#### Relevant Extracts of Town Planning Board Guidelines No. 34D on 'Renewal of Planning Approval and Extension of Time for Compliance with Planning Conditions for temporary Use or Development' (TPB PG-No. 34D)

- 1. The relevant assessment criteria for assessing applications include:
  - (a) whether there has been any material change in planning circumstances since the previous temporary approval was granted (such as a change in the planning policy/land-use zoning for the area) or a change in the land uses of the surrounding areas;
  - (b) whether there are any adverse planning implications arising from the renewal of the planning approval (such as pre-emption of planned permanent development);
  - (c) whether the planning conditions under previous approval have been complied with to the satisfaction of relevant Government departments within the specified time limits;
  - (d) whether the approval period sought is reasonable; and
  - (e) any other relevant considerations.
- 2. Under normal circumstances, the approval period for renewal should not be longer than the original validity period of the temporary approval. In general, the Board is unlikely to grant an approval period exceeding three years unless there are strong justifications and the period is allowed for under the relevant statutory plans. Depending on the circumstances of each case, the Board could determine the appropriate approval period, which may be shorter than the time under request.

# **Previous S.16 Applications**

# **Approved Applications**

Application No.	Uses/Developments	Date of Consideration
A/NE-LYT/260	Temporary Warehouses for Storage of Wooden & Rattan Furniture for a Period of 3 Years	16.5.2003 (Revoked on 16.11.2003)
A/NE-LYT/278	Temporary Workshops for Manufacture & Storage of Wooden & Rattan Furniture for a Period of 3 Years	11.6.2004 (Revoked on 11.12.2004)
A/NE-LYT/300	Temporary Workshops for Manufacture and Storage of Wooden and Rattan Furniture for a Period of 3 Years	15.4.2005
A/NE-LYT/422	Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years	13.8.2010 (Revoked on 13.9.2012)
A/NE-LYT/542	Temporary Warehouses (Excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years	23.5.2014
A/NE-LYT/631	Temporary Warehouses (Excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years	27.10.2017
A/NE-LYT/731	Renewal of Planning Approval for Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years	18.9.2020

#### **Rejected Application**

Application No.	Proposed Development	Date of Consideration	Rejection Reasons
A/NE-LYT/313	Temporary Residential Institution and Training Centre (Youth Hostel) for a Period of 3 Years	9.12.2005	R1 & R2

# **Rejection Reasons**

- R1 The proposed plot ratio and building height exceeded those stipulated under the "Residential (Group C)" zone and no justification was provided
- R2 The development under application might increase traffic flow in the area and no technical assessments/proposals had been submitted to demonstrate that the subject development would not generate adverse traffic impact on the surrounding areas

#### Similar S.16 Applications for Temporary Warehouse within/partly within "Residential (Group C)" and / or "Agriculture" Zones in the vicinity of the Application Site <u>in the Lung Yeuk Tau & Kwan Tei South Area</u>

#### **Approved Application**

Application No.	Use/Development	Date of Consideration
A/NE-LYT/423	Temporary Warehouses (Excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years	13.8.2010 (Revoked on 13.9.2012)

#### **Government Departments' General Comments**

#### 1. Land Administration

Comments of the District Lands Officer/North, Lands Department (DLO/N, LandsD):

- the Site comprises Old Schedule Agricultural Lot held under the Block Government Lease which contains the restriction that no structures are allowed to be erected without the prior approval of the government. No right of access via Government land (GL) is granted to the Site; and
- the application lots are covered by a Short Term Waiver (STW) No. 1646 for the purpose of Warehouse (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown). The applicant is the waiveree of the STW.

#### 2. <u>Traffic</u>

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

- no objection on the subject renewal of planning approval from a traffic engineering viewpoint; and
- the following conditions applied to the last approved application No. A/NE-LYT/731 shall remain and be applied to this renewal application should the application be approved:
  - (a) no operation between 8:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m., as proposed by the applicant, is allowed on the site during the planning approval period;
  - (b) no operation except indoor forklift operation inside the enclosed warehouses between 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., as proposed by the applicant, is allowed on the site during the planning approval period;
  - (c) no operation on Sundays and public holidays, as proposed by the applicant, is allowed on the site during the planning approval period;
  - (d) a maximum of two heavy goods vehicles/container vehicles are allowed to enter the site per day, as proposed by the applicant, during the planning approval period;
  - (e) all vehicles should only be allowed to use the ingress/egress at Dao Yang Road at any time during the planning approval period;
  - (k) all vehicles entering and exiting the site during the planning approval period shall be restricted to non-peak hours (i.e. from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.), as proposed by the applicant, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner for Transport or of the TPB;
  - the implementation of the traffic mitigation measures during the planning approval period, as proposed by the applicant, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner for Transport or of the TPB; and
  - (p) if any of the above planning conditions (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h), (i), (j), (k) or (l), is not complied with during the planning approval period, the approval hereby given shall cease to have effect and shall be revoked immediately without further notice.

Comments of the Chief Highway Engineer/New Territories East, Highways Department (CHE/NTE, HyD);

- no comment on the planning application; and
- the access road adjacent to the Site is not maintained by HyD.

#### 3. <u>Agriculture</u>

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

• considering that the previous application for the same use on the Site was approved, this office has no strong view against the application for renewal of the planning approval from an agricultural perspective.

#### 4. Landscape

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

- there is no significant change in the landscape character surrounding the site between 2020 and 2022;
- the Site is hard paved and occupied by some temporary structures and buildings. Some trees of common species are observed along he site boundary;
- further adverse impact on the landscape character and the existing landscape resources within the Site arising from the applied use is not anticipated;
- no objection to the application from landscape planning perspective; and
- should the application be approved, it is considered not necessary to impose a landscape condition (i.e. including maintenance of the existing trees) as further impact on landscape resources within the Site is not anticipated.

#### 5. Drainage

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

- no objection to the application from public drainage perspective
- there is no existing DSD maintained public stormwater drains available for connection in the area;
- the Site is in an area where no public sewerage connection is available; and
- in view that the major development parameters under the current application are largely similar to the previous application, an updated submission of photographic record showing the existing drainage conditions is required.

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

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

• no in-principle objection to the proposal subject to fire service installations being provided to the satisfaction of the D of FS.

#### 7. <u>Heritage</u>

Comments of the Executive Secretary (Antiquities & Monuments), Antiquities and Monuments Office (ES(A&M), AMO):

• in view that the renewal application does not involve any construction works including but not limited to excavation at the Site, the AMO has no objection in principle to the application from the heritage preservation perspective.

#### 8. <u>New Development</u>

Comments of the Project Manager (North), North Development Office, Civil Engineering and Development Department (PM(N), CEDD):

• It is noted that the proposed development is located within the proposed New Territories North (NTN) New T own under the Planning and Engineering (P&E) Study for NTN New Town and Man Kam To, and the P&E Study already commenced on 29 October 2021 for completion in about 3 years. While the implementation programme of NTN New Town will be formulated under the P&E Study, the site formation works will likely commence soon after the completion of detailed design in next stage. Hence the applicant should be reminded that subject to the land use planning in the P&E Study, the subject developments, if approved, may need to be vacated for the site formation works.

#### 9. Other Departments

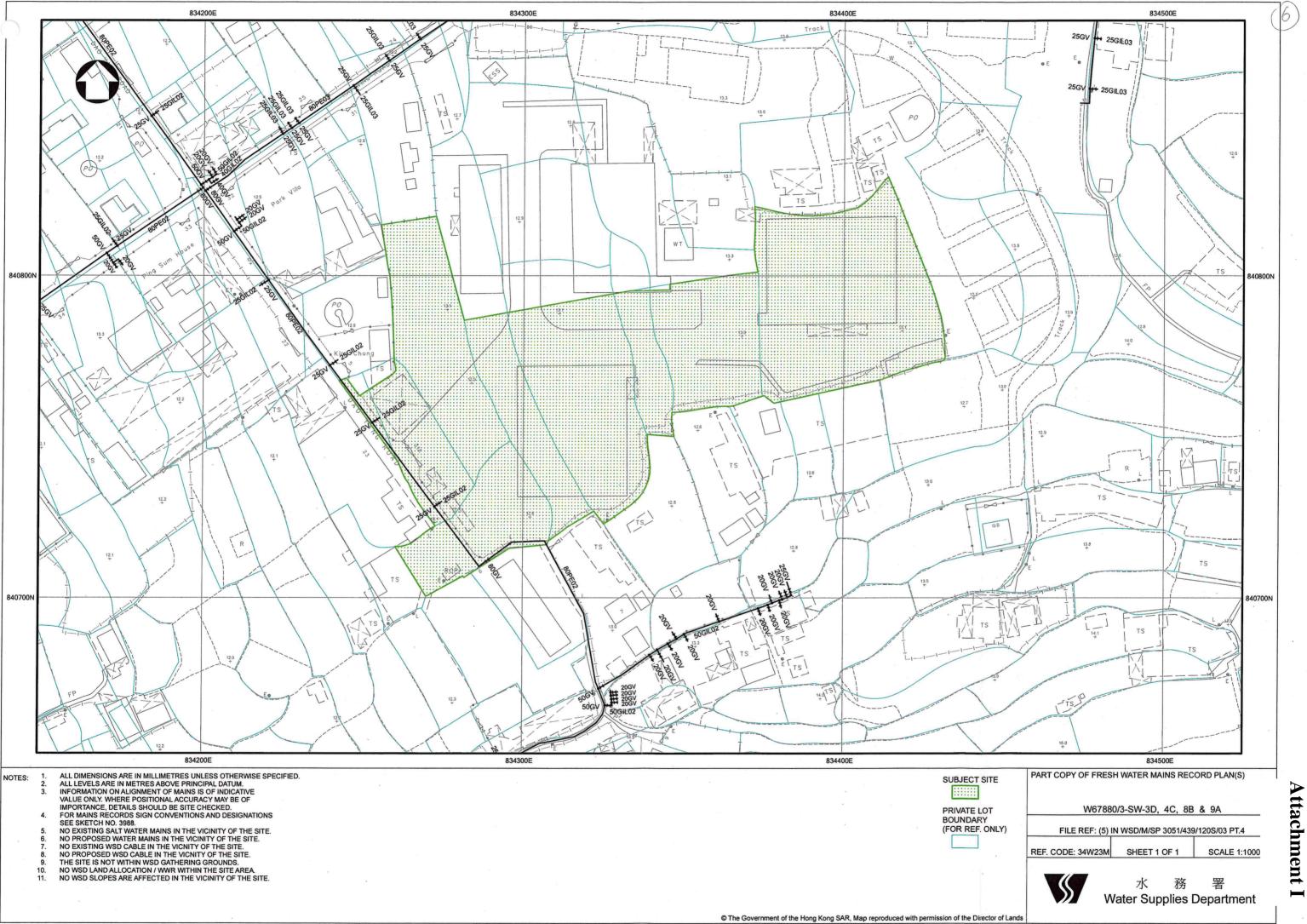
- The following government departments have no comments on the application:
  - Chief Engineer/Construction, Water Supplies Department (CE/C, WSD)

#### **Recommended Advisory Clauses**

- (a) to note the comments of the District Lands Officer/North, Lands Department (DLO/N, LandsD) that:
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- (b) to note the comments of the Chief Engineer/Construction, Water Supplies Department that:
  - (i) the applicant is required to either divert or protect the water mains found on site;
  - (ii) if diversion is required, existing water mains inside the proposed lot 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;
  - (iii) if diversion is not required, the following conditions shall apply;
    - (1) existing water mains are affected as indicated on the Plan (**Attachment 1**) and no development which requires resiting of water mains will be allowed;
    - (2) details of site formation works shall be submitted to the Director of Water Supplies for approval prior to commencement of works;
    - (3) 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 the Director of Water Supplies or their contractor to carry out construction, inspection, operation, maintenance and repair works;
    - (4) no trees of shrubs with penetrating roots may be planted within the Water Works Reserve or in the vicinity of the water main(s) shown in the Plan. No change of existing site condition may be undertaken within the aforesaid area without the prior agreement of the Director of Water Supplies. Rigid 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;
    - (5) 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 any hydrant outlet;
    - (6) tree planting may be prohibited in the event that the Director of Water Supplies considers that there is any likelihood of damage being caused to water mains;
- (c) to note the comments of the Director of Environmental Protection (DEP) that:
  - to comply with all environmental protection/pollution ordinance, and to follow the relevant mitigation measures and requirements in the latest "Code of Practice on Handling Environmental Aspects of and Temporary Uses and Open Storage Sites" issued by EPD to

minimise potential environmental nuisance to the surrounding area;

- (d) to note the comments of the Chief Highway Engineer/New Territories East, Highways Department (HyD) that the access road adjacent to the Site is not maintained by HyD;
- (e) to note the comments of the Executive Secretary (Antiquities & Monuments), Antiquities and Monuments Office (ES(A&M), AMO) that pursuant to the Antiquities and Monuments Ordinance (Cap.53), the applicant is reminded to inform AMO immediately in case of discovery of antiquities or supposed antiquities during the use of the Site. Besides, the applicant has to seek AMO's comment if the development parameter and scope of works have any change and/or propose excavation and site formation in the Site;
- (f) to note the comments of the Director of Fire Services (D of FS) that:
  - (i) in consideration of the design/nature of the proposal, the applicant is advised to submit relevant layout plans incorporated with the proposed fire service installations (FSIs) to his satisfaction;
  - (ii) the applicant should be advised that the layout plans should be drawn to scale and depicted with dimensions and nature of occupancy and the location of where the proposed FSIs to be installed should be clearly marked on the layout plans;
  - (iii) the applicant is reminded that if the proposed structure(s) is required to comply with the Buildings Ordinance (BO) (Cap.123), detailed fire service requirements will be formulated upon receipt of formal submission of general building plans; and
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(李國鳳)

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#### A/NE-LYT/804

Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1 RP, 836 RP, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP, 842 RP, 844 RP and 854 in D.D. 83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling

Site area: About 10,853.68sq.m

Zoning: "Res (Group C)" and "Agriculture"

Applied use: Warehouses / 10 Vehicle Parking

Dear TPB Members,

Application 731 was subject to a number of Extensions of Time. However now that PlanD has eliminated the link to history of lots, it is difficult to determine if conditions were eventually fulfilled.

Members have a duty to Inquire into the matter on behalf the deprived community.

Mary Mulvihill

From: To: tpbpd <tpbpd@pland.gov.hk> Date: Monday, 24 August 2020 3:29 AM CST Subject: A/NE-LYT/731 Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen

Dear TPB Members,

No doubt PlanD will trot out the same line it has been using for two decades :

"The applied use was not in line with the planning intention of the "Residential (Group C)" ("R(C)") and "Agriculture" zones, however the site was located at the fringe of the "R(C)" zone, there was no known development programme on the site ....."

But now in view of the recent JR HCAL 26/2012 2020 HKCFI 501 members can no longer rely on PlanD recommendations but must ask questions.

Hence, a mere reading of the representation / comment and obtaining advice in respect thereof do not suffice – the decision maker must have to personally

consider them rather than rely on an official's consideration of them: Tickner v Chapman, supra, at 464D-E. Li CJ also said in Oriental Daily, supra, at 868B that "the reasons should show that the issues that arise for serious consideration have been considered."

So what is THE PLAN for the district? What progress has been made re the Fanling North NDA? Members should press for details and timelines. Why is NT carpeted with land use inefficient facilities? The ease with which rolling over brownfield applications without question has become the normal is one of the reasons why so many long promised developments are stalled.

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#### From:

To: "tpbpd" <tpbpd@pland.gov.hk> Sent: Tuesday, June 13, 2017 1:18:46 AM Subject: A/NE-LYT/631 Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen A/NE-LYT/631 Lots in D.D. 83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling Site area : About 10,931m<sup>2</sup> Zoning : "Res (Group C)" and "Agriculture" Applied Use : Temporary Warehouse / 10 Parking

Dear TPB Members,

I though Secretary for Development Eric Ma would be out scouring the NT for sites to use for housing but appears to have overlooked this 11,000 sqmts being used for open storage since 1991.

TPB Members should push the government to phase out these haphazard operations that should be accommodated in custom built high rise, or underground, facilities complete with industrial lifts, washrooms, visitor parking, canteen for workers, etc.

Rubber stamping such applications is perpetuating the status quo and inhibiting the long overdue clean of NT and progress into the new technological era. It is no wonder Hong Kong is falling behind when there is no incentive to upgrade facilities.

As part of the site is zoned Agriculture but has been used for brownfield and is therefore degraded, it would appear that eliminating the brownfield storage element would allow the site to be fully utilized for low rise residential. This would be in keeping with current policy and more appropriate than invading country parks and trashing Green Belt.

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Appendix I of RNTPC Paper No. A/NE-LYT/804A

**收到・城市規劃委員会** 後才正式庭記收到 申記的日期・ <u>Form No. S16-III</u> 表格第 S16-III 號 - 2 AUG ZUZ3 This document is received on The Town Planning Board will formally acknowledge the date of receipt of the application only upon receipt of all the required information and documents. APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION **UNDER SECTION 16 OF** THE TOWN PLANNING ORDINANCE (CAP.131) 《城市規劃條例》(第131章) 根 據 第16條遞交的許 可申請 Applicable to Proposal Only Involving Temporary Use/Development of Land and/or Building Not Exceeding 3 Years in Rural Areas or Renewal of Permission for such Temporary Use or Development\* 適用於祇涉及位於鄉郊地區土地上及/或建築物內進行為期不超過三年 的臨時用途/發展或該等臨時用途/發展的許可續期的建議\* \*Form No. S16-I should be used for other Temporary Use/Development of Land and/or Building (e.g. temporary use/developments in the Urban Area) and Renewal of Permission for such Temporary Use or Development. \*其他土地上及/或建築物内的臨時用途/發展(例如位於市區內的臨時用途或發展)及有關該等臨時用途/發 展的許可續期,應使用表格第S16-I號。 Applicant who would like to publish the notice of application 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: https://www.info.gov.hk/tpb/en/plan application/apply.html 申請人如欲在本地報章刊登申請通知,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 「ノ」 at the appropriate box 請在適當的方格內上加上「ノ」號

281 Form No. S16-III 表格第 S16-III 號 By hand Application No. 申請編號 For Official Use Only 諸勿填寫此欄 Date Received 2 AUG 2023 收到日期

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 http://www.info.gov.hk/tpb/. It can also be obtained from the Secretariat of the Board at 15/F, North
- 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。

申請人姓名/名稱 Name of Applicant 1.

(□Mr. 先生 /□Mrs. 夫人 /□Miss 小姐 /□Ms. 女士 / ☑ Company 公司 /□Organisation 機構 )

CARLTON WOODCRAFT MANUFACTURING LTD.

