IN THE HIGH COURT OF THE HONG KONG SPECIAL ADMINISTRATIVE REGION COURT OF FIRST INSTANCE ACTION NO. 855 OF 2023

9 AUG 2023

SECRETARY FOR JUSTICE

Plaintiff

and

PERSONS CONDUCTING THEMSELVES IN ANY OF THE ACTS PROHIBITED UNDER PARAGRAPH 1(a), (b), (c) OR (d) OF THE INDORSEMENT OF CLAIM

Defendants

BEFORE THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANTHONY CHAN IN CHAMBERS

ORDER

UPON the application of the Plaintiff by way of *Ex parte* Summons filed on 7 August 2023 ("*Ex parte* Summons")

AND UPON reading the 3rd Affidavit of Wong Margaret Ching Han filed on 7 August 2023

AND UPON reading the letter from the Plaintiff dated 7 August 2023

IT IS ORDERED that:-

1. Leave be granted to the Plaintiff to serve the following documents:

(i) the Summons filed on 7 August 2023 for leave to appeal from the Order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Anthony Chan dated 28 July 2023 dismissing the Plaintiff's application for interlocutory injunction by way of summons dated 5 June 2023 (the "Appeal Summons");

(ii) the Order to be made in respect of the Appeal Summons; and

(iii) the Order hereof in respect of the Ex parte Summons,

on the Defendants by way of substituted service, by (a) publishing copies of the aforesaid documents on the webpages of the Hong Kong Police Force, the Department of Justice and the Government of the HKSAR ("Government"); (b) exhibiting securely at a conspicuous place that is accessible by the public at the Wan Chai Division Report Room, No.1 Arsenal Street, Wanchai, Hong Kong a notice containing the QR code linking to the aforesaid documents; and (c) issuing a press release by the Government in which the three aforesaid webpages are set out and the QR code linking to the aforesaid documents is provided; and

2. There be no order as to costs of the *Ex parte* Summons.

Dated the 8th day of August 2023

Registrar

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Dated this 8th day of August 2023 Filed on this 9th day of August 2023

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