

# Applicable to Proposal Only Involving Construction of "New Territories Exempted House(s)"

適用於只涉及興建「新界豁免管制屋宇」的建議

Applicant who would like to publish the <u>notice of application</u> in local newspapers to meet one of the Town Planning Board's requirements of taking reasonable steps to obtain consent of or give notification to the current land owner, please refer to the following link regarding publishing the notice in the designated newspapers: <u>https://www.info.gov.hk/tpb/en/plan\_application/apply.html</u>

申請人如欲在本地報章刊登<u>申請通知</u>,以採取城市規劃委員會就取得現行土地擁有人的同意或通知現行土地擁有人所指定的其中一項合理步驟,請瀏覽以下網址有關在指定的報章刊登通知: https://www.info.gov.hk/tpb/tc/plan\_application/apply.html

#### General Note and Annotation for the Form 填寫表格的一般指引及註解

- \* "Current land owner" means any person whose name is registered in the Land Registry as that of an owner of the land to which the application relates, as at 6 weeks before the application is made 「現行土地擁有人」指在提出申請前六星期,其姓名或名稱已在土地註冊處註冊為該申請所關乎的 土地的擁有人的人
- \* Please attach documentary proof 請夾附證明文件
- ^ Please insert number where appropriate 請在適當地方註明編號

Please fill "NA" for inapplicable item 請在不適用的項目填寫「不適用」

Please use separate sheets if the space provided is insufficient 如所提供的空間不足,請另頁說明

Please insert a 「✔」 at the appropriate box 請在適當的方格內上加上「✔」號

For Official Use Only 請勿填寫此欄	Application No. 申請編號	A/NE-KLH/597
	Date Received 收到日期	- 4 AUG 2021

- 1. The completed form and supporting documents (if any) should be sent to the Secretary, Town Planning Board (the Board), 15/F, North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong. 申請人須把填妥的申請表格及其他支持申請的文件 (倘有),送交香港北角渣華道 333 號北角政府合署 15 樓城市 規劃委員會(下稱「委員會」)秘書收。
- 2. Please read the "Guidance Notes" carefully before you fill in this form. The document can be downloaded from the Board's website at <u>http://www.info.gov.hk/tpb/</u>. It can also be obtained from the Secretariat of the Board at 15/F, North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong (Tel: 2231 4810 or 2231 4835), and the Planning Enquiry Counters of the Planning Department (Hotline: 2231 5000) (17/F, North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong and 14/F, Sha Tin Government Offices, 1 Sheung Wo Che Road, Sha Tin, New Territories). 請先細閱《申請須知》的資料單張,然後填寫此表格。該份文件可從委員會的網頁下載 (網址: <u>http://www.info.gov.hk/tpb/</u>),亦可向委員會秘書處 (香港北角渣華道 333 號北角政府合署 15 樓 電話:2231 4810 或 2231 4835)及規劃署的規劃資料查詢處(熱線: 2231 5000) (香港北角渣華道 333 號北角政府合署 17 樓及新界沙田上禾輋路 1 號沙田政府合署 14 樓)索取。
- 3. This form can be downloaded from the Board's website, and obtained from the Secretariat of the Board and the Planning Enquiry Counters of the Planning Department. The form should be typed or completed in block letters. The processing of the application may be refused if the required information or the required copies are incomplete. 此表格可從委員會的網頁下載,亦可向委員會秘書處及規劃署的規劃資料查詢處索取。申請人須以打印方式或以 正楷填寫表格。如果申請人所提交的資料或文件副本不齊全,委員會可拒絕處理有關申請。

Name of Applicant 申請人姓名/名稱 1. ( ☑ Mr. 先生 / □ Mrs. 夫人 / □ Miss 小姐 / □ Ms. 女士 / □ Company 公司 / □ Organisation 機構 ) 陳偉光 Chan Wai Kwong Name of Authorised Agent (if applicable) 獲授權代理人姓名/名稱(如適用) 2. ( □ Mr. 先生 / □ Mrs. 夫人 / □ Miss 小姐 / □ Ms. 女士 / □ Company 公司 / □ Organisation 機構 ) 許軍兒 Hui Kwan bee Application Site 申請地點 3.

(a)	Full address / location / demarcation district and lot number (if applicable) 詳細地址/地點/丈量約份及 地段號碼(如適用)	Lot No. 2635. DSS. 9 in D. D. 9 Kan Lung Hang Village, Tai Po, N.T.
(b)	Site area and/or gross floor area involved 涉及的地盤面積及/或總樓面面 積	☑Site area 地盤面積 <u>140</u> ☑Gross floor area 總樓面面積 <u>195, 29</u> sq.m 平方米☑About 約
(c)	Area of Government land included (if any) 所包括的政府土地面積(倘有)	sq.m 平方米口About 約