獲授權代理人姓名/名稱(如適用) Name of Authorised Agent (if applicable)

(□Mr. 先生 /□Mrs. 夫人 /□Miss 小姐 /□Ms. 女士 / O Company 公司 /□Organisation 機構 )

Aikon Development Consultancy Limited (毅勤發展顧問有限公司)

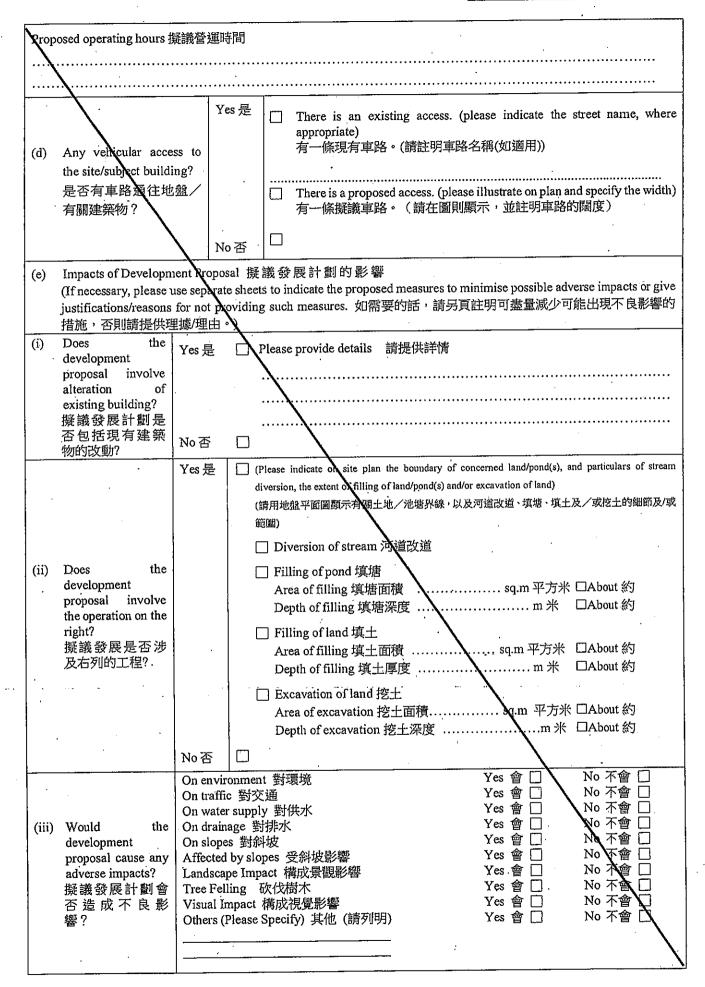
3.	Application Site 申請地點	
(a)	Full address / location / demarcation district and lot number (if applicable) 詳細地址/地點/丈量約份及 地段號碼(如適用)	Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1 RP, 836 RP, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP, 842 RP, 844 RP and 854 in D.D.83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling, New Territories
(b)	Site area and/or gross floor area involved 涉及的地盤面積及/或總樓面面 積	☑Site area 地盤面積 10,853.68 sq.m 平方米☑About 約 ☑Gross floor area 總樓面面積 3000 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)	N.Asq.m 平方米 □About 約

Parts 1, 2 and 3 第1、第2及第3部分

(d)	Name and number of th statutory plan(s) 有關法定圖則的名稱及約		Approved Lung Yeuk Tau and Ky Outline Zoning Plan No. S/NE-LY			
(e)	Land use zone(s) involved 涉及的土地用途地帶	d	"Residential (Group C)" and "Agr	iculture"		
(f)	Current use(s) 現時用途		Temporary Warehouse (excludin Goods Godown) (If there are any Government, institution or community 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	/ facilities, please illustrate on		
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(c) Development Schedule 發展細節表						
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(b) Date of approval 獲批給許可的日期				
(c) Date of expiry 許可屆滿日期				
(d) Approved use/development 已批給許可的用途/發展	Temporary Warehouse (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown)			
	<ul> <li>□ The permission does not have any approval condition 許可並沒有任何附帶條件</li> <li>☑ Applicant has complied with all the approval conditions 申請人已履行全部附帶條件</li> <li>□ Applicant has not yet complied with the following approval condition(s): 申請人仍未履行下列附帶條件 :</li> </ul>			
(e) Approval conditions 附帶條件				
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(f) Renewal period sought 要求的續期期間	☑ year(s) 年     3 □ month(s) 個月			

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8. 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。					
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on behalf of Aikon Development Consultancy Limited					
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The materials submitted in this application and the Board's decision on the application would be disclosed to the public. Such materials would also be uploaded to the Board's website for browsing and free downloading by the public where the Board considers appropriate. 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。					

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Application No. 申請编號	(For Official Use Only) (請勿填寫此欄)
Location/address 位置/地址	Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1 RP, 836 RP, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP, 842 RP, 844 RP and 854 in D.D.83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling, New Territories 新界粉嶺馬料水新村31A號丈量約份第83約地段第755號、第835號B分段第1小分段餘段、 第836號餘段、第837號、第838號餘段、第841號餘段、第842號餘段、第844號餘段 及第854號
Site area 地盤面積	10,853.68 sq. m 平方米 🗹 About 約
	(includes Government land of 包括政府土地 N.A sq. m 平方米 □ About 約)
Plan 圖則	Approved Lung Yeuk Tau and Kwan Tei South Outline Zoning Plan No. S/NE-LYT/19 龍躍頭及軍地南分區計劃大綱核准圖(編號:S/NE-LYT/19)
Zoning 地帶	"Residential (Group C)" and "Agriculture" 「住宅(丙類)」及「農業」
Type of Application 申請類別	<ul> <li>Temporary Use/Development in Rural Areas for a Period of 位於鄉郊地區的臨時用途/發展為期</li> <li>Year(s) 年 □ Month(s) 月</li> </ul>
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	☑ Year(s) 年 <u>3</u> □ Month(s) 月
Applied use/ development 申請用途/發展	Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years 臨時貨倉(危險品倉庫除外)(為期三年)

(i)	Gross floor area	sq.m 平方米			Plot Ratio 地積比率		
	and/or plot ratio 總樓面面積及/或 地積比率	Domestic 住用	N.A.	□ About 約 □ Not more than 不多於	N.A.	□About 約 □Not more than 不多於	
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		Non-domestic 非住用		11 .			
(iii)	Building height/No. of storeys 建築物高度/層數	Domestic 住用		N.A.	🗆 (Not	m 米 more than 不多於)	
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(iv)	Site coverage 上蓋面積		<u>_</u>	28	%	I About 約	
(v)	No. of parking spaces and loading / unloading spaces 停車位及上落客貨 車位數目	Total no. of vehicle parking spaces 停車位總數       5         Private Car Parking Spaces 私家車車位       Motorcycle Parking Spaces 電單車車位         Light Goods Vehicle Parking Spaces 輕型貨車泊車位       5         Medium Goods Vehicle Parking Spaces 中型貨車泊車位       5         Heavy Goods Vehicle Parking Spaces 重型貨車泊車位       5         Others (Please Specify) 其他 (請列明)       5         Total no. of vehicle loading/unloading bays/lay-bys       5         Light Goods Vehicle Spaces 輕型貨車車位       5         Taxi Spaces 的士車位       5         Light Goods Vehicle Spaces 輕型貨車車位       5         Heavy Goods Vehicle Spaces 輕型貨車車位       5					
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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		0
Master landscape plan(s)/Landscape plan(s) 園境設計總圖/園境設計圖		া ব
Others (please specify) 其他(請註明)		
Location plan, Lox Index Plan extract, Outline Zoning Plan extract,		
site photos, photos of drainage facilities and trees		
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Planning Statement/Justifications 規劃綱領/理據	Ω.	M
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Landscape impact assessment 景觀影響評估		
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Ref.: ADCL/PLG-10265/R001



## Section 16 Planning Application Renewal of Planning Approval under Application No. A/NE-LYT/731

Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years

Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1 RP, 836 RP, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP, 842 RP, 844 RP and 854 in D.D.83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling, New Territories

**Planning Statement** 

Prepared by Aikon Development Consultancy Ltd.

#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

(In case of discrepancy between English and Chinese versions, English shall prevail)

This Planning Statement is submitted to the Town Planning Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Board") in support of a planning application (hereinafter referred to as "the current application") for <u>Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years</u> (hereinafter referred to as "the proposed use") at Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1 RP, 836 RP, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP, 842 RP, 844 RP and 854 in D.D.83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling, New Territories (hereinafter referred to "the application site"). The Planning Statement serves to provide background information and planning justifications in support of the proposed use in order to facilitate the consideration by the Board.

The current application aims to renew the latest planning permission from the Board under Planning Application (No. A/NE-LYT/731) approved on 18.9.2020 (hereinafter referred to "the last approved application") which will lapse on 27.10.2023 such that the Applicant will be given an opportunity to continue utilising the application site for the proposed use under the circumstances that there would be no substantial changes in the proposed development parameters and the nature/operation of the proposed use and the overall physical setting surrounding the application site would remain the same as the that proposed in the previously approved application.

The application site currently falls within two respective areas zoned "Residential (Group C)" ("R(C)") and "Agriculture" ("AGR") on the approved Lung Yeuk Tau and Kwan Tei South Outline Zoning Plan No. S/NE-LYT/19 gazetted on 16.12.2022. As detailed throughout this Planning Statement, the proposed use is well justified on the grounds that:-

- (a) The application site is subject to 8 previous planning approvals for uses being the same as or similar to the proposed use;
- (b) It will be in line with Town Planning Board Guidelines No. 34D;
- (c) There will be no substantial changes in planning circumstances by allowing the current application and the Applicant has demonstrated his full compliance of approval planning conditions of the last approved application;
- (d) No adverse infrastructural nor environmental impacts are anticipated given that there will be no changes in terms of nature of the proposed use, no. of trips involved; that nonpolluted/non-dangerous nature of storage items within the warehouses that would remain stagnant all the time; and that the existing drainage provision, landscape treatment and fire service installations will be continued to be properly maintained all the time;
- (e) Valuable land resources can be optimized by taking the locational advantage being close to the border crossings so as to address the great demand for warehouse facilities in the northern New Territories; and
- (f) Temporary nature of the proposed use should not jeopardize the planning intention of "R(C)" and "AGR" zones and long-term development.

In view of the above and the list of detailed planning justifications in this Planning Statement, it is sincerely hoped that the Board will give sympathetic consideration to approve the current application for a temporary period of 3 years.

#### 行政摘要

(如內文與其英文版本有差異,則以英文版本為準)

此規劃報告書旨在支持一宗遞交予城市規劃委員會(以下簡稱「城規會」)的規劃申請(以下 簡稱「該申請」)作為期三年的臨時貨倉(危險品倉庫除外)(以下簡稱「擬議用途」)。該 申請所涉及地點位於新界粉嶺馬料水新村 31A 號丈量約份第 83 約地段第 755 號、第 835 號 B 分段第 1 小分段餘段、第 836 號餘段、第 837 號、第 838 號餘段、第 841 號餘段、第 842 號餘段、第 844 號餘段及第 854 號(以下簡稱「申請地點」)。此規劃報告書提供該申請的 背景及規劃理據以支持擬議用途作城規會考慮。

該申請是為了城規會於2020年9月18日批准並將於2023年10月27日到期的規劃許可(申 請編號:A/NE-LYT/731)續期·申請人希望給予機會·在發展參數微調、性質/運作及四周 環境沒有改變下可於申請地點繼續用作擬議用途。

申請地點於 2022 年 12 月 16 日刊憲公佈的龍躍頭及軍地南分區計劃大綱核准圖(編號: S/NE-LYT/19)內被劃為「住宅(丙類)」及「農業」地帶。此規劃報告書詳細闡述擬議用途 的規劃理據,當中包括:-

- (一) 申請地點先前八次獲城規會批准作擬議用途或類似擬議用途;
- (二) 擬議用途符合城規會規劃指引編號:34D;
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- (四) 不會帶來嚴重的基建或環境影響,皆因擬議用途的本質所涉及的車輛進出數目將維持不 變。於申請地點內存放的物品全屬非污染/非危險性,而且經常處於靜止狀態下。再者, 申請人將繼續妥善保養及維持現時所提供的渠務裝置、消防裝置及園林種植;
- (五) 申請地點享有接近邊境口岸的位置優勢,可解決新界北部對倉庫設施的迫切需求;
- (六) 擬議用途所屬的臨時性質將不會阻礙履行長遠的「住宅(丙類)」及「農業」用途規劃 意向及長遠的新發展計劃。

鑑於以上各點及此規劃報告書內所提供的詳細規劃理據·懇請城規會從寬批准擬議用途作為期 三年之規劃申請。

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#### 1. INTRODUCTION

#### 1.1 Purpose

- 1.1.1 Pursuant to section 16 of the Town Planning Ordinance (TPO) (Cap. 131), this Planning Statement is submitted to the Town Planning Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Board") in support of a planning application (hereinafter referred to as "the current application") for Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Year (hereinafter referred to as "the proposed use") at Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1 RP, 836 RP, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP, 842 RP, 844 RP and 854 in D.D.83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling, New Territories (hereinafter referred to "the application site"). This Planning Statement serves to provide background information and planning justifications in support of the proposed use in order to facilitate the consideration by the Board. The application site has a total area of approximately 10,853.68m<sup>2</sup>. Its location is shown on Figure 1 whilst Figure 2 indicates relevant private lots which the application site involves.
- 1.1.2 Prepared on behalf of Carlton Woodcraft Manufacturing Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as "the Applicant"), Aikon Development Consultancy Limited have been commissioned to prepare and submit the current application on his behalf. The current application aims to **renew** the latest planning permission from the Board under planning application (No. A/NE-LYT/731) approved on 18.9.2020 (hereinafter referred to "the last approved application") which will lapse on 27.10.2023 such that the Applicant will be given an opportunity to continue utilising the application site for the proposed use under the circumstances that there would be no substantial changes in the proposed development parameters, and the nature/operation of the proposed use and the overall physical setting surrounding the application.
- 1.1.3 The application site currently falls within two respective areas zoned "Residential (Group C)" ("R(C)") and "Agriculture" ("AGR") on the approved Lung Yeuk Tau and Kwan Tei South Outline Zoning Plan (OZP) No. S/NE-LYT/19 gazetted on 16.12.2022 (hereinafter referred to as "the Current OZP") (please refer to Figure 3). According to the Schedule of Uses for "R(C)" and "AGR" zones attached to the Notes of the Current OZP, the proposed use is neither one of the Column 1 nor Column 2 uses. However, as stipulated in (11)(b) of the Notes of the Current OZP, "...temporary use or development of any land or building not exceeding a period of three years requires permission from the Town Planning Board. Notwithstanding that the use or development is not provided for in terms of the Plan, the Town Planning Board may grant permission, with or without conditions, for a maximum period of three years...". In this connection, the Applicant wishes to seek planning permission again from the Board for the proposed use on a temporary basis of 3 years.

#### 1.2 Background

- 1.2.1 The application site was previously subject to eight approved planning applications (Application Nos. IDPA/NE-LYT/6, A/NE-LYT/260, 278, 300, 422, 542, 631 and 731) for manufacture and warehouse uses. The first four applications are all approved by the Board for the use of temporary workshop for manufacture and/or warehouse for storage of wooden and rattan furniture for a temporary period of 3 years. The last four approved applications (i.e. Applications No. A/NE-LYT/422, 542, 631 and 731) for temporary warehouses (excluding dangerous goods godown) (i.e. same as the proposed use) for a period of 3 years was approved by the Board on 13.8.2010, 23.5.2014, 27.10.2017 and 18.9.2020 respectively, mainly on the grounds that (a) approval of the application on a temporary basis for 3 years would not frustrate the long-term planning intentions of the "R(C)" and "AGR" zones; (b) the temporary warehouses are not incompatible with the surrounding land uses; and (c) the temporary warehouses are unlikely to cause significant adverse traffic, drainage and landscape impacts on the surrounding areas and Government departments concerned have no adverse comment on or no objection to the application.
- 1.2.2 The application site is currently subject to a Short-Term Waiver (STW) No. 985 registered in the Land Registry under Memorial No. 267744 dated 29.01.1992 issued by Lands Department (LandsD), and a Temporary Building Permit (TBP) (No. NT5/2004(TBP) and Temporary Occupation Permit (TOP) (No. NT11/2004(TOP)) renewed by Building Authority (BA) on 09.03.2011.

#### 1.3 Objectives

- 1.3.1 The current application strives to achieve the following objectives:-
  - (a) To be given an opportunity to the Applicant to continue utilising the application site for the proposed use under the circumstances that there would be no substantial changes in the proposed development parameters, and the nature/operation of the proposed use and the overall physical setting surrounding the application site would remain the same as the that proposed in the previously approved application;
  - (b) To maximize land utilization in an area already subject to the preponderance of industrial uses, open storage and warehouse activities;
  - (c) To induce no adverse environmental nor infrastructural impacts on its surroundings by providing adequate protection and mitigation measures; and
  - (d) To be given an opportunity to put forth the proposed use under proper planning control by the Board and/or other relevant Government department(s).

#### **1.4** Structure of the Planning Statement

1.4.1 This Planning Statement is divided into 6 chapters. Chapter 1 is the above introduction outlining the purpose and background of the current application. Chapter 2 gives background details of the application site in terms of the current land-use characteristics and neighbouring developments. Planning context of the application site is reviewed in Chapter 3 whilst Chapter 4 provides details of the proposed use. A full list of planning justifications is given in Chapter 5 whilst Chapter 6 summarizes the concluding remarks for the proposed use.

#### 2. SITE PROFILE

#### 2.1 Location and Current Condition of the Application Site

2.1.1 The application site is located at No. 31A Ma Liu Shui Tsuen with direct access via either Dao Yang Road or Hai Wing Road leading to Sha Tau Kok Road (Figure 1). Majority of the application site as indicated per Illustrations 1-I and 1-II is paved and fenced off mainly for the storage of manufacturing materials, trading products and vehicle parts and accessories within the long-established warehouses.

#### 2.2 Surrounding Land-use Characteristics

- 2.2.1 The locality of the application site is generally rural in character, mixed with active and fallow agricultural land, tree groups, rural workshops, warehouses, domestic structures and temporary structures.
- 2.2.2 To the immediate north of the application site is currently being utilized for open storage/workshop uses which was subject to numerous of planning applications (Nos. IDPA/NE-LYT/5, DPA/NE-LYT/35, A/NE-LYT/277, 301, 313, 423) approved by the Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Adjoining Site"). Some domestic structures are found to the northwest of the application site. To the further north of the application site is dominated by various kinds of open storage yard and car repair workshop.
- 2.2.3 Scattered domestic structures and agricultural land are found to the east, south, southeast and southwest of the application site. Warehouses and workshops are also found to the south and west of the application site.
- 2.2.4 In general, while the application site falls mainly within an area zoned "R(C)", the area is dominated by rural industrial uses, such as warehouses, workshops and open storages. The proposed use is thus considered not incompatible with the surrounding areas.

#### 3. PLANNING CONTEXT

#### 3.1 The Current OZP

- 3.1.1 The application site falls within areas zoned "R(C)" and "AGR" on the Current OZP (please refer to **Figure 3**). Despite the fact that the proposed use is neither one of the Column 1 or Column 2 uses under the Schedule of Uses for the subject "R(C)" and "AGR" zones, the Board may grant planning permission, with or without conditions, for a maximum period of three years under section 16 of the TPO.
- 3.1.2 The planning intention of the "R(C)" zone is intended primarily for low-rise, lowdensity residential developments where commercial uses serving the residential neighbourhood may be permitted on application to the Board. The planning intention of the "AGR" zone is intended primarily to retain and safeguard good quality agricultural land/farm/fishponds for agricultural purposes. It is also intended to retain fallow arable land with good potential for rehabilitation for cultivation and other agricultural purposes.

#### **3.2** Previous Planning Applications

- 3.2.1 The application site was previously subject to 8 applications (No. IDPA/NE-LYT/6, A/NE-LYT/260, 278, 300, 422, 542, 631 and 731) for manufacture and warehouse uses. The first four applications were all approved by the Board for the use of temporary workshop for manufacture and/or warehouse for storage of wooden and rattan furniture for a temporary period of 3 years. **Table 1** encapsulates details of these seven previous applications.
- 3.2.2 The last approved application (No. A/NE-LYT/731) for the same proposed use, submitted by the same applicant was approved by the Board on 18.9.2020 mainly on the grounds that (a) approval of the application on a temporary basis for 3 years would not frustrate the long-term planning intentions of the "R(C)" and "AGR" zones; (b) the temporary warehouses are not incompatible with the surrounding land uses; and (c) the temporary warehouses are unlikely to cause significant adverse traffic, drainage and landscape impacts on the surrounding areas and Government departments concerned have no adverse comment on or no objection to the application. The planning permission for the last approved application will lapse on 27.10.2023.

Application No.	Proposed Use(s)	Date of Decision	Decision
A/IDPA/NE-LYT/6	Workshops for Manufacture	26.03.1991	Approved for a Period
	and Storage of Wooden and		of 3 Years
	Rattan Furniture		
A/NE-LYT/260	Temporary Warehouses for	16.05.2003	Approved with
	Storage of Wooden and		conditions
	Rattan Furniture for a Period		on a temporary basis
	of 3 Years		for a period of 3 Years
A/NE-LYT/278	Temporary Workshops for	11.06.2004	Approved with
	Manufacture and Storage of		conditions
	Wooden and Rattan Furniture		on a temporary basis
	for a Period of 3 Years		for a period of 3 Years
A/NE-LYT/300	Temporary Workshops for	15.04.2005	Approved with
	Manufacture and Storage of		conditions
	Wooden and Rattan Furniture		on a temporary basis
	for a Period of 3 Years		for a period of 3 Years
A/NE-LYT/422	Temporary Warehouses	13.05.2011	Approved with
	(excluding Dangerous Goods	(On Review)	conditions on a
	Godown) for a Period of 3		temporary basis for a
	Years		period of 3 Years
A/NE-LYT/542	Temporary Warehouses	23.05.2014	Approved with
	(excluding Dangerous Goods		conditions on a
	Godown) for a Period of 3		temporary basis for a
	Years		period of 3 Years
A/NE-LYT/631	Temporary Warehouses	27.10.2017	Approved with
	(excluding Dangerous Goods		conditions on a
	Godown) for a Period of 3		temporary basis for a
	Years		period of 3 Years
A/NE-LYT/731	Temporary Warehouses	18.9.2020	Approved with
	(excluding Dangerous Goods		conditions on a
	Godown) for a Period of 3		temporary basis for a
	Years		period of 3 Years

Table 1: Previous Planning Applications Covering the Application Site

3.2.3 All approval conditions of the last approved application (No. A/NE-LYT/731) have been duly complied with by the Applicant. **Table 2** concludes the compliance with planning condition under the last approved application. **Appendices II** to **III** attaches the relevant discharge letters for the approval conditions.

