

LEGAL RISK MANAGEMENT

IN GENERAL INSURANCE

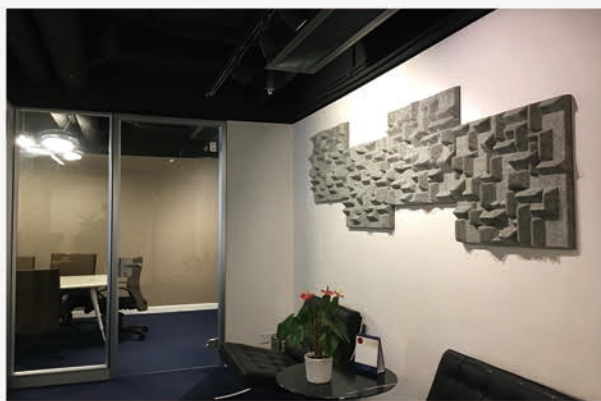
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SEEING THE URGE for a timely sharing on the topic of Legal Risk Management, on 10 September 2018 we held a lunchtime presentation to about 40 operators from 25 different companies in the General Insurance industry.

We examined Legal Risk Management through dissecting three 2018 judgments with impacts and also touched upon the amendments to the District Court Ordinance which brought about the 3-fold increase of civil jurisdiction of the District Court from HK\$1 million to HK\$3 million with effect from 3 December 2018.



This lunchtime sharing saw a wide range of honoured participants including, certainly not confined to, Claims and Underwriting executives, in-house lawyers of General Insurers, Heads of Claims and Heads of Business Development, CEOs of General Insurers, Brokers and Reinsurers, present and past Heads of G.I. Council of the HKFI and present and past Chairmans of the HKFI.



From the responses both during and after the event, we are pleased to see that the contents of this lunchtime sharing were well received and likely helpful to the daily routines of those present on the day, particularly in the dynamically changing legal and regulatory environment surrounding the General Insurance Industry.

We will tirelessly continue to bringing necessary updates for Legal Risk Management to our much treasured peers.

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The three judgments dissected:

1. Kan Wai Ling & Others v. Kan Chi Fai
2. Ali Mehboob v. Yun Kwan Construction Engineering Ltd. & Anr
3. Lo Siu Wa v. Employees Compensation Assistance Fund Board & Anr



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