

No. 33 - Lantau Peak

Site

The site is the north face of Lantau Peak. The area is about 116 hectares.

Date of Designation

5 February 1980

Special Scientific Interest

The area is very steep and is covered by a rich scrub-forest. The tree flora is interesting and consists of rare species of Exbuchlandia, Magnolia, Manglietia and Illicium. The shrub and herb and fern flora is also rich and interesting.

Degree of Hazard

There is the risk of hillfire.

Recommended Protection Measures

The southern half of the site is within Lantau South Country Park. Priority should be given to the protection of this portion of the site within the framework of country park services. The Agriculture & Fisheries Department should be advised of and consulted on development proposals which will affect the northern half of the site even though it is outside the country park.