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Form No. S16-III
表格第 S16-III 號

**APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION
UNDER SECTION 16 OF
THE TOWN PLANNING ORDINANCE
(CAP.131)**

根據《城市規劃條例》(第131章)
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
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/或建築物內的臨時用途/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 「✓」 at the appropriate box 請在適當的方格內上加上「✓」號

For Official Use Only 請勿填寫此欄	Application No. 申請編號	A17L-HTF/1131
	Date Received 收到日期	31 JAN 2022

- 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。
- 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 Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong (Tel: 2231 4810 or 2231 4835), and the Planning Enquiry Counters of the Planning Department (Hotline: 2231 5000) (17/F, North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong and 14/F, Sha Tin Government Offices, 1 Sheung Wo Che Road, Sha Tin, New Territories).
請先細閱《申請須知》的資料單張, 然後填寫此表格。該份文件可從委員會的網頁下載 (網址: <http://www.info.gov.hk/tpb/>), 亦可向委員會秘書處 (香港北角渣華道 333 號北角政府合署 15 樓 - 電話: 2231 4810 或 2231 4835) 及規劃署的規劃資料查詢處 (熱線: 2231 5000) (香港北角渣華道 333 號北角政府合署 17 樓及新界沙田上禾輦路 1 號沙田政府合署 14 樓) 索取。
- 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.
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1. Name of Applicant 申請人姓名/名稱

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

Tree Climbing Hong Kong Limited (香港樹木學會有限公司)

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

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

Metro Planning & Development Company Limited (都市規劃及發展顧問有限公司)

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 230 & 581 (Part) in D.D. 128, Lau Fau Shan, Yuen Long, N.T.	
(b) Site area and/or gross floor area involved 涉及的地盤面積及/或總樓面面積	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Site area 地盤面積 2,070 sq.m 平方米 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> About 約 Not more than <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gross floor area 總樓面面積 240 sq.m 平方米 <input type="checkbox"/> About 約	
(c) Area of Government land included (if any) 所包括的政府土地面積 (倘有)	Nil sq.m 平方米 <input type="checkbox"/> About 約	

(d) Name and number of the related statutory plan(s) 有關法定圖則的名稱及編號	Approved Ha Tsuen Fringe Outline Zoning Plan No. S/YL-HTF/12
(e) Land use zone(s) involved 涉及的土地用途地帶	'Coastal Protection Area' ("CPA")
(f) Current use(s) 現時用途	Training Centre (Tree Care Training Centre) (If there are any Government, institution or community facilities, please illustrate on plan and specify the use and gross floor area) (如有任何政府、機構或社區設施，請在圖則上顯示，並註明用途及總樓面面積)

4. "Current Land Owner" of Application Site 申請地點的「現行土地擁有人」

The applicant 申請人 -

- ☐ is the sole "current land owner"^{#&} (please proceed to Part 6 and attach documentary proof of ownership).
是唯一的「現行土地擁有人」^{#&} (請繼續填寫第 6 部分，並夾附業權證明文件)。
- ☐ is one of the "current land owners"^{#&} (please attach documentary proof of ownership).
是其中一名「現行土地擁有人」^{#&} (請夾附業權證明文件)。
- ☒ is not a "current land owner"[#].
並不是「現行土地擁有人」[#]。
- ☐ The application site is entirely on Government land (please proceed to Part 6).
申請地點完全位於政府土地上 (請繼續填寫第 6 部分)。

5. Statement on Owner's Consent/Notification 就土地擁有人的同意/通知土地擁有人的陳述

- (a) According to the record(s) of the Land Registry as at (DD/MM/YYYY), this application involves a total of "current land owner(s)"[#].
根據土地註冊處截至 年 月 日的記錄，這宗申請共牽涉 名「現行土地擁有人」[#]。

(b) The applicant 申請人 -

- ☐ has obtained consent(s) of "current land owner(s)"[#].
已取得 名「現行土地擁有人」[#]的同意。

Details of consent of "current land owner(s)" [#] obtained 取得「現行土地擁有人」 [#] 同意的詳情		
No. of 'Current Land Owner(s)' 「現行土地擁有人」數目	Lot number/address of premises as shown in the record of the Land Registry where consent(s) has/have been obtained 根據土地註冊處記錄已獲得同意的地段號碼/處所地址	Date of consent obtained (DD/MM/YYYY) 取得同意的日期 (日/月/年)

