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Ex-IO secretary in court for alleged breach of POBO by disclosing identity of person under ICAC probe

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A former secretary of the incorporated owners (IO) of a private residential estate appeared in the Tuen Mun Magistracy today (November 13) after being charged by the ICAC for allegedly breaching the Prevention of Bribery Ordinance (POBO) by disclosing the identity of a person under investigation.

Ivan Ng Pui-wang, 41, former secretary of the IO of The Verdancy, who was charged last Thursday (November 9), faced four charges of disclosing the identity of a person being investigated, contrary to Section 30(1) of the POBO.

The defendant pleaded not guilty to the charges. Acting Principal Magistrate Miss Ivy Chui Yee-mei adjourned the case until December 18 this year for a pre-trial review.

The case arose from a complaint. Subsequent ICAC enquiries revealed the above alleged offences.

At the material time, the defendant was the secretary of the IO of The Verdancy, a private residential estate in Yuen Long.

One of the charges alleged that on January 7, 2017, the defendant, knowing or suspecting that an investigation in respect of an offence alleged or suspected to have been committed under Part II of the POBO was taking place, without lawful authority or reasonable excuse, disclosed to a flat owner of The Verdancy the identity of the subject person or the fact that the subject person was so subject or details of such investigation.

Two other charges alleged that on January 8, 2017, the defendant, without lawful authority or reasonable excuse, disclosed to two other flat owners of The Verdancy and two committee members of its IO on two occasions the identity of the subject person or the fact that the subject person was so subject or details of such investigation under the same circumstances.

The remaining charge alleged that on January 8, 2017, the defendant, without lawful authority or reasonable excuse, disclosed to the then chairlady of the IO of The Verdancy the fact that she was the subject of the investigation or details of such investigation under the same circumstances.

The defendant was granted cash bail of \$6,000, and ordered not to contact prosecution witnesses directly or indirectly.

The prosecution was today represented by ICAC officer Stephen Leung.

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新聞公佈

廉署起訴法團前秘書涉嫌違反防賄條例披露廉署調查人士身分今提堂

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廉政公署落案起訴一名私人屋苑業主立案法團(法團)前秘書，控告他涉嫌披露一名受查人士的身分，違反《防止賄賂條例》。被告今日(十一月十三日)在屯門裁判法院應訊。

吳沛泓，四十一歲，丹桂軒法團前秘書，於上星期四(十一月九日)被控四項披露受調查人身分罪名，違反《防止賄賂條例》第30(1)條。

被告否認控罪。署理主任裁判官徐綺薇將案件押後至本年十二月十八日進行預審。

廉署早前接獲投訴，調查其後揭發上述涉嫌罪行。

被告於案發時是元朗私人屋苑丹桂軒法團秘書。

其中一項控罪指被告涉嫌於二〇一七年一月七日，明知或懷疑正有調查就被指稱或懷疑已犯的《防止賄賂條例》第II部所訂罪行而進行，無合法權限或合理辯解而向丹桂軒一名業主披露受調查人的身分或該受調查人正受調查的事實或該項調查的細節。

另外兩項控罪指被告涉嫌於二〇一七年一月八日，無合法權限或合理辯解，於相同情況下兩次向丹桂軒另外兩名業主及兩名法團委員披露受調查人的身分或該受調查人正受調查的事實或該項調查的細節。

餘下一項控罪指被告涉嫌於二〇一七年一月八日，無合法權限或合理辯解，於相同情況下向丹桂軒時任法團女主席披露她是該項調查的受調查人此一事實或該項調查的細節。

被告獲准以現金六千元保釋，並受命不得直接或間接接觸控方證人。

控方今日由廉署人員梁展豪代表出庭。

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