

# ORDINANCES OF THE HONG KONG SPECIAL ADMINISTRATIVE REGION 2024

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**List of Ordinances Amended or Repealed**

Employees Retraining Ordinance (Cap. 423)—LN 160/2023

Hazardous Chemicals Control Ordinance (Cap. 595)—LN 94/2023