Table 2: Compliance with Planning Approval Conditions under the Last Approved Application

Planning Approval Conditions		Discharged Date
(n)	the submission of a condition record of the existing drainage facilities	27.10.2020
(0)	the submission of proposals for water supplies for firefighting and fire	1.4.2022
	service installations	
(p)	the implementation of proposals for water supplies for firefighting and	1.4.2022
	fire service installations	

3.2.4 As compared with the last approved scheme under Application No. A/NE-LYT/731, there would be no substantial changes in the proposed development parameters, and the nature/operation of the proposed use and the overall physical setting surrounding the application site would remain the same as the that proposed in the previously approved application.

#### 3.3 Town Planning Board Guidelines (TPB PG-No. 34D)

3.3.1 The nature of the current application in terms of approval period sought and proposed use is the same as that proposed in the last approved application. Apart from the fact that there would be **no changes in the nature/operation of the proposed use but only slight changes in the proposed development parameters**, the physical settings surrounding the application site when compared to the last approved application would also be unchanged. In addition, no adverse planning implications by allowing the current application is likely to be anticipated and the Applicant has in fact **complied with all planning conditions under previous approval within specified time limits**. In view of this, the current application shall be deemed capable of being in line with the Town Planning Board Guidelines (TPB PG-No. 34D).

#### 3.4 Preliminary Feasibility Study on Developing the New Territories North

- 3.4.1 The Preliminary Feasibility Study on Developing the New Territories North (hereinafter referred to as "the NTN Study") was commissioned in 2014 and finished in 2017. The NTN Study recommended two development scenarios for further study. The application site fell within Queen's Hill Potential Development Area (QH PDA) of the study area. Under the recommended Scenario 1, the application site falls within areas suggested for "Mixed Uses" ("MU") and "Open Space" ("O") (**Figure 5**). The "MU" site which the application site involved was suggested with a domestic plot ratio (PR) of 5 and a non-domestic PR of 1, comprising both retail and residential uses. Transitoriented development is proposed at the "MU" site. The intention of this "MU" zone is 'to serve as a centre to enhance the pedestrian connectivity of the planned QH Development towards the possible station in QH, such as requiring at-grade public pedestrian corridor, retail podium and etc., to reduce reliance on road-based transport', according to the NTN Study.
- 3.4.2 Under the recommended Scenario 2 (**Figure 6**), the application site falls within areas recommended for "Residential" ("R") and "O" uses. According to the NTN Study, the "R" site which the application involved will be around the possible station to the north of the planned QH development with a PR of 7.5 which response to the transit-oriented development potential generated by the possible north-south railway.
- 3.4.3 Albeit the characteristics and land uses of application site and its surrounding areas shall be vastly changed upon the implementation of the New Territories North development, the development study was at preliminary feasibility study stage. It is expected that further feasibility and engineering study will be required before a final development scheme could be confirmed. Given the fact that statutory procedures

are also required to amend the Current OZP to carry out the final development scheme, a fairly **long processing time would be expected**. Considering that the NTN Study was at a preliminary stage and the subsequent procedures required, it can be foreseen that the approval of the current application will by no means contravene with the long-term development at the area.

#### 3.5 S12A Planning Application

3.5.1 The application site is currently subject to an undergoing an S12A planning application (No. Y/NE-LYT/16) (hereinafter referred as to the "rezoning application"). The rezoning application seeks to rezone the application site, adjacent lots and government land from "Residential (Group C)" and "Agriculture" zone to "Residential (Group B)2" zone on the approved Lung Yeuk Tau and Kwan Tei South Outline Zoning Plan (No. S/NE/LYT/19) for proposed flat, shop and services and eating place. The rezoning application intends to amend the OZP with a view to materialising the latest government directions in alleviating the pressing housing demand, increasing quality housing supply and supporting the development of the Northern Metropolis. While the rezoning application was received by TPB in February 2023, it is expected to undergo a lengthy processing time. This includes considerations for the rezoning application, statutory procedures for OZP amendment, land exchange procedures, and subsequent construction activities. The proposed development under the rezoning application is tentatively scheduled for completion in 2029. Considering the preliminary stage of the rezoning application and the extended time required for statutory processes and construction, it is deemed unfavorable to leave the application site idle. Therefore, the current application seeks to continue utilizing the site for the proposed use under the given circumstances, allowing for the efficient utilization of land resources.

#### 4. THE DEVELOPMENT PROPOSAL

#### 4.1 Site Configuration, Layout & Operation

- 4.1.1 It is proposed to continue utilising the application site for the proposed use. As compared with the last approved scheme under Application No. A/NE-LYT/731, there is no change in the nature of the current application. The site configuration and layout remain mostly same as that proposed in the last approved application except minor reduction in the site area, total covered area and floor area. The application site has an area of about 10,853.68m<sup>2</sup>. Compared to the last approved scheme under Application No. A/NE-LYT/731, there is a minor reduction of site area (about 77.32m<sup>2</sup>) with a view to excluding certain areas that have been encroached by the adjoining Lot No. 853 S.B RP. While Lot 853 S.B. ss.1. S.A and 836 S.A are still under the Applicants' ownership, the current application has excluded the aforementioned lots to avoid complication of the current application.
- 4.1.2 The application site is currently erected with two single-storey temporary warehouse buildings (known as Warehouse B and Warehouse C) with a total floor area of about 2,659.80m<sup>2</sup> and a headroom of 7.35m each near the southern and eastern end of the application site for the general storage of manufacturing materials, trading products and vehicle parts and accessories. There are 9 nos. of structures/containers only being utilised as ancillary site office, guard room and storage uses which constitute to a total cover area of about 340.2m<sup>2</sup>. In aggregate, the said warehouses and structures/containers constitute to a total built-over area (i.e. covered area) of about 3,000m<sup>2</sup>, which is slightly lower than that of the last approved scheme under Application No. A/NE-LYT/731. The disposition of the proposed warehouses and ancillary structures/containers are shown in **Figure 4** whilst the key development parameters for the proposed use are encapsulated in **Table 3**.

Major Proposed Development Parameters	Last Approved Application (No. A/NE-LYT/731)	Proposed Use (Current Application)	Difference
<u>Site Area (m²)</u> Total	About 10,931.00 (100%)	About 10,853.68 (100%)	-77.32 m <sup>2</sup>
Uncovered Area	About 7,808.33 (71%)	About 7,867.68 (72.4%)	+59 m <sup>2</sup>
Covered Area	About 3,122.67 (29%)	About 3,000,00 (27.6%)	-122.67 m <sup>2</sup>
Applied Period	3 years	3 years	No Change
Proposed Use(s)	Temporary Warehouse (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown)	Temporary Warehouse (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown)	No Change
<u>Warehouse</u> No. of Blocks	2 (Warehouse B & Warehouse C)	2 (Warehouse B & Warehouse C)	No Change

Table 3: Comparison of Major Parameters/Items of the Current Application and the Last Approved Application	
(No. A/NE-LYT/731)	

Major Proposed Development Parameters	Last Approved Application (No. A/NE-LYT/731)	Proposed Use (Current Application)	Difference
Proposed Use(s)	General storage of manufacturing materials, trading products, vehicle parts and accessories	General storage of manufacturing materials, trading products, vehicle parts and accessories	No Change
No. of Storeys	1	1	No Change
Height (m)	With a headroom of 7.35m, a column span of 10-11m and floor plate of 1,330m <sup>2</sup> each	With a headroom of 7.35m, a column span of 10-11m and floor plate of 1,330m <sup>2</sup> each	No Change
Ancillary <u>Structure/Containers</u> No. of Blocks Proposed Use(s)	11 Guard Room / Site Office/ General Storage	9 Guard Room / Site Office/ General Storage	-2 No Change
No. of Storeys Height (m)	1 Not more than 4.5m	1 Not more than 4.5m	No Change No Change
Floor Area (m²) Warehouse B C Total (a)	About 1,228.51 About 1,431.29 About 2,659.80	About 1,228.51 About 1,431.29 About 2,659.80	No Change No Change No Change
Ancillary Structure/Container 1 2 3 4a 5a 6 7 8 9 10 11 Total (b) Total (a) + (b) Operation Hours	About 14.86 About 35.00 About 14.86 About 47.51 About 8.54 About 14.86 About 14.86 About 9.85 About 9.85 About 9.85 About 100.00 About 192.68 About 462.87 About 3,122.67 From 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m, Monday to Saturday excluding Sunday and Public Holiday (only indoor forklift operation inside the enclosed warehouses between 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m)	About 14.86 About 35.00 About 26.55 About 23.00 About 8.54 About 14.86 About 14.86 About 9.85 N/A N/A About 192.68 About 340.20 About 3,000,00 From 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m, Monday to Saturday excluding Sunday and Public Holiday (only indoor forklift operation inside the enclosed warehouses between 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m)	No Change No Change +11.69m <sup>2</sup> -24.51m <sup>2</sup> No Change No Change No Change -9.85m <sup>2</sup> -100.00m <sup>2</sup> No Change -122.67 m <sup>2</sup> No Change
No. of Parking Spaces	5 (MGV/HGV, 3.5m x 11m)	5 (MGV/HGV, 3.5m x 11m)	No Change
No. of Loading/Unloading Bays	5 (MGV/HGV, 3.5m x 11m)	5 (MGV/HGV, 3.5m x 11m)	No Change
Type of Delivery Vehicles	LGVs, MGVs and HGVs	LGVs, MGVs and HGVs	No Change

Major Proposed Development Parameters	Last Approved Application (No. A/NE-LYT/731)	Proposed Use (Current Application)	Difference
No. of Daily Trips by Delivery Vehicles	10 (For LGV & MGV) 2 (For HGV)	10 (For LGV & MGV) 2 (For HGV)	No Change
Width of Ingress/Egress (m)	10 (At Dao Yang Road)	10 (At Dao Yang Road)	No Change
Anticipated Trips Generation	3-4 trips per week (On average)	3-4 trips per week (On average)	No Change

#### 4.2 Operation

- 4.2.1 The proposed use would continue enabling legal storage for food and beverage (e.g. confectionery) at low temperature within the premises for trading purposes. Goods and products (e.g prepared or preserved meat and cakes) to be stored and transported at consistence and desirable temperatures to preserve the texture and quality and to present from contamination and damage while transiting. The operation of the cold storage would **continue serving food trading purposes**.
- 4.2.2 All goods to be stored within the application site will be **non-polluted** and **nondangerous** in nature and will <u>remain stagnant all the time</u>. On the whole, all storage activities will only be confined to within the warehouses of the application site without affecting the neighbouring uses and the operation hours of the proposed use will be restricted. There would be no operation between 8:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. except indoor forklift operation inside the enclosed warehouses between 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., and the entire operation is restricted to from Monday to Saturday excluding Sunday and Public Holidays.

#### 4.3 Vehicular Access and Parking Arrangement

- 4.3.1 The application site is directly accessible via either Dao Yang Road or Hai Wing Road leading to Sha Tau Kok Road Lung Yeuk Tau, which are both a well-paved road with respective widths of 10m and 6m that are considered sufficient to cater for the traffic of goods vehicles generated by the warehouse's operation within the application site. For those vehicles longer than 7.5m, they would only be allowed to use the ingress/egress point at Dao Yang Road for entering and leaving the application site. Gates are set up at the entrance to prevent vehicles entering to or getting out of the application site outside the operation hours. 5 nos. of parking spaces for Medium Goods Vehicles (MGV) and Heavy Goods Vehicles (HGV) and 5 nos. of loading/unloading bays for MGV and HGV are proposed within the application site for daily operation.
- 4.3.2 The existing daily traffic generation by the proposed use is less than 20 vehicles per day of which a maximum of 2 daily trips made by HGV/Container Vehicles entering to/getting out of the application site via its ingress/egress at Dao Yang Road. Considering the nature, operation of the proposed use remain unchanged and the site configuration remains almost the same as the that in the previously approved

application, it is expected that the traffic generation by the proposed use will remain unchanged as well. The Applicant would ensure that Operator would comply with the trips restriction on HGVs. If the trips restriction is not abided by the Operator in any case during the approval period of the current application, the Applicant will issue warning letters or even terminate the tenancy agreement with the Operator. Sufficient manoeuvring spaces are allowed within the application site so that no queuing of goods vehicles will occur along Dao Yang Road (for HGVs/Container Vehicles) or Hai Wing Road (for LGVs/MGVs) under any circumstances.

#### 4.4 Provision of Existing Landscape Treatment

4.4.1 The approval condition (i) pertaining to landscape as laid down by the Board for the last approved application (No. A/NE-LYT/731) was that 'the maintenance of the existing trees within the site at all times during the planning approval period'. The approval condition has been well complied with that the existing trees within the application site have been properly maintained and in good condition (see Illustration 2). The Applicant will continue to properly maintain all existing trees during the approval period should the current application be approved by the Board.

#### 4.5 Provision of Existing Drainage Facilities

4.5.1 The approval condition (j) under the last approved application that 'the maintenance of the existing drainage facilities within the site properly at all times during the planning approval period' was fully complied by the Applicant. The existing drainage facilities are well-maintained (see **Illustration 3**) and there has been no flooding issue arisen. The Applicant is well committed that the existing drainage provision within the application site will be continued to be properly maintained during the approval period once the current application is approved by the Board.

#### 4.6 **Provision of Fire Service Installations**

4.6.1 The Applicant is also committed that the existing fire services installations, including generator, emergency lighting, exit sign, sprinkler system, hose reel, fire alarm system, fire detection system, street fire hydrant system and fire extinguishers, already implemented on site when complying relevant approval conditions (n) and (o) laid down per the last planning approval under Application No. A/NE-LYT/731 will be continued to be properly maintained during the approval period once the current application is approved by the Board.

#### 5. PLANNING JUSTIFICATIONS

#### 5.1 Application Site is Subject to Previous Planning Approvals for Same/Similar Use

5.1.1 The application site is subject to **8 previous planning approvals** under applications No. A/IDPA/NE-LYT/6, A/NE-LYT/260, 278, 300, 422, 542, 631 and 731 for manufacture and warehouse uses. It is therefore considered not unacceptable for the application site being utilised for the proposed use.

#### 5.2 Being in Line with the Town Planning Board Guidelines (TPB PG-No. 34D)

5.2.1 The nature of the current application in terms of approval period sought and proposed use is the same as that proposed in the last approved application (No. A/NE-LYT/731). Apart from the fact that there would be **no changes in the nature/operation of the proposed use but only slight changes in the proposed development parameters**, the physical settings surrounding the application site when compared to the last approved application would also be unchanged. In addition, no adverse planning implications by allowing the current application is likely to be anticipated and the Applicant has in fact complied with all planning conditions under previous approval within specified time limits. In view of this, the current application shall be deemed capable of being **entitled to be considered as an application of renewal of planning approval** according to Town Planning Board Guidelines (TPB PG-No. 34D).

#### 5.3 No Substantial Changes in Planning Circumstances and Full Compliance of Approval Planning Conditions of Previous Planning Approval

5.3.1 The nature of the current application in terms of approval period sought and proposed use is **the same as** that proposed in the previous planning application(s). Apart from the fact that there would be no changes in the proposed in the nature/operation of the proposed use, there has also been **no substantial changes in the planning circumstances** such as land-use zoning and the physical settings surrounding the application site when comparing with the last approved application. In addition, **no adverse planning implications** by allowing the current application is likely to be anticipated and the Applicant has in fact **complied with all planning conditions under previous approval** within specified time limits.

#### 5.4 No Adverse Infrastructural nor Environmental Impacts

5.4.1 There will **no changes in terms of nature of the proposed use, operation hours, no. of trips involved**, and more importantly, **the existing drainage provision, landscape treatment and fire service installations will be continued to be properly maintained** all the time upon granting of planning approval for the current application. Given the above and the fact that there have never been any complaints against the proposed use since it has come into operation for more than a decade, no infrastructural nor environmental impacts are envisaged should the permission for the proposed use be renewed/granted by the Board.

5.4.2 Moreover, goods to be stored within the application site will all be **non-polluted and non-dangerous** in nature and will remain stagnant within the warehouses all the time. As such, **no insurmountable environmental impact** shall be induced if the current application is allowed.

#### 5.5 Optimization of Valuable Land Resources

5.5.1 The proposed use would take full advantage of the location being close to the two border crossings, i.e. Man Kam To and Sha Tau Kok, to address the great demand for warehouse facilities in the northern New Territories. By allowing the proposed use, land use optimization and concentration of similar uses for warehouse/open storage and industrial sprawl in unsuitable locations could be achieved. Besides, the proposed use is considered fully commensurate with its local geographical setting and ideal to attain utmost land use maximization without giving rise to detrimental impacts on the environment.

# 5.6 Temporary Nature Would Not Jeopardize its Planning Intention of "R(C)" and "AGR" zones and future development of New Territories North

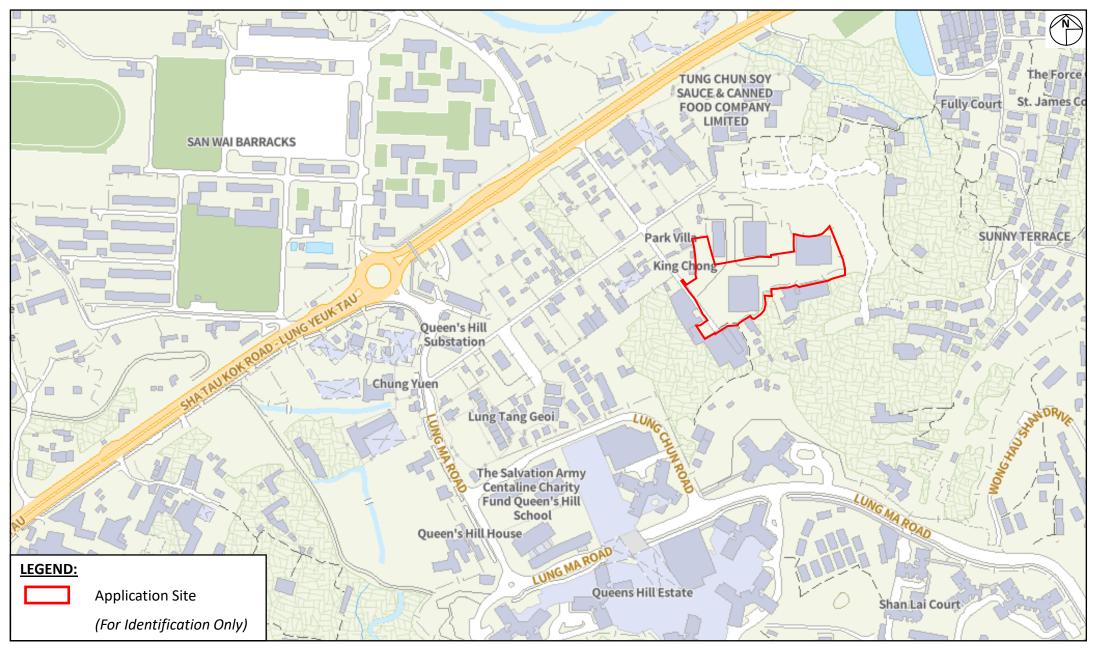
- 5.6.1 Notwithstanding the application site falls within an area zoned "R(C)" and "AGR" on the Current OZP and that it is subject to seven previous planning approvals for uses being the same as or similar to the proposed use, the temporary nature of the current application will by no means jeopardize the long-term planning intention of "R(C)" and "AGR". Having considered the fact that some open storage, workshop and warehouse uses are sited in the surrounding of the application site, bringing forward the planning intention of "R(C)" and "AGR" zones is hardly to be materialized in short term as the surrounding characteristics are not entirely compatible with the planning intention. In contrast, the proposed use in the interim at the application site is deemed not unsuitable and is able to continuously and flexibly meet the demands on the proposed use.
- 5.6.2 Considering that the NTN Study was at a preliminary stage and the subsequent procedures required, it can be foreseen that the approval of the current application will by no means contravene with the long-term development at the area.
- 5.6.3 Moreover, it is the mere fact that such period of the planning approval could be adjusted by the Board to a period of 3 years or less, and that a fresh section 16 planning application is required upon its expiry. The entire authority is always from the Board that whether a new planning application for the continuation of the proposed use is further allowed or not. It is therefore in this connection, the temporary nature of the proposed use would not in any sense pose any constraint to jeopardize nor preempt the long-term planning intention of "R(C)" and "AGR" zone or any long-term development.

