](#)

4. For enquiries of the video conferencing facilities of the Correctional Services Department (for lawyers on taking statements, meeting with client), please contact Lai Chi Kok Reception Centre at 2176 0181 or 2785 3461, or Cell of High Court Building at 2180 4848.
5. Members may refer to the "Contact Us" page of the Judiciary Website (address shown below) for the relevant contact information, including fax numbers, in the High Court as well.

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6. Circular 26-436 (PA) is deleted.



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**Companies/Bankruptcies/
Official Receiver's Office**

CIRCULAR 26-479 (PA)

6 August 2026

26-479 (PA) COMPANIES REGISTRY

e-Filing Services for Unregistered Users with “iAM Smart+” External Circular No.1/2026

1. The Companies Registry has issued an External Circular No.1/2026 to announce a new feature of the electronic filing services (“e-Filing Services”) under the e-Services Portal (www.e-services.cr.gov.hk) of the Companies Registry.
2. Starting from **17 August 2026**, individuals who have registered for “iAM Smart+” can access designated functions of the e-Filing Services to submit certain commonly used forms for registration electronically, without the need to register for a user account and subscribe to the e-Filing Services under the e-Services Portal.
3. Please click [here](#) for the Companies Registry External Circular No.1/2026 for more details.



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CIRCULAR 26-480 (PA)

6 August 2026

26-480 (PA) THE COMPETITION COMMISSION

ENHANCED VERSION OF MODEL NON-COLLUSION CLAUSES, NON-COLLUSIVE TENDERING CERTIFICATE AND STATUTORY DECLARATION

1. The Competition Commission, on 23 July 2026, published an enhanced version of the model "Non-Collusion Clauses" (NCC) for procurers to incorporate into their invitation to bid documents and contracts, with a view to further deter and penalise collusive conduct including bid-rigging.
2. The Competition Commission strongly encourages procurers to adopt the NCC in building maintenance and other high-value tenders, in accordance with their actual circumstances.
3. Please click the following for the documents issued by the Competition Commission:-
 - (a) [The Press Release dated 23 July 2026](#)
 - (b) [The Model Non-Collusion Clauses, Non-Collusive Tendering Certificate and Statutory Declaration](#)
 - (c) [The Enhanced "Non-Collusion Clauses" Frequently Asked Questions](#)
4. Should you have any enquiries, please contact Miss Kwok of the Competition Commission at 3462 2118 and email: event@compcomm.hk.
5. The above documents can be download from the [website](#) of the Competition Commission.



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Intellectual Properties

CIRCULAR 26-481 (PA)

6 August 2026

26-481 (PA) FILING OF IP MATTERS AFFECTED BY EARTHQUAKES IN JAPAN

1. The Intellectual Property Department (“IPD”) wrote to the Law Society to appeal to members in intellectual property (“IP”) practice to consider, where necessary and appropriate, how best they may help their clients in Japan to preserve their clients’ individual rights relating to trade marks, patents and designs applications and registrations in view of the recent earthquakes in Kumamoto, Japan.
2. Please click [here](#) for a copy of the letter from the IPD dated 3 August 2026 on the above.



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CIRCULAR 26-482 (PA)

6 August 2026

**26-482 (PA) JUDICIARY
INTEGRATED CASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (“iCMS”)**

**Briefing-cum-hands-on-demonstration
on key functions of the High Court iCMS
for Law Firms in August 2026**

1. The Judiciary Administration is inviting member firms to another two briefing-cum-hands-on-demonstration sessions on key functions of the High Court iCMS scheduled for August 2026. Please click [here](#) for the programme details.
2. These sessions will focus on functions most frequently used by filing clerks for electronic filing and inspection.
3. Members who are interested to participate in these sessions please complete and return a [Reply Slip](#) to the Judiciary Administration via email (icmshc@judiciary.hk) by **13 August 2026 (Thursday)**.
4. To enhance the training on iCMS for law firms in preparation for the forthcoming mandatory use of the system and to accommodate more participants, these sessions will be conducted via webinar and in person simultaneously. Participants attending in person can join the hands-on practice after the briefing session.
5. If members have any questions or suggestions regarding the briefing sessions, please feel free to contact the Information Technology Office (Operational) of the Judiciary at 2867 2251.
6. The Judiciary is planning to mandate the use of the iCMS for all legally represented litigants in respect of case types where the electronic mode has been made available by phases, starting from the last quarter of 2026. Members may wish to consider and plan ahead resources deployment and training for their firms and staff.
7. More information on iCMS is available at the [Judiciary's dedicated website](#).