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(d)	Name and number of the related statutory plan(s) 有關法定圖則的名稱及編號	SINI-14111 九龍坑分區計劃大網圖		
(e)	Land use zone(s) involved 涉及的土地用途地帶	AGREV		
(f)	Current use(s) 現時用途	VACANT LAND (If there are any Government, institution or community	facilities, please illustrate on	
		plan and specify the use and gross floor area) (如有任何政府、機構或社區設施,請在圖則上顯示,	並註明用途及總樓面面積)	
4.	"Current Land Owner" of	Application Site 申請地點的「現行土地	也擁有人」	
The	applicant 申請人 – is the sole "current land owner" <sup>#&amp;</sup> 是唯一的「現行土地擁有人」 <sup>#&amp;</sup>	please proceed to Part 6 and attach documentary proof o 請繼續填寫第 6 部分,並夾附業權證明文件)。	of ownership).	
	is one of the "current land owners" 是其中一名「現行土地擁有人」	* (please attach documentary proof of ownership). * (請夾附業權證明文件)。		
	is not a "current land owner" <sup>#</sup> . 並不是「現行土地擁有人」 <sup>#</sup> 。			
	The application site is entirely on Government land (please proceed to Part 6). 申請地點完全位於政府土地上(請繼續填寫第6部分)。			
5.	Statement on Owner's Con 就土地擁有人的同意/通		e.	
(a)	application involves a total of	of the Land Registry as at 		
(b)	<ul> <li>(b) The applicant 申請人 –</li> <li>□ has obtained consent(s) of "current land owner(s)"<sup>#</sup>.</li> <li>已取得</li></ul>			
	Details of consent of "curren	nt land owner(s)" <sup>#</sup> obtained 取得「現行土地擁有人」	」"同意的詳情	
	Land Owner(s) Registry	er/address of premises as shown in the record of the Land where consent(s) has/have been obtained 症冊處記錄已獲得同意的地段號碼/處所地址	Date of consent obtained (DD/MM/YYYY) 取得同意的日期 (日/月/年)	
	(Please use separate sheets if the	space of any box above is insufficient. 如上列任何方格的空	E間不足,請另頁說明)	

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	<ul> <li>has notified "current land owner(s)"#</li> <li>已通知 名「現行土地擁有人」<sup>#</sup>。</li> </ul>			
	D	etails of the "cur	rrent land owner(s)" <sup>#</sup> notified 已獲通知「現行土地擁有人」 <sup>#</sup> 的詳細	資料
	L	o. of 'Current and Owner(s)' 現行土地擁 百人」數目	Lot number/address of premises as shown in the record of the Land Registry where notification(s) has/have been given 根據十冊註冊處記錄已發出通知的掛码點框 / 處所批批	of notification //M/YYYY) 日期(日/月/年)
	(Ple	ase use separate s		,請另頁說明)
			le steps to obtain consent of or give notification to owner(s): L取得土地擁有人的同意或向該人發給通知。詳情如下:	
	Rea	sonable Steps to	o Obtain Consent of Owner(s) 取得土地擁有人的同意所採取的合理地	<u>  長</u> 歌
<ul> <li>sent request for consent to the "current land owner(s)" on(DD/MM/Y 於</li></ul>			MM/YYYY) <sup>#&amp;</sup>	
			步驟	
			ices in local newspapers on(DD/MM/YYYY) <sup>&amp;</sup> (日/月/年)在指定報章就申請刊登一次通知 <sup>&amp;</sup>	
		17.1	in a prominent position on or near application site/premises on (DD/MM/YYYY) <sup>&amp;</sup>	
		於	(日/月/年)在申請地點/申請處所或附近的顯明位置貼出關於	於該申請的通知&
		office(s) or rur 於	relevant owners' corporation(s)/owners' committee(s)/mutual aid commit ral committee on (DD/MM/YYYY) <sup>&amp;</sup> (日/月/年)把通知寄往相關的業主立案法團/業主委員會/互	
×.		處,或有關的	J鄉事委員會 <sup>&amp;</sup>	
	<u>Oth</u>	ers <u>其他</u>		
		others (please s 其他(請指明		
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註: 可花	licatic 王多於 青人須	一個方格內加上	上「✔」號 每一地段(倘適用)及處所(倘有)分別提供資料	

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6.	Development Proposa	擬議發展計劃		
(a)	Name(s) of indigenous villager(s) (if applicable)	陳偉光		
(b)	原居民姓名(如適用)			
(0)	(如適用) The related indigenous village of the indigenous villager(s) (if applicable)	力散动		
(c)	Proposed gross floor area 擬議總樓面面積	/9て、29 sq.m 平方米 □About 約		
(d)	Proposed number of house(s) 擬議房屋幢數	Proposed number of storeys of each house ろ 毎幢房屋的擬議層數		
(e)	Proposed roofed over area of each house 每幢房屋的擬議上蓋面積	あているProposed building height of each houseよいろ いろ m 米		
(f)	Proposed use(s) of uncovered area (if any) 露天地方(倘有)的擬議用 途	LAL (Please illustrate on plan the total number and dimension of each car parking space, and/or location of septic tank, where applicable) (請在圖則上顯示,並註明車位總數,以及每個車位的長度和寬度及/或化糞池的位置 (如適用))		
(g)	Any vehicular access to the site/subject building? 是否有車路通往地盤/有 關建築物?	Yes 是 □ There is an existing access. (please indicate the street name, where appropriate) 有一條現有車路。(請註明車路名稱(如適用))		
(h)	Can the proposed house(s) be connected to public sewer? 擬議的屋宇發展能否接駁 至公共污水渠?	No 否       ·         No 否       ·         Operating (Please indicate on plan the sewerage connection proposal. 請用圖則顯示 接駁公共污水渠的路線)         No 否       ·         Operating (Please indicate on plan the location of the proposed septic tank. 請用圖則		
		No 否[] (Please indicate on plan the location of the proposed septic tank. 請用圖 顯示化糞池的位置)		

