RNTPC Paper No. Y/SK-HC/8 For Consideration by the Rural and New Town Planning Committee on 19.12.2025

<u>APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT OF PLAN</u> UNDER SECTION 12A OF THE TOWN PLANNING ORDINANCE

APPLICATION NO. Y/SK-HC/8

(for 1st Deferment)

Applicants: Shine Path Limited and Hin Yiu Limited represented by Arup Hong Kong

Limited

Site : Various Lots in D.D. 210 and adjoining Government Land (GL), Pak Wai,

Sai Kung, New Territories

Site Area : About 12,692m² (including about 3,286m² of GL (about 26%))

<u>Lease</u>: Block Government Lease (demised for agricultural purpose)

Plan : Approved Ho Chung Outline Zoning Plan No. S/SK-HC/13

Zonings : "Green Belt" ("GB") and area shown as 'Road'

Application: To rezone the application site from "GB" and area shown as 'Road' to

"Residential (Group C) 5" ("R(C)5") and amend the Notes of the zone

applicable to the site

1. Background

On 17.9.2025, the applicants submitted the current application to rezone the application site from "GB" and area shown as 'Road' to "R(C)5" and amend the Notes of the zone applicable to the site (**Plan Z-1**). The application is scheduled for consideration by the Rural and New Town Planning Committee (the Committee) of the Town Planning Board (the Board) at this meeting.

2. Request for Deferment

On 28.11.2025, the applicants' 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 to prepare further information (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 first 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, Further Representations and Applications made under the Town Planning

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Ordinance (TPB PG-No. 33B) in that the deferment would allow the applicants to prepare FI to address outstanding issues.

3.2 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 applicants. If the FI submitted by the applicants 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 applicants should be advised that the Committee has allowed two months for preparation of the 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 applicants' 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. Attachments

Appendix I Letter dated 28.11.2025 from the applicants' representative

Plan Z-1 Location Plan

PLANNING DEPARTMENT DECEMBER 2025