#### 6. CONCLUSION

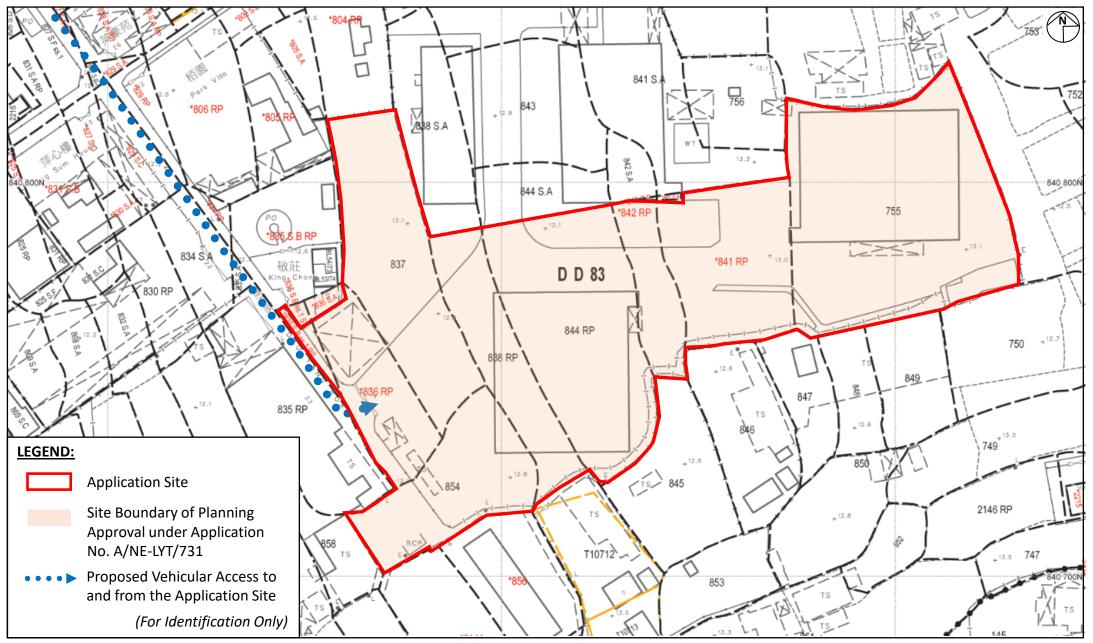
- 6.1.1 This Planning Statement is submitted to the Board in support of a planning application for the proposed use (i.e. Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years) at the application site (i.e. Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1 RP, 836 RP, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP, 842 RP, 844 RP and 854 in D.D.83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling, New Territories). This Planning Statement serves to provide background information and planning justifications in support of the proposed use in order to facilitate the consideration by the Board.
- 6.1.2 The current application aims to renew the planning permission from the Board under planning application (No. A/NE-LYT/731) approved on 18.9.2020 which will lapse on 27.10.2023 such that the Applicant will be given an opportunity to continue utilising the application site for the proposed use under the circumstances that there would be no substantial changes in the proposed development parameters and the nature/operation of the proposed use and the overall physical setting surrounding the application site would remain the same as the that proposed in the previously approved application.
- 6.1.3 The application site currently falls within two respective areas zoned "R(C)" and "AGR" on the Current OZP (i.e. approved Lung Yeuk Tau and Kwan Tei South OZP No. S/NE-LYT/19) gazetted on 6.12.2022. As detailed throughout this Planning Statement, the proposed use is well justified on the grounds that:-
  - (a) The application site is subject to 8 previous planning approvals for uses being the same as or similar to the proposed use;
  - (b) It will be in line with Town Planning Board Guidelines No. 34D;
  - (c) There will be no substantial changes in planning circumstances by allowing the current application and the Applicant has demonstrated his full compliance of approval planning conditions of the last approved application;
  - (d) No adverse infrastructural nor environmental impacts are anticipated given that there will be no changes in terms of nature of the proposed use, no. of trips involved; that non-polluted/non-dangerous nature of storage items within the warehouses that would remain stagnant all the time; and that the existing drainage provision, landscape treatment and fire service installations will be continued to be properly maintained all the time;
  - (e) Valuable land resources can be optimized by taking the locational advantage being close to the border crossings so as to address the great demand for warehouse facilities in the northern New Territories; and
  - (f) Temporary nature of the proposed use should not jeopardize the planning intention of "R(C)" and "AGR" zones and long-term development.
- 6.1.4 In view of the above and the list of detailed planning justifications in this Planning Statement, it is sincerely hoped that the Board will give sympathetic consideration to approve the current application for a temporary period of 3 years.

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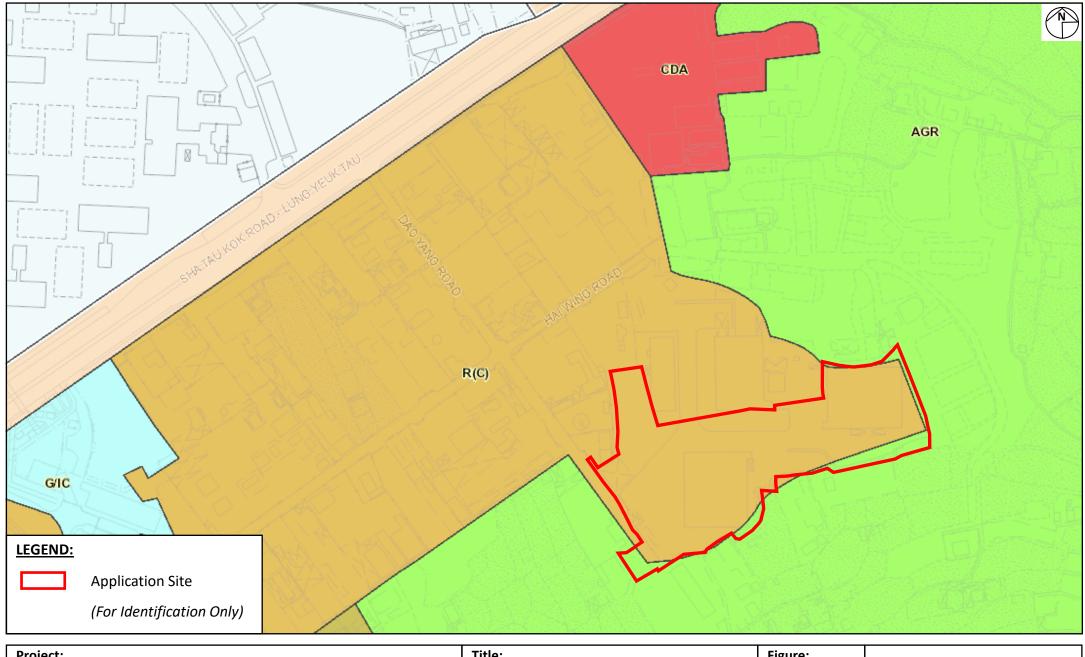
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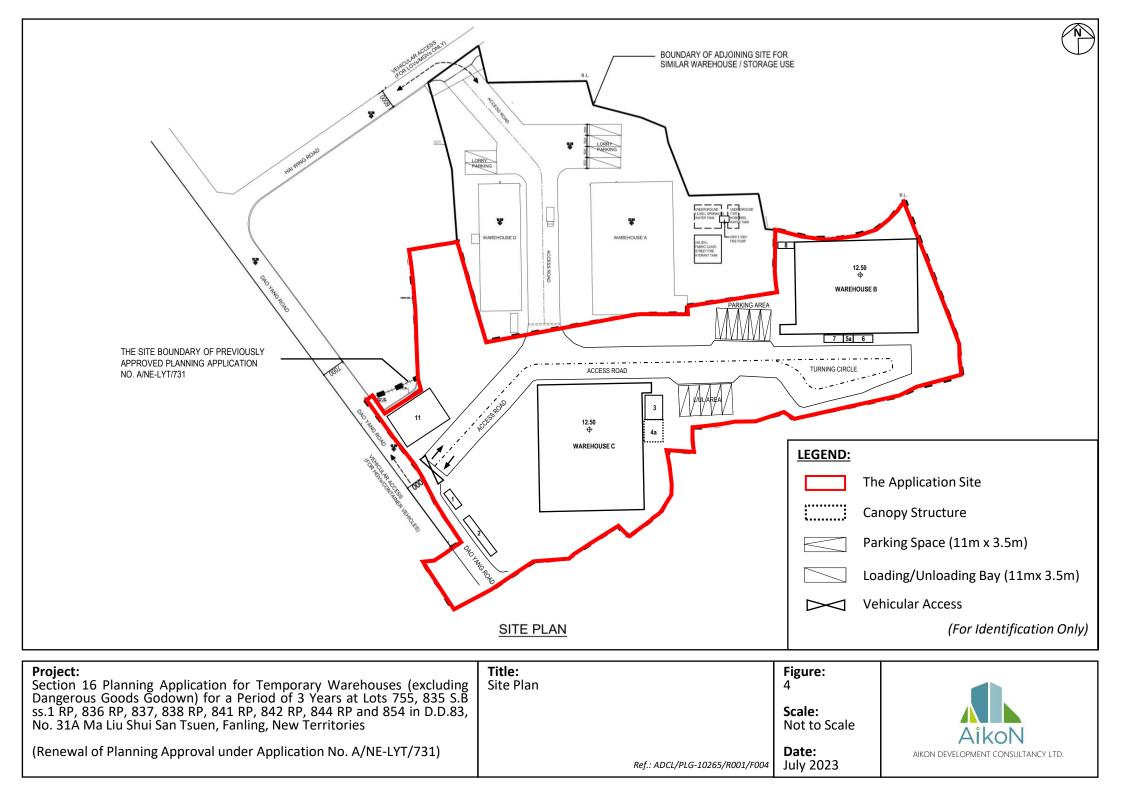
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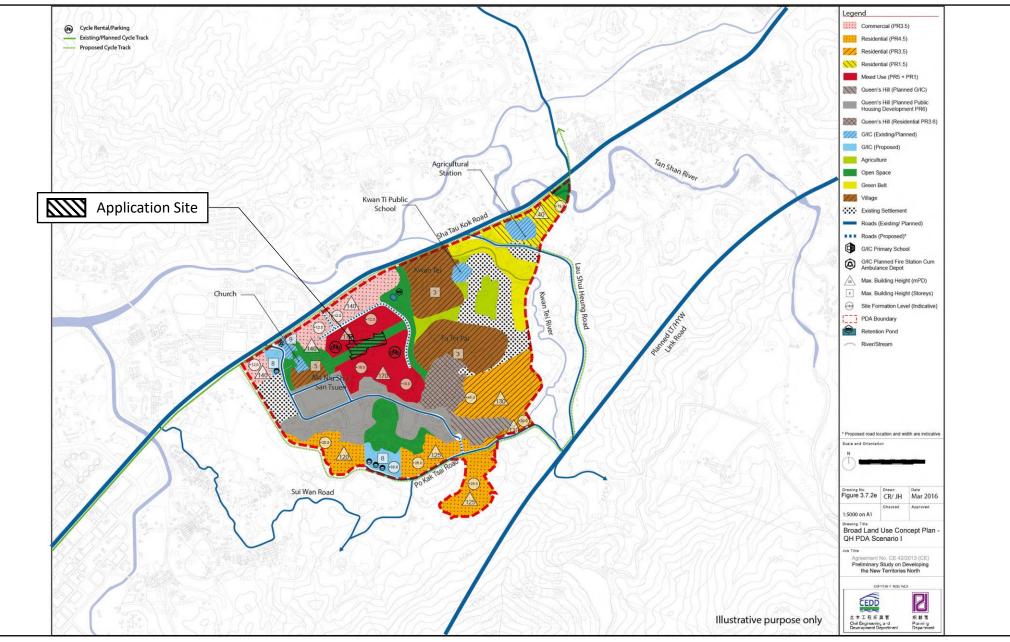


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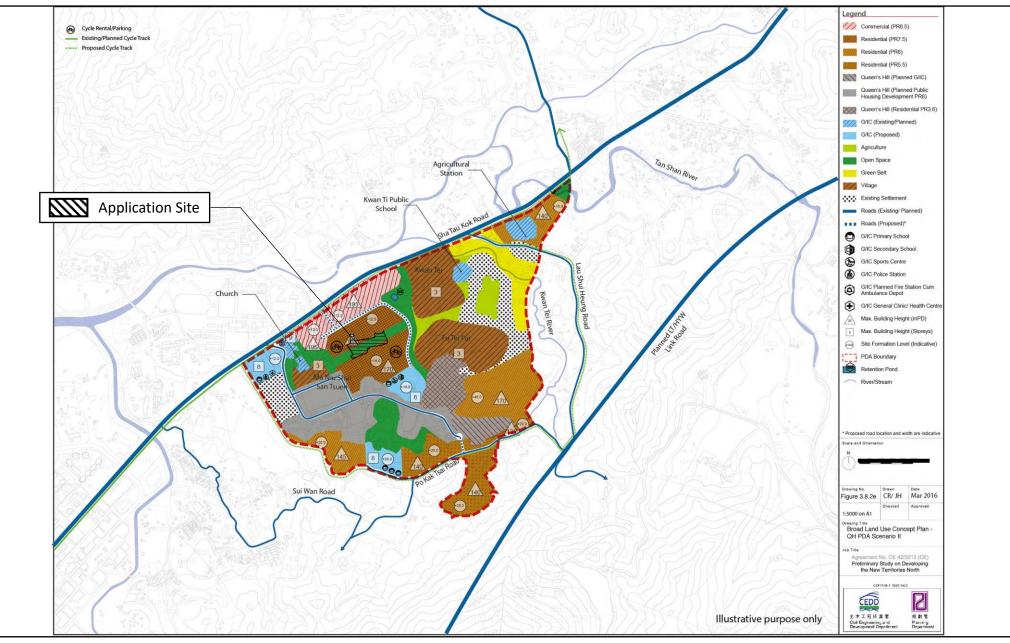


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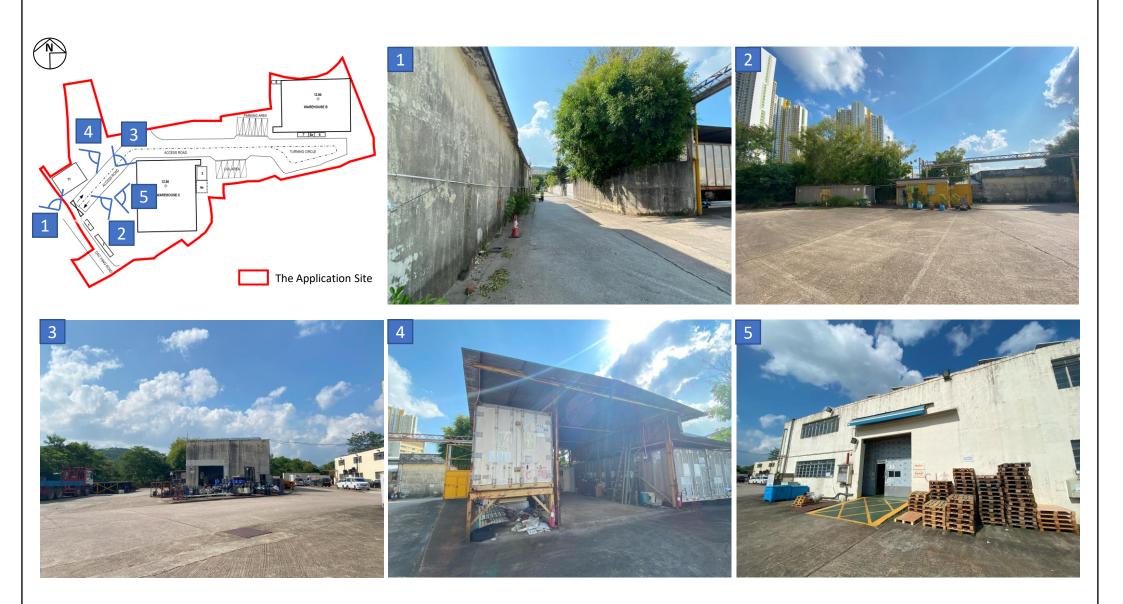
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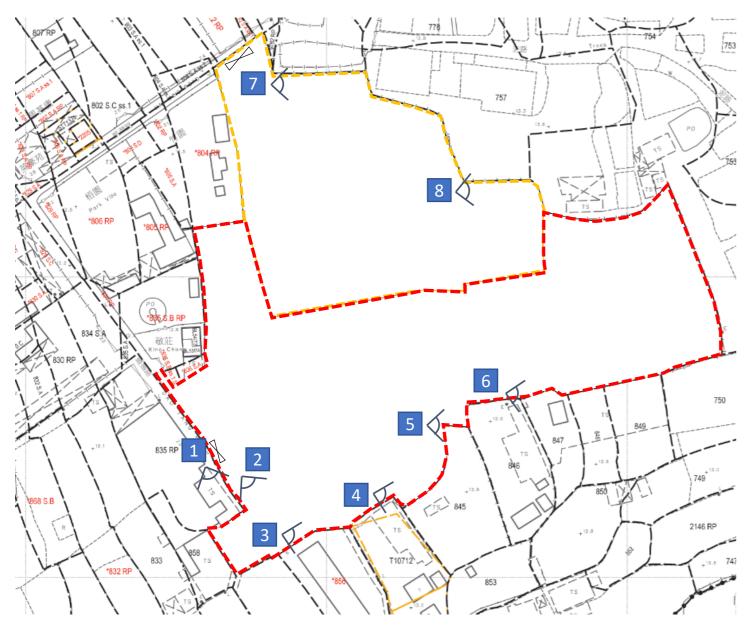
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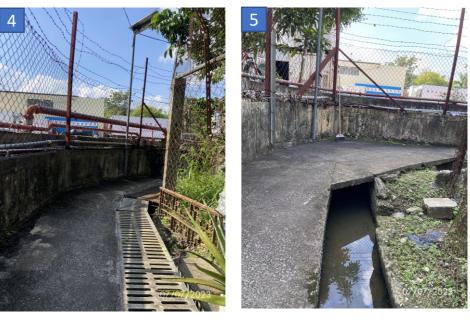


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A p p e n d i x l Approval Letter of the Previous Application No. A/NE-LYT/731

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#### **TOWN PLANNING BOARD**

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Aikon Development Consultancy Ltd.

(Attn.: Thomas Luk)

Dear Sir/Madam,

#### Renewal of Planning Approval for Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years in "Residential (Group C)" and "Agriculture" Zones, Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1, 836, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP (Part), 842 RP (Part), 844 RP and 854 in D.D. 83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling

I refer to my letter to you dated 9.9.2020.

After giving consideration to the application, the Town Planning Board (TPB) approved the application for permission under section 16 of the Town Planning Ordinance on the terms of the application as submitted to the TPB. The permission shall be valid <u>on a</u> temporary basis for a period of 3 years and be renewed from 28.10.2020 until 27.10.2023 and is subject to the following conditions :

- (a) no operation between 8:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m., as proposed by you, is allowed on the site during the planning approval period;
- (b) no operation except indoor forklift operation inside the enclosed warehouses between 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., as proposed by you, is allowed on the site during the planning approval period;
- (c) no operation on Sundays and public holidays, as proposed by you, is allowed on the site during the planning approval period;
- (d) a maximum of two heavy goods vehicles/container vehicles are allowed to enter the site per day, as proposed by you, during the planning approval period;
- (e) all vehicles should only be allowed to use the ingress/egress at Dao Yang Road at any time during the planning approval period;
- (f) no open storage of materials shall be carried out on the site at any time during the planning approval period;

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- (g) no manufacturing activities shall be carried out on the site at any time during the planning approval period;
- (h) no used electrical appliances, televisions, computer monitors, computer parts or any other types of electronic waste are allowed to be stored on the site during the planning approval period;
- (i) the maintenance of the existing trees within the site at all times during the planning approval period;
- (j) the maintenance of the existing drainage facilities within the site properly at all times during the planning approval period;
- (k) all vehicles entering and exiting the site during the planning approval period shall be restricted to non-peak hours (i.e. from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.), as proposed by you, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner for Transport or of the TPB;
- (1) the implementation of the traffic mitigation measures during the planning approval period, as proposed by you, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner for Transport or of the TPB;
- (m) the submission of a condition record of the existing drainage facilities within 3 months from the commencement date of renewed planning approval to the satisfaction of the Director of Drainage Services or of the TPB by <u>28.1.2021</u>;
- (n) the submission of proposals for water supplies for firefighting and fire service installations within 6 months from the date of planning approval to the satisfaction of the Director of Fire Services or of the TPB by <u>28.4.2021</u>;
- (o) in relation to (n) above, the implementation of proposals for water supplies for firefighting and fire service installations within 9 months from the date of planning approval to the satisfaction of the Director of Fire Services or of the TPB by <u>28.7.2021</u>;
- (p) if any of the above planning conditions (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h), (i), (j),
  (k) or (l), is not complied with during the planning approval period, the approval hereby given shall cease to have effect and shall be revoked immediately without further notice; and
- (q) if any of the above planning conditions (m), (n) or (o) is not complied with by the specified date, the approval hereby given shall cease to have effect and shall on the same date be revoked without further notice.

The TPB also agreed to advise you to note the advisory clauses as set out at Appendix VI of the TPB Paper.