7. Impacts of Development Proposal 擬議發展計劃的影響			
If necessary, please use separate sheets to indicate the proposed measures to minimise possible adverse impacts or give justifications/reasons for not providing such measures. 如需要的話,請另頁表示可盡量減少可能出現不良影響的措施,否則請提供理據/理由。			
Does the development	Yes 是		
proposal involve alteration			
of existing building? 擬議發展計劃是否包括			
現有建築物的改動?			
	No 否 记 Ves 是 □ (Please indicate on site plan the boundary of concerned land/pond(s), and particulars of stream		
	Yes 是 [ (Please indicate on site plan the boundary of concerned land/pond(s), and particulars of stream diversion, the extent of filling of land/pond(s) and/or excavation of land) (请用地盤平面圖顯示有關土地/池塘界線,以及河道改道、填塘、填土及/或挖土的细節及/或範圍)		
6	□ Diversion of stream 河道改道		
Does the development proposal involve the operation on the right? 擬議發展是否涉及右列 的工程?	<ul> <li>□ Filling of pond 填塘 Area of filling 填塘面積</li></ul>		
	<ul> <li>□ Excavation of land 挖土 Area of excavation 挖土面積</li></ul>		
Would the development	On environment 對環境       Yes 會       No 不會         On traffic 對交通       Yes 會       No 不會         On water supply 對供水       Yes 會       No 不會         On drainage 對排水       Yes 會       No 不會         On slopes 對斜坡       Yes 會       No 不會         Affected by slopes 受斜坡影響       Yes 會       No 不會         Landscape Impact 構成景觀影響       Yes 會       No 不會         Tree Felling 砍伐樹木       Yes 會       No 不會         Visual Impact 構成視覺影響       Yes 會       No 不會         Others (Please Specify) 其他 (請列明)       Yes 會       No 不會		
proposal cause any adverse			
impacts? 擬議發展計劃會否造成 不良影響?	Plcase state measure(s) to minimise the impact(s). For tree felling, plcase state the number, diameter at breast height and species of the affected trees (if possible) 請註明盡量減少影響的措施。如涉及砍伐樹木,請說明受影響樹木的數目、及胸高度的樹幹直徑及品種(倘可)		
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<u>Part 7 第7部分</u>

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	8. Justifications 理由	
	The applicant is invited to provide justifications in support of the application. Use separate sheets if nece 現請申請人提供申請理由及支持其申請的資料。如有需要,請另頁說明。	essary.
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	(2) 並無其他可選擇之土地。	
	(3) 申請地點毗鄰均有建成之同類屋宇。	
	(4) 曾經申請獲批准(A/NE-44/A) 惟因一時大意忘記沒有為其續	
	期,現按地政處要求重新入紙申請,以便地政處可以繼續	
	······· 審批個案。所有申請內容與先前獲批之內容一樣。	
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9. Declaration 聲明		
I hereby declare that the particulars given in this application are correct and true to the best of my knowledge and belief. 本人謹此聲明,本人就這宗申請提交的資料,據本人所知及所信,均屬真實無誤。		
I hereby grant a permission to the Board to copy all the materials submitted in an application to the Board and/or to upload such materials to the Board's website for browsing and downloading by the public free-of-charge at the Board's discretion. 本人現准許委員會酌情將本人就此申請所提交的所有資料複製及/或上載至委員會網站,供公眾免費瀏覽或下載。		
Signature 簽署		
Name in Block Letters 姓名(請以正楷填寫) Position (if applicable) 職位 (如適用)		
Professional Qualification(s)       □       Member 會員 / □       Fellow of 資深會員         專業資格       □       HKIP 香港規劃師學會 / □       HKIA 香港建築師學會 /         □       HKIS 香港測量師學會 / □       HKIE 香港工程師學會 /         □       HKILA 香港園境師學會 / □       HKIUD 香港城市設計學會         □       RPP 註冊專業規劃師         Others 其他		
on behalf of 代表		
Date 日期 19 JUL 2021 (DD/MM/YYYY 日/月/年)		
Remark 備註		
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委員會會向公眾披露申請人所遞交的申請資料和委員會對申請所作的決定。在委員會認為合適的情況下,有關申請 資料亦會上載至委員會網頁供公眾免費瀏覽及下載。

#### Warning 警告

Any person who knowingly or wilfully makes any statement or furnish any information in connection with this application, which is false in any material particular, shall be liable to an offence under the Crimes Ordinance. 任何人在明知或故意的情況下,就這宗申請提出在任何要項上是虛假的陳述或資料,即屬違反《刑事罪行條例》。

# Statement on Personal Data 個人資料的聲明

- 1. The personal data submitted to the Board in this application will be used by the Secretary of the Board and Government departments for the following purposes:
  - 委員會就這宗申請所收到的個人資料會交給委員會秘書及政府部門,以根據《城市規劃條例》及相關的城市規 劃委員會規劃指引的規定作以下用途:
  - (a) the processing of this application which includes making available the name of the applicant for public inspection, when making available this application for public inspection; and
    - 處理這宗申請,包括公布這宗申請供公眾查閱,同時公布申請人的姓名供公眾查閱;以及
  - (b) facilitating communication between the applicant and the Secretary of the Board/Government departments. 方便申請人與委員會秘書及政府部門之間進行聯絡。
- The personal data provided by the applicant in this application may also be disclosed to other persons for the purposes mentioned in paragraph 1 above.
   申請人就這宗申請提供的個人資料,或亦會向其他人士披露,以作上述第1段提及的用途。
- 3. An applicant has a right of access and correction with respect to his/her personal data as provided under the Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance (Cap. 486). Request for personal data access and correction should be addressed to the Secretary of the Board at 15/F, North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong. 根據《個人資料(私隱)條例》(第 486 章)的規定,申請人有權查閱及更正其個人資料。如欲查閱及更正個人資料,應向委員會秘書提出有關要求,其地址為香港北角渣華道 333 號北角政府合署 15 樓。

Gist of Application 申請摘要				
consultees, uploaded deposited at the Plann (請 <u>盡量</u> 以英文及中文	s in both English and Chinese <u>as far as possible</u> . This part will be circulated to relevant to the Town Planning Board's Website for browsing and free downloading by the public and ing Enquiry Counters of the Planning Department for general information.) (填寫。此部分將會發送予相關諮詢人士、上載至城市規劃委員會網頁供公眾免費瀏覽及 規劃資料查詢處以供一般參閱。)			
	(For Official Use Only) (請勿填寫此欄)			
Location/address 位置/地址	Lot 263 S.DSS.9 m D.D.9 Kan Lung Hong. Taipo			
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Site area 地盤面積	140 sq.m 平方米 白 About 約			
	fincludes Government land of 包括政府土地 sq. m 平方米 口 About 約)			
Plan 圖則	S(NE - 144/1)			
Zoning 地帶	AGR & V			
Applied use/ development 申請用途/發展	New Territories Exempted House 新界豁免管制屋宇			
	Small House 小型屋宇			
<ul> <li>Proposed Gross area 擬議總樓面面積</li> </ul>	A. A. A.			
<ul><li>(ii) Proposed No. of house(s) 擬議房屋幢數</li></ul>				
(iii) Proposed buildin height/No. of sto 建築物高度/属	reys 0 - S			
4	Storeys(s) 層			

