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Ex-sales manager in court for fraud over truck alteration works

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A former sales manager of a commercial vehicle distributor appeared in the Kwun Tong Magistracy today (March 27) after being charged by the ICAC with fraud by submitting 69 false “Letters of No Objection” (LNOs) to the Transport Department (TD) for seeking approval for truck alteration works.

Au Chung-sum, 54, former sales manager of International Automobiles Limited (IAL), who was charged last Friday (March 23), faced eight charges of fraud, contrary to Section 16A of the Theft Ordinance.

No plea was taken today. Principal Magistrate Ms Bina Chainrai transferred the case to the District Court for plea on April 17.

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

At the material time, the defendant was a sales manager of IAL, an authorised distributor of two commercial vehicle manufacturers. He was responsible for arranging alteration works by reducing or extending the length of chassis of trucks in stock, including making applications to the TD for approval for conducting such alteration works.

The charges alleged that between July 9, 2012 and June 23, 2016, the defendant, by deceit, made 66 and three LNOs purportedly issued by two commercial vehicle manufacturers respectively, each certifying that the manufacturer had no objection to the proposed alteration works to be carried out on the vehicle; and used the LNOs in applications to the TD for approval for altering the vehicle.

It was alleged that with intent to defraud, the defendant induced motor vehicle examiners of the TD to approve the applications, which resulted either in benefit to the defendant or prejudice to the purchasers or owners of the vehicles.

The defendant was granted cash bail of \$10,000 and ordered not to contact prosecution witnesses directly or indirectly.

The TD, IAL and the two commercial vehicle manufacturers had rendered full assistance to the ICAC during its investigation into the case.

The prosecution was today represented by ICAC officer Henry Lam.

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新聞公佈

廉署起訴前銷售經理涉嫌就貨車改動工程欺詐運輸署今提堂

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廉政公署起訴一名商用車輛分銷商前銷售經理，控告他涉嫌欺詐，向運輸署遞交了六十九封虛假的「不反對通知書」，以尋求批准貨車改動工程。被告今日(三月二十七日)在觀塘裁判法院應訊。

歐仲森，五十四歲，躍達汽車有限公司(躍達)前銷售經理，上星期五(三月二十三日)被控八項欺詐罪名，違反《盜竊罪條例》第16A條。

被告今日無須答辯。主任裁判官錢禮將案件轉介區域法院至四月十七日答辯。

廉署早前接獲貪污投訴，調查後揭發上述涉嫌罪行。

被告案發時是躍達的銷售經理，而躍達是兩間商用車輛生產商的授權分銷商。他專責安排涉及縮短或加長現貨貨車底盤輪距的改動工程，包括向運輸署遞交所需申請以進行有關改動工程。

控罪指被告涉嫌於二〇一二年七月九日至二〇一六年六月二十三日期間，藉作欺騙，製備六十六封及三封分別看來是由兩間商用車輛生產商發出的「不反對通知書」，每張通知書證明生產商不反對有關車輛擬進行的改動工程；及在向運輸署提交批准改動該車輛的申請中使用有關「不反對通知書」。

被告涉嫌意圖詐騙而誘使運輸署的車輛檢驗主任批准有關申請，導致被告獲得利益或有關車輛的買家或車主蒙受不利。

被告獲准以現金一萬元保釋，並受命不得直接或間接接觸控方證人。

運輸署、躍達及該兩間商用車輛生產商在廉署調查案件期間提供全面協助。

控方今日由廉署人員林志成代表出庭。

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