You are reminded to **strictly** adhere to the time limit for complying with the above planning conditions. If any of the above planning conditions are not complied with by the specified time limit, the permission given shall be revoked without further notice and the development will be subject to enforcement action. If you wish to apply for extension of time for compliance with planning conditions, you should submit a section 16A application to the TPB no less than six weeks before the expiry of the specified time limit. This is to allow sufficient time for processing of the application in consultation with the concerned departments. The TPB will not consider any application for extension of time if the time limit specified in the permission has already expired at the time of consideration by the TPB. For details, please refer to the TPB Guidelines No. 34C and 36B. The Guidelines, application form (Form No. S16A) and the Guidance Notes for applications are available at the TPB's website (www.info.gov.hk/tpb/), the Planning Enquiry Counters of the Planning Department (Hotline : 2231 5000) at 17/F, North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point; 14/F, Sha Tin Government Offices, 1 Sheung Wo Che Road, Sha Tin; and the Secretariat of the TPB at 15/F, North Point Government Offices.

This temporary permission will lapse on <u>28.10.2023</u>. You may submit an application to the TPB for renewal of the temporary permission no less than two months before its expiry by completing an application form (Form No. S16-III). For details, please refer to TPB Guidelines No. 34C. However, the TPB is under no obligation to renew the temporary permission.

For amendments to the approved scheme that may be permitted with or without application under section 16A, please refer to TPB Guidelines No. 36B for details.

A copy of the TPB Paper in respect of the application (except the supplementary planning statement/technical report(s), if any) and the relevant extract of minutes of the TPB meeting held on 18.9.2020 are enclosed herewith for your reference.

Under section 17(1) of the Town Planning Ordinance, an applicant aggrieved by a decision of the TPB may apply to the TPB for a review of the decision. If you wish to seek a review, you should inform me within 21 days from the date of this letter (on or before 30.10.2020). I will then contact you to arrange a hearing before the TPB which you and/or your authorized representative will be invited to attend. The TPB is required to consider a review application within three months of receipt of the application for review. Please note that any review application will be published for three weeks for public comments.

This permission by the TPB under section 16 of the Town Planning Ordinance should not be taken to indicate that any other government approval which may be needed in connection with the development, will be given. You should approach the appropriate government departments on any such matter.

If you have any queries regarding this planning permission, please contact Mr. Tim Fung of Sha Tin, Tai Po & North District Planning Office at 2158 6237. In case you wish to consult the relevant Government departments on matters relating to the above approval conditions, a list of the concerned Government officers is attached herewith for your reference.

Yours faithfully,

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(Raymond KAN) for Secretary, Town Planning Board

# List of Government Department Contacts

(Application No. A/NE-LYT/731)

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Drainage Services	Mainland North	Mr. YU Wai Cheong		
Department	Division			
消防處	策劃組	陳銘冲先生	2733 7735	2739 8775
Fire Services Department	Planning Group (PG)	Mr. CHAN Ming		
		Chung		
運輸署	交通工程(新界東)部	林瑞華先生	2399 2228	2381 3799
Transport Department	Traffic Engineering (NTE)	Mr. LAM Shui Wah,		
	Division	Daniel		

Appendix II

Letter from Planning Department dated 27.10.2020 for Compliance with Condition (m) on the submission of a condition record of the existing drainage facilities

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Aikon Development Consultancy Limited

## By Post and Fax 27 October 2020

Dear Mr. LUK,

## Renewal of Planning Approval of Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years in "Residential (Group C)" and "Agriculture" Zones, Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1, 836, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP (Part), 842 RP (Part), 844 RP and 854 in D.D. 83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling

## (Compliance with Approval Condition (m) for Application No. A/NE-LYT/731)

I refer to your submissions received on 12.10.2020 for compliance with approval condition (m) in relation to the submission of a condition record of the existing drainage facilities under the captioned application.

Chief Engineer/Mainland North, Drainage Services Department (Contact Person: Mr. Henry W. C. YU; Tel.: 2300 1407) has been consulted and advised that approval condition (m) is considered <u>complied with</u>. His comments are attached at **Appendix I**.

Should you have any queries, please feel free to contact Ms. Sandy S. Y. YIK of this department at 2158 6229.

Yours faithfully,

(Ms. Jessica CHU) for and on behalf of Director of Planning



我們的理想 - 「透過規劃工作,使香港成為世界知名的國際都市。」 Our Vision – "We plan to make Hong Kong an international city of world prominence." Comments of the Chief Engineer/Mainland North, Drainage Services Department (Contact Person: Mr. Henry YU; Tel.: 2300 1407):

- the applicant is reminded that the development and the drainage facilities implemented on site shall not obstruct overland flow/surface runoff and any existing drainage facilities;
- the applicant shall make sure that rain water falling onto the subject site shall be collected by a drainage system and conveyed to a proper discharge point(s);
- the applicant shall maintain such system properly and rectify the system if it is found to be inadequate or ineffective during operation at his own cost; and
- the applicant shall also be liable for and shall indemnify Government against claims and demands arising out of damage or nuisance caused by a failure of the system.

Internal CTP/TPB(1) Site record

HFC/SY/JT/jt

Appendix III

Letter from Planning Department dated 1.4.2022 for Compliance with Condition (n) and (o) on the submission of proposals for water supplies for firefighting and fire service installations and the implementation of proposals for water supplies for firefighting and fire service installations



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Aikon Development Consultancy Ltd.

#### By Post and Fax

1 April 2022

(Attn.: Mr. Thomas LUK)

Dear Sir/Madam,

## Renewal of Planning Approval for Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years in "Residential (Group C)" and "Agriculture" Zones, Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1, 836, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP (Part), 842 RP (Part), 844 RP and 854 in D.D. 83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling

## (Compliance with Approval Conditions (n) and (o) for Planning Application No. A/NE-LYT/731)

I refer to your submissions received by this office on 8.12.2021 and 14.12.2021 for compliance with approval condition (n) and (o) in relation to the submission and implementation of proposals for water supplies for firefighting and fire service installations respectively under the captioned planning application. Two interim replies were sent to you on 26.1.2022 and 1.3.2022.

Director of Fire Services (Contact person: Mr. IP Yan-chi; Tel.: 2733 5844) has been consulted and advised that approval conditions (n) and (o) are considered <u>complied with</u>.

Should you have any queries, please feel free to contact Ms. Amy Y. T. CHONG of this department at 2158 6241.

Yours faithfully,

( Margaret CHAN ) District Planning Officer/ Sha Tin, Tai Po & North, Planning Department



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Appendix Ib of RNTPC Paper No. A/NE-LYT/804A

Date : 17<sup>th</sup> August, 2023 Your Ref : TPB/A/NE-LYT/804 Our Ref. : ADCL/PLG-10265/L002

The Secretary, Town Planning Board, 15/F., North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong

By Email and Fax (No. 2877 0245)

Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: Section 16 Planning Application for Renewal Approval for Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years at Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1 RP, 836 RP, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP, 842 RP, 844 RP and 854 in D.D.83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling, New <u>Territories</u>

We refer to the latest comments from Fire Services Department and would like to enclose herewith <u>a full</u> <u>set of valid FS251 covering all the FSIs implemented</u> to address the abovementioned departmental comment for their consideration.

We would like to clarify that the current renewal application in terms of approval period sought, and proposed uses is the same as that proposed in the last approved application (i.e. Planning Application No. A/NE-LYT/731). While the current application involves a minor change in layout compared to that in the last approved application, it should be noted that the insignificant change is due to a reduced number of small temporary structures (see **Figure 1** and **Figure 2**). Most importantly, the existing warehouses (Warehouse B and C) will remain unchanged. The latest FS251 certification, dated 5.6.2023, is considered valid to demonstrate that sufficient FSI has been implemented under the layout in the current application.

Thank you for your kind attention and should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at

Yours faithfully, Aikon Development Consultancy Limited

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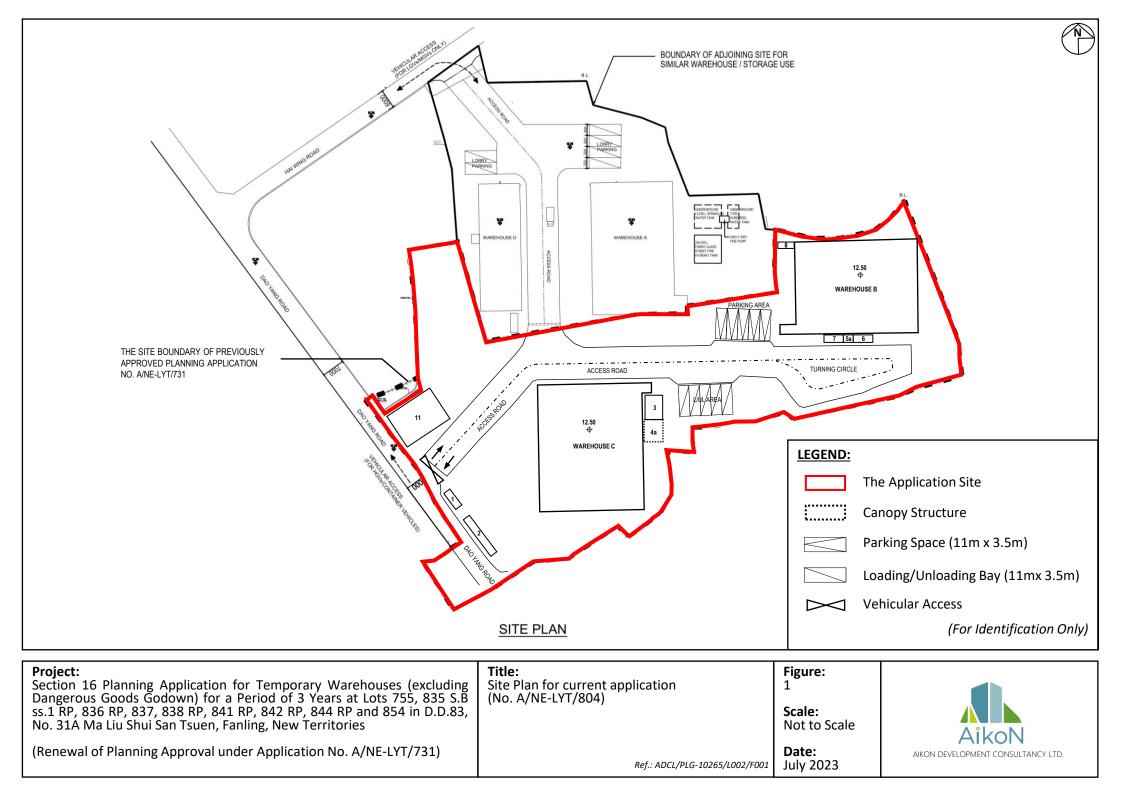
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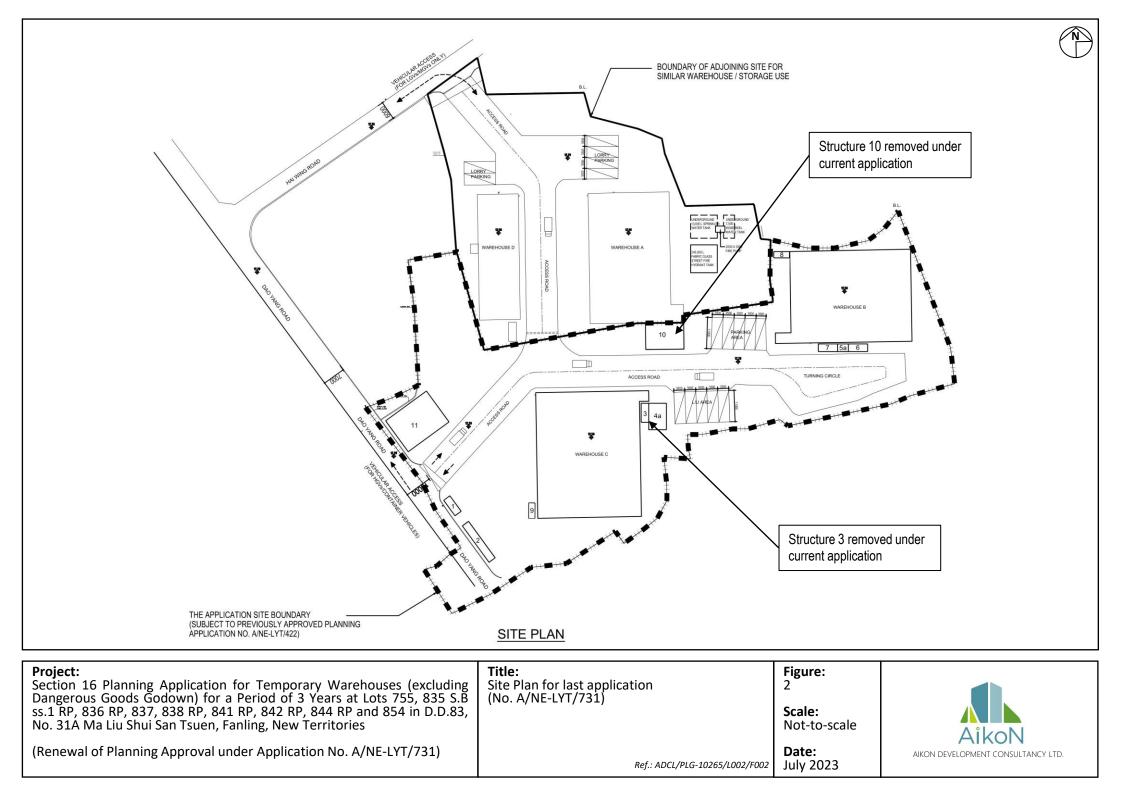
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Date : 13<sup>th</sup> September, 2023 Your Ref : TPB/A/NE-LYT/804 Our Ref. : ADCL/PLG-10265/L003

The Secretary Town Planning Board 15/F., North Point Government Offices 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong

By Email

Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: Section 16 Planning Application for Renewal Approval for Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years at Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1 RP, 836 RP, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP, 842 RP, 844 RP and 854 in D.D.83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling, New <u>Territories</u>

We refer to our submission dated 27.7.2023 (Ref. ADCL/PLG-10265/L001), we would like to substantiate the following points.

- The application site is subject to 8 previous planning approvals under applications No. A/IDPA/NE-LYT/6, A/NE-LYT/260, 278, 300, 422, 542, 631 and 731 for manufacture and warehouse uses. Given that the nature of the current application in terms of approval period sought and proposed use is the same as that proposed in the last approved application (No. A/NE-LYT/731), and there has been no material change in planning circumstances since the approval of the previous application, the current application is considered in line with the Town Planning Board Guidelines (TPB PG-No. 34D) and entitled to be considered as an application of renewal of planning approval.
- The application site has been occupied for workshop and warehouse purposes and similar use since 2003. It has been maintained and operated effectively, with no significant changes over the years. Under the current application, the operational activities will remain unchanged, consistent with the previous planning approval. In addition, the proposed use is solely for the storage of non-polluted and non-dangerous goods, which will remain stagnant at all times. It is anticipated that there will be no adverse impacts on the adjacent environment.
- While it is noted that a minor portion of the application site on Lot 854 partially falls within Queen's Hill Site of Archaeological Interest ("SAI"), it is essential to note that this area is occupied by an existing local road, namely Dao Yang Road. The current proposal does not involve any alterations, construction, or excavation on or underneath this road and it would continue to be a major access road for local residents in the vicinity. As an existing local road, there is no structure erecting above the concerned area. The applicant is willing to allow access to staff from the Antiquities and Monuments Office (AMO) at any time for investigation and inspection purposes.

Should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at . Thank you for your kind attention.

Aikon Development Consultancy Ltd. 毅勤發展顧問有限公司

Yours faithfully, For and on behalf of **Aikon Development Consultancy Limited** 

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Dear Markie,

As per the tele-conversation this morning, please see the enclosed replacement pages of the Planning Statement (amendments highlighted in yellow) for your processing.

We would like to clarify that:

- The uncovered area and covered area of the application site are about 7,853.68m<sup>2</sup> and 3,000.00m<sup>2</sup>, and
- HGVs will be mainly involved instead of container vehicles.

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Should you have any further enquiries, please feel free to contact Ms. Isa Yuen or me at

Thank you. Best regards, Benjamin Lee Town Planning Assistant

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# Section 16 Planning Application Renewal of Planning Approval under Application No. A/NE-LYT/731

Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years

Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1 RP, 836 RP, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP, 842 RP, 844 RP and 854 in D.D.83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling, New Territories

# Planning Statement

Prepared by Aikon Development Consultancy Ltd.

September 2023

## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

(In case of discrepancy between English and Chinese versions, English shall prevail)

This Planning Statement is submitted to the Town Planning Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Board") in support of a planning application (hereinafter referred to as "the current application") for <u>Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years</u> (hereinafter referred to as "the proposed use") at Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1 RP, 836 RP, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP, 842 RP, 844 RP and 854 in D.D.83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling, New Territories (hereinafter referred to "the application site"). The Planning Statement serves to provide background information and planning justifications in support of the proposed use in order to facilitate the consideration by the Board.

The current application aims to renew the latest planning permission from the Board under Planning Application (No. A/NE-LYT/731) approved on 18.9.2020 (hereinafter referred to "the last approved application") which will lapse on 27.10.2023 such that the Applicant will be given an opportunity to continue utilising the application site for the proposed use under the circumstances that there would be no substantial changes in the proposed development parameters and the nature/operation of the proposed use and the overall physical setting surrounding the application site would remain the same as the that proposed in the previously approved application.

The application site currently falls within two respective areas zoned "Residential (Group C)" ("R(C)") and "Agriculture" ("AGR") on the approved Lung Yeuk Tau and Kwan Tei South Outline Zoning Plan No. S/NE-LYT/19 gazetted on 16.12.2022. As detailed throughout this Planning Statement, the proposed use is well justified on the grounds that:-

- (a) The application site is subject to 8 previous planning approvals for uses being the same as or similar to the proposed use;
- (b) It will be in line with Town Planning Board Guidelines No. 34D;
- (c) There will be no substantial changes in planning circumstances by allowing the current application and the Applicant has demonstrated his full compliance of approval planning conditions of the last approved application;
- (d) No adverse infrastructural nor environmental impacts are anticipated given that there will be no changes in terms of nature of the proposed use, no. of trips involved; that nonpolluted/non-dangerous nature of storage items within the warehouses that would remain stagnant all the time; and that the existing drainage provision, landscape treatment and fire service installations will be continued to be properly maintained all the time;
- (e) Valuable land resources can be optimized by taking the locational advantage being close to the border crossings so as to address the great demand for warehouse facilities in the northern New Territories; and
- (f) Temporary nature of the proposed use should not jeopardize the planning intention of "R(C)" and "AGR" zones and long-term development.

In view of the above and the list of detailed planning justifications in this Planning Statement, it is sincerely hoped that the Board will give sympathetic consideration to approve the current application for a temporary period of 3 years.

## 行政摘要

(如內文與其英文版本有差異,則以英文版本為準)

此規劃報告書旨在支持一宗遞交予城市規劃委員會(以下簡稱「城規會」)的規劃申請(以下 簡稱「該申請」)作為期三年的臨時貨倉(危險品倉庫除外)(以下簡稱「擬議用途」)。該 申請所涉及地點位於新界粉嶺馬料水新村 31A 號丈量約份第 83 約地段第 755 號、第 835 號 B 分段第 1 小分段餘段、第 836 號餘段、第 837 號、第 838 號餘段、第 841 號餘段、第 842 號餘段、第 844 號餘段及第 854 號(以下簡稱「申請地點」)。此規劃報告書提供該申請的 背景及規劃理據以支持擬議用途作城規會考慮。

該申請是為了城規會於2020年9月18日批准並將於2023年10月27日到期的規劃許可(申 請編號:A/NE-LYT/731)續期·申請人希望給予機會·在發展參數微調、性質/運作及四周 環境沒有改變下可於申請地點繼續用作擬議用途。

申請地點於 2022 年 12 月 16 日刊憲公佈的龍躍頭及軍地南分區計劃大綱核准圖(編號: S/NE-LYT/19)內被劃為「住宅(丙類)」及「農業」地帶。此規劃報告書詳細闡述擬議用途 的規劃理據,當中包括:-

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- (五) 申請地點享有接近邊境口岸的位置優勢,可解決新界北部對倉庫設施的迫切需求;
- (六) 擬議用途所屬的臨時性質將不會阻礙履行長遠的「住宅(丙類)」及「農業」用途規劃 意向及長遠的新發展計劃。

鑑於以上各點及此規劃報告書內所提供的詳細規劃理據·懇請城規會從寬批准擬議用途作為期 三年之規劃申請。

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

## 1.1 Purpose

- 1.1.1 Pursuant to section 16 of the Town Planning Ordinance (TPO) (Cap. 131), this Planning Statement is submitted to the Town Planning Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Board") in support of a planning application (hereinafter referred to as "the current application") for Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Year (hereinafter referred to as "the proposed use") at Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1 RP, 836 RP, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP, 842 RP, 844 RP and 854 in D.D.83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling, New Territories (hereinafter referred to "the application site"). This Planning Statement serves to provide background information and planning justifications in support of the proposed use in order to facilitate the consideration by the Board. The application site has a total area of approximately 10,853.68m<sup>2</sup>. Its location is shown on Figure 1 whilst Figure 2 indicates relevant private lots which the application site involves.
- 1.1.2 Prepared on behalf of Carlton Woodcraft Manufacturing Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as "the Applicant"), Aikon Development Consultancy Limited have been commissioned to prepare and submit the current application on his behalf. The current application aims to **renew** the latest planning permission from the Board under planning application (No. A/NE-LYT/731) approved on 18.9.2020 (hereinafter referred to "the last approved application") which will lapse on 27.10.2023 such that the Applicant will be given an opportunity to continue utilising the application site for the proposed use under the circumstances that there would be no substantial changes in the proposed development parameters, and the nature/operation of the proposed use and the overall physical setting surrounding the application.
- 1.1.3 The application site currently falls within two respective areas zoned "Residential (Group C)" ("R(C)") and "Agriculture" ("AGR") on the approved Lung Yeuk Tau and Kwan Tei South Outline Zoning Plan (OZP) No. S/NE-LYT/19 gazetted on 16.12.2022 (hereinafter referred to as "the Current OZP") (please refer to Figure 3). According to the Schedule of Uses for "R(C)" and "AGR" zones attached to the Notes of the Current OZP, the proposed use is neither one of the Column 1 nor Column 2 uses. However, as stipulated in (11)(b) of the Notes of the Current OZP, "...temporary use or development of any land or building not exceeding a period of three years requires permission from the Town Planning Board. Notwithstanding that the use or development is not provided for in terms of the Plan, the Town Planning Board may grant permission, with or without conditions, for a maximum period of three years...". In this connection, the Applicant wishes to seek planning permission again from the Board for the proposed use on a temporary basis of 3 years.

