The 18t World Conference of the Associated Research Centers for the Urban Underground space The 2nd International Conference on Exploration and Utilization of Underground Space 1-4 NOVEMBER 2023, SINGAPORE

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RE: Invitation to 18TH World Conference of the Associated Research Centers for the Urban Underground Space (ACUUS 2023) 1-4 November 2023

Dear Prof Shui-Long Shen,

I am pleased to inform you that your abstract entitled "A novel risk assessment framework for shield tunnel construction" has been accepted. We appreciate your contributions to the conference. On behalf of the Organising Committee, it is my pleasure to invite you to attend ACUUS 2023 and present your paper. I would also like to remind you to submit your full paper early to ensure a smooth review and inclusion in our conference proceedings to be published by Springer.

ACUUS 2023 will be held on 1-4 November 2023 at the Singapore Suntec Convention & Exhibition Centre and will include the 2nd Exploration and Utilisation of Underground Space (EUUS-2). It is organised by the Society for Rock Mechanics and Engineering Geology (Singapore) in collaboration with the Nanyang Technological University and the China University of Mining and Technology. We are honoured that ACUUS 2023 is supported by the Singapore Ministry of National Development and Singapore Tourism Board. Supporting Singapore government agencies include the Urban Redevelopment Authority, Land Transport Authority, JTC Corporation, Public Utilities Board, and Singapore Land Authority. For more information and updates, please visit our website at: www.acuus2023.com. If you require any assistance, please contact our conference Secretariat Ms Goh Hong Wee at: secretariat@acuus2023.com.

I look forward to welcoming you in Singapore.

Yours sincerely,

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ZHOU Yingxin (Dr) Organising Chair

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