RNTPC Paper No. A/SK-PK/264 For Consideration by the Rural and New Town Planning Committee on 9.7.2021

APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION UNDER SECTION 16 OF THE TOWN PLANNING ORDINANCE

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(for 1st Deferment)

Applicant: Mrs. WONG Sung King, Dorothy represented by KTA Planning Limited

Premises: Ground Floor, No. 5 Wang Kong Tsuen

Floor Area: About 55.7m²

Land Status: Lot No. 278 (Part) in D.D. 221 – Free Building Licence No. 1673 restricts

for 'non-industrial' purposes

Plan: Approved Pak Kong and Sha Kok Mei Outline Zoning Plan (OZP) No.

S/SK-PK/11

Zoning: "Recreation" ("REC")

Application: Proposed Shop and Services (Fast Food Shop)

1. Background

On 17.5.2021, the applicant sought planning permission for proposed shop and services use (fast food shop) at the application premises (**Plan A-1**). The application is scheduled for consideration by the Rural and New Town Planning Committee (the Committee) of the Town Planning Board (the Board) on 9.7.2021.

2. Request for Deferment

On 29.6.2021, the applicant's representative wrote to the Secretary of the Board and requested the Board to defer making a decision on the application for two months so as to allow time to prepare Further Information (FI) to address departmental comments (**Appendix I**).

3. Planning Department's Views

3.1 The Planning Department <u>has no objection</u> to the request for deferment as the justifications for deferment meet the criteria for deferment as set out in the Town Planning Board Guidelines on Deferment of Decision on Representations,

Comments, Further Representations and Applications made under the Town Planning Ordinance (TPB PG-No. 33) in that the applicant needs more time to address the comments from relevant government departments, the deferment period is not indefinite and the deferment would not affect the interests of other relevant parties.

3.2 Should the Committee agree to defer making a decision on the application, the application will be submitted to the Committee for consideration within two months upon receipt of FI from the applicant. If the FI submitted by the applicant is not substantial and can be processed within a shorter time, the application could be submitted to an earlier meeting for the Committee's consideration. The applicant should be advised that the Committee has allowed two months for preparation of 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 applicant's 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

Appendix I Letter dated 29.6.2021 from the applicant's representative

Plan A-1 Location Plan

PLANNING DEPARTMENT JULY 2021