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中華電力有限公司 CLP Power Hong Kong Limited

CLP Contractor Staff Tests Positive for COVID-19

CLP Power Hong Kong Limited ("CLP Power") was notified by the contractor company in the afternoon of 11 August that a contractor staff working at the kitchen of Black Point Power Station's canteen had been preliminarily tested positive with COVID-19. We were later notified in the evening that the contractor worker was classified as a confirmed COVID-19 case after a further test.

The concerned contractor staff worked as usual in the morning of 11 August. He passed the temperature check upon entry to the power station and had been wearing a surgical mask during his duty. He immediately returned home after being notified of the test result at noon, and he was admitted to hospital for medical treatment on the same day.

CLP Power immediately conducted thorough disinfection and deep cleansing of the canteens at Black Point Power Station and Castle Peak Power Station, as well as nearby related facilities such as washrooms, changing rooms and company buses. The canteen at Black Point Power Station has also been temporarily closed.

As a precaution, CLP Power and the contractor company immediately arranged all other members who had worked with the concerned contractor staff at Black Point Power Station's canteen, including 2 CLP Power staff and 16 contractor staff, to take the COVID-19 test. All of them were tested negative for COVID-19.

We have informed relevant government departments of the case, and have also reminded our colleagues and contractor staff again to remain vigilant, exercise stringent personal hygiene, social distancing and take all necessary precautionary measures at all times during work and off-work.

CLP Power has already developed contingency plans, which include arranging staff to work from home or in spilt-office arrangements. In case of a suspected or confirmed case, contingency and control measures will be taken immediately to maintain normal power supply service, which include conducting comprehensive cleansing and disinfection of the workplace utilising special external disinfection teams; assigning staff who are working in other locations to take up his/her duties. CLP Power has local and international medical experts providing advice for its contingency plans and response to ensure they are commensurate with the latest guidelines.

About CLP Power Hong Kong Limited

CLP Power Hong Kong Limited ("CLP Power") is the Hong Kong utility subsidiary wholly owned by CLP Holdings Limited, a company listed on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange and one of the largest investor-owned power businesses in Asia. CLP Power operates a vertically integrated electricity supply business in Hong Kong, and provides a highly reliable supply of electricity and excellent customer services to 6 million people in its supply area.

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