## Prevention of Legionnaires' Disease Committee (PLDC) - Summary of Discussion at the 35<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 12 August 2010

The following major items were briefed and discussed at the meeting:

- (1) proposed revision to guidelines on operation and maintenance of spa pools in the Code of Practice for Prevention of Legionnaires' Disease;
- (2) a summary of Legionnaires' disease (LD) cases from January to July 2010;
- (3) small scale inspection and water sampling for cooling towers conducted from Nov 2009 to March 2010;
- (4) keeping in view epidemiology and scientific developments related to the LD risks of water using apparatus; and
- (5) information on Pontiac fever and that we will ensure relevant information is available to the public.

## 預防退伍軍人病症委員會 - 2010 年 8 月 12 日第三十五次會議討論摘要

是次會議簡報和討論了以下主要議題:

- (一)就建議修改「預防退伍軍人病症守則」內的溫泉操作和維修指引所作出的 修改建議;
- (二)在2010年1至7月發生的退伍軍人病症個案摘要;
- (三)在2009年11月至2010年3月進行小規模冷卻塔檢查和水質抽樣;
- (四)留意與用水器具中發生退伍軍人病症風險相關的流行病學及科研發展;及
- (五) 龐蒂亞克熱的相關資料及確保向公眾提供有關資訊。