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CIRCULAR 26-483 (MS)

6 August 2026

26-483 (MS) NAVIGATING OLQE: INSIGHTS & EXPERIENCES FROM SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES

Friday, 21 August, 2026
Now open for registration
(Repeat Circular)



The poster features the Law Society of Hong Kong logo at the top center. Below it, the title "Navigating OLQE: Insights and Experiences from Successful Candidates" is written in English, followed by its Chinese translation "探討海外律師資格考試及經驗分享交流會". The event details are listed in a table format at the bottom:

Date 日期	: 21 August 2026 (Friday)
Time 時間	: 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm
Venue 地點	: The Law Society of Hong Kong, 香港律師會 26/F, The Center, 99 Queen's Road Central, Central, Hong Kong
Language 語言	: English, supplemented with Putonghua 主要以英語進行，輔以普通話
Fee 費用	: Free for Members, \$100 for Non-members 會員免費，非會員\$100

1. The Overseas Lawyers Qualification Examination ("OLQE") is a crucial requirement for those who have obtained their legal qualifications in other jurisdictions and are now seeking to practise as a Hong Kong solicitor. It involves demonstrating your knowledge, skills, and competence to meet the local standards and regulations. Some candidates may find navigating this process stressful and overwhelming.
2. In view of the increasing number of OLQE candidates with Mainland background, the Committee for Members with Mainland Background ("MMBC") organised OLQE seminars in 2024 and 2025, gathering speakers who have successfully passed the OLQE to share personal experience with those who are preparing or have plans to sit for the exam. The seminars were well received, with strong participation, including over 100 attendees in 2025.
3. Building on positive feedback, MMBC will organise this year's OLQE seminar with a broadened speaker panel, providing participants a more comprehensive perspective on the different admission pathways and experiences of successful OLQE candidates. Participants from other jurisdictions are also welcome to join the seminar.



4. Details of the seminar are as follows:

Date:	Friday, 21 August 2026
Time:	6:30 pm – 7:45 pm: Sharing and panel discussion 7:45 pm – 8:30 pm: Networking session (Registration starts at 6:00 pm)
Venue:	Auditorium, The Law Society of Hong Kong 26/F, The Center, 99 Queen's Road Central, Central, Hong Kong
Speakers:	Session 1: About OLQE Speaker: - Mr Justin YUEN, Council Member and Chairman of the Standing Committee on Standards and Development Session 2: Experience sharing on OLQE Speakers: - Ms Abby LIANG, Managing Associate, Li & Partners - Ms April LIU, Registered Foreign Lawyer (New York), K & L Gates - Mr Paul LIN, Partner, Jun He - Mr Mayer MA, Senior Director and Associate General Counsel, The Trade Desk - Mr Raymond CHAN, Partner, Fangda Partners Moderator: - Mr Simon MUI, Vice-chairman of MMBC
Language:	English, supplemented with Putonghua
Fee:	Free for members, \$100 for non-members
CPD:	2 CPD points are being applied for
Remarks:	Light refreshment will be provided.

- Registration is essential to secure your place. Please register via [Law Society Mobile App](#). Applications will be processed on a first-come first-served basis.
- A confirmation email containing relevant details of the seminar will be sent to all successfully registered members.



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CIRCULAR 26-484 (MS)

6 August 2026

26-484 (MS) COMMITTEE ON TRADE, INVESTMENT AND REGIONAL COMPREHENSIVE ECONOMIC PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT

**Solicitors and Consuls MeetUp Series – Exploring Opportunities for Legal,
Trade and Investment in New Zealand**

**Tuesday, 8 September 2026
(Updated Circular)**

Solicitors and Consuls MeetUp Series

**Exploring Opportunities for
Legal, Trade and Investment
in New Zealand**

Date : 8 September 2026 (Tuesday)
Time : 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Venue: The Law Society of Hong Kong
CPD : 2 CPD Points

REGISTER NOW

1. The “Solicitors and Consuls MeetUp Series” is designed to bring together Consuls General, Chambers of Commerce and country representatives to share trade and investment opportunities with Hong Kong solicitors. The series aims to foster cross-border collaboration and expand business and professional networks across jurisdictions.
2. New Zealand has been selected as the first country in the series, given Hong Kong’s long-standing Free Trade Agreement with New Zealand (signed in March 2010) and the



robust trade and investment ties between our two economies. Distinguished speakers will provide first-hand insights into New Zealand's commercial landscape, legal framework and investment climate.

Seminar Overview

- New Zealand: A Long Standing Trade and Investment Partner for Hong Kong
- Investing in New Zealand: An Overview, Opportunities and Considerations
- Navigating New Zealand's Legal Landscape: Key Considerations for International Investors and Partners

Speakers



Mr Peter Lund
Consul-General,
New Zealand
Consulate-General
Hong Kong & Macau



Mr David C Whitwam
Chairman, New Zealand
Chamber of Commerce
in Hong Kong



Mr Marcus Beveridge
Managing Director of
Queen City Law NZ Limited

Moderator



Mr Fred Kan
Chairman of Committee on Trade,
Investment and Regional Comprehensive
Economic Partnership Agreement,
The Law Society of Hong Kong

REGISTER NOW >>> 

3. Seminar Overview

New Zealand: A Long Standing Trade and Investment Partner for Hong Kong

Explore the dynamic partnership between New Zealand and Hong Kong—two long standing economic partners that share commitment, open markets, rules-based international trading environment and transparent regulatory systems. This is the scene for trade and investment linkages that continue to grow.

