

APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION
UNDER SECTION 16 OF THE TOWN PLANNING ORDINANCE

APPLICATION NO. A/NE-TK/637
(for 1st Deferment)

- Applicant** : Mr. TO Shu Wing
- Site** : Lot 1055 RP in D.D. 23, Po Sam Pai Village, Tai Po, New Territories
- Site Area** : About 46.5m²
- Lease** : Block Government Lease demised for agricultural use
- Plan** : Approved Ting Kok Outline Zoning Plan (OZP) No. S/NE-TK/19
- Zoning** : “Village Type Development” (“V”)
- Application** : Temporary Private Car Park for a Period of Three Years

1. Background

On 27.3.2018, the applicant sought planning permission for temporary private car park for a period of 3 years at the application site (the Site) (**Plan A-1**). The application is scheduled for consideration by the Rural and New Town Planning Committee (the Committee) of the Town Planning Board (the Board) on 18.5.2018.

2. Request for Deferment

On 11.5.2018, the applicant wrote to the Secretary of the Board and requested the Board to defer making a decision on the application for two months so as to allow time to address on various issues regarding the application. (**Appendix I**).

3. Planning Department’s Views

3.1 The Planning Department has no objection 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 address on various issues regarding the application, 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 the Committee's consideration. The applicant should be advised that the Committee has allowed two months for preparation of submission of further information, 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 11.5.2018 from the applicant
Plan A-1 Location plan

**PLANNING DEPARTMENT
MAY 2018**