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The Hon Benson LUK Hon Man
Chairman
Subcommittee on Proposed Resolution
under Section 25 of the Fire Services Ordinance
Room 1111
Legislative Council Complex
1 Legislative Council Road
Central, Hong Kong

Dear The Hon LUK

**Views from The Hong Kong Institution of Engineers
on the Proposed Resolution under Section 25 of the
Fire Services Ordinance (Cap. 95)**

On behalf of the Institution, I am pleased to present to you our views and suggestions as set out in the enclosure for your consideration on the captioned subject.

With our expertise and experience, the Institution welcomes the opportunity to work with the Government on the area of concern if and when it is needed.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Alice Chow". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Ir Alice CHOW
President

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Enclosure

**Views from The Hong Kong Institution of Engineers
on the Proposed Resolution under Section 25 of the Fire Services Ordinance
(Cap. 95)**

The Hong Kong Institution of Engineers (HKIE) is pleased to present the following views on the proposed resolution under section 25 of the Fire Services Ordinance (Cap. 95), which seeks to establish the Fire Services (Registered Fire Engineers) Regulation and implement the Registered Fire Engineer (RFE) Scheme.

2. The HKIE supports the RFE Scheme and its regulatory framework. The Scheme will provide a legal basis for qualified professionals in carrying out fire safety risk assessment and certification, thereby complementing the services currently provided by the Fire Services Department.
3. Broadly, the HKIE considers the Scheme an effective method to advance the fire engineering profession. The new opportunities it provides for qualified engineers to engage in statutory fire safety work are anticipated to buttress fire engineers' professional development and enhance the overall capability of the industry.
4. In terms of workforce management, the Scheme is anticipated to enhance the deployment of professional and qualified human resources within the sector. It will pave the way for more flexible assignment of duties while upholding professional standards and regulatory oversight.
5. As a professional body representing engineers in Hong Kong, the HKIE is ready to support the early implementation of the Scheme. We welcome any collaboration opportunity with relevant governmental entities on areas of concern, and offering our technical expertise and practical experience as needed.