MPC Paper No. A/K15/121B For Consideration by the Metro Planning Committee on 6.3.2020

APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION UNDER SECTION 16 OF THE TOWN PLANNING ORDINANCE

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(for 3rd deferment)

<u>Applicant</u> : Global Glory Development & Property Limited represented by Ove

Arup & Partners Hong Kong Limited

<u>Plan</u>: Approved Cha Kwo Ling, Yau Tong, Lei Yue Mun Outline Zoning

Plan (OZP) No. S/K15/25

Application Site: Yau Tong Marine Lot (YTML) Nos. 58, 59, 60, 61 and 62, and

adjoining Government Land (GL), 18 Tung Yuen Street, Yau Tong,

Kowloon

Site Area : About 4,630m² (including about 293m² (6.3%) of GL)

<u>Lease</u> : YTML Nos. 58, 59 & their Extensions

(a) Restricted to industrial and/or godown purposes excluding

offensive trades

(b) Maximum total gross floor area of 6,465.85m² for each lot

YTML Nos. 60, 61 & 62

(a) Restricted to industrial and/or godown purposes excluding

offensive trades

(b) Maximum building height (BH) of 100 feet above the Hong Kong

Principal Datum (HKPD)

(c) Maximum height of structure for use of concrete batching plant

not exceeding 36.98m above HKPD for YTML Nos. 60 and 61

Zoning : "Comprehensive Development Area (4)" ("CDA(4)") and area

shown as 'Road'

[Subject to a maximum plot ratio of 5.0 and a maximum BH of 80 meters above Principal Datum and a public waterfront promenade of not less than 15m wide on land designated 'Waterfront Promenade' on

the OZP.1

Application : Proposed Residential Development

1. Background

- 1.1 On 12.3.2019, the applicant submitted an application to seek planning permission for proposed residential development at the application site (**Plan A-1**).
- 1.2 On 16.8.2019, the Metro Planning Committee (the Committee) of the Town Planning Board (the Board) agreed to defer making a decision on the application for two months, as requested by the applicant, to allow time for the applicant to prepare further information (FI) to address departmental comments. On 13.12.2019, the Committee agreed to further defer decision on the application for two months, as requested by the applicant, to allow time for the applicant to prepare FI to address departmental comments. On 6.1.2020 and 8.1.2020, the applicant submitted FI including responses to departmental comments, revised Environmental Assessment (EA) and revised architectural drawings. The application is scheduled for consideration by the Committee at this meeting.

2. Request for Deferment

On 26.2.2020, the applicant's representative wrote to the Secretary of the Board and requested the Board to defer making a decision on the application for another two months in order to allow adequate time for preparing FI to address departmental comments (**Appendix I**).

3. Planning Department's Views

- 3.1. The application has been deferred twice for a total of four months at the request of the applicant to allow more time to address departmental comments. Since the last deferment on 13.12.2019, the applicant has submitted FI including responses to departmental comments and revised EA to address departmental comments. As relevant departments have further comments on the submission, the applicant indicated that more time is needed to prepare FI to address those comments.
- 3.2. The Planning Department <u>has no objection</u> to the request for deferment as the justification for deferment meets the criteria for deferment as set out in the Town Planning Board Guidelines on Deferment of Decision on Representations, Comments, Further Representations and Applications made under the Town Planning Ordinance (TPB PG-No. 33) in that the applicant needs more time to prepare FI to address departmental comments, the proposed deferment period is not indefinite and the deferment would not affect the interest of other relevant parties.
- 3.3. Should the Committee agree to defer making a decision on the application, the application will be submitted to the Committee for consideration within two months upon receipt of FI from the applicant. If the FI submitted by the applicant is not substantial and can be processed within a shorter time, the application could be submitted to an earlier meeting for the Committee's consideration. Since it is the third deferment of the application, the applicant should be advised that the Committee has allowed a total of six months for preparation of submission of FI,

and no further deferment would be granted unless under very special circumstances.

4. Decision Sought

The Committee is invited to consider whether or not to accede to the applicant's request for deferment. If the request is not acceded to, the application will be submitted to the Committee for consideration at the next meeting.

5. Attachments

Appendix I Letter dated 26.2.2020 from the applicant's representative

Plan A-1 Location plan

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