Investing in New Zealand: An Overview, Opportunities and Considerations

Discover how Hong Kong & Asia-Pacific fit and build local partnerships in New Zealand's investment proposition. This session covers current investment trends and realities with strong commercial momentum, including regulatory and compliance landscape, cultural insights, market entry pathways, funding, incentives and capital access and operational realities.

Navigating New Zealand's Legal Landscape: Key Considerations for International Investors and Partners

Learn the foundational principles of New Zealand's legal system and common challenges for international investors. This session covers business establishment and corporate structures, land, property and resource management, employment and labour law, privacy, data protection and digital compliance, taxation and financial regulation, providing strategic recommendations on core considerations on Overseas Investment Office, Māori partnerships and culture.



4. Event details are as follows:

Date:	Tuesday, 8 September 2026
Time:	6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. (Registration starts from 6:00 p.m.)
Venue:	The Law Society of Hong Kong, 26/F., The Center, 99 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong
Speakers:	- Mr Peter Lund, Consul-General, New Zealand Consulate-General Hong Kong & Macau - Mr David C Whitwam, Chairman, New Zealand Chamber of Commerce in Hong Kong - Mr Marcus Beveridge, Managing Director of Queen City Law NZ Limited
Moderator:	Mr Fred Kan, Chairman of Committee on Trade, Investment and Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement, The Law Society of Hong Kong
Medium:	English
CPD:	2 CPD points
Fee:	Free of charge (refreshments will be provided)

- Registration is essential to secure your place. For those members who are interested in joining the seminar, please complete the [online registration form](#) or through Mobile App of The Law Society of Hong Kong. Seats will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. Successful registrants will be confirmed by email.
- For enquiries, please contact Ms Erica Ko of the Communications & External Affairs and Member Services Department at email erica.ko@hklawsoc.org.hk
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CIRCULAR 26-485 (MS)

6 August 2026

26-485 (MS) ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF IN-HOUSE LAWYERS 2026

Thursday, 3 September 2026

NOW OPEN FOR REGISTRATION



1. Organised by the In-House Lawyers Committee ("IHLC"), the **Annual Conference of In-House Lawyers 2026** ("the Conference") will be held on **Thursday, 3 September 2026** at the **Hong Kong Ocean Park Marriott Hotel**. The Conference aims to provide a platform for in-house legal professionals to address key issues facing the industry.
2. The 2025 Conference achieved record-breaking attendance of over **500 participants** through hybrid participation and was supported by more than **20 sponsors and partners**, receiving overwhelmingly positive feedback from participants. A highlights video of the 2025 Conference is available for viewing at [this link](#).
3. Themed "*Navigating New Frontiers: In-House Lawyers in a Shifting Global Landscape*", the Conference this year will explore the evolving role of in-house legal professionals in an increasingly dynamic global environment. The programme will examine emerging challenges and opportunities arising from geopolitical, regulatory, technological and business developments, and facilitate the exchange of practical insights among legal professionals and industry leaders.



4. The full-day conference is now open for registration. Details are as follows:

Date:	Thursday, 3 September 2026
Time:	Morning session – 9:00 am to 12:15 pm • Keynote Speech by The Hon Mrs Ip Lau Suk-ye, GBM, GBS, JP • Panel Discussion 1: From National Strategy to Global Expansion: Hong Kong's Role in the New Economic Landscape • Panel Discussion 2: The Evolving GC: Strategic Leadership in a Volatile and Dynamic Business Environment • Panel Discussion 3: The New Money: Legal Frontiers in Tokenisation, Stablecoins and Digital Asset Regulation Lunch – 12:15pm to 2:00pm Afternoon session – 2:00pm to 5:00pm • Stream A – Law Tech: AI, Fintech & Digital Assets; • Stream B – Restructuring, Capital Market & Regulatory Disputes
Venue:	Hong Kong Ocean Park Marriott Hotel , 180 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong Special Administration Region
Format:	Hybrid
Language:	English (with Simplified Chinese simultaneous translation subtitles)
Participants:	Members from The Law Society of Hong Kong and legal professionals, as well as guests from the Greater China region and overseas, with priority given to in-house lawyers
CPD point:	6.5 points *CPD applicable to in-person participation only
Fee	\$200 for in-house lawyers \$800 for Private Practitioners and Others
Registration:	In-person participation for in-house lawyers (HK\$200 per person, including a sit-down Western lunch) Link: https://app.hklawsoc.org.hk/events/em_7479851804596912128
	In-person participation for private practitioners and others (HK\$800 per person, including a sit-down Western lunch) Link: https://app.hklawsoc.org.hk/events/em_7479851804596912129
	Online participation for all members: Free Link: https://app.hklawsoc.org.hk/events/em_7479857220271534080



