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Information Sheet

Project Title: Community Assessment --- Relocation of Sha Tin Sewage Treatment

Works to Caverns: Caverns and Sewage Treatment Works

Project Abstract:

Drainage Services Department (DSD) commissioned the Study on the Relocation of Sha Tin Sewage Treatment Works (STSTW) to Caverns: Caverns and Sewage Treatment Works - Investigation, Design and Construction in 2015. Although the proposed relocation of STSTW to caverns received general support in the Feasibility Study, it is a project with sensitive nature which involves the relocation of a "Not-in-My-Backyard" (NIMBY) facility. Therefore, it is proposed to conduct a community assessment to understand, analyse, monitor and manage any impact to the communities within and near the sites, both positive and negative, due to the CSTS as well as any community change process invoked by those interventions.