(Please use separate sheets if the space of any box above is insufficient. 如上列任何方格的空間不足，請另頁說明)

- ☐ has notified "current land owner(s)"[#]
已通知 名「現行土地擁有人」[#]。

Details of the "current land owner(s)" [#] notified 已獲通知「現行土地擁有人」 [#] 的詳細資料		
No. of 'Current Land Owner(s)' 「現行土地擁有人」數目	Lot number/address of premises as shown in the record of the Land Registry where notification(s) has/have been given 根據土地註冊處記錄已發出通知的地段號碼／處所地址	Date of notification given (DD/MM/YYYY) 通知日期(日/月/年)

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- ☒ has taken reasonable steps to obtain consent of or give notification to owner(s):
已採取合理步驟以取得土地擁有人的同意或向該人發給通知。詳情如下：

Reasonable Steps to Obtain Consent of Owner(s) 取得土地擁有人的同意所採取的合理步驟

- ☐ sent request for consent to the "current land owner(s)" on _____ (DD/MM/YYYY)^{#&}
於 _____ (日/月/年)向每一名「現行土地擁有人」[#]郵遞要求同意書[&]

Reasonable Steps to Give Notification to Owner(s) 向土地擁有人發出通知所採取的合理步驟

- ☐ published notices in local newspapers on _____ (DD/MM/YYYY)[&]
於 _____ (日/月/年)在指定報章就申請刊登一次通知[&]
- ☒ posted notice in a prominent position on or near application site/premises on
5/1/2022 (DD/MM/YYYY)[&]
於 _____ (日/月/年)在申請地點／申請處所或附近的顯明位置貼出關於該申請的通知[&]
- ☒ sent notice to relevant owners' corporation(s)/owners' committee(s)/mutual aid committee(s)/management office(s) or rural committee on 13/1/2022 (DD/MM/YYYY)[&]
於 _____ (日/月/年)把通知寄往相關的業主立案法團／業主委員會／互助委員會或管理處，或有關的鄉事委員會[&]

Others 其他

- ☐ others (please specify)
其他（請指明）

Note: May insert more than one 「✓」.

Information should be provided on the basis of each and every lot (if applicable) and premises (if any) in respect of the application.

註：可在多於一個方格內加上「✓」號

申請人須就申請涉及的每一地段（倘適用）及處所（倘有）分別提供資料

6. Type(s) of Application 申請類別	
(A) Temporary Use/Development of Land and/or Building Not Exceeding 3 Years in Rural Areas 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 (For Renewal of Permission for Temporary Use or Development in Rural Areas, please proceed to Part (B)) (如屬位於鄉郊地區臨時用途/發展的規劃許可續期，請填寫(B)部分)	
(a) Proposed use(s)/development 擬議用途/發展	Proposed Temporary Training Centre (Tree Care Training Centre) for a Period of 3 Years (Please illustrate the details of the proposal on a layout plan) (請用平面圖說明擬議詳情)
(b) Effective period of permission applied for 申請的許可有效期	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> year(s) 年 3 <input type="checkbox"/> month(s) 個月
(c) Development Schedule 發展細節表	
Proposed uncovered land area 擬議露天土地面積	1,830sq.m <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> About 約
Proposed covered land area 擬議有上蓋土地面積	240sq.m <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> About 約
Proposed number of buildings/structures 擬議建築物/構築物數目	2
Proposed domestic floor area 擬議住用樓面面積	NAsq.m <input type="checkbox"/> About 約
Proposed non-domestic floor area 擬議非住用樓面面積	Not more than 240sq.m <input type="checkbox"/> About 約
Proposed gross floor area 擬議總樓面面積	Not more than 240sq.m <input type="checkbox"/> About 約
Proposed height and use(s) of different floors of buildings/structures (if applicable) 建築物/構築物的擬議高度及不同樓層的擬議用途 (如適用) (Please use separate sheets if the space below is insufficient) (如以下空間不足，請另頁說明)	
Structure 1: Open shed with 4 converted containers underneath for site office and classroom (Not exceeding 4.5m, 1 storey), Structure 2: Toilet (Not exceeding 4m, 1 storey)	
Proposed number of car parking spaces by types 不同種類停車位的擬議數目	
Private Car Parking Spaces 私家車車位	2 spaces of 5m x 2.5m
Motorcycle Parking Spaces 電單車車位	Nil
Light Goods Vehicle Parking Spaces 輕型貨車泊車位	Nil
Medium Goods Vehicle Parking Spaces 中型貨車泊車位	Nil
Heavy Goods Vehicle Parking Spaces 重型貨車泊車位	Nil
Others (Please Specify) 其他 (請列明)	NA
Proposed number of loading/unloading spaces 上落客貨車位的擬議數目	
Taxi Spaces 的士車位	Nil
Coach Spaces 旅遊巴車位	Nil
Light Goods Vehicle Spaces 輕型貨車車位	Nil
Medium Goods Vehicle Spaces 中型貨車車位	Nil
Heavy Goods Vehicle Spaces 重型貨車車位	Nil
Others (Please Specify) 其他 (請列明)	NA