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5. For more details, please refer to the [official Conference Website](#). For any registration enquiries, please contact Ms Lisa Tse of the Communications & External Affairs and Member Services Department on inhouselawyers@hklawsoc.org.hk
6. The Conference also provides an excellent platform for organisations to enhance their brand exposure amongst legal professionals representing different industries and sectors from Hong Kong, the Greater China region and overseas jurisdictions. A limited number of sponsorship opportunities remain available. Organisations interested in supporting this flagship annual event may refer to the [sponsorship package](#) and complete the [sponsorship form](#). Early confirmation is encouraged to secure preferred sponsorship packages and promotional opportunities.
7. For sponsorship enquiries, please contact Ms Virginia Wong of the Communications & External Affairs and Member Services Department at virginia.wong@hklawsoc.org.hk.
8. The Law Society of Hong Kong reserves the full right to change the contents, speaker(s), and arrangement of or otherwise cancel this Conference.



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CIRCULAR 26-486 (MS)

6 August 2026

26-486 (MS) SWIMMING GALA 2026
Enrolment is now open!

Sunday, 23 August 2026
(Repeat Circular)



1. To promote a healthy lifestyle through swimming and encourage members to enjoy this water sport with their children or grandchildren, the Swimming Team under the Recreation and Sports Committee is organising its annual Swimming Gala this August. The details of the Swimming Gala 2026 (the "Swimming Gala") are as follows:

Date: Sunday, 23 August 2026
Time: 12:30 p.m. to 12:50 p.m. – Registration
12:50 p.m. to 1:10 p.m. – Warm up session
1:20 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. – Individual and relay events
Venue: West Island School Swimming Pool
250 Victoria Road Pok Fu Lam, Hong Kong
Fee: Flat entrance fee of \$150 per child
(participants will only be charged once even if they enter multiple events)



2. There will be three major event categories:

- a. **Individual events** – Members' children or grandchildren are grouped by gender and age. Events include kickboard, freestyle, breaststroke, backstroke, and butterfly. Distance varies depending on age group.
- b. **2 x 25M Family Relay** – To promote family harmony and strengthen parent-child relationship among members, one member or his/her spouse (MUST be the father, mother, grandfather or grandmother of the child), and one child or grandchild can form a relay team. There are no restrictions for the swimming style for 2 x 25M Family Relay.
- c. **4 x 25M Children Relay** – Members' children or grandchildren MUST form a mixed-gender relay team of FOUR, with at least one male and one female participant in each team. Each participant cannot swim more than 25 metres. There are TWO age categories:

- Category A: The total age of the four participants must not exceed 18.
- Category B: The total age of the four participants must not exceed 35.

There are no restrictions on swimming style for either category of the 4 x 25M Children Relay. **Registration will also be opened on the day of the competition.**

3. Children and grandchildren participants will be grouped into different age categories. Age will be calculated as of the event date, 23 August 2026. Please refer to the chart below for details of each age group.

Age group	Date of birth
Aged 3-4	Born in the period from 24 August 2021 to 23 August 2023
Aged 5-6	Born in the period from 24 August 2019 to 23 August 2021
Aged 7-8	Born in the period from 24 August 2017 to 23 August 2019
Aged 9-10	Born in the period from 24 August 2015 to 23 August 2017
Aged 11-12	Born in the period from 24 August 2013 to 23 August 2015
Aged 13-14	Born in the period from 24 August 2011 to 23 August 2013
Aged 15-16	Born in the period from 24 August 2009 to 23 August 2011

4. Please see below for the event/competition categories by age group.

Age Group/ Event	25M Kick- board	25M Free- style	25M Breast- stroke	25M Back- stroke	25M Butter- fly	50M Free- style	50M Breast- stroke	50M Back- stroke	Family Relay (2 x 25M)
3-4	√	√	√						√
5-6	√	√	√	√					√
7-8	√	√	√	√					√
9-10		√	√	√	√				√
11-12					√	√	√	√	√
13-14					√	√	√	√	√
15-16					√	√	√	√	√