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	<u>Chinese</u> 中文	<u>English</u> 英文
Plans and Drawings 圖則及繪圖		
Master layout plan(s)/Layout plan(s) 總綱發展藍圖/布局設計圖		
Block plan(s) 樓宇位置圖		
Floor plan(s) 樓宇平面圖		
Sectional plan(s) 截視圖		
Elevation(s) 立視圖		
Photomontage(s) showing the proposed development 顯示擬議發展的合成照片		
Master landscape plan(s)/Landscape plan(s) 園境設計總圖/園境設計圖	. 🗆	
Others (please specify) 其他(請註明)	. 4	Ð
site Plan		
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Reports 報告書		
Planning Statement/Justifications 規劃綱領/理據		
Environmental assessment (noise, air and/or water pollutions)		
環境評估(噪音、空氣及/或水的污染)		
Traffic impact assessment (on vehicles) 就車輛的交通影響評估		
Traffic impact assessment (on pedestrians) 就行人的交通影響評估		
Visual impact assessment 視覺影響評估		
Landscape impact assessment 景觀影響評估	· 🗆	
Tree Survey 樹木調查		
Geotechnical impact assessment 土力影響評估		·
Drainage impact assessment 排水影響評估		
Sewerage impact assessment 排污影響評估		
Risk Assessment 風險評估		
Others (please specify) 其他(請註明)		
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# Relevant Revised Interim Criteria for Consideration of <u>Application for NTEH/Small House in New Territories</u> (promulgated on 7.9.2007)

- (a) sympathetic consideration may be given if not less than 50% of the proposed NTEH/Small House footprint falls within the village 'environs' ('VE') of a recognized village and there is a general shortage of land in meeting the demand for Small House development in the "Village Type Development" ("V") zone of the village;
- (b) if more than 50% of the proposed NTEH/Small House footprint is located outside the 'VE', favourable consideration could be given if not less than 50% of the proposed NTEH/Small House footprint falls within the "V" zone, provided that there is a general shortage of land in meeting the demand for Small House development in the "V" zone and the other criteria can be satisfied;
- (c) development of NTEH/Small House with more than 50% of the footprint outside both the 'VE' and the "V" zone would normally not be approved unless under very exceptional circumstances (e.g. the application site has a building status under the lease, or approving the application could help achieve certain planning objectives such as phasing out of obnoxious but legal existing uses);
- (d) application for NTEH/Small House with previous planning permission lapsed will be considered on its own merits. In general, proposed development which is not in line with the criteria would normally not be allowed. However, sympathetic consideration may be given if there are specific circumstances to justify the cases, such as the site is an infill site among existing NTEHs/Small Houses, the processing of the Small House grant is already at an advance stage;
- (e) an application site involves more than one NTEH/Small House, application of the above criteria would be on individual NTEH/Small House basis;
- (f) the proposed development should not frustrate the planning intention of the particular zone in which the application site is located;
- (g) the proposed development should be compatible in terms of land use, scale, design and layout, with the surrounding area/development;
- (h) the proposed development should not encroach onto the planned road network and should not cause adverse traffic, environmental, landscape, drainage, sewerage and geotechnical impacts on the surrounding areas. Any such potential impacts should be mitigated to the satisfaction of relevant Government departments;
- the proposed development, if located within water gathering grounds, should be able to be connected to existing or planned sewerage system in the area except under very special circumstances (e.g. the application site has a building status under the lease or the applicant can demonstrate that the water quality within water gathering grounds will not be affected by the proposed development<sup>^</sup>);

- (j) the provision of fire service installations and emergency vehicular access, if required, should be appropriate with the scale of the development and in compliance with relevant standards; and
- (k) all other statutory or non-statutory requirements of relevant Government departments must be met. Depending on the specific land use zoning of the application site, other Town Planning Board guidelines should be observed, as appropriate.
- ^i.e. the applicant can demonstrate that effluent discharge from the proposed development will be in compliance with the effluent standards as stipulated in the Water Pollution Control Ordinance Technical Memorandum.

# **Previous Applications**

# **Approved Applications**

Application No.	Proposed Development	Date of Consideration	Approval Conditions
A/NE-KLH/358	Proposed 4 Houses (New Territories Exempted Houses – Small Houses)	23.3.2007 (Partially)	A1 – A5
A/NE-KLH/527	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	12.5.2017	A1 – A4

# **Approval Conditions**

- A1. The submission/provision of drainage facilities
- A2. The submission and implementation of landscape proposal
- A3. The connection of the foul water drainage system to the public sewers
- A4. The provision of protective measures to ensure no pollution or siltation occurs to water gathering ground (WGG)
- A5. The provision of fire fighting access, water supplies and fire services installations (FSIs)

