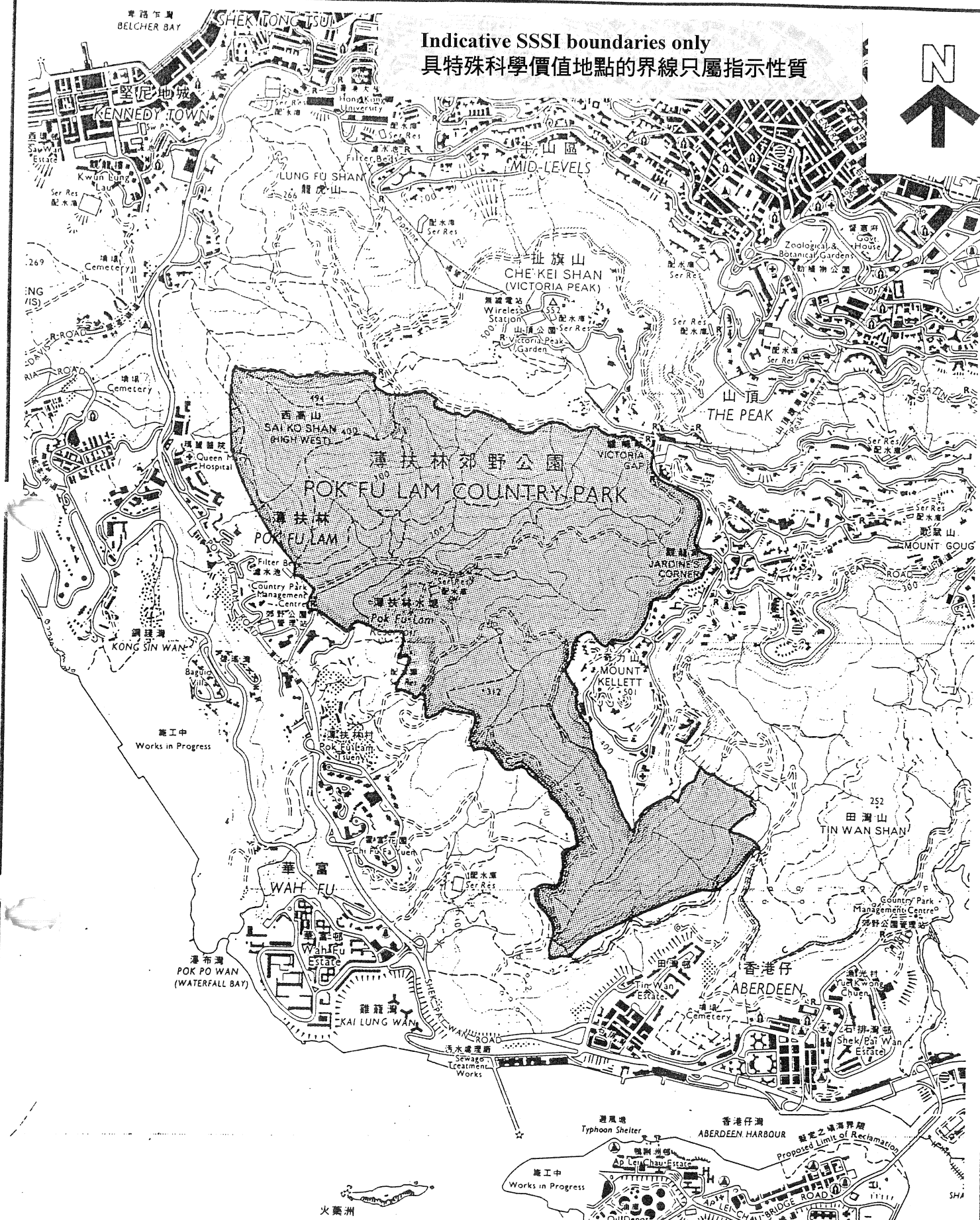


卑路乍灣 BELCHER BAY

Indicative SSSI boundaries only  
具特殊科學價值地點的界線只屬指示性質



REFERENCE

DATE OF DESIGNATION : 20-9-79  
BASE PLAN EXTRACTED FROM :  
HM20C SHEET 11/15  
DATE : 30.9.92

SITE OF  
SPECIAL SCIENTIFIC INTEREST —  
POK FU LAM RESERVOIR  
CATCHMENT AREA

SCALE 1 : 20 000



PLANNING  
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PLAN No.  
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SITE No.  
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## No. 24 - Pok Fu Lam Reservoir Catchment Area

### The Site

The Site is the direct catchment area of the Pok Fu Lam Reservoir. The area is about 217.3 hectares.

### Date of Designation

20 September 1979

### Special Scientific Interest

The woodland is rich floristically and includes *Camellia hongkongensis* ( 香港茶 ) which is rare and protected species. The species was first discovered in 1849 in a ravine in Victoria Peak. It was subsequently found in several localities in Hong Kong as well as in Guangdong Province. The species is also recorded in the book "Rare and Precious Plants of Hong Kong". There are also a number of other rare plant species within the Site.

The woodland also provides a favourable habitat for animal and bird life.

### Degree of Hazard

The visitors to the ravines of the Pok Fu Lam Valley bring with them high risk of disturbance, litter and fire. *Camellia hongkongensis* is an attractive plant and vulnerable to unauthorized collection.

### Protection Measures

The Site is within the Pok Fu Lam Country Park and Special Area designated under the Country Parks Ordinance (Cap. 208) in 1979. The Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department should be closely consulted on any development proposals which may affect directly or indirectly the Site. The Site is under the management of Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department. The Special Area will be managed for conservation purpose and there is no intention to encourage or provide for recreational activities. Incompatible activities within the Site are controlled by the Country Parks and Special Areas Regulations.

### Reference

Hu, Q.M. (ed.) (2003) *Rare and Precious Plants of Hong Kong*. Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department, Hong Kong.