5. Medals will be awarded to the champion, 1st runner up and 2nd runner up in each event and a Certificate of Participation will be presented to all participants who complete their events. The swimmer with the highest total points in each age group, by gender, will receive the Individual Champion Trophy. Successful participants will receive full details of the rules and regulations, including the scoring system, in due course.
6. **Enrolment**
For members interested in taking part or enrolling their child(ren) or grandchild(ren) in the Swimming Gala, please complete the **online registration process on or before Thursday, 13 August 2026**. Please click [here](#) for detailed enrolment procedures.
7. **Parental Responsibility**
Members are responsible for determining whether the programmes, activities or events are suitable for their child(ren) or grandchild(ren) taking into account their individual circumstances, abilities, and medical conditions.
8. **Event Disclaimer**
The Swimming Team reserves the full right to alter the event schedule, content, and rules, or otherwise cancel any event(s) or the Swimming Gala.
9. **Statement on Use of Event Photos and/or Videos**

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10. For enquiries related to the Swimming Gala, please email us on RnS@hklawsoc.org.hk.



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CIRCULAR 26-487 (MS)

6 August 2026

26-487 (MS) 16TH RECREATION AND SPORTS NIGHT

INTERNATIONAL MARATHON JOURNEY

Friday, 16 October 2026

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16th RECREATION AND SPORTS NIGHT

INTERNATIONAL MARATHON JOURNEY

Date : Friday, 16 October 2026 Time : 7:00pm to 10:00pm (Registration starts at 6:30pm)
Venue : Hong Kong Football Club, 3 Sports Road, Happy Valley, Hong Kong
Participation Fee : Individual enrolment: HK\$680 per participant
Full table (12 participants): HK\$7,200 per table (equivalent to HK\$600 per participant)
Dress Code : Sports-related Attire

REGISTER NOW

1. Debuted in 2006, the Recreation and Sports Night (the “Sports Night”) is one of the Law Society’s flagship annual social events, bringing together members, their families and friends for an evening of fellowship, entertainment and celebration. This year’s event is organised by the Law Society’s Running Team under the theme **“International Marathon Journey”**, celebrating the values of perseverance, teamwork, sportsmanship and camaraderie that are shared by both the sporting and legal communities.



2. The Sports Night has long been a popular occasion for members from different practice areas, generations and backgrounds to come together in a relaxed and enjoyable setting. In addition to recognising the achievements of the Law Society's Recreation and Sports Teams and Recreation Interest Groups, participants can look forward to an evening featuring sports-themed entertainment, lucky draws, networking opportunities and a festive atmosphere shared with fellow members, families and friends. It is also a valuable opportunity to reconnect with colleagues and friends, while celebrating the strong sense of community that has always been an important part of the Law Society.
3. Members may choose to attend individually or together with colleagues, family members and friends. For those wishing to enjoy the evening as a group, table reservations are available. A preferential rate is offered for full table reservations, providing members with an additional option when planning their participation.
4. As seating capacity is limited, enrolment and table allocation will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis. Members interested in participating are encouraged to complete their registration as early as possible. The Law Society reserves the right to close registration once all available seats and tables have been fully subscribed.
5. Details of the 16th Sports Night are as follows:

Date:	Friday, 16 October 2026
Time:	7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. (Registration starts at 6:30 p.m.)
Venue:	Hong Kong Football Club, 3 Sports Road, Happy Valley, Hong Kong
Participation Fee:	• Individual enrolment: HK\$680 per participant • Full table (12 participants): HK\$7,200 per table (equivalent to HK\$600 per participant)

Members who wish to attend with colleagues, family members, friends or fellow sports teammates may wish to consider reserving a full table and benefiting from the preferential table rate.

Dress Code: Sports-related attire

Online Registration

6. For members who wish to reserve seats or subscribe for a table for the Sports Night, please complete the online registration and payment on or before Friday, 25 September 2026. Seats and tables will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis and registration may close earlier should all available places be fully subscribed.



7. Please refer to the table below for the corresponding application link(s). An individual e-ticket will be issued to each member for admission. Members may also invite family members and friends to join the Sports Night by registering and purchasing the required number of seats through the relevant application link(s) below:

No. of seat(s)	Registration links
Individual enrolment: HK\$680 per participant	20260800001
Full table (12 participants): HK\$7,200 per table (equivalent to HK\$600 per participant)	20260800002

8. A system-generated email will be sent to you upon successful registration.

Important notes on enrolment confirmation and event communication

9. Please note that no refunds, cancellations, transfers, or substitutions will be permitted once registration and payment have been completed.
10. Upon successful registration, you will receive a confirmation email from The Law Society, together with an e-ticket, which serves as the official confirmation of your enrolment. Participants are required to present the e-ticket (containing a QR code) to the organiser for verification upon arrival at the event, so please check your inbox (including spam or junk folders) for the confirmation email.
11. If you do not receive the confirmation email by Monday, 28 September 2026, please contact us at rns@hklawsoc.org.hk. Otherwise, you may treat your enrolment as unsuccessful.
12. The organiser will provide updates on the event from time to time, and these updates will be made available via Law Society weekly Circulars, social media platforms and/or emails. Please be reminded to check your emails to ensure you receive the updates.