## 1.2 Background

- 1.2.1 The application site was previously subject to eight approved planning applications (Application Nos. IDPA/NE-LYT/6, A/NE-LYT/260, 278, 300, 422, 542, 631 and 731) for manufacture and warehouse uses. The first four applications are all approved by the Board for the use of temporary workshop for manufacture and/or warehouse for storage of wooden and rattan furniture for a temporary period of 3 years. The last four approved applications (i.e. Applications No. A/NE-LYT/422, 542, 631 and 731) for temporary warehouses (excluding dangerous goods godown) (i.e. same as the proposed use) for a period of 3 years was approved by the Board on 13.8.2010, 23.5.2014, 27.10.2017 and 18.9.2020 respectively, mainly on the grounds that (a) approval of the application on a temporary basis for 3 years would not frustrate the long-term planning intentions of the "R(C)" and "AGR" zones; (b) the temporary warehouses are not incompatible with the surrounding land uses; and (c) the temporary warehouses are unlikely to cause significant adverse traffic, drainage and landscape impacts on the surrounding areas and Government departments concerned have no adverse comment on or no objection to the application.
- 1.2.2 The application site is currently subject to a Short-Term Waiver (STW) No. 985 registered in the Land Registry under Memorial No. 267744 dated 29.01.1992 issued by Lands Department (LandsD), and a Temporary Building Permit (TBP) (No. NT5/2004(TBP) and Temporary Occupation Permit (TOP) (No. NT11/2004(TOP)) renewed by Building Authority (BA) on 09.03.2011.

## 1.3 Objectives

- 1.3.1 The current application strives to achieve the following objectives:-
  - (a) To be given an opportunity to the Applicant to continue utilising the application site for the proposed use under the circumstances that there would be no substantial changes in the proposed development parameters, and the nature/operation of the proposed use and the overall physical setting surrounding the application site would remain the same as the that proposed in the previously approved application;
  - (b) To maximize land utilization in an area already subject to the preponderance of industrial uses, open storage and warehouse activities;
  - (c) To induce no adverse environmental nor infrastructural impacts on its surroundings by providing adequate protection and mitigation measures; and
  - (d) To be given an opportunity to put forth the proposed use under proper planning control by the Board and/or other relevant Government department(s).

### **1.4** Structure of the Planning Statement

1.4.1 This Planning Statement is divided into 6 chapters. Chapter 1 is the above introduction outlining the purpose and background of the current application. Chapter 2 gives background details of the application site in terms of the current land-use characteristics and neighbouring developments. Planning context of the application site is reviewed in Chapter 3 whilst Chapter 4 provides details of the proposed use. A full list of planning justifications is given in Chapter 5 whilst Chapter 6 summarizes the concluding remarks for the proposed use.

## 2. SITE PROFILE

## 2.1 Location and Current Condition of the Application Site

2.1.1 The application site is located at No. 31A Ma Liu Shui Tsuen with direct access via either Dao Yang Road or Hai Wing Road leading to Sha Tau Kok Road (Figure 1). Majority of the application site as indicated per Illustrations 1-I and 1-II is paved and fenced off mainly for the storage of manufacturing materials, trading products and vehicle parts and accessories within the long-established warehouses.

### 2.2 Surrounding Land-use Characteristics

- 2.2.1 The locality of the application site is generally rural in character, mixed with active and fallow agricultural land, tree groups, rural workshops, warehouses, domestic structures and temporary structures.
- 2.2.2 To the immediate north of the application site is currently being utilized for open storage/workshop uses which was subject to numerous of planning applications (Nos. IDPA/NE-LYT/5, DPA/NE-LYT/35, A/NE-LYT/277, 301, 313, 423) approved by the Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Adjoining Site"). Some domestic structures are found to the northwest of the application site. To the further north of the application site is dominated by various kinds of open storage yard and car repair workshop.
- 2.2.3 Scattered domestic structures and agricultural land are found to the east, south, southeast and southwest of the application site. Warehouses and workshops are also found to the south and west of the application site.
- 2.2.4 In general, while the application site falls mainly within an area zoned "R(C)", the area is dominated by rural industrial uses, such as warehouses, workshops and open storages. The proposed use is thus considered not incompatible with the surrounding areas.

## 3. PLANNING CONTEXT

## 3.1 The Current OZP

- 3.1.1 The application site falls within areas zoned "R(C)" and "AGR" on the Current OZP (please refer to **Figure 3**). Despite the fact that the proposed use is neither one of the Column 1 or Column 2 uses under the Schedule of Uses for the subject "R(C)" and "AGR" zones, the Board may grant planning permission, with or without conditions, for a maximum period of three years under section 16 of the TPO.
- 3.1.2 The planning intention of the "R(C)" zone is intended primarily for low-rise, lowdensity residential developments where commercial uses serving the residential neighbourhood may be permitted on application to the Board. The planning intention of the "AGR" zone is intended primarily to retain and safeguard good quality agricultural land/farm/fishponds for agricultural purposes. It is also intended to retain fallow arable land with good potential for rehabilitation for cultivation and other agricultural purposes.

### **3.2** Previous Planning Applications

- 3.2.1 The application site was previously subject to 8 applications (No. IDPA/NE-LYT/6, A/NE-LYT/260, 278, 300, 422, 542, 631 and 731) for manufacture and warehouse uses. The first four applications were all approved by the Board for the use of temporary workshop for manufacture and/or warehouse for storage of wooden and rattan furniture for a temporary period of 3 years. **Table 1** encapsulates details of these seven previous applications.
- 3.2.2 The last approved application (No. A/NE-LYT/731) for the same proposed use, submitted by the same applicant was approved by the Board on 18.9.2020 mainly on the grounds that (a) approval of the application on a temporary basis for 3 years would not frustrate the long-term planning intentions of the "R(C)" and "AGR" zones; (b) the temporary warehouses are not incompatible with the surrounding land uses; and (c) the temporary warehouses are unlikely to cause significant adverse traffic, drainage and landscape impacts on the surrounding areas and Government departments concerned have no adverse comment on or no objection to the application. The planning permission for the last approved application will lapse on 27.10.2023.

Application No.	Proposed Use(s)	Date of Decision	Decision
A/IDPA/NE-LYT/6	Workshops for Manufacture	26.03.1991	Approved for a Period
	and Storage of Wooden and		of 3 Years
	Rattan Furniture		
A/NE-LYT/260	Temporary Warehouses for	16.05.2003	Approved with
	Storage of Wooden and		conditions
	Rattan Furniture for a Period		on a temporary basis
	of 3 Years		for a period of 3 Years
A/NE-LYT/278	Temporary Workshops for	11.06.2004	Approved with
	Manufacture and Storage of		conditions
	Wooden and Rattan Furniture		on a temporary basis
	for a Period of 3 Years		for a period of 3 Years
A/NE-LYT/300	Temporary Workshops for	15.04.2005	Approved with
	Manufacture and Storage of		conditions
	Wooden and Rattan Furniture		on a temporary basis
	for a Period of 3 Years		for a period of 3 Years
A/NE-LYT/422	Temporary Warehouses	13.05.2011	Approved with
	(excluding Dangerous Goods	(On Review)	conditions on a
	Godown) for a Period of 3		temporary basis for a
	Years		period of 3 Years
A/NE-LYT/542	Temporary Warehouses	23.05.2014	Approved with
	(excluding Dangerous Goods		conditions on a
	Godown) for a Period of 3		temporary basis for a
	Years		period of 3 Years
A/NE-LYT/631	Temporary Warehouses	27.10.2017	Approved with
	(excluding Dangerous Goods		conditions on a
	Godown) for a Period of 3		temporary basis for a
	Years		period of 3 Years
A/NE-LYT/731	Temporary Warehouses	18.9.2020	Approved with
	(excluding Dangerous Goods		conditions on a
	Godown) for a Period of 3		temporary basis for a
	Years		period of 3 Years

Table 1: Previous Planning Applications Covering the Application Site

3.2.3 All approval conditions of the last approved application (No. A/NE-LYT/731) have been duly complied with by the Applicant. **Table 2** concludes the compliance with planning condition under the last approved application. **Appendices II** to **III** attaches the relevant discharge letters for the approval conditions.

 Table 2: Compliance with Planning Approval Conditions under the Last Approved Application

Planning Approval Conditions		Discharged Date
(n)	the submission of a condition record of the existing drainage facilities	27.10.2020
(0)	the submission of proposals for water supplies for firefighting and fire service installations	1.4.2022
(p)	the implementation of proposals for water supplies for firefighting and fire service installations	1.4.2022

3.2.4 As compared with the last approved scheme under Application No. A/NE-LYT/731, there would be no substantial changes in the proposed development parameters, and the nature/operation of the proposed use and the overall physical setting surrounding the application site would remain the same as the that proposed in the previously approved application.

## 3.3 Town Planning Board Guidelines (TPB PG-No. 34D)

3.3.1 The nature of the current application in terms of approval period sought and proposed use is the same as that proposed in the last approved application. Apart from the fact that there would be **no changes in the nature/operation of the proposed use but only slight changes in the proposed development parameters**, the physical settings surrounding the application site when compared to the last approved application would also be unchanged. In addition, no adverse planning implications by allowing the current application is likely to be anticipated and the Applicant has in fact **complied with all planning conditions under previous approval within specified time limits**. In view of this, the current application shall be deemed capable of being in line with the Town Planning Board Guidelines (TPB PG-No. 34D).

## 3.4 Preliminary Feasibility Study on Developing the New Territories North

- 3.4.1 The Preliminary Feasibility Study on Developing the New Territories North (hereinafter referred to as "the NTN Study") was commissioned in 2014 and finished in 2017. The NTN Study recommended two development scenarios for further study. The application site fell within Queen's Hill Potential Development Area (QH PDA) of the study area. Under the recommended Scenario 1, the application site falls within areas suggested for "Mixed Uses" ("MU") and "Open Space" ("O") (**Figure 5**). The "MU" site which the application site involved was suggested with a domestic plot ratio (PR) of 5 and a non-domestic PR of 1, comprising both retail and residential uses. Transitoriented development is proposed at the "MU" site. The intention of this "MU" zone is 'to serve as a centre to enhance the pedestrian connectivity of the planned QH Development towards the possible station in QH, such as requiring at-grade public pedestrian corridor, retail podium and etc., to reduce reliance on road-based transport', according to the NTN Study.
- 3.4.2 Under the recommended Scenario 2 (**Figure 6**), the application site falls within areas recommended for "Residential" ("R") and "O" uses. According to the NTN Study, the "R" site which the application involved will be around the possible station to the north of the planned QH development with a PR of 7.5 which response to the transit-oriented development potential generated by the possible north-south railway.
- 3.4.3 Albeit the characteristics and land uses of application site and its surrounding areas shall be vastly changed upon the implementation of the New Territories North development, the development study was at preliminary feasibility study stage. It is expected that further feasibility and engineering study will be required before a final development scheme could be confirmed. Given the fact that statutory procedures

are also required to amend the Current OZP to carry out the final development scheme, a fairly **long processing time would be expected**. Considering that the NTN Study was at a preliminary stage and the subsequent procedures required, it can be foreseen that the approval of the current application will by no means contravene with the long-term development at the area.

## 3.5 S12A Planning Application

3.5.1 The application site is currently subject to an undergoing an S12A planning application (No. Y/NE-LYT/16) (hereinafter referred as to the "rezoning application"). The rezoning application seeks to rezone the application site, adjacent lots and government land from "Residential (Group C)" and "Agriculture" zone to "Residential (Group B)2" zone on the approved Lung Yeuk Tau and Kwan Tei South Outline Zoning Plan (No. S/NE/LYT/19) for proposed flat, shop and services and eating place. The rezoning application intends to amend the OZP with a view to materialising the latest government directions in alleviating the pressing housing demand, increasing quality housing supply and supporting the development of the Northern Metropolis. While the rezoning application was received by TPB in February 2023, it is expected to undergo a lengthy processing time. This includes considerations for the rezoning application, statutory procedures for OZP amendment, land exchange procedures, and subsequent construction activities. The proposed development under the rezoning application is tentatively scheduled for completion in 2029. Considering the preliminary stage of the rezoning application and the extended time required for statutory processes and construction, it is deemed unfavorable to leave the application site idle. Therefore, the current application seeks to continue utilizing the site for the proposed use under the given circumstances, allowing for the efficient utilization of land resources.

#### 4. THE DEVELOPMENT PROPOSAL

#### 4.1 Site Configuration, Layout & Operation

- 4.1.1 It is proposed to continue utilising the application site for the proposed use. As compared with the last approved scheme under Application No. A/NE-LYT/731, there is no change in the nature of the current application. The site configuration and layout remain mostly same as that proposed in the last approved application except **minor reduction in the site area, total covered area and floor area**. The application site has an area of about 10,853.68m<sup>2</sup>. Compared to the last approved scheme under Application No. A/NE-LYT/731, there is a minor reduction of site area (about 77.32m<sup>2</sup>) with a view to excluding certain areas that have been encroached by the adjoining Lot No. 853 S.B RP. While Lot 853 S.B. ss.1. S.A and 836 S.A are still under the Applicants' ownership, the current application has excluded the aforementioned lots to avoid complication of the current application.
- 4.1.2 The application site is currently erected with two single-storey temporary warehouse buildings (known as Warehouse B and Warehouse C) with a total floor area of about 2,659.80m<sup>2</sup> and a headroom of 7.35m each near the southern and eastern end of the application site for the general storage of manufacturing materials, trading products and vehicle parts and accessories. There are 9 nos. of structures/containers only being utilised as ancillary site office, guard room and storage uses which constitute to a total cover area of about 340.2m<sup>2</sup>. In aggregate, the said warehouses and structures/containers constitute to a total built-over area (i.e. covered area) of about 3,000m<sup>2</sup>, which is slightly lower than that of the last approved scheme under Application No. A/NE-LYT/731. The disposition of the proposed warehouses and ancillary structures/containers are shown in Figure 4 whilst the key development parameters for the proposed use are encapsulated in Table 3.

Major Proposed Development Parameters	Last Approved Application (No. A/NE-LYT/731)	Proposed Use (Current Application)	Difference
<u>Site Area (m²)</u> Total	About 10,931.00 (100%)	About 10,853.68 (100%)	-77.32 m <sup>2</sup>
Uncovered Area	About 7,808.33 (71%)	About 7,853.68 (72.4%)	<mark>+45 m²</mark>
Covered Area	About 3,122.67 (29%)	About 3,000,00 (27.6%)	-122.67 m <sup>2</sup>
Applied Period	3 years	3 years	No Change
Proposed Use(s)	Temporary Warehouse (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown)	Temporary Warehouse (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown)	No Change
Warehouse No. of Blocks	2 (Warehouse B & Warehouse C)	2 (Warehouse B & Warehouse C)	No Change

Table 3: Comparison of Major Parameters/Items of the Current Application and the Last Approved Application (No. A/NE-LYT/731)

Major Proposed Development Parameters	Last Approved Application (No. A/NE-LYT/731)	Proposed Use (Current Application)	Difference
Proposed Use(s)	General storage of manufacturing materials, trading products, vehicle parts and accessories	General storage of manufacturing materials, trading products, vehicle parts and accessories	No Change
No. of Storeys	1	1	No Change
Height (m)	With a headroom of 7.35m, a column span of 10-11m and floor plate of 1,330m <sup>2</sup> each	With a headroom of 7.35m, a column span of 10-11m and floor plate of 1,330m <sup>2</sup> each	No Change
Ancillary <u>Structure/Containers</u> No. of Blocks Proposed Use(s)	11 Guard Room / Site Office/ General Storage	9 Guard Room / Site Office/ General Storage	-2 No Change
No. of Storeys Height (m)	Not more than 4.5m	Not more than 4.5m	No Change No Change
Floor Area (m²) Warehouse B C	About 1,228.51 About 1,431.29	About 1,228.51 About 1,431.29	No Change No Change
Total (a)	About 2,659.80	About 2,659.80	No Change
Ancillary Structure/Container 1 2 3 4a 5a 6 7 8 9 10 11 Total (b) Total (a) + (b) Operation Hours	About 14.86 About 35.00 About 14.86 About 47.51 About 8.54 About 14.86 About 14.86 About 9.85 About 9.85 About 9.85 About 9.85 About 100.00 About 192.68 About 462.87 About 3,122.67 From 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m, Monday to Saturday excluding Sunday and Public Holiday (only indoor forklift operation inside the enclosed warehouses between 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m)	About 14.86 About 35.00 About 26.55 About 23.00 About 8.54 About 14.86 About 14.86 About 9.85 N/A N/A About 192.68 About 340.20 <u>About 3,000,00</u> From 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m, Monday to Saturday excluding Sunday and Public Holiday (only indoor forklift operation inside the enclosed warehouses between 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m)	No Change No Change +11.69m <sup>2</sup> -24.51m <sup>2</sup> No Change No Change No Change -9.85m <sup>2</sup> -100.00m <sup>2</sup> No Change -122.67m <sup>2</sup> -122.67 m <sup>2</sup> No Change
No. of Parking Spaces	5 (MGV/HGV, 3.5m x 11m)	5 (MGV/HGV, 3.5m x 11m)	No Change
No. of Loading/Unloading Bays	5 (MGV/HGV, 3.5m x 11m)	5 (MGV/HGV, 3.5m x 11m)	No Change
Type of Delivery Vehicles	LGVs, MGVs and HGVs	LGVs, MGVs and HGVs	No Change

Major Proposed Development Parameters	Last Approved Application (No. A/NE-LYT/731)	Proposed Use (Current Application)	Difference
No. of Daily Trips by Delivery Vehicles	10 (For LGV & MGV) 2 (For HGV)	10 (For LGV & MGV) 2 (For HGV)	No Change
Width of Ingress/Egress (m)	10 (At Dao Yang Road)	10 (At Dao Yang Road)	No Change
Anticipated Trips Generation	3-4 trips per week (On average)	3-4 trips per week (On average)	No Change

## 4.2 Operation

- 4.2.1 The proposed use would continue enabling legal storage for food and beverage (e.g. confectionery) at low temperature within the premises for trading purposes. Goods and products (e.g prepared or preserved meat and cakes) to be stored and transported at consistence and desirable temperatures to preserve the texture and quality and to present from contamination and damage while transiting. The operation of the cold storage would **continue serving food trading purposes**.
- 4.2.2 All goods to be stored within the application site will be **non-polluted** and **nondangerous** in nature and will <u>remain stagnant all the time</u>. On the whole, all storage activities will only be confined to within the warehouses of the application site without affecting the neighbouring uses and the operation hours of the proposed use will be restricted. There would be no operation between 8:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. except indoor forklift operation inside the enclosed warehouses between 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., and the entire operation is restricted to from Monday to Saturday excluding Sunday and Public Holidays.

