The new Part II Examination [Written examination (Part IIA) + Oral examination (Part IIB)]

The new Part II Examination is consisted of:

<u>Written examination Part IIA</u> (~90 minutes): 5 questions to test theoretical knowledge, calculations, problem solving, etc. The examination will be held approximately 3 weeks before oral examination Part IIB.

Oral examination Part IIB (\sim 90 mins): format will be very similar to the existing oral examination, with more focus on logbook and questions related to professionalism and scenario handling. The examination board is still consisted of 3 local examiners and 1 external examiner.

Candidates are considered to have passed the Part II after they have passed the Part IIA and Part IIB. Candidates have to pass Part IIA before attempting PART IIB.

Part IIA and part IIB each carries 50% of the total scores. Candidates should get at least 50% of the score for each part and the total scores should be at least 60% to pass the Part II examination. Candidates failing Part IIA will be notified and will not be allowed to attempt Part IIB of that year.

	Full score	Passing score for	Overall passing
		individual part	score
Written examination Part IIA	50	25	-
Oral examination Part IIB	50	25	-
TOTAL	100	-	60

Note:

- 1. The examination fee for Part II will be same as before (\$3,000), which include 1 Part IIA and 1 Part IIB attempt.
- 2. The fee for retaking Part IIA will be \$1,500, and the same for retaking Part IIB.
- 3. Candidates passing Part IIA may carry the result to Part IIB exams in subsequent years. For example, if he/she passes a Part IIA result, but fails the Part IIB, he/she needs only to retake the Part IIB in the next year. Fees can also be carried over to the next year, and therefore the candidate will only need to pay \$1,500 for the Part IIA attempt.
- 4. If the candidate passes Part IIA and fails IIB in the first year, he/she can choose whether or not to retake Part IIA in the subsequent attempt. The result of the most recent attempt will be recorded and counted in the final result of Part II.
- 5. Candidates will be allowed a maximum of 3 attempts for each of Part IIA and IIB.