



SURVEYORS REGISTRATION BOARD

測量師註冊管理局

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Dear Registered Professional Surveyors,

Use of Title

Please be informed that the Surveyors Registration Board has recently sought legal opinion on the use of title under section 29 of the Surveyors Registration Ordinance (SRO).

Your attention is drawn to the following:-

Section 29(2) of the SRO provides as follows:-

- (2) *A person shall not use the description of "registered professional surveyor" or the initials "R.P.S." unless the person includes in the description the qualifying division either in full or by an abbreviation approved by the Board.*

A breach of section 29(2) could amount to "misconduct or neglect in any professional respect" and a disciplinary offence under section 20(1) of the Ordinance.

In this regard, please be reminded to use the following titles or initials as approved by the Board to describe yourself as a Registered Professional Surveyor with a qualifying division as recorded in our registrar:-

Registered Professional Surveyor (Building Surveying) / RPS (BS)
Registered Professional Surveyor (General Practice) / RPS (GP)
Registered Professional Surveyor (Land Surveying) / RPS (LS)
Registered Professional Surveyor (Planning and Development) / RPS (PD)
Registered Professional Surveyor (Property and Facility Management) / RPS (PFM)
Registered Professional Surveyor (Quantity Surveying) / RPS (QS)

Thank you for your attention.

Yours sincerely,

Stephen Lai
Chairman