An Empirical Study of the Implementation of Pay for Safety Scheme (PFSS) in the Hong Kong Construction Industry

CPD Seminar
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Cost: CIOB Member HK$180  Venue: Room UR3, SCOPE City University
Non-member HK$200 of Hong Kong, 8/F, United Centre,
CIOB Student Member (Full Time) Free of charge Queensway, Admiralty, Hong Kong

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Content
Safety has always been a prime concern within the construction industry of many countries. The Pay for Safety Scheme (PFSS) has been launched in the public sector since 1996 to enhance safety awareness by taking contractor’s pricing for safety items out from the consideration of competitive bidding. The seminar will describe a completed empirical research study which aimed to explore the current application and future development of PFSS within the Hong Kong construction industry. The research study focused on how PFSS can be effectively applied in the public sector, extending the application of PFSS in the private sector, as well as the feasibility of introducing PFSS downstream to subcontractors.

An empirical questionnaire survey was launched to solicit the opinions of various safety industrial practitioners on the benefits, difficulties, limitations and recommendations on implementing PFSS in Hong Kong. By consolidating the opinions from different key project stakeholders, the research results have generated some valuable insights into the successful implementation of PFSS, a wider application of PFSS in the private sector and the feasibility of implementing PFSS for subcontractors in future.

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