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1. 採用法定語文的文件的翻譯

- (1) 如法庭表示它擬採用中文進行審訊或審訊的一部分,將 會作為證據提出的以英文寫成的文件,必須附同一份核 證中文譯本。
- (2) 如法庭表示它擬採用英文進行審訊或審訊的一部分,將 會作為證據提出的以中文寫成的文件,必須附同一份核 證英文譯本。
- (3) 法庭可隨時免除將採用一種法定語文的文件翻譯為另一 種法定語文的需要。
- 本規則適用於在本條例適用的所有司法程序中的民事及 刑事法律程序。
- (5) 在本規則中, 法庭 (court) 包括裁判官或其他主持司法程 序的人。

1. Translation of documents in official languages

- If a court indicates that it intends to conduct a trial, or a part of a trial, in the Chinese language, any document that is written in the English language that is to be admitted in evidence must be accompanied by a certified translation in the Chinese language.
- If a court indicates that it intends to conduct a trial, or a part of a trial, in the English language, any document that is written in the Chinese language that is to be admitted in evidence must be accompanied by a certified translation in the English language.
- The court may at any time dispense with the need for a translation of a document from one official language to the other official language.
- These Rules apply to both civil and criminal proceedings in all judicial proceedings to which the Ordinance applies.
- In these Rules, court (法庭) includes a magistrate or other person conducting judicial proceedings. (E.R. 7 of 2020)

文件的核證譯本 2.

終審法院首席法官可藉書面委任任何人為施行本規則將

2. Certified translation of documents

(1) The Chief Justice may appoint in writing any person to make

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採用一種法定語文的文件翻譯為另一種法定語文,以及 為施行本規則核證採用一種法定語文的文件的另一種法 定語文的譯本。 (1998 年第 25 號第 2 條)

- (2) 即使根據第(1)款委任的人沒有親自製備以其中一種法定 語文寫成的文件的譯本,他仍可核證該譯本。
- (3) 凡採用某種法定語文的文件的全份或任何部分已在法庭 所進行的民事或刑事法律程序中獲接納為證據,則如該 文件的全份或該部分被翻譯為另一種法定語文的譯本而 該譯本經根據第(1)款委任的人核證為準確譯本,該法庭 必須接納該譯本為證據。
- (4) 譯本一經呈堂,無須再加證明即必須獲接納為證據。在 沒有相反證據的情況下,法庭必須推定——
 - (a) 文件上作核證的人的簽署是真實的;
 - (b) 作核證的人在核證文件時是根據第(1)款委任的;
 - (c) 文件為看來是其所提述的文件的全份或部分的準確 譯本。
- (5) 法庭如認為適當,可自行或應法律程序的一方的申請, 傳召核證根據本條呈堂和接納的文件的譯本的人,並就 該文件譯本的標的事官訊問該人。

- and to certify, for the purposes of these Rules, translations of documents from one official language to the other official language.
- (2) A person appointed under subrule (1) may certify a translation of a document written in one of the official languages even though he did not make the translation.
- (3) A court must admit in evidence a translation to an official language of the whole or any part of a document in the other official language which has been admitted in evidence in civil or criminal proceedings before it if the translation is certified by a person appointed under subrule (1) as an accurate translation.
- (4) The translation must be admitted on its production without further proof. The court must presume in the absence of evidence to the contrary—
 - (a) the signature on the document of the person certifying is genuine;
 - (b) the person certifying was appointed under subrule (1) at the time of certifying the document;
 - (c) the document is an accurate translation of the whole or part of the document to which it purports to refer.
- (5) The court may, if it thinks fit, on its own motion or on the application of a party to the proceedings, summons the person who certified the translation of a document produced and admitted in evidence under this rule and examine him on the subject matter of the translation of the document.

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