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14. The Law Society reserves the right to alter any arrangements for this event, including closing registration earlier if tables and seats are sold out. For enquiries related to the Sports Night, please email us at rns@hklawsoc.org.hk.



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CIRCULAR 26-488 (EA)

6 August 2026

26-488 (EA) 9TH BELT AND ROAD CONFERENCE AS PART OF THE BELT AND ROAD SUMMIT Thursday, 10 September 2026 Complimentary Admission Passes



1. The Law Society has been organising the annual Belt and Road Conference since 2017 to explore relevant opportunities for the legal profession. Building on the success of last year's conference, we will once again collaborate with the Hong Kong Trade Development Council ("HKTDC") to include our **9th Belt and Road Conference** ("Conference") as part of the Belt and Road Summit 2026 ("Summit") in the form of a thematic breakout session.
2. The Summit is co-organised by the Hong Kong SAR Government and the HKTDC on 9 and 10 September 2026 at the Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre, under the overarching theme "Advancing High-Quality Development · Embarking on a New Journey".



3. As the finale and a key highlight of the Summit, our Conference is scheduled to take place on **Thursday, 10 September 2026**. Themed “*Silk Road Steppe Pact: Legal Innovation Powering Central Asia’s BRI Trade, Legal Infrastructure Development and Cross-Border Dispute Resolution*” (絲路草原之約：法律創新引航中亞「一帶一路」貿易、法治建設與跨境爭議解決), the Conference will provide a valuable platform to explore how legal innovation can power the Central Asia region’s evolving development in three key areas: legal infrastructure, cross-border commerce and investment, and dispute resolution. It is expected to feature speakers from a range of sectors, tentatively including representatives from the government, the judiciary, the legal profession, and international organisations, thereby offering diverse perspectives for this forward-looking session.

4. Details of the Conference are as below:

Date: Thursday, 10 September 2026
Time: 16:30 – 18:00 (Hong Kong Time)
Venue: Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre, Wan Chai
Language: English (supported by simultaneous interpretation in Putonghua)
CPD: 1.5 CPD Points
Website: <https://www.hklawsoc.org.hk/en/Reach-Out-and-Connect/International-Desk/Belt-and-Road-Initiative/9th-Belt-and-Road-Conference>

5. We are pleased to share that, as a Supporting Organisation and Breakout Forum Partner of the Summit, members of the Law Society can enjoy exclusive discounts and complimentary admission passes to attend the Summit physically.
6. For members who wish to enjoy the abovementioned benefits, please register your interest through the online form provided below by 24 August 2026:
<https://forms.gle/dEweVqC7ZtLra9v1A>
7. Please note that the complimentary admission passes will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. A confirmation email will be sent to the successfully registered members on or before 26 August 2026.
8. For more details about the Summit, please visit the official website:
<https://www.beltandroadsummit.com>
9. For enquiries, please contact Ms Sophia Chan, Officer, Communications & External Affairs and Member Services, by email at BNR@hklawsoc.org.hk.



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CIRCULAR 26-489 (MS)

6 August 2026

26-489 (MS) HONG KONG LAWYER Recruitment of Athletes and Talented Members to be Featured at the Lawyers at Leisure Section (Repeat Circular)

1. The Lawyers at Leisure section is a regular column of *Hong Kong Lawyer* (“the Journal”). The section features various leisure activities that our members have engaged in, amidst the busy day-to-day work. The activities range from sports, arts, to well-being as well as life-style activities.
2. The Hong Kong Lawyer Editorial Board (“Editorial Board”) is now recruiting the following categories of members to be featured at the Lawyers at Leisure section:
 - (a) members who are athletes representing or have represented Hong Kong team or other national teams in various sports; and/or
 - (b) members who have taken part in major non-sport events preferably those with a global reach.
3. Through featuring stories of members with other outstanding achievements, the Editorial Board aims to exhibit the amazing sportsmanship, determination of our members to pursue one’s dreams and goals, and how these qualities can be exemplified in one’s legal practice.
4. For those members (including student members) and trainee solicitors who are interested in participating in the interview, please fill in [e-form](#).
5. The Editorial Board reserves the right to make all final decisions as to publication or otherwise of submissions and there is no obligation on the Editorial Board to provide reasons for its decisions to interviewees and/or contributors.



