

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

**APPLICATION NO. A/NE-TKL/744**

*(for 1<sup>st</sup> Deferment)*

- Applicants** : Mr. LEUNG Kin Chung and Ms. YEUNG Kam Lai represented by Metro Planning & Development Company Limited
- Site** : Lots 1504 S.B, 1505, 1506, 1509 RP and 1510 RP in D.D. 76 and Adjoining Government Land, Ta Kwu Ling, New Territories
- Site Area** : About 2,980m<sup>2</sup> (including about 153m<sup>2</sup> of Government land)
- Lease** : Block Government Lease (demised for agricultural use)
- Plan** : Approved Ping Che and Ta Kwu Ling Outline Zoning Plan (OZP) No. S/NE-TKL/14
- Zoning** : “Agriculture” (“AGR”)
- Application** : Proposed Temporary Warehouse and Open Storage of Construction Materials for a Period of 3 Years

**1. Background**

On 29.11.2023, the applicants submitted the current application to seek planning permission for proposed temporary warehouse and open storage of construction materials for a period of three years at the subject Site (**Plan A-1**).

**2. Request for Deferment**

On 19.1.2024, the applicants’ representative wrote to the Secretary of the Town Planning Board (the Board) and requested the Board to defer making a decision on the application for two months in order to allow time to prepare further information (FI) to address departmental comments (**Appendix I**).

**3. Planning Department’s Views**

- 3.1 The Planning Department has no objection to the request for deferment as the justification for deferment meets the criteria for deferment as set out in the Town Planning Board Guidelines on Deferment of Decision on Representations, Comments, Further Representations and Applications made under the Town Planning Ordinance (TPB PG-No. 33B) in that this is the first

deferment requested by the applicants and the deferment would allow the applicants to prepare FI to address outstanding issues.

- 3.2 Should the Rural and New Town Planning Committee (the Committee) agree to defer a decision on the application, the application will be submitted to the Committee for consideration within two months upon receipt of FI from the applicants. If the FI submitted by the applicants is not substantial and could be processed within a shorter time, the application could be submitted to an earlier meeting for the Committee's consideration. The applicants should be advised that the Committee has allowed two months for preparation of the submission of FI, and no further deferment would be granted unless under very special circumstances.

#### **4. Decision Sought**

The Committee is invited to consider whether or not to accede to the applicants' request for deferment. If the request is not acceded to, the application will be submitted to the Committee for consideration at the next meeting.

#### **5. Attachments**

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| <b>Appendix I</b> | Letter Dated 19.1.2024 from the Applicants' Representative |
| <b>Plan A-1</b>   | Location Plan  |

**PLANNING DEPARTMENT  
JANUARY 2024**