RNTPC Paper No. A/YL-PH/790 For Consideration by the Rural and New Town Planning Committee on 21.9.2018

<u>APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION</u> <u>UNDER SECTION 16 OF THE TOWN PLANNING ORDINANCE</u>

<u>APPLICATION NO. A/YL-PH/790</u> (1st Deferment)

<u>Applicant</u>	張浩然先生 represented by 郭志文先生					
<u>Site</u>	Lots 3043 S.A, 3043 S.B, 3043 S.C, 3043 S.D, 3043 S.E, 3043 S.F, 3043 S.G, 3043 S.H, 3043 S.I and 3043 RP in D.D. 111, and Adjoining Government Land, Pat Heung, Yuen Long					
<u>Site Area</u>	About 2,730 m ² (includes Government Land of about 980m ²)					
Lease	Block Government Lease (demised for agricultural use)					
<u>Plan</u>	Approved Pat Heung Outline Zoning Plan (OZP) No. S/YL-PH/11					
Zoning	"Village Type Development" ("V") [Maximum building height of 3 storeys (8.23m)]					
<u>Application</u>	: Proposed Temporary Public Vehicle Park (Excluding Container Vehicle) for a Period of 3 Years					

1. <u>Background</u>

On 30.7.2018, the applicant sought planning permission to use the application site (the Site) (**Plan A-1**) for proposed temporary public vehicle park (excluding container vehicle) for a period of 3 years. The application was scheduled for consideration by the Rural and New Town Planning Committee (the Committee) on 21.9.2018.

2. <u>Request for Deferment</u>

On 13.9.2018, the applicant's representative wrote to the Secretary of the Town Planning Board (the Board) and requested the Board to defer making a decision on the application so as to allow two months' time for preparation of further information to support the application (**Appendix I**).

3. <u>Planning Department's Views</u>

3.1 The Planning Department <u>has no objection</u> to the request for deferment as the justifications for deferment meet 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 further information in response to departmental comments, the deferment period is not indefinite and the deferment would not affect the interests of other relevant parties.

3.2 Should the Committee agree to defer a decision on the application, the application will be submitted to the Committee for consideration within two months upon receipt of further submission from the applicant. If the further information 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 Committee's consideration. The applicant should be advised that the Committee has allowed two months for preparation of submission of further information as requested by the applicant, and no further deferment would be granted unless under very special circumstances.

4. <u>Decision Sought</u>

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 for the Committee's consideration at the next meeting.

5. <u>Attachments</u>

Appendix I	Letter dated requesting fo		from	the	applicant's	representative
Plan A-1	Location Plan	ı				

PLANNING DEPARTMENT SEPTEMBER 2018