CONSTRUCTION LAW AND PRACTICE IN HONG KONG

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Professionals in the industry will find Construction Law and Practice in Hong Kong a useful guide. It provides a valuable overview of the construction industry and a detailed account of the law.

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