

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

**APPLICATION NO. A/NE-HT/18**

*(for Deferment)*

- Applicant** : Mr. MOK Kin Chung and Ms. FUNG Chiu Han represented by R-riches Property Consultants Limited
- Site** : Lots 1091 RP, 1134 S.A, 1134 RP, 1135 (Part), 1136 (Part), 1137, 1138 and 1157 (Part) in D.D. 76, Hok Tau, Fanling, New Territories
- Site Area** : About 14,777 m<sup>2</sup>
- Lease** : Block Government Lease (demised for agricultural use)
- Plan** : Approved Hok Tau Outline Zoning Plan (OZP) No. S/NE-HT/5 (at the time of submission of the application)
- Draft Hok Tau Outline Zoning Plan (OZP) No. S/NE-HT/6 (at the time of consideration)
- Zoning(s)** : "Agriculture" ("AGR")
- Application** : Proposed Temporary Hobby Farm, Barbecue Spot, Caravan Holiday Camp and Tent Camping Ground with Ancillary Facilities for a Period of 3 Years and Filling of Land

**1. Background**

On 3.11.2021, the applicant submitted the current application to seek planning permission for a proposed temporary hobby farm, barbecue spot, caravan holiday camp and tent camping ground with ancillary facilities for a period of 3 years and filling of land at the subject site (**Plan A-1**). The application is scheduled for consideration by the Rural and New Town Planning Committee (the Committee) at this meeting.

**2. Request for Deferment**

On 8.12.2021, 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 two months in order to allow time to prepare further information to address relevant departmental comments (Appendix I).

**3. Planning Department's Views**

3.1 The Planning Department has no objection 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 issue(s).

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 information 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. 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 for the Committee's consideration at the next meeting.

**5. Attachments**

**Appendix I**  
**Plan A-1**

Letter dated 8.12.2021 from the applicant's representative  
Location Plan

**PLANNING DEPARTMENT**  
**DECEMBER 2021**