

*** Decision of the Standing Committee of the National People's Congress on Adding to and Deleting from the List of the National Laws in Annex III to the Basic Law of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China**

(Adopted at the Twenty Sixth Meeting of the Standing Committee of the Eighth National People's Congress on 1 July 1997)

I. The following national laws shall be added to Annex III to the Basic Law of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China:

- (1) Law of the People's Republic of China on the National Flag
- (2) Regulations of the People's Republic of China Concerning Consular Privileges and Immunities
- (3) Law of the People's Republic of China on the National Emblem
- (4) Law of the People's Republic of China on the Territorial Sea and the Contiguous Zone
- (5) Law of the People's Republic of China on Garrisoning the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region

The national laws mentioned above shall be promulgated or implemented through legislation by the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region as of 1 July 1997.

II. The following national law shall be deleted from Annex III to the Basic Law of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China:

Order on the National Emblem of the People's Republic of China Proclaimed by the Central People's Government.

Attached: Design of the national emblem, notes of explanation and instructions for use.

Note:

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