

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

**APPLICATION NO. A/SLC/174**

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

- Applicant** : CLP Power Hong Kong Limited represented by Hargreaves Power Services (HK) Limited
- Site** : Lot 889 S.A in D.D. 328L and Adjoining Government Land, Tong Fuk, Lantau
- Site Area** : About 15m<sup>2</sup> (including about 12m<sup>2</sup> Government Land)
- Land Status** : a) Government Land (about 80% of the Site)  
b) Block Government Lease (demised for agricultural use) (about 20% of the Site); and
- Plan** : Approved South Lantau Coast Outline Zoning Plan No. S/SLC/21
- Zoning** : “Coastal Protection Area”
- Application** : Proposed Public Utility Installation (Poles, Stays and Overhead Cables) and Excavation and Filling of Land

**1. Background**

On 4.1.2023, the applicant sought planning permission for a proposed public utility installation (poles, stays and overhead cables) and associated excavation and filling of land at the application site (**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) at this meeting.

**2. Request for Deferment**

On 16.2.2023, 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 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 the first 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. 33A) in that the deferment would allow the applicant to prepare FI to address outstanding issues.
- 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 could be processed within a shorter time, the application could be submitted to an earlier meeting for the Committee's consideration. The applicant should be advised that the Committee has allowed two months for preparation of the submission of 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 for the Committee's consideration at the next meeting.

**5. Attachments**

<b>Appendix I</b>	Email dated 16.2.2023 from the applicant's representative
<b>Plan A-1</b>	Location Plan

**PLANNING DEPARTMENT  
FEBRUARY 2023**