

**Prevention of Legionnaires' Disease Committee (PLDC)**  
**- Summary of Discussion at the 40<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 3 April 2012**

The following major items were discussed at the meeting:

- (1) The Code of Practice (CoP) for Prevention of Legionnaires' Disease (2007 Edition) was reviewed and revised in respect of hot and cold water systems further to the last meeting. The new CoP (2012 Edition) was endorsed at the meeting. Publication and uploading to website would be arranged shortly (see Note 1);
- (2) A draft housekeeping guidelines for cold/hot water systems for use by general building management in the community was discussed and would be revised as per members' comments; and
- (3) Year-round water sampling results of fresh water cooling towers in 2011/12 were presented and discussed.

Note 1: The new CoP for Prevention of Legionnaires' Disease (2012 Edition) and a summary of major changes from the 2007 Edition are available in the following link: [http://www.emsd.gov.hk/emsd/eng/pps/oa\\_ld\\_pub\\_cp.shtml](http://www.emsd.gov.hk/emsd/eng/pps/oa_ld_pub_cp.shtml)

**預防退伍軍人病症委員會**  
**- 2012年4月3日第四十次會議討論摘要**

是次會議討論了以下主要議題：

- (一) 繼上次會議，此次會議檢討並更新了《預防退伍軍人病症工作守則》(2007年版)中有關熱水和冷水系統的部分。新版的《預防退伍軍人病症工作守則》(2012年版)已於會議中獲得通過，並即將出版及上載於網頁(見註一)；
- (二) 討論了適用於一般社區樓宇管理的冷/熱水系統內務管理指引草稿，指引將按委員意見修改；及
- (三) 簡報和討論了在2011/12年度的淡水冷卻塔水質抽樣檢查結果。

註一：新版的《預防退伍軍人病症工作守則》(2012年版)及其比較2007年版所作變更的摘要可於以下網址下載：

[http://www.emsd.gov.hk/emsd/chi/pps/oa\\_ld\\_pub\\_cp.shtml](http://www.emsd.gov.hk/emsd/chi/pps/oa_ld_pub_cp.shtml)