



Collision between Aircraft and Pushback Tractor (Ground Handling)

Serious Incident Investigation Interim Statement

**Airbus A330-343, B-HLT
Hong Kong International Airport
Hong Kong
24 January 2020**

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In accordance with the Hong Kong Civil Aviation (Investigation of Accidents) Regulations (Cap. 448B), an investigation is in progress to determine the circumstances and causes relating to the serious incident involving an Airbus A330-343 aircraft (registration mark B-HLT) operated by Hong Kong Dragon Airlines Limited (Cathay Dragon) at Hong Kong International Airport on 24 January 2020.

Based on all collected evidence, the Air Accident Investigation Authority is analysing the causes of the serious incident, irrespective of the cease of flight operation by Cathay Dragon with effect from 21 October 2020.

In accordance with paragraph 6.6 of Annex 13 to the Convention on International Civil Aviation, if the report cannot be made publicly available within twelve months, the State/Administration conducting the investigation shall make an interim statement publicly available on each anniversary of the occurrence, detailing the progress of the investigation and any safety issues raised.

4 January 2021

Air Accident Investigation Authority Information

Check the Air Accident Investigation Authority website for information, reports and updates:

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