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CIRCULAR 26-490 (MS)

6 August 2026

26-490 (MS) Cookery, Food and Wine Appreciation Interest Group Dinner Reception

**11 September 2026
(Repeat Circular)**

1. The Law Society Cookery, Food and Wine Appreciation Interest Group will organise a dinner reception on 11 September 2026 at the Happy Chefs Happy Friends (東煮友喜私房菜), where members will enjoy a specially curated dining experience, connect with fellow members, and exchange insights and experiences in a relaxed and convivial atmosphere. Renowned for its distinctive cuisine and intimate dining setting, the restaurant is highly sought after, with the waiting list for table reservations typically exceeding nine months. This event therefore presents a rare opportunity for members to experience one of the city's most popular private kitchens while networking with fellow practitioners
2. Details of the event are as follows:
 - Dates:** 11 September 2026 (Friday)
 - Time:** 7:00 pm to 10:00 pm
 - Venue:** Happy Chefs Happy Friends (東煮友喜私房菜)
Shop A, C1, C2 & F, G/F, Sunshine Plaza, 17 Sung On Street, Hung Hom
 - Menu:** ❖ 芥末麻香花膠 ❖ 冰鎮南非鮑魚 ❖ 鮮青檸口水雞
❖ 哈密瓜螺頭爵士湯 ❖ 賽螃蟹粉法包 ❖ 咸梅蒸鮮馬友
❖ 味菜海蜇蛭子煎薄脆米 ❖ 上湯有機菜遠
❖ 老陳皮紅豆沙 配 私房芝麻湯圓
 - No. of persons:** Minimum 24 ; Maximum 32
 - Fee:** **HK\$1,800** per participant
 - Remarks:** (a) Participants are required to join the Recreation and Sports Programme 2026 (the "Programme") and the Cookery, Food and Wine Appreciation Interest Group. If you have not joined the Programme, please sign up following the [enrolment and payment instructions](#).



- (b) ALL fees are non-refundable and non-transferable and cannot be paid on a pro-rata basis.
 - (c) The Law Society reserves the right to alter any arrangements including change of venue, alteration of time and cancellation of classes if it is under-subscribed. The classes may be rescheduled due to inclement weather conditions.
3. Registration will be confirmed on a first-come, first-served basis upon full payment of the registration fee. For those members who are interested in joining the Dinner Reception, please register with Mr. Nick Chan, Convenor of the Cookery, Food and Wine Appreciation Interest Group, at nick.chan@squirepb.com and complete payment **by Monday, 10 August 2026**.

4. Personal Information Collection Statement

The personal data collected in the process of registration (the “data”) will be used by the Law Society (the “Organiser”) for registration of the above-mentioned event (“the event”), making logistical arrangements, and other related purposes. The data may be provided to such persons within the Law Society whose proper business is to process your registration of the event, and may also be provided to other persons who may facilitate the Organiser to carry out the purposes mentioned above. Any data that is provided to anyone outside of the Organiser will be restricted to what is necessary to achieve any intended purposes. You have the right to request access to and correction of the data. Any such request should be addressed to the Secretary General, The Law Society of Hong Kong, 26/F, The Center, 99 Queen's Road, Central, Hong Kong. The Privacy Policy Statement of the Law Society is available on its website at www.hklawsoc.org.hk.

5. Statement on Use of Event Photos and/or Videos

The event may be photographed, videotaped, screen captured and/or video recorded for the Law Society's records and/or promotion of future events. By participating in the event, you and any accompanying person(s) (where applicable) consent to be photographed, videotaped, screen captured and/or video recorded, and permit the Law Society to use such image(s) for internal records, educational and marketing purposes, including promotional materials such as, but not limited to, the Law Society's websites, social media platforms and publications. In the case where your minor child(ren) take(s) part in the event, you give permission to the Law Society to use your child/children's images for the aforesaid purposes.

6. For enquiries related to the event, please contact Convenor of the Cookery, Food and Wine Appreciation Interest Group, Mr. Nick Chan at nick.chan@squirepb.com.



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26-491 (MS) RECREATION AND SPORTS PROGRAMME

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THE RECREATION AND SPORTS PROGRAMME 2026

RSC TEAMS & GROUPS

The R&S Programme is an annual programme under the Recreation and Sports Committee ("RSC"). It aims at encouraging members to lead a balanced life within demanding work routines and to network with their fellow members and other professional bodies by taking part in various recreational and sporting activities.

Currently, the RSC has 14 sports teams and 9 recreational groups which provide year-round training sessions, classes and activities. There are also mega annual events such as the Recreation and Sports Night, Members and Family Fun Day and Swimming Gala that are all dynamic and fun-filled. RSC will also send member representatives to take part in various joint professional competitions and invitational events held in other jurisdictions.

MEGA ANNUAL EVENTS

Registration:
The annual fee for joining the 2026 Programme is HK\$100, and is waived for student members.

Click here to sign up now!

