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David McCaan came to Hong Kong in the late 1960s and replied to a recruitment advert from China Light (CLP) for engineers with system generation experience.

Richard Pedder first came to Hong Kong in 1967 on his honeymoon and later decided to move to the colony in 1968. He worked at China Light as an engineer.

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Pedder recounts his first impression of Hong Kong in the 1960s, while McCaan compares the working cultures between the United Kingdom and Hong Kong. Both interviewees discuss CLP, typhoons and electricity supply, as well as the changes in ethos of the company under William Stone's leadership. Also talk of electricity supply and its impact on New Territories' development.

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