# Similar Applications within the same "Agriculture" Zone on the Kau Lung Hang Outline Zoning Plan

# **Approved Applications**

Application No.	Proposed Development	Date of Consideration	Approval Conditions
A/NE-KLH/245	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	22.12.2000	A1 – A3
A/NE-KLH/259	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	2.2.2001	A1, A3, A5, A6
A/NE-KLH/273	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	4.5.2001	A1 – A3, A5, A6
A/NE-KLH/277	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	21.9.2001	A1 – A3, A5, A6
A/NE-KLH/279	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	21.9.2001	A1 – A3, A5, A6
A/NE-KLH/281	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	7.12.2001	A1 ,A5, A6
A/NE-KLH/283	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	15.3.2002	A1, A3, A5, A6
A/NE-KLH/284	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	15.3.2002	A1, A3, A5, A6
A/NE-KLH/304	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	21.2.2003	A1, A3, A7, A8
A//NE-KLH/310	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	30.5.2003	A1 –A3, A7, A8
A//NE-KLH/311	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	30.5.2003	A1 –A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/328	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House Only)	17.12.2004	A1, A2, A5, A6

Application No.	Proposed Development	Date of Consideration	Approval Conditions
A/NE-KLH/339	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	29.7.2005	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/341	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	14.10.2005	A1, A3, A7, A8, A12
A/NE-KLH/343	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	14.7.2006 (on review <sup>*</sup> )	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/344	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	14.7.2006 (on review <sup>*</sup> )	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/345	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	23.12.2005	A1, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/346	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House - Small House)	17.2.2006	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/347	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House - Small House)	3.3.2006	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/351	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	18.8.2006	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/352	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	18.8.2006	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/358	Proposed 4 Houses (New Territories Exempted Houses – Small Houses)	23.3.2007 (Partially)	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/368	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	18.4.2008	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/370	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	18.7.2008	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/372	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	1.8.2008	A1, A3, A7 – A9

<sup>\*</sup> Appeal dismissed by Town Planning Appeal Board on 2.8.2007

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Application No.	Proposed Development	Date of Consideration	Approval Conditions
A/NE-KLH/375	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	10.10.2008	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/378	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	19.12.2008	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/379	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	19.12.2008	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/397	Proposed 3 Houses (New Territories Exempted Houses – Small Houses)	23.4.2010	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/400	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	9.4.2010	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/403	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	28.5.2010	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/406	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	11.6.2010	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/407	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	11.6.2010	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/409	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	30.7.2010	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/410	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	30.7.2010	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/415	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	15.10.2010	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/416	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	15.10.2010	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/417	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	15.10.2010	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/426	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	28.1.2011	A1, A3, A7 – A9

Application No.	Proposed Development	Date of Consideration	Approval Conditions
A/NE-KLH/432	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	23.9.2011	A1, A7 – A10
A/NE-KLH/433	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	23.9.2011	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/438	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	1.6.2012	A1, A3, A7 – A9
A/NE-KLH/442	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House-Small House)	19.10.2012	A1, A7 – A10
A/NE-KLH/450	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	25.1.2013	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/459	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	17.1.2014	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/467	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	23.5.2014	A1, A3, A4, A8, A13
A/NE-KLH/469	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	24.10.2014 (on review)	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/470	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	24.10.2014 (on review)	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/471	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	11.7.2014	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/472	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	11.7.2014	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/473	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	11.7.2014	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/481	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	22.8.2014	A1, A3, A4, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/482	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	26.9.2014	A1, A3, A7, A8

Application No.	Proposed Development	Date of Consideration	Approval Conditions
A/NE-KLH/487	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	27.3.2015	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/488	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	27.3.2015	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/491	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	22.5.2015	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/494	Proposed 2 Houses (New Territories Exempted Houses – Small Houses)	21.8.2015	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/503	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	22.4.2016	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/504	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	22.4.2016	A1, A7, A8, A10
A/NE-KLH/519	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	26.8.2016	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/523	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	9.12.2016	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/529	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	23.6.2017	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/530	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	23.6.2017	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/531	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	23.6.2017	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/533	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	11.8.2017	A1, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/535	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	13.10.2017	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/540	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	22.12.2017	A1, A7, A8

Application No.	Proposed Development	Date of Consideration	Approval Conditions
A/NE-KLH/541	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	18.5.2018	A1, A7, A8, A11
A/NE-KLH/542	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	16.3.2018	A1, A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/553	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	21.9.2018	A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/554	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	21.9.2018	A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/555	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	21.9.2018	A3, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/563	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	22.3.2019	A1, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/564	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	22.3.2019	A1, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/572	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House - Small House)	6.9.2019	A1, A7, A8
A/NE-KLH/589	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House - Small House)	4.9.2020	A1, A7, A8, A14

#### Approval Conditions

- A1. The submission/provision of drainage facilities.
- A2. The provision of fire services installations (FSIs).
- A3 The submission and implementation of landscape proposal.
- A4. The provision septic tank, as proposed by the applicant, at a location to the satisfaction of the Director of Lands or of the Town Planning Board (TPB).
- A5. The disposal of spoils during the site formation and construction period.
- A6. The connection/provision of septic tank and soakaway pit for foul effluent disposal and the sewerage connection at a distance of not less than 30m from any watercourses.
- A7. The connection of the foul water drainage system to the public sewers.

- A8. The provision of protective measures to ensure no pollution or siltation occurs to water gathering ground (WGG).
- A9. The provision of fire fighting access, water supplies and FSIs.
- A10. The submission and implementation of landscape and tree preservation proposal.
- A11. The submission and implementation of a tree preservation and replanting proposal.
- A12. The provision of adequate space for the existing footpath to pass over the application site for public access purpose.
- A13. The connection of the foul water drainage system to the planned public sewerage system in the area and the whole of the foul water drainage system to the planned public sewerage system.
- A14. The submission of a water pollution risk and impact assessment report to demonstrate no material increase in pollution effect to the lower indirect WGG.

