Compendium of National Professional Recognition Schemes:
Individual EIA Practitioners

Country:	**China – Hong Kong SAR**
Individual EIA Practitioner recognition is	☒ Present in this country ☐ Absent from this country

Basis:	LEGAL REQUIREMENT	VOLUNTARY
	☐	☒

Operator	Hong Kong Institute of Qualified Environmental Professionals
Weblink/s:	http://hkiqep.org/
Description: (Incl. if scheme is specific to a region)	A new (2016) voluntary registration scheme for EIA, and other, professional, developed by a group of bodies, including the Hong Kong Institute of EIA. The desire exists to link the qualification to future amendments to EIA laws, but this will be a decision for the Hong Kong Environmental Protection Directorate (EPD).

SCHEME REQUIREMENTS

Competency Criteria:			
	☒ EIA Experience	☐ Wider IA Experience	☐ Sector Experience
	☒ EIA Knowledge	☒ EIA Skills	☒ EIA Behaviours
	☒ Academic Qualifications	☒ Pre-qualification Exam	☐ Pre-qualification Training
	☐ Other:		

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Application Contents			
	☒ Fee Payment	☒ Application Form	☐ References
	☒ EIA Competence Report	☐ Copy of Qualifications	☒ Signed Verification
	☐ CV	☐ Copy of EIS content	☐ Proof of ID
	☐ Other:		

OPERATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

Validity Period	☐ Lifetime ☒ So long as individual pays annual renewal fee ☐ Time limited, renewal required every Choose an item. .....**Years**

On-going Registration Requirements		
	☒ Sign a Code of Practice	☐ Act as a Mentor
	☐ Annual CPD Return	☐ Share Knowledge (e.g. Case Studies)
	☐ Other:	

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