



香港特別行政區政府
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Seminar on “New Mechanism for Reciprocal Recognition and Enforcement of Civil and Commercial Judgments between the Courts of Mainland and the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region”

co-organised by the Supreme People’s Court and the Department of Justice



29 January 2024 (Monday)



10:00am – 12:10pm; 2:30pm – 4:50pm



Physically held at Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre Theatre S421, live broadcast on Zoom



Putonghua, Cantonese and English, with three-way simultaneous interpretation

Seminar programme

Time

Agenda

10:00 - 10:05

Announcement of the commencement of the Arrangement

10:05 - 10:25

Opening remarks

Speakers:

Mr. Paul Lam, SBS, SC, JP

Secretary for Justice
Department of Justice, HKSAR

Mr. Yang Wanming

Vice-president
Supreme People’s Court

10:25 - 10:35

Speaker photo session

10:35 - 11:15

Keynote speech

Speakers:

The Hon Mr. Justice Poon

Chief Judge of the High Court
Judiciary, HKSAR

Ms Si Yanli

Deputy Director General
Research Office of Supreme People’s Court

11:15 - 12:05

Thematic Sharing

Topic 1: Applicable rules and substantive procedures under the new mechanism

- Procedures and requirements for applications in Hong Kong

Speaker:

Hon Mr. Simon Kwang

Registrar of the High Court
Judiciary, HKSAR

- Substantive procedures and requirements of Mainland courts recognizing and enforcing Hong Kong judgments in civil and commercial matters

Speaker:

Ms. Zhang Xinmeng

Director of the Hong Kong and Macao Judicial Affairs Office
Research Office of the Supreme People’s Court

12:05-12:10

Q&A

12:10-14:30

Lunch break

14:30-15:20

Thematic Sharing

Topic 2: Legal issues under the new mechanism

Part 1: Showcase of Mainland and Hong Kong legal concepts under the new mechanism

Speakers:

Mr. Richard Khaw SC

Judge Guo Zaiyu

Fourth Civil Division of the Supreme People's Court

Part 2: Reciprocal enforcement of intellectual property judgments

Speakers:

Mr. John Yan SC

Professor Zhang Guangliang

Director of Renmin University of China Institute of International Intellectual Property

15:20-15:25

Q&A

15:25-15:40

Coffee break

15:40-16:30

Panel discussion

Topic 3: Significance and safeguards of the Arrangement

Moderator:

Hon Mr. Ambrose Lam, JP

Deputy Chairman

Bills Committee on Mainland Judgments in Civil and Commercial Matters (Reciprocal Enforcement) Bill
Legislative Council, HKSAR

Speakers:

Mr. Edward Liu

Partner

Haiwen & Partners

Mr. Dong Gang

Deputy Group General Counsel, China Resources (Holdings) Company Limited

Ms. Peggy Au-yeung

Principal Government Counsel

Legal Enhancement and Development Office, Department of Justice, HKSAR

Judge Gu Enzhen

Deputy Chief Judge

Forth Civil Division of Guangdong High People's Court

Mr. Li Xiaofeng

General Executive Manager

Risk Management and Audit Department/

Legal Compliance Department of China Merchants Group Ltd.

16:30-16:35

Q&A

16:35-16:50

Closing remarks

Mr. Horace Cheung, SBS, JP

Deputy Secretary for Justice

Department of Justice, HKSAR

Mr. Zhou Jiahai

Director General

Research Office of the Supreme People's Court