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Rejected	<b>Applications</b>	

Application No.	Proposed Development	Date of Consideration	Rejection Reasons
A/NE-KLH/300	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	11.10.2002	R1
A/NE-KLH/303	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	7.2.2003	R1
A/NE-KLH/312	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	30.5.2003	R1
A/NE-KLH/314	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	25.7.2003	R1, R2, R3
A/NE-KLH/315	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	25.7.2003	R1, R2, R3
A/NE-KLH/333	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	15.7.2005	R1, R4
A/NE-KLH/334	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	15.7.2005	R1, R4

Application No.	Proposed Development	Date of Consideration	Rejection Reasons
A/NE-KLH/358	Proposed 4 Houses (New Territories Exempted Houses – Small Houses)	23.3.2007 (Partially)	R1, R4
A/NE-KLH/361	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	13.4.2007	R1, R3
A/NE-KLH/380	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	13.3.2009	R1, R3, R5
A/NE-KLH/404	Proposed 6 Houses (New Territories Exempted Houses)	11.6.2010	R2 – R4, R11– R12
A/NE-KLH/430	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	8.7.2011	R1, R6
A/NE-KLH/439	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	24.8.2012	R7
A/NE-KLH/440	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	1.2.2013 (on review)	R7, R8
A/NE-KLH/441	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	1.2.2013 (on review)	R7, R8
A/NE-KLH/443	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	19.10.2012	R1, R6
A/NE-KLH/444	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	22.2.2013 (on review)	R7
A/NE-KLH/455	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	13.12.2013	R7
A/NE-KLH/478	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	8.8.2014	R1, R7

Application No.	Proposed Development	Date of Consideration	Rejection Reasons
A/NE-KLH/479	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	8.8.2014	R1, R7
A/NE-KLH/483	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	1.9.2016 (Appeal dismissed) <sup>#</sup>	R1, R7
A/NE-KLH/484	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	31.10.2014	R7
A/NE-KLH/521	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	3.2.2017	R3, R9
A/NE-KLH/526	Proposed 6 Houses (New Territories Exempted Houses – Small Houses)	18.8.2017 (on review)	R1, R7, R9
A/NE-KLH/537	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	8.6.2018 (on review)	R3, R9
A/NE-KLH/538	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	8.6.2018 (on review)	R3, R9
A/NE-KLH/544	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	12.10.2018 (on review)	R1, R3, R7, R9, R10
A/NE-KLH/546	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	4.5.2018	R1, R3, R9
A/NE-KLH/549	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	7.9.2018	R3, R9
A/NE-KLH/556	Proposed 5 Houses (New Territories Exempted Houses)	2.11.2018	R3, R7, R10

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>#</sup>Appeal dismissed by Town Planning Appeal Board on 1.9.2016

Application No.	Proposed Development	Date of Consideration	Rejection Reasons
A/NE-KLH/558	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	22.3.2019	R3, R9
A/NE-KLH/559	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	22.3.2019	R3, R9
A/NE-KLH/573	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	10.1.2020 (on review)	R3, R9
A/NE-KLH/577	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	15.11.2019	R1, R3, R9
A/NE-KLH/593	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	07.05.2021 (on review)	R3, R9
A/NE-KLH/594	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	07.05.2021 (on review)	R3, R9

# Rejection Reasons

- R1. The proposed development did not comply with the Interim Criteria for Consideration of Application for New Territories Exempted House/Small House in the New Territories (Interim Criteria) in that it was not able to be connected to existing or planned sewerage system in the area. There was insufficient information in the submission to demonstrate that the proposed development, which was located within water gathering ground (WGG), would not cause adverse impact on water quality in the area.
- R2. There was no information in the submission to demonstrate that the existing trees within the application site which should be preserved as far as possible, would not be affected by the proposed development.
- R3. The application/proposed development was not in line with the planning intention of the "Agriculture" ("AGR") zone, which was primarily to retain and safeguard good quality agricultural land/farm/fish ponds for agricultural purposes. It was also intended to retain fallow arable land with good potential for rehabilitation for cultivation and other agricultural purposes. There was no strong justifications had been provided in the submission for a departure from the planning intention.
- R4. The approval of the proposed development would set an undesirable precedent for other similar applications within WGG in the New Territories and would lead to

irreversible damage to the water quality of the WGGs in Kau Lung Hang and other areas in the New Territories.

- R5. The proposed development did not comply with the Interim Criteria in that the proposed house with more than 50% of the footprint outside both the village environs and the "Village Type Development" ("V") zone of recognised villages.
- R6. The proposed development did not comply with the Interim Criteria in that more than 50% of the footprint of the proposed Small House fell outside both the "V" zone and the village 'environs' of Yuen Leng, Kau Lung Hang Lo Wai and Kau Lung Hang San Wai, and it was uncertain whether the proposed Small House located within the WGG could be connected to the planned sewerage system in the area.
- R7. The proposed development did not comply with the Interim Criteria in that the proposed Small House located within the WGG would not be able to be connected to the existing/planned sewerage system in the area as there was no fixed programme for implementation of such system at this juncture, and/or would cause adverse landscape impact on the surrounding areas.
- R8. There was no information in the submission to demonstrate that the proposed development would have no adverse drainage and sewerage disposal impacts on the surrounding areas.
- R9. Land was still available within the "V" zone of Yuen Leng, Kau Lung Hang San Wai and Kau Lung Hang Lo Wai which was primarily intended for Small House development. It was considered more appropriate to concentrate the proposed Small House development within "V" zone for more orderly development pattern, efficient use of land and provision of infrastructure and services.
- R10. The proposed development would be subject to adverse noise impact generated by the East Rail nearby, and there was no information in the submission to demonstrate that the proposed development would be in compliance with the Noise Control Ordinance (Cap. 400).
- R11. The proposed development would be subject to adverse noise impact generated by the East Rail nearby.
- R12. The approval of the application would set an undesirable precedent for similar applications within the "AGR" zone, the cumulative effect of which would result in adverse impact on the traffic and rural landscape of the area.

