AVA Register for Government Projects Project Description

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1.	Project Name	Term Consultancy for AVA Services – Expert Evaluation on Air Ventilation Assessment of				
	(in English & Chinese)					
		Kwai Chung Area				
		合約顧問服務 - 葵涌地區空氣流通專家評估				
2.	Project Reference	AVR/G/68				
3.	Outline of Project	AVA for OZP review to incorporate building height				
	Details	restrictions on the Kwai Chung Area covering an area				
	(attach location plan)	of about 1025 hectares.				
	Please include key					
	development					
	parameters e.g. site					
	area, total GFA,					
	building height, lot					
	frontage for waterfront					
	sites etc. relevant to the					
	project and the relevant					
	criteria for AVA set out					
	in para. 4.					

Select the following category(ries) which would be applicable to the					
major government project :					
(Please tick ALL relevant categories)					
	Planning studies for new development areas. Comprehensive land use restructuring schemes, including schemes that involve agglomeration of sites together with closure and building over of existing streets.				
	Area-wide plot ratio and height control reviews. Developments on sites over 2 hectares and with an overall plot ratio of 5 or above.				
	Development proposals with total Gross Floor Area exceeding 100,000 square metres. Developments with podium coverage extending over one				
	hectare. Developments above public transport terminus. Buildings with height exceeding 15 metres within a public open space or breezeway designated on layout plans / outline development plans / outline zoning plans or proposed by planning studies.				
	Developments on waterfront sites with lot frontage exceeding 100 metres in length. Extensive elevated structures of at least 3.5 metres wide, which abut or partially cover a pedestrian corridor along the entire length of a street block that has / allows development at plot ratio 5 or above on both sides; or which covers 30% of a public open space.				
	Others, please specify				

Relevant factors which have b	een	tal	ken into account in assessing
need for AVA Factors	Y	N	Brief remarks
Are there existing / planned outdoor sensitive receivers located in the vicinity of the project site falling within the assessment area?			Outdoor sensitive receivers (ope spaces) in Tsuen Wan adjoin the northern fringe of the project are
Are there known or reasonable assumptions of the development parameters available at the time to conduct the AVA?	V		Reasonable assumptions are made to help identify possible redevelopments in formulating the initial planned scenario for the assessment.
Are alternative designs or alternative locations feasible if the AVA to be conducted reveals major problem areas?	V		Building height restriction proposals will be amended and other development restrictions such as non-building areas and building gaps will be imposed as appropriate subject to the recommendations of AVA.
Are there other overriding factors that would prevail over air ventilation considerations in the determination of the project design?			Due regard should be given to development rights and site constraints.
Will the desirable project design for better air ventilation compromise other important objectives for the benefits of the public?			

5.	Relevant factors which have been taken into account in assessing the						
	need for AVA						
	Factors	Y	N	Brief remarks			
	Has the public raised concern						
	on air ventilation in the						
	neighbourhood area of the						
	project?						
	Is the project already in						
	advanced stage to incorporate						
	AVA?						
	Any other factors not listed						
	above? (please specify)		Ί				
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6.	Is AVA required?						
	AVA is required for the		Go to Section 7				
	project						
	AVA should be	(io t	o Section 8			
	conducted later						
	AVA to be waived	(Go t	o Section 9			
7.	AVA is required for the project			not applicable			
	(The AVA report, 3 hard copies of	and	an	electronic copy in Acrobat format,			
	is be submitted for record after completion)						
	(a) AVA Consultants (if any)		Environ Hong Kong Limited				
	(b) Time (start / finish)		N	ovember 2010 / March 2012			
	(c) Assessment tool used (CFD		Е	xpert Evaluation			
	or/and wind tunnel)						
	(d) Any design changes made to		R	ecommended measures as shown on			
	the project resulting from the		th	e Outline Zoning Plan or Explanatory			
	AVA?		S	tatement to guide deposition/ set back			
			of	future developments.			

	(e) Any major problems	NIL				
	encountered in the AVA					
	process?					
	-	NIII				
	(f) Any suggested improvement	NIL				
	to the AVA process?					
8.	AVA should be conducted later	☑ not applicable				
	(a) What is the current stage of					
	the project?					
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	(b) When should AVA be					
	conducted?					
	conducted:					
	(a) Which Policy Purson agrees	DB				
	(c) Which Policy Bureau agrees					
	to conduct AVA later?	THB				
		Others				
9.	AVA to be waived	lacktriangledown not applicable				
	(a) Give justifications for					
	waiving the requirement					
	(b) Have qualitative design					
	guidelines / measures been					
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	adopted and design changes					
	been made to improve air					
	ventilation of the project?					
	(c) Which Policy Bureau	□ DB				
	agrees to waive AVA?	☐ THB				
		Others				
10.	Contact					
	(a) Name					
	(u) Trume					
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