

Travel Industry Authority organises online information seminars for trade

The new regulatory regime of the travel industry established under the Travel Industry Ordinance (Cap. 634) (the Ordinance) will come into full effect from 1 September 2022. With a view to assisting the trade practitioners to have a smooth transition from the existing regime to the new regulatory regime, thereby achieving the goal of the Ordinance in enhancing the healthy development of the travel industry in the long run, the Travel Industry Authority (TIA) is currently organising a series of online information seminars. Trade practitioners and relevant stakeholders are welcome to join the online information seminars to learn more about TIA's functions, the Ordinance, relevant subsidiary legislation, the directives applicable to licensees, the differences between the new and existing regulatory regimes, the transitional arrangements, etc.

The details of the online information seminars are as follows (schedule and the maximum number of participants per session may be adjusted subject to actual circumstances):

Date	Time	Targets and Medium of instruction
28 July 2022 (Thursday)	10:00 am – 12:00 noon	Travel Agents (in Cantonese)
2 August 2022 (Tuesday)	3:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Tourist Guides and Tour Escorts (in Cantonese)
5 August 2022 (Friday)	10:00 am – 12:00 noon	Travel Agents (in Cantonese)
10 August 2022 (Wednesday)	10:00 am – 12:00 noon	Tourist Guides and Tour Escorts (in Cantonese)
11 August 2022 (Thursday)	3:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Travel Agents (in Cantonese)
16 August 2022 (Tuesday)	3:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Tourist Guides and Tour Escorts (in Cantonese)
18 August 2022 (Thursday)	3:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Travel Agents (in English)
23 August 2022 (Tuesday)	3:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Tourist Guides and Tour Escorts (in English)
26 August 2022 (Friday)	10:00 am – 12:00 noon	Travel Agents (in Cantonese)
29 August 2022 (Monday)	3:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Tourist Guides and Tour Escorts (in Cantonese)
31 August 2022 (Wednesday)	3:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Travel Agents (in Cantonese)

Interested trade practitioners are welcome to register for the online information seminars by providing your name, organisation, contact number and the preferred session(s) via e-mail to registration@tia.org.hk. TIA will provide the link of the online information seminar to successfully registered applicants by e-mail.

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