## 4.3 Vehicular Access and Parking Arrangement

- 4.3.1 The application site is directly accessible via either Dao Yang Road or Hai Wing Road leading to Sha Tau Kok Road Lung Yeuk Tau, which are both a well-paved road with respective widths of 10m and 6m that are considered sufficient to cater for the traffic of goods vehicles generated by the warehouse's operation within the application site. For those vehicles longer than 7.5m, they would only be allowed to use the ingress/egress point at Dao Yang Road for entering and leaving the application site. Gates are set up at the entrance to prevent vehicles entering to or getting out of the application site outside the operation hours. 5 nos. of parking spaces for Medium Goods Vehicles (MGV) and Heavy Goods Vehicles (HGV) and 5 nos. of loading/unloading bays for MGV and HGV are proposed within the application site for daily operation.
- 4.3.2 The existing daily traffic generation by the proposed use is less than 20 vehicles per day of which a maximum of 2 daily trips made mainly by HGV entering to/getting out of the application site via its ingress/egress at Dao Yang Road. Considering the nature, operation of the proposed use remain unchanged and the site configuration remains almost the same as the that in the previously approved application, it is expected that

the traffic generation by the proposed use will remain unchanged as well. The Applicant would ensure that Operator would comply with the trips restriction on HGVs. If the trips restriction is not abided by the Operator in any case during the approval period of the current application, the Applicant will issue warning letters or even terminate the tenancy agreement with the Operator. Sufficient manoeuvring spaces are allowed within the application site so that no queuing of goods vehicles will occur along Dao Yang Road (mainly for HGVs) or Hai Wing Road (for LGVs/MGVs) under any circumstances.

## 4.4 Provision of Existing Landscape Treatment

4.4.1 The approval condition (i) pertaining to landscape as laid down by the Board for the last approved application (No. A/NE-LYT/731) was that 'the maintenance of the existing trees within the site at all times during the planning approval period'. The approval condition has been well complied with that the existing trees within the application site have been properly maintained and in good condition (see Illustration 2). The Applicant will continue to properly maintain all existing trees during the approval period should the current application be approved by the Board.

## 4.5 **Provision of Existing Drainage Facilities**

4.5.1 The approval condition (j) under the last approved application that 'the maintenance of the existing drainage facilities within the site properly at all times during the planning approval period' was fully complied by the Applicant. The existing drainage facilities are well-maintained (see **Illustration 3**) and there has been no flooding issue arisen. The Applicant is well committed that the existing drainage provision within the application site will be continued to be properly maintained during the approval period once the current application is approved by the Board.

## 4.6 **Provision of Fire Service Installations**

4.6.1 The Applicant is also committed that the existing fire services installations, including generator, emergency lighting, exit sign, sprinkler system, hose reel, fire alarm system, fire detection system, street fire hydrant system and fire extinguishers, already implemented on site when complying relevant approval conditions (n) and (o) laid down per the last planning approval under Application No. A/NE-LYT/731 will be continued to be properly maintained during the approval period once the current application is approved by the Board.

## 5. PLANNING JUSTIFICATIONS

### 5.1 Application Site is Subject to Previous Planning Approvals for Same/Similar Use

5.1.1 The application site is subject to **8 previous planning approvals** under applications No. A/IDPA/NE-LYT/6, A/NE-LYT/260, 278, 300, 422, 542, 631 and 731 for manufacture and warehouse uses. It is therefore considered not unacceptable for the application site being utilised for the proposed use.

### 5.2 Being in Line with the Town Planning Board Guidelines (TPB PG-No. 34D)

5.2.1 The nature of the current application in terms of approval period sought and proposed use is the same as that proposed in the last approved application (No. A/NE-LYT/731). Apart from the fact that there would be **no changes in the nature/operation of the proposed use but only slight changes in the proposed development parameters**, the physical settings surrounding the application site when compared to the last approved application would also be unchanged. In addition, no adverse planning implications by allowing the current application is likely to be anticipated and the Applicant has in fact complied with all planning conditions under previous approval within specified time limits. In view of this, the current application shall be deemed capable of being **entitled to be considered as an application of renewal of planning approval** according to Town Planning Board Guidelines (TPB PG-No. 34D).

## 5.3 No Substantial Changes in Planning Circumstances and Full Compliance of Approval Planning Conditions of Previous Planning Approval

5.3.1 The nature of the current application in terms of approval period sought and proposed use is **the same as** that proposed in the previous planning application(s). Apart from the fact that there would be no changes in the proposed in the nature/operation of the proposed use, there has also been **no substantial changes in the planning circumstances** such as land-use zoning and the physical settings surrounding the application site when comparing with the last approved application. In addition, **no adverse planning implications** by allowing the current application is likely to be anticipated and the Applicant has in fact **complied with all planning conditions under previous approval** within specified time limits.

## 5.4 No Adverse Infrastructural nor Environmental Impacts

5.4.1 There will **no changes in terms of nature of the proposed use, operation hours, no. of trips involved**, and more importantly, **the existing drainage provision, landscape treatment and fire service installations will be continued to be properly maintained** all the time upon granting of planning approval for the current application. Given the above and the fact that there have never been any complaints against the proposed use since it has come into operation for more than a decade, no infrastructural nor environmental impacts are envisaged should the permission for the proposed use be renewed/granted by the Board.

5.4.2 Moreover, goods to be stored within the application site will all be **non-polluted and non-dangerous** in nature and will remain stagnant within the warehouses all the time. As such, **no insurmountable environmental impact** shall be induced if the current application is allowed.

### 5.5 Optimization of Valuable Land Resources

5.5.1 The proposed use would take full advantage of the location being close to the two border crossings, i.e. Man Kam To and Sha Tau Kok, to address the great demand for warehouse facilities in the northern New Territories. By allowing the proposed use, land use optimization and concentration of similar uses for warehouse/open storage and industrial sprawl in unsuitable locations could be achieved. Besides, the proposed use is considered fully commensurate with its local geographical setting and ideal to attain utmost land use maximization without giving rise to detrimental impacts on the environment.

# 5.6 Temporary Nature Would Not Jeopardize its Planning Intention of "R(C)" and "AGR" zones and future development of New Territories North

- 5.6.1 Notwithstanding the application site falls within an area zoned "R(C)" and "AGR" on the Current OZP and that it is subject to seven previous planning approvals for uses being the same as or similar to the proposed use, the temporary nature of the current application will by no means jeopardize the long-term planning intention of "R(C)" and "AGR". Having considered the fact that some open storage, workshop and warehouse uses are sited in the surrounding of the application site, bringing forward the planning intention of "R(C)" and "AGR" zones is hardly to be materialized in short term as the surrounding characteristics are not entirely compatible with the planning intention. In contrast, the proposed use in the interim at the application site is deemed not unsuitable and is able to continuously and flexibly meet the demands on the proposed use.
- 5.6.2 Considering that the NTN Study was at a preliminary stage and the subsequent procedures required, it can be foreseen that the approval of the current application will by no means contravene with the long-term development at the area.
- 5.6.3 Moreover, it is the mere fact that such period of the planning approval could be adjusted by the Board to a period of 3 years or less, and that a fresh section 16 planning application is required upon its expiry. The entire authority is always from the Board that whether a new planning application for the continuation of the proposed use is further allowed or not. It is therefore in this connection, the temporary nature of the proposed use would not in any sense pose any constraint to jeopardize nor preempt the long-term planning intention of "R(C)" and "AGR" zone or any long-term development.

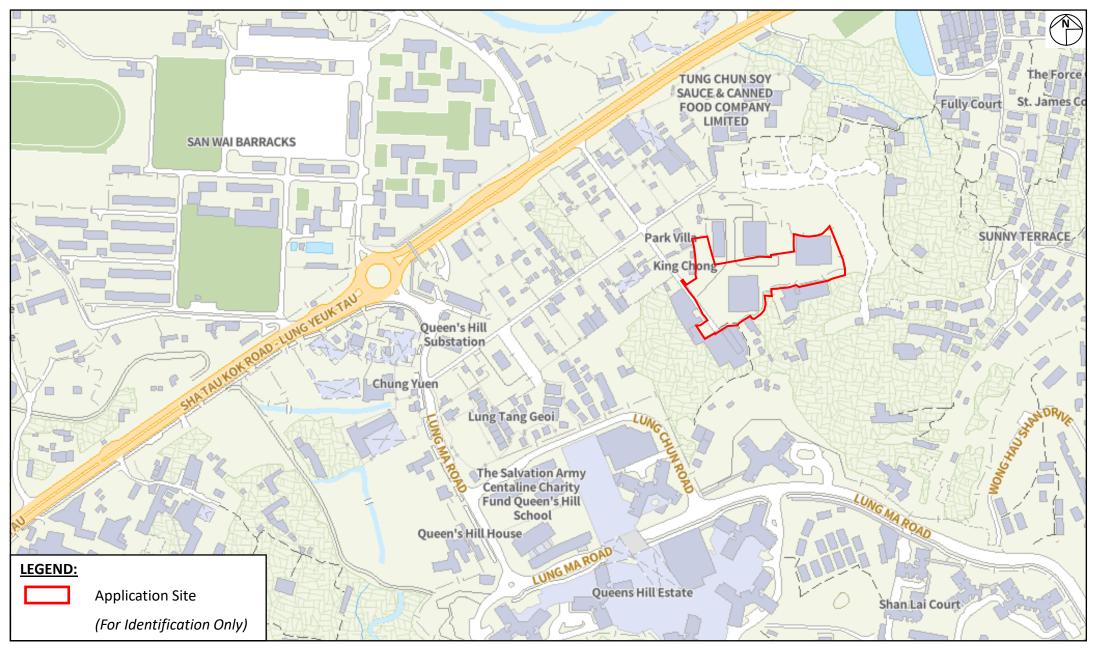
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### 6. CONCLUSION

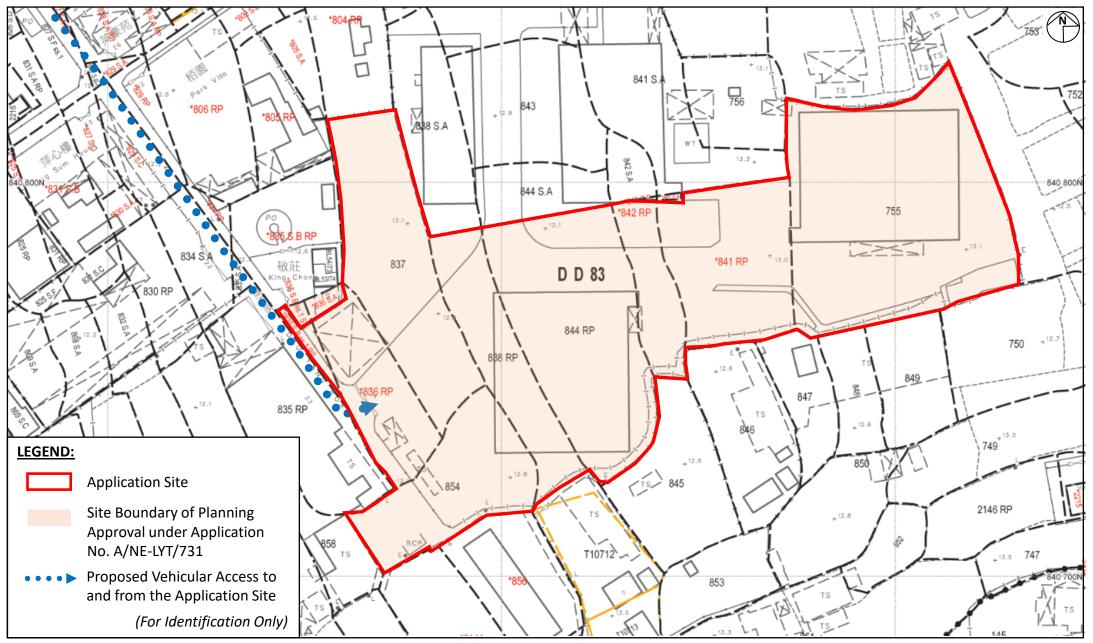
- 6.1.1 This Planning Statement is submitted to the Board in support of a planning application for the proposed use (i.e. Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years) at the application site (i.e. Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1 RP, 836 RP, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP, 842 RP, 844 RP and 854 in D.D.83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling, New Territories). This Planning Statement serves to provide background information and planning justifications in support of the proposed use in order to facilitate the consideration by the Board.
- 6.1.2 The current application aims to renew the planning permission from the Board under planning application (No. A/NE-LYT/731) approved on 18.9.2020 which will lapse on 27.10.2023 such that the Applicant will be given an opportunity to continue utilising the application site for the proposed use under the circumstances that there would be no substantial changes in the proposed development parameters and the nature/operation of the proposed use and the overall physical setting surrounding the application site would remain the same as the that proposed in the previously approved application.
- 6.1.3 The application site currently falls within two respective areas zoned "R(C)" and "AGR" on the Current OZP (i.e. approved Lung Yeuk Tau and Kwan Tei South OZP No. S/NE-LYT/19) gazetted on 6.12.2022. As detailed throughout this Planning Statement, the proposed use is well justified on the grounds that:-
  - (a) The application site is subject to 8 previous planning approvals for uses being the same as or similar to the proposed use;
  - (b) It will be in line with Town Planning Board Guidelines No. 34D;
  - (c) There will be no substantial changes in planning circumstances by allowing the current application and the Applicant has demonstrated his full compliance of approval planning conditions of the last approved application;
  - (d) No adverse infrastructural nor environmental impacts are anticipated given that there will be no changes in terms of nature of the proposed use, no. of trips involved; that non-polluted/non-dangerous nature of storage items within the warehouses that would remain stagnant all the time; and that the existing drainage provision, landscape treatment and fire service installations will be continued to be properly maintained all the time;
  - (e) Valuable land resources can be optimized by taking the locational advantage being close to the border crossings so as to address the great demand for warehouse facilities in the northern New Territories; and
  - (f) Temporary nature of the proposed use should not jeopardize the planning intention of "R(C)" and "AGR" zones and long-term development.
- 6.1.4 In view of the above and the list of detailed planning justifications in this Planning Statement, it is sincerely hoped that the Board will give sympathetic consideration to approve the current application for a temporary period of 3 years.

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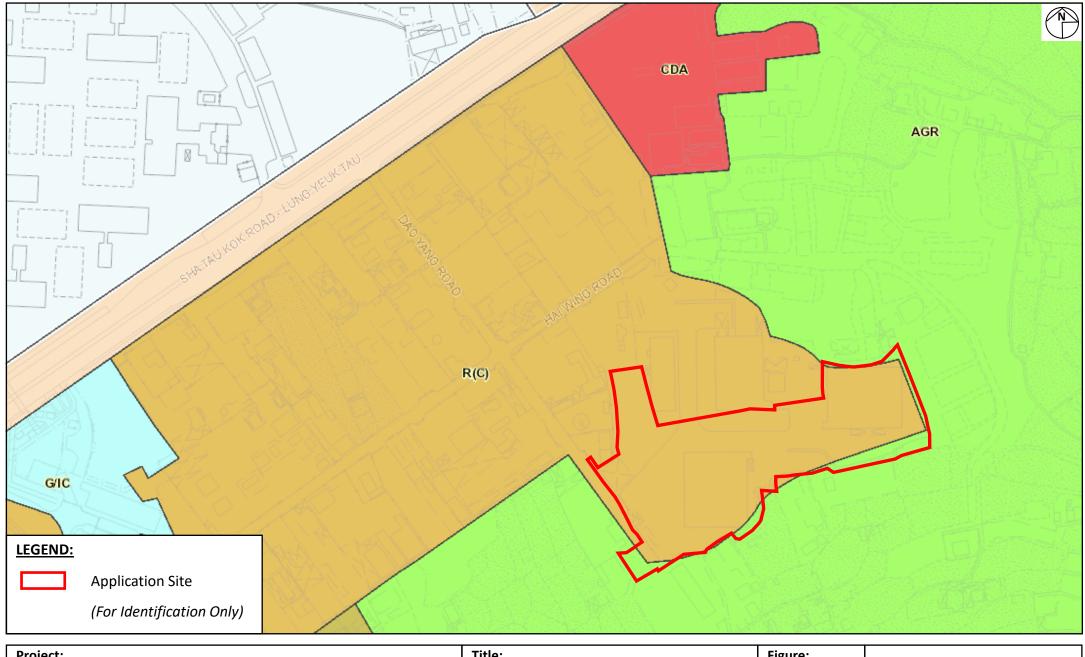
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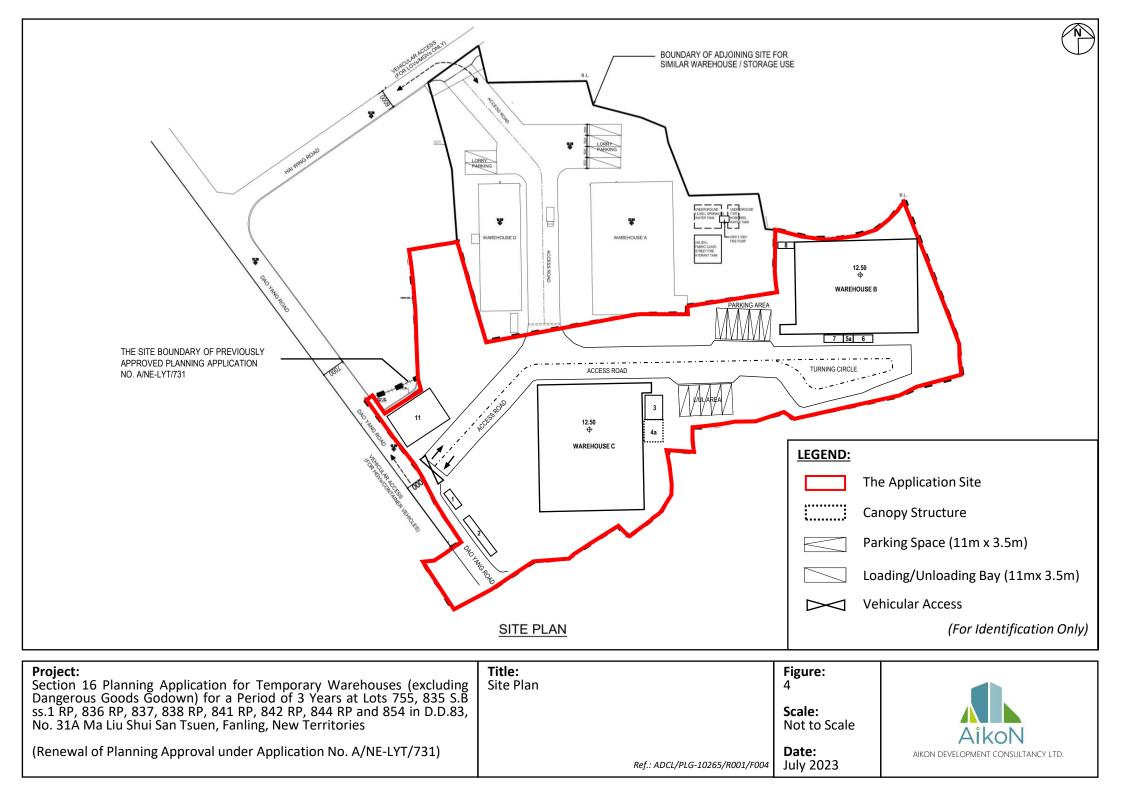
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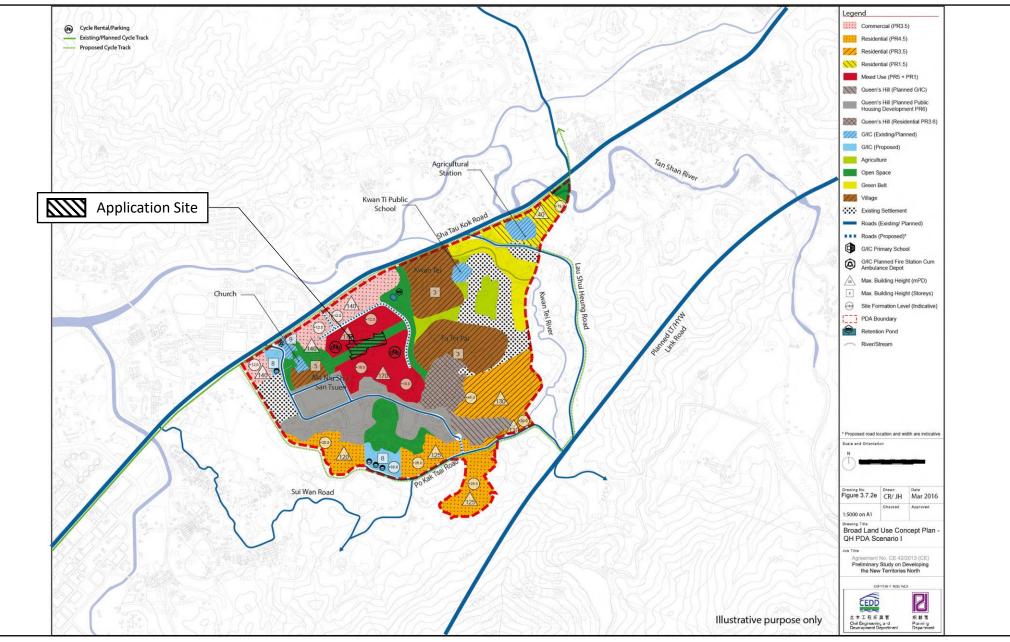


