RNTPC Paper No. A/YL-KTN/1161A For Consideration by the Rural and New Town Planning Committee on 19.12.2025

APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION UNDER SECTION 16 OF THE TOWN PLANNING ORDINANCE

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(for 2nd Deferment)

Applicant: 萊曉發展有限公司, 揚力控股有限公司 and 信昕有限公司

represented by M&D Planning and Construction Consultant Limited

Site : Lots 1198 S.A RP (Part), 1198 S.A ss. 1, 1198 S.A ss. 2 and 1199 RP

(Part) in D.D.109 and Adjoining Government Land (GL), Kam Tin,

Yuen Long, New Territories

Site Area : About 10,587.34m² (including GL of about 51m² (about 0.5%))

Lease : Block Government Lease (demised for agricultural use)

Plan : Approved Kam Tin North Outline Zoning Plan No. S/YL-KTN/11

Zoning : "Village Type Development"

[restricted to a maximum building height of 3 storeys (8.23m)]

Application : Proposed Temporary Shop and Services (Aluminium Scaffold Platform

Showroom) and Ancillary Office for a Period of Three Years

1. Background

- 1.1 On 13.8.2025, the applicant sought planning permission for proposed temporary shop and services (aluminum scaffold platform showroom) and ancillary office for a period of three years at the application site (**Plan A-1**).
- 1.2 On 10.10.2025, the Rural and New Town 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, in order to allow time for preparation of further information (FI) to address departmental comments.
- 1.3 On 21.10.2025, the applicant submitted FI to address departmental comments. The application is scheduled for consideration by the Committee at this meeting.

2. Request for Deferment

On 9.12.2025, the applicant's representative wrote to the Secretary of the Board and requested the Board to defer making a decision on the application for two months in order to allow time for preparation of FI to address departmental comments (**Appendix I**).

3. Planning Department's Views

- 3.1 The Planning Department <u>has no objection</u> to the request for the second 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, Further Representations and Applications made under the Town Planning Ordinance (TPB PG-No. 33B) in that the deferment would allow the applicant to prepare FI to address outstanding issues.
- 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 FI from the applicant. If the FI by the applicant is not substantial and could 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 a total of four months for preparation of the submission of FI. The second deferment should be the last deferment and no further deferment would be granted unless under very special circumstances and supported with strong justifications.

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 Email from the applicant's representative dated 9.12.2025

Plan A-1 Location Plan

PLANNING DEPARTMENT DECEMBER 2025