#### **Detailed Comments from Relevant Government Departments**

#### 1. Land Administration

Comments of the District Lands Officer/Tai Po, Lands Department (DLO/TP, LandsD):

- (a) no objection to the application;
- (b) the applicant is an indigenous villager of Kau Lung Hang Village of Tai Po Heung as confirmed by the Indigenous Inhabitant Representative (IIR). However, his eligibility for Small House (SH) grant have yet to be ascertained;
- (c) the Site is not covered by any Modification of Tenancy or Building Licence;
- (d) the Site is held under Block Government Lease demised for agricultural use. SH application submitted on 3.3.1999 by the applicant at the Site is still under processing;
- (e) in case the planning application is approved by the Town Planning Board (the Board), LandsD will process the SH application according to prevailing applicable procedures. However, there is no guarantee at this stage that the SH application would be approved. If the SH application is approved by LandsD acting in the capacity as landlord at its sole discretion, such approvals will be subject to terms and conditions as may be imposed by LandsD. There is no guarantee to the grant of a right of way to the proposed SH or approval of the emergency vehicular access thereto;
- (f) the estimated number of 10-year SH demand and the number of outstanding SH applications for the village concerned are as follows:

<u>Village</u>	No. of 10-year <u>SH Demand*</u>	No. of Outstanding <u>SH Applications (about)</u>
Yuen Leng	241	72
Kau Lung Hang	464	50

(\* The figures of 10-year SH Demand are estimations provided by the IIRs of concerned villages and the information so obtained is not verified in any way by DLO/TP.)

# 2. <u>Agriculture</u>

Comments of the Director of Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation (DAFC):

- the Site falls within "AGR" and "V" zones and is currently a piece of abandoned land. There are active agricultural activities in the vicinity, and agricultural infrastructure such as road access and water source is available. The Site can be used for agricultural activities such as open-field cultivation, greenhouses, plant nurseries, etc. As the Site possesses potential for agricultural rehabilitation, the application is not supported from agricultural point of view.

#### 3. <u>Environment</u>

Comments of the Director of Environmental Protection (DEP):

- (a) the Site falls within an area partly zoned "AGR" and partly zoned "V" and is within water gathering grounds (WGG). The applicant proposed to connect the Small House to the existing public sewer. The public sewerage in the area should have sufficient capacity to accommodate the discharge from the proposed Small House. He has no comment on the proposed sewer connection proposal, yet DSD's advice on the technical feasibility of sewer connection shall be considered.
- (b) he has no objection to the application on the conditions that:
  - (i) the proposed house will be connected to the public sewer;
  - (ii) adequate land space within the Site will be reserved for connection of the proposed house to the public sewer;
  - (iii) written consent(s) from the relevant lot owner(s) and/or LandsD's permission can be obtained for laying and maintaining sewage pipes; and
  - (iv) the cost of sewer connection and maintenance will be borne by the applicant.

#### 4. Landscape

Comments of the Chief Town Planner/Urban Design and Landscape, Planning Department (CTP/UD&L, PlanD) :

- (a) no objection to the application;
- (b) according to aerial photo of 2021, the Site is located in an area of settled valleys landscape character surrounded by village houses and farmlands. It is covered by wild grass with no significant landscape resource observed. Hence, significant adverse impact on existing landscape resources arising from the proposed development is not anticipated;
- (c) planning applications in close proximity to the Site across the same "AGR" and "V" zones for Small House development were approved. The proposed Small House is considered not entirely incompatible with its surrounding environment; and
- (d) as there is limited space within the Site for meaningful landscaping and there is no major public frontage along the site boundary, should the Board approve this application, it is considered not necessary to impose a landscape condition

as the effect of additional landscaping on enhancing the quality of public realm is not apparent.

# 5. <u>Traffic</u>

Comments of the Commissioner for Transport (C for T):

- (a) such type of development should be confined within the "V" zone as far as possible. Although additional traffic generated by the proposed development is not expected to be significant, such type of development outside "V" zone, if permitted, will set an undesirable precedent for similar applications in the future. The resulting cumulative adverse traffic impact could be substantial;
- (b) notwithstanding the above, the application only involving development of one Small House can be tolerated on traffic grounds; and
- (c) the proposed development would encroach onto an existing access road. The maintenance and management party of the road concerned should be consulted and advice should be sought on whether reprovision of the road is required.

# 6. <u>Drainage and Sewerage</u>

Comments of the Chief Engineer/Mainland North, Drainage Services Department (CE/MN, DSD):

- (a) while there are existing DSD's public storm water drains in this area, the feasibility of drainage connection is subject to the invert level of discharge connection pipe. The applicant shall demonstrate the Site will have its own stormwater collection and discharge system to cater for the runoff generated within the Site and overland flow from surrounding of the Site e.g. surface channel of sufficient size along the perimeter of the Site; sufficient openings should be provided at the bottom of the boundary wall/fence to allow surface runoff to pass through the Site if any boundary wall/fence are to be erected. Any existing flow path affected should be re-provided. The submission shall also demonstrate that neither overland flow will be obstructed nor the existing natural streams, village drains, ditches and the adjacent areas will be adversely affected. The applicant is required to maintain the drainage systems properly and rectify the systems if they are found to be inadequate or ineffective during operation. The applicant shall also be liable for and shall indemnify claims and demands arising out of damage or nuisance caused by failure of the systems caused by his works;
- (b) there is existing public sewer in the vicinity of the Site; and
- (c) for works to be undertaken outside the lot boundary, prior consent and agreement from LandsD and/or relevant private lot owners should be sought.