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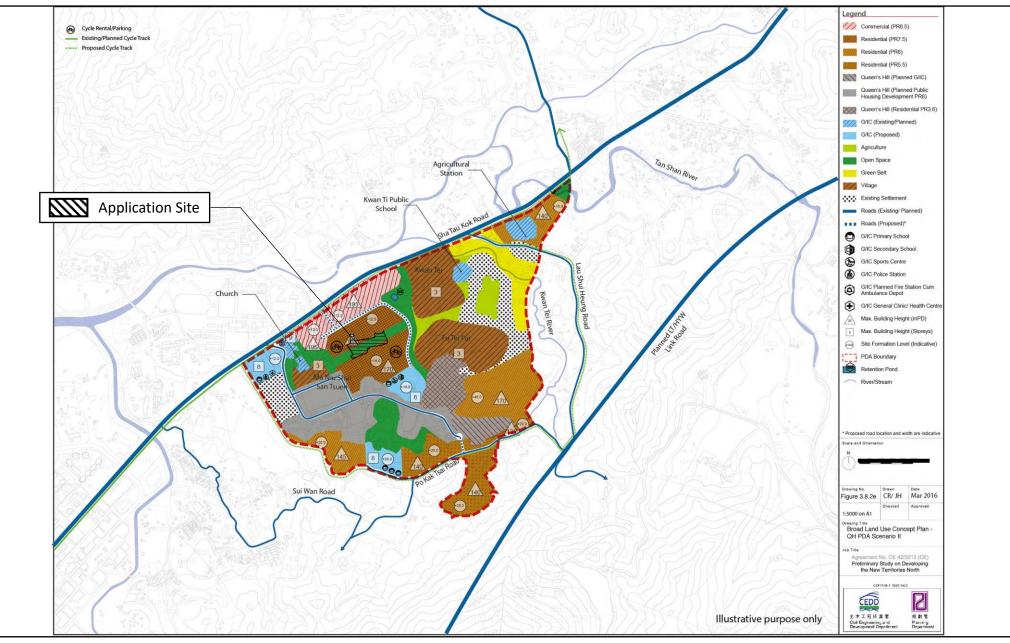


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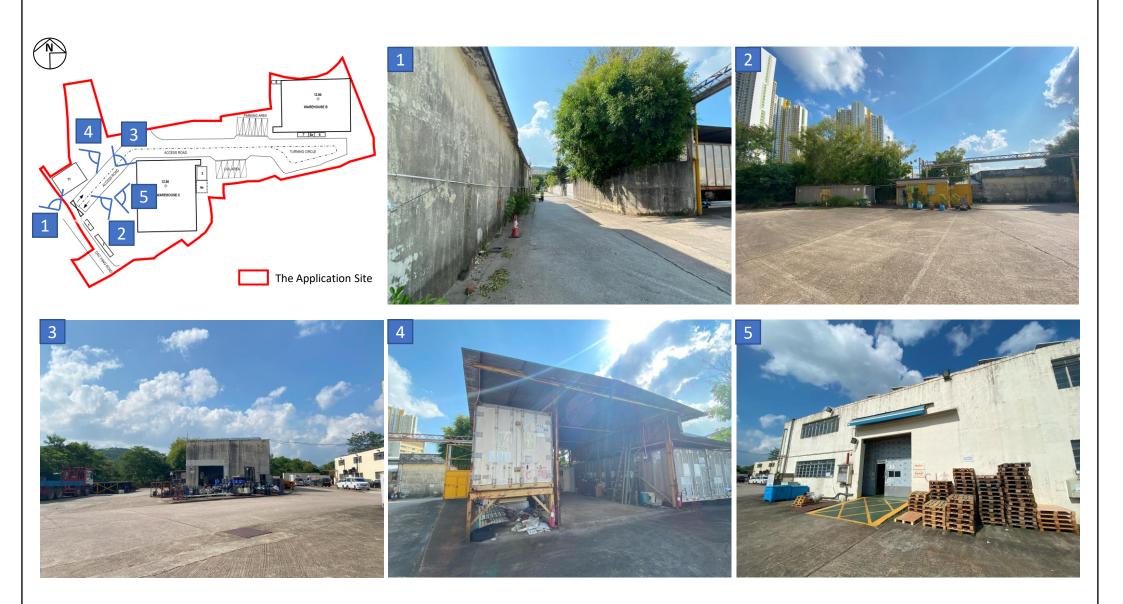


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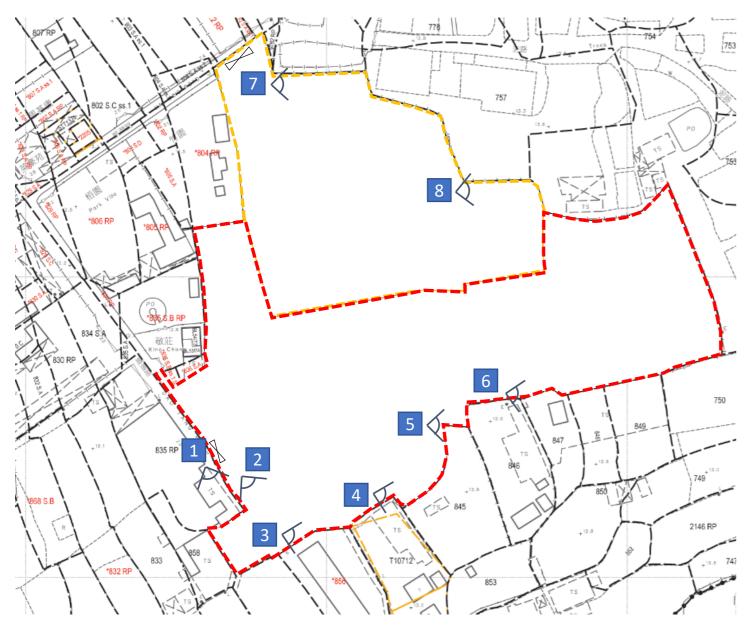
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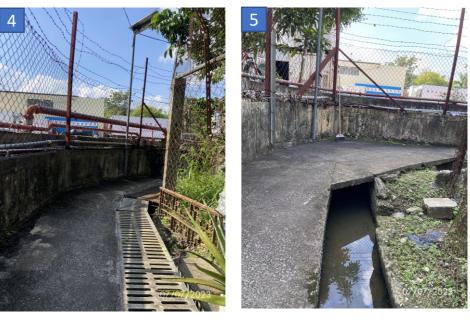


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A p p e n d i x l Approval Letter of the Previous Application No. A/NE-LYT/731

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Aikon Development Consultancy Ltd.

(Attn.: Thomas Luk)

Dear Sir/Madam,

### Renewal of Planning Approval for Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years in "Residential (Group C)" and "Agriculture" Zones, Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1, 836, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP (Part), 842 RP (Part), 844 RP and 854 in D.D. 83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling

I refer to my letter to you dated 9.9.2020.

After giving consideration to the application, the Town Planning Board (TPB) approved the application for permission under section 16 of the Town Planning Ordinance on the terms of the application as submitted to the TPB. The permission shall be valid <u>on a</u> temporary basis for a period of 3 years and be renewed from 28.10.2020 until 27.10.2023 and is subject to the following conditions :

- (a) no operation between 8:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m., as proposed by you, is allowed on the site during the planning approval period;
- (b) no operation except indoor forklift operation inside the enclosed warehouses between 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., as proposed by you, is allowed on the site during the planning approval period;
- (c) no operation on Sundays and public holidays, as proposed by you, is allowed on the site during the planning approval period;
- (d) a maximum of two heavy goods vehicles/container vehicles are allowed to enter the site per day, as proposed by you, during the planning approval period;
- (e) all vehicles should only be allowed to use the ingress/egress at Dao Yang Road at any time during the planning approval period;
- (f) no open storage of materials shall be carried out on the site at any time during the planning approval period;

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- (g) no manufacturing activities shall be carried out on the site at any time during the planning approval period;
- (h) no used electrical appliances, televisions, computer monitors, computer parts or any other types of electronic waste are allowed to be stored on the site during the planning approval period;
- (i) the maintenance of the existing trees within the site at all times during the planning approval period;
- (j) the maintenance of the existing drainage facilities within the site properly at all times during the planning approval period;
- (k) all vehicles entering and exiting the site during the planning approval period shall be restricted to non-peak hours (i.e. from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.), as proposed by you, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner for Transport or of the TPB;
- (1) the implementation of the traffic mitigation measures during the planning approval period, as proposed by you, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner for Transport or of the TPB;
- (m) the submission of a condition record of the existing drainage facilities within 3 months from the commencement date of renewed planning approval to the satisfaction of the Director of Drainage Services or of the TPB by <u>28.1.2021</u>;
- (n) the submission of proposals for water supplies for firefighting and fire service installations within 6 months from the date of planning approval to the satisfaction of the Director of Fire Services or of the TPB by <u>28.4.2021</u>;
- (o) in relation to (n) above, the implementation of proposals for water supplies for firefighting and fire service installations within 9 months from the date of planning approval to the satisfaction of the Director of Fire Services or of the TPB by <u>28.7.2021</u>;
- (p) if any of the above planning conditions (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h), (i), (j),
  (k) or (l), is not complied with during the planning approval period, the approval hereby given shall cease to have effect and shall be revoked immediately without further notice; and
- (q) if any of the above planning conditions (m), (n) or (o) is not complied with by the specified date, the approval hereby given shall cease to have effect and shall on the same date be revoked without further notice.

The TPB also agreed to advise you to note the advisory clauses as set out at Appendix VI of the TPB Paper.

You are reminded to **strictly** adhere to the time limit for complying with the above planning conditions. If any of the above planning conditions are not complied with by the specified time limit, the permission given shall be revoked without further notice and the development will be subject to enforcement action. If you wish to apply for extension of time for compliance with planning conditions, you should submit a section 16A application to the TPB no less than six weeks before the expiry of the specified time limit. This is to allow sufficient time for processing of the application in consultation with the concerned departments. The TPB will not consider any application for extension of time if the time limit specified in the permission has already expired at the time of consideration by the TPB. For details, please refer to the TPB Guidelines No. 34C and 36B. The Guidelines, application form (Form No. S16A) and the Guidance Notes for applications are available at the TPB's website (www.info.gov.hk/tpb/), the Planning Enquiry Counters of the Planning Department (Hotline : 2231 5000) at 17/F, North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point; 14/F, Sha Tin Government Offices, 1 Sheung Wo Che Road, Sha Tin; and the Secretariat of the TPB at 15/F, North Point Government Offices.

This temporary permission will lapse on <u>28.10.2023</u>. You may submit an application to the TPB for renewal of the temporary permission no less than two months before its expiry by completing an application form (Form No. S16-III). For details, please refer to TPB Guidelines No. 34C. However, the TPB is under no obligation to renew the temporary permission.

For amendments to the approved scheme that may be permitted with or without application under section 16A, please refer to TPB Guidelines No. 36B for details.

A copy of the TPB Paper in respect of the application (except the supplementary planning statement/technical report(s), if any) and the relevant extract of minutes of the TPB meeting held on 18.9.2020 are enclosed herewith for your reference.

Under section 17(1) of the Town Planning Ordinance, an applicant aggrieved by a decision of the TPB may apply to the TPB for a review of the decision. If you wish to seek a review, you should inform me within 21 days from the date of this letter (on or before 30.10.2020). I will then contact you to arrange a hearing before the TPB which you and/or your authorized representative will be invited to attend. The TPB is required to consider a review application within three months of receipt of the application for review. Please note that any review application will be published for three weeks for public comments.

This permission by the TPB under section 16 of the Town Planning Ordinance should not be taken to indicate that any other government approval which may be needed in connection with the development, will be given. You should approach the appropriate government departments on any such matter.

If you have any queries regarding this planning permission, please contact Mr. Tim Fung of Sha Tin, Tai Po & North District Planning Office at 2158 6237. In case you wish to consult the relevant Government departments on matters relating to the above approval conditions, a list of the concerned Government officers is attached herewith for your reference.

Yours faithfully,

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(Raymond KAN) for Secretary, Town Planning Board

## **List of Government Department Contacts**

(Application No. A/NE-LYT/731)

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Department	Division			
消防處	策劃組	陳銘冲先生	2733 7735	2739 8775
Fire Services Department	Planning Group (PG)	Mr. CHAN Ming		
		Chung		
運輸署	交通工程(新界東)部	林瑞華先生	2399 2228	2381 3799
Transport Department	Traffic Engineering (NTE)	Mr. LAM Shui Wah,		
	Division	Daniel		

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Appendix II

Letter from Planning Department dated 27.10.2020 for Compliance with Condition (m) on the submission of a condition record of the existing drainage facilities

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Aikon Development Consultancy Limited

By Post and Fax ( ) 27 October 2020

(Attn.: Mr. Thomas LUK)

Dear Mr. LUK,

### Renewal of Planning Approval of Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years in "Residential (Group C)" and "Agriculture" Zones, Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1, 836, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP (Part), 842 RP (Part), 844 RP and 854 in D.D. 83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling

### (Compliance with Approval Condition (m) for Application No. A/NE-LYT/731)

I refer to your submissions received on 12.10.2020 for compliance with approval condition (m) in relation to the submission of a condition record of the existing drainage facilities under the captioned application.

Chief Engineer/Mainland North, Drainage Services Department (Contact Person: Mr. Henry W. C. YU; Tel.: 2300 1407) has been consulted and advised that approval condition (m) is considered <u>complied with</u>. His comments are attached at **Appendix I**.

Should you have any queries, please feel free to contact Ms. Sandy S. Y. YIK of this department at 2158 6229.

Yours faithfully,

(Ms. Jessica CHU) for and on behalf of Director of Planning



我們的理想 - 「透過規劃工作,使香港成為世界知名的國際都市。」 Our Vision – "We plan to make Hong Kong an international city of world prominence." Comments of the Chief Engineer/Mainland North, Drainage Services Department (Contact Person: Mr. Henry YU; Tel.: 2300 1407):

- the applicant is reminded that the development and the drainage facilities implemented on site shall not obstruct overland flow/surface runoff and any existing drainage facilities;
- the applicant shall make sure that rain water falling onto the subject site shall be collected by a drainage system and conveyed to a proper discharge point(s);
- the applicant shall maintain such system properly and rectify the system if it is found to be inadequate or ineffective during operation at his own cost; and
- the applicant shall also be liable for and shall indemnify Government against claims and demands arising out of damage or nuisance caused by a failure of the system.

Internal CTP/TPB(1) Site record

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Appendix III

Letter from Planning Department dated 1.4.2022 for Compliance with Condition (n) and (o) on the submission of proposals for water supplies for firefighting and fire service installations and the implementation of proposals for water supplies for firefighting and fire service installations



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傳真機號碼	Fax No. :	2691 2806

Aikon Development Consultancy Ltd.

By Post and Fax (

1 April 2022

(Attn.: Mr. Thomas LUK)

Dear Sir/Madam,

### Renewal of Planning Approval for Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years in "Residential (Group C)" and "Agriculture" Zones, Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1, 836, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP (Part), 842 RP (Part), 844 RP and 854 in D.D. 83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling

### (Compliance with Approval Conditions (n) and (o) for Planning Application No. A/NE-LYT/731)

I refer to your submissions received by this office on 8.12.2021 and 14.12.2021 for compliance with approval condition (n) and (o) in relation to the submission and implementation of proposals for water supplies for firefighting and fire service installations respectively under the captioned planning application. Two interim replies were sent to you on 26.1.2022 and 1.3.2022.

Director of Fire Services (Contact person: Mr. IP Yan-chi; Tel.: 2733 5844) has been consulted and advised that approval conditions (n) and (o) are considered <u>complied with</u>.

Should you have any queries, please feel free to contact Ms. Amy Y. T. CHONG of this department at 2158 6241.

Yours faithfully,

( Margaret CHAN ) District Planning Officer/ Sha Tin, Tai Po & North, Planning Department



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Appendix Ie of RNTPC Paper No. A/NE-LYT/804A

Date : 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2023 Your Ref : TPB/A/NE-LYT/804 Our Ref. : ADCL/PLG-10265/L006

The Secretary, Town Planning Board, 15/F., North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong

By Email and Fax (No. 2877 0245)

Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: Section 16 Planning Application for Renewal Approval for Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years at Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1 RP, 836 RP, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP, 842 RP, 844 RP and 854 in D.D.83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling, New <u>Territories</u>

We refer to the latest comments from Antiquities and Monuments Office (dated: 20.9.2023) and would like to enclose herewith the Further Information (FI) for the consideration by the Office or Town Planning Board. Please find the attached the following items for your onward processing:

- i. Response-to-Comments table;
- ii. Replacement pages of the Illustration 4.

Thank you for your kind attention and should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at

Yours faithfully, Aikon Development Consultancy Limited

Encl.

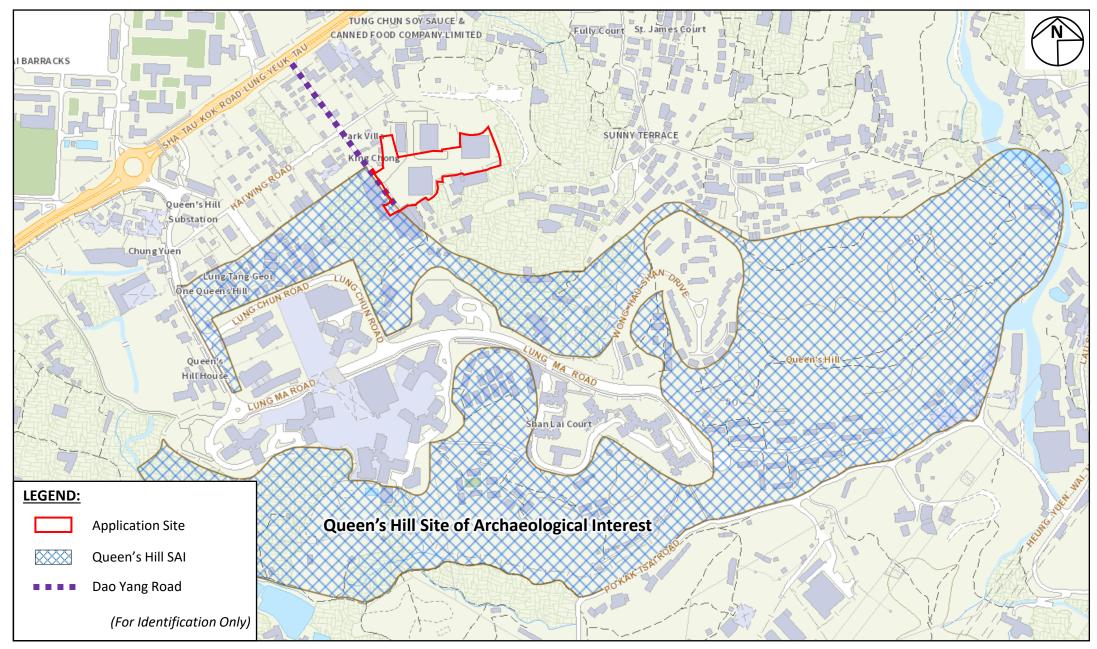
c.c. Client DPO/STN, PlanD (Attn: Ms. Carman CHEUNG)

### Section 16 Planning Application No. A/NE-LYT/804

Renewal of Planning Approval under Application No. A/NE-LYT/731 for Temporary Warehouses (excluding Dangerous Goods Godown) for a Period of 3 Years at Lots 755, 835 S.B ss.1 RP, 836 RP, 837, 838 RP, 841 RP, 842 RP, 844 RP and 854 in D.D.83, No. 31A Ma Liu Shui San Tsuen, Fanling, New Territories

#### **Responses-to-Comments Table**

Date	Department	Comments	Responses
20.9.2023	AMO	1 It is noted that a portion of the application site on Lot 854 Noted	d. A small portion of the application site on Lot 854 of
	Ms. CHENG Yuk	partially falls within Queen's Hill Site of Archaeological Interest appro	oximately 260m <sup>2</sup> falls within the SAI.
	Lan, Amy	("SAI") whilst the western part of the site is in close proximity	
	Asst Curator II	to the SAI.	
	(Archaeological	2 In the FI, the applicant pointed out that part of Lot 854 which Pleas	se refer to Illustration 4.
	Preservation)5	is situated within Queen's Hill SAI is occupied by an existing	
		road namely Dao Yang Road. He further confirms that the	
		current proposal will not involve alterations, construction, or	
		excavation on or under this road. Please supplement with a	
		plan to show the site location, the subject SAI and the subject	
		access road.	
		3 Regarding the site areas fall within or in close proximity to Pleas	se be advised that as it is a renewal of the current planning
		SAI, please furnish us with the scope and location of the applic	ication which seeks to maintain the status quo at the application
		proposed works, such as the scale of construction works, any site, t	the proposal does not involve any works on or underneath the
		excavation at grade or underground, and evaluate if there site,	including the encroached area onto the SAI and its
		would be any impact on archaeology arising from the surrou	oundings. Dao Yang Road will continue to serve as a major
		proposed application. acces	ess road to local residents, as well as the application site. As
		such,	, no adverse impact on archaeology is anticipated.



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