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CLP Power Enhances Hill Fire Season Preparedness

As the hill fire season approaches, CLP Power Hong Kong Limited (CLP Power) has implemented comprehensive measures to enhance hill fire preparedness with the objective to maintaining a safe and reliable power supply.

Hill fire may potentially affect nearby power facilities. Over the past few weeks, CLP Power has conducted site inspections at hill fire black spots and enhanced vegetation management. Pole cleaning has been carried out at over 400 locations to remove nearby weeds and tree branches. Contingency plans have also been formulated to minimise potential impact of hill fires on power facilities.

CLP Power will step up patrols at graveyards in the countryside during Ching Ming Festival. If hill fires are spotted near power facilities, engineering staff will be dispatched to ensure a prompt response. Innovative technologies such as drone inspection and intelligent management system Grid-V are also deployed to enable real-time monitoring and identify potential risks promptly, further strengthening CLP Power's capability in handling hill fires.

CLP Power proactively supports Fire Services Department (FSD) in hill fire prevention by establishing communication protocols to enhance communication and collaboration. For instance, CLP Power has provided FSD with information to identify transmission towers and poles to facilitate faster location of hill fires near power facilities, enabling more efficient follow-up. CLP Power also responds to the HKSAR Government's call by assisting in posting safety warnings near hill fire black spots, reminding citizens to exercise caution and prevent hill fires.

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 more than six million people in its supply area.

Photo Captions:

Photo 1



CLP Power conducts pole cleaning at over 400 locations to remove nearby weeds and tree branches, minimising potential impact of hill fires on power facilities.

Photo 2



CLP Power leverages innovative technologies to further enhance its capability in handling hill fires, including the use of drones for power facilities inspections.

Photo 3



Safety warnings are displayed near hill fire black spots to remind citizens to prevent hill fires.

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