Enquiries: RnS@hklawsoc.org.hk

Sports Teams & Groups:
BADMINTON, BASKETBALL, FOOTBALL, GOLF, SNOOKER, SWIMMING, TENPIN BOWLING, VOLLEYBALL, COOKERY, FOOD & WINE APPRECIATION, DANCING, PHOTOGRAPHY, CYCLING, DRAGON BOAT, HIKING, RUNNING, TABLE TENNIS, TENNIS, BRIDGE, CHINESE CALLIGRAPHY, LIVE BAND, MARTIAL ARTS, SINGING, YOGA.

1. The Recreation and Sports Committee ("RSC") is a subcommittee under the Standing Committee on Member Services. Through encouraging members to take part in various recreational and sporting activities, the Law Society enables members to have a balanced life within demanding work routines and to network with fellow members and external parties.



2. Please click the link(s) below for details of the upcoming RSC activities.

Practice/Training

[Recreation and sports practice & class timetable](#)

[Line Dance Classes – 10 Aug to 12 Oct 2026](#)

3. For those who are interested in joining the RSC activities above, please sign up for the Recreation and Sports Programme (the "Programme") 2026 according to the [enrolment and payment instructions](#). *If you have already joined the Programme 2025, your membership has been automatically renewed until 31 December 2026, and it is not necessary for you to enroll in the Programme 2026.* Please click [here](#) for more details.
4. The Law Society provides a set of safety guidelines for most of the RSC activities. The safety guidelines can be found at the [RSC webpage](#) (Member's Zone login is required).
5. If you have any enquiries, please feel free to contact us on RnS@hklawsoc.org.hk.



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PROBATE

Enquiries From Solicitors On Wills, Codicils And Other Testamentary Dispositions

An enquiry has been received from solicitors as to the existence of a will, codicil or other testamentary disposition made by the following deceased persons. If you are holding the original or a copy of any of these documents, you are requested to contact the enquiring firm directly within 14 working days.

Members are reminded to exercise due care when responding to enquiries in order to avoid any breach of the duty of confidentiality which they owe to the testator or the testator's personal representatives.

Name of Deceased Person	Date of Death	Hong Kong Identity Card No (save as otherwise specified)	Enquiring Firm
LAU YUK SAN (劉玉山) Alias (刘玉山)	04 February 1999	A664444(1)	DEACONS
HO SUNG LIT (何崇烈)	10 April 1997	P132117(3)	HO K.C. & FONG
(巫瑞英)	2024 年 5 月 8 日 8 May 2024	中國公民身份証 440105192911202446	HO K.C. & FONG
WONG SAU CHU (黃秀珠)	14 March 2021	K145580(A)	SO KITTY & TONG



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MAN FOR MUI (文火妹)	05 March 2019	C121088(0)	LEE & CO., JOSEPH C.T.
LEUNG SHIU YING (梁紹英)	22 May 2026	B334515(2)	LUK & CO., RAYMOND
LO YU SUM (盧汝森)	Certified dead on 18 May 2006	A781296(8)	MAK PATRICK & TSE
TO YUK KING (陶玉琮)	22 March 2026	P647272(2)	LUI & LAW, SOLICITORS
LAU SUK YUK (劉淑玉) Alias (刘淑玉)	11 September 2024	H352645(5) 及 港澳居民來往內地通行 証 H07206456	YUNG, YU, YUEN & CO.
CHU LAN YING ANNIE (朱蘭英)	19 July 2026	D298475(0)	CHIU, SZETO & CHENG SOLICITORS
CHAN CHI WAI (陳志雲)	Certified dead on 3 February 2007	E043750(A)	KONG & LAM, SOLICITORS



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POON SHAU LAN (潘秀蘭)	20 June 2014	A679765(5)	KONG & LAM, SOLICITORS
WONG SHI HING (王仕興)	08 April 2018	P850122(3)	YEUNG TERRY & LAI
CHAN YUK (陳玉) Alias (陈玉)	01 March 2025	A483363(8) 及 港澳居民來往內地通行 証 H06069834	YIP, TSE & TANG
WONG LUP KEE (王立基)	09 May 2026	A749148(7)	HUGILL & IP
WONG RAYMOND FUK HOI (黃福海) Alias RAYMOND FUK HOI WONG	03 March 2026	D062396(3)	DEHENG LAW OFFICES (HONG KONG) LLP
HONG SENG (康晨)	Within about 1 day before discovery on 13 January 2026	K714176(9)	KONG & LAM, SOLICITORS



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HONG MING HING (康明興)	17 May 2023	K301477(0)	KONG & LAM, SOLICITORS
SIU WA CHEUK (蕭華焯)	12 May 2014	A143333(7)	YUNG, YU, YUEN & CO.
CHAN FOOK FAN (陳福奮)	20 April 2026	H005755(1)	HASTINGS & CO.
TING KWUN LUN (丁冠倫)	04 December 2025	H371765(A)	YU SUN YAU MAK & LAWYERS