#### 7. <u>Water Supplies</u>

Comments of the Chief Engineer of Construction (CE/C, WSD):

- (a) no objection to the application;
- (b) the Site is located within upper indirect WGG. It is noted that the applicant will connect the proposed Small House to the public sewerage system in the area. DEP advised that the Site is able to be connected to the public sewerage system by laying sewer pipes through adjacent private lots;
- (c) it is noted that DEP has no objection to the application provided that the applicant shall connect the proposed Small House with public sewer for sewage disposal. He supports DEP's view by imposing the following conditions:
  - the foul water drainage system of the proposed Small House can be connected to the public sewerage system in the area and the applicant shall connect the whole of the foul water drainage system to the public sewerage system;
  - (ii) adequate protective measures shall be taken to ensure that no pollution or siltation occurs to the WGG; and
  - (iii) an executed Deed of Grant of Easement for each private lot through which the sewer connection pipes are proposed to pass shall be submitted to demonstrate that it is both technically and legally feasible to install sewerage pipes from the proposed Small House to the public sewerage system via relevant private lot; and
- (d) an existing water main is inside the Site and will be affected. The applicant is required to either divert or protect the water mains found on site. If diversion is required, existing water mains inside the Site are needed to be diverted outside the site boundary of the proposed development to lie in Government land. A strip of land of minimum 1.5m in width should be provided for the diversion of existing water mains. The cost of diversion of existing water mains upon request will have to be borne by the grantee/applicant and the applicant shall submit all the relevant proposal to WSD for consideration and agreement before the works commence.
- (e) If diversion is not required, the follow conditions shall apply:
  - (i) existing water mains are affected as indicated on the site plan and no development which requires resting of water mains will be allowed;
  - (ii) details of site formation works shall be submitted to the Director of Water Supplies(DWS) for approval prior to commencement of works;
  - (iii) no structures shall be built or materials stored within 1.5 metres from the centre line(s) of water main(s) shown on the plan. Free access shall be made available at all times for staff of DWS or their contractor to carry out constructions, inspection, operation, maintenance and repair works;

- (iv) no trees or shrubs with penetrating roots may be planted within the Water Works Reserve or in the vicinity of the water main(s). No change of existing site condition may be undertaken within the aforesaid area without the prior agreement of the DWS. Right root barriers may be required if the clear distance between the proposed tree and the pipe is 2.5m or less, and the barrier must extend below the invert level of the pipe;
- (v) no planting or obstruction of any kind except turfing shall be permitted within the space of 1.5 metres around the cover of any valve or within a distance of 1 metre from ant hydrant outlet; and
- (vi) tree planting may be prohibited in the event that the DWS considers that there is any likelihood of damage being caused to water mains.

#### 8. <u>Fire Safety</u>

Comments of the Director of Fire Services (D of FS):

- (a) no in-principle objection to the application; and
- (b) the applicant is reminded to observe 'New Territories Exempted Houses A Guide to Fire Safety Requirements' published by the LandsD. Detailed fire safety requirements will be formulated upon receipt of formal applications referred by LandsD.

#### 9. Demand and Supply of Small House Sites

According to the DLO/TP, LandsD's record, the total number of outstanding Small House applications for Yuen Leng and Kau Lung Hang Villages is 122 while the 10-year Small House demand forecast for the same villages is 705. A breakdown is as follows:

Village	No. of Outstanding Small House Applications	No. of 10-year Small House Demand
Yuen Leng	72	241
Kau Lung Hang	50	464

Based on the latest estimate by the Planning Department, about 6 ha of land (or equivalent to about 240 Small House sites) are available within the "V" zone of Yuen Leng and Kau Lung Hang Villages. Therefore, the land available cannot fully meet the future Small House demand of about 20.68 ha (or equivalent to about 827 Small House sites).

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A/NE-KLH/597 DD 9 Kau Lung Hang 01/09/2021 03:28

From:

To: FileRef: tpbpd <tpbpd@pland.gov.hk>

Dear TPB Members,

There is no indication that this house would be hooked up to public drainage system. Wit the advent of global warming and the increased risk of flooding, particularly in certain parts of NT, adequate drainage should be a paramount concern. Mary Mulvihill

#### From:

To: "tpbpd" <tpbpd@pland.gov.hk> Sent: Thursday, April 20, 2017 2:06:01 AM Subject: A/NE-KLH/527 Kau Lung Hang A/NE-KLH/527 ot 263 S.D ss.9 in D.D. 9, Kau Lung Hang, Tai Po Site area 140 m<sup>2</sup> Zoning : "Agriculture" and "VTD' Applied Development; NET House

Dear TPB Members,

The proposed development is not in line with the planning intention of the "Agriculture" zone for the area which is primarily to retain and safeguard good quality agricultural land/farm/fish ponds for agricultural purposes. It is also intended to retain fallow arable land with good potential for rehabilitation for cultivation and other agricultural purposes. There is no strong planning justification provided in the submission for a departure from the planning intention; and

Approval would set an undesirable precedent.

Mary Mulvihill

# **Recommended Advisory Clauses**

(a) to note the comments of the District Lands Officer/Tai Po, Lands Department (DLO/TP, LandsD) that:

in case the planning application is approved by the Town Planning Board (the Board), LandsD will process the Small House application according to prevailing applicable procedures. However, there is no guarantee at this stage that the Small House application would be approved. If the Small House application is approved by LandsD acting in the capacity as landlord at its sole discretion, such approval will be subject to terms and conditions as may be imposed by LandsD. There is no guarantee to the grant of a right of way to the proposed Small House or approval of the emergency vehicular access thereto;

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- (d) to note the comments of the Director of Fire Services (D of FS) that the applicant is reminded to observe 'New Territories Exempted Houses – A Guide to Fire Safety Requirements' published by LandsD. Detailed fire safety requirements will be formulated during land grant stage; and
- (e) to note that the permission is only given to the development under application. If provision of an access road is required for the proposed development, the applicant should ensure that such access road (including any necessary filling/excavation of

land) complies with the provisions of the relevant statutory plan and obtain planning permission from the Town Planning Board where required before carrying out the road works.