MPC Paper No. A/K5/853 For Consideration by the Metro Planning Committee on 9.12.2022

# APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION UNDER SECTION 16 OF THE TOWN PLANNING ORDINANCE

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(for 1st Deferment)

<u>Applicant</u>: Total Fame Industrial Limited represented by DeSPACE (International)

Limited

**Premises** : Portions of Workshops B3 and B4, G/F, Block B, Hong Kong Industrial

Centre, 489-491 Castle Peak Road, Cheung Sha Wan, Kowloon

Floor Area : About 453 m<sup>2</sup>

<u>Lease</u> : New Kowloon Inland Lot (NKIL) No. 3515 s.C, s.D and s.F

- restricted to factory purposes

<u>Plan</u>: Draft Cheung Sha Wan Outline Zoning Plan (OZP) No. S/K5/38

**Zoning** : "Other Specified Uses" annotated "Business (2)" ("OU(B)2")

(a) maximum plot ratio (PR) of 12

(b) maximum building height (BH) of 130mPD

**Application** : Shop and Services (Showroom and Ancillary Storage)

## 1. Background

On 13.10.2022, the applicant submitted the current application to seek planning permission for 'Shop and Services (Showroom and Ancillary Storage)' use at the subject premises (**Plan A-1**). The application is scheduled for consideration by the Metro Planning Committee (the Committee) at this meeting.

#### 2. Request for Deferment

On 24.11.2022, the applicant's representative wrote to the Secretary, Town Planning Board (the Board) and requested the Board to defer making a decision on the application for a period of two months to allow for preparing further information 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 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. 33A) in that the deferment would allow the applicant to prepare further information 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 further submission from the applicant. If the further information submitted 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 two months for preparation of the submission of further information, 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. Attachments

**Appendix I** Letter from the applicant's representative dated 24.11.2022

Plan A-1 Location plan

PLANNING DEPARTMENT DECEMBER 2022