Proposed operating hours 擬議營運時間 9:00a.m. to 7:00p.m. from Mondays to Sundays including public holidays																																	
(d) Any vehicular access to the site/subject building? 是否有車路通往地盤/ 有關建築物?	Yes 是	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> There is an existing access. (please indicate the street name, where appropriate) 有一條現有車路。(請註明車路名稱(如適用)) Local access leading to Deep Bay Road <input type="checkbox"/> There is a proposed access. (please illustrate on plan and specify the width) 有一條擬議車路。(請在圖則顯示, 並註明車路的闊度)																															
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(c) Impacts of Development Proposal 擬議發展計劃的影響 (If necessary, please use separate sheets to indicate the proposed measures to minimise possible adverse impacts or give justifications/reasons for not providing such measures. 如需要的話, 請另頁表示可盡量減少可能出現不良影響的措施, 否則請提供理據/理由。)																																	
(i) Does the development proposal involve alteration of existing building? 擬議發展計劃是否包括現有建築物的改動?	Yes 是	<input type="checkbox"/> Please provide details 請提供詳情																															
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(ii) Does the development proposal involve the operation on the right? 擬議發展是否涉及右列的工程?	Yes 是	<input type="checkbox"/> (Please indicate on site plan the boundary of concerned land/pond(s), and particulars of stream diversion, the extent of filling of land/pond(s) and/or excavation of land) (請用地盤平面圖顯示有關土地/池塘界線, 以及河道改道、填塘、填土及/或挖土的細節及/或範圍) <input type="checkbox"/> Diversion of stream 河道改道 <input type="checkbox"/> Filling of pond 填塘 Area of filling 填塘面積 sq.m 平方米 <input type="checkbox"/> About 約 Depth of filling 填塘深度 m 米 <input type="checkbox"/> About 約 <input type="checkbox"/> Filling of land 填土 Area of filling 填土面積 sq.m 平方米 <input type="checkbox"/> About 約 Depth of filling 填土厚度 m 米 <input type="checkbox"/> About 約 <input type="checkbox"/> Excavation of land 挖土 Area of excavation 挖土面積 sq.m 平方米 <input type="checkbox"/> About 約 Depth of excavation 挖土深度 m 米 <input type="checkbox"/> About 約																															
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	<p>Please state measure(s) to minimise the impact(s). For tree felling, please state the number, diameter at breast height and species of the affected trees (if possible)</p> <p>請註明盡量減少影響的措施。如涉及砍伐樹木，請說明受影響樹木的數目、及胸高度的樹幹直徑及品種(倘可)</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>
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(B) Renewal of Permission for Temporary Use or Development in Rural Areas

位於鄉郊地區臨時用途/發展的許可續期

(a) Application number to which the permission relates 與許可有關的申請編號	A/ _____ / _____
(b) Date of approval 獲批給許可的日期 (DD 日/MM 月/YYYY 年)
(c) Date of expiry 許可屆滿日期 (DD 日/MM 月/YYYY 年)
(d) Approved use/development 已批給許可的用途/發展	
(e) Approval conditions 附帶條件	<p><input type="checkbox"/> The permission does not have any approval condition 許可並沒有任何附帶條件</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Applicant has complied with all the approval conditions 申請人已履行全部附帶條件</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Applicant has not yet complied with the following approval condition(s): 申請人仍未履行下列附帶條件：</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>Reason(s) for non-compliance: 仍未履行的原因：</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>(Please use separate sheets if the space above is insufficient) (如以上空間不足，請另頁說明)</p>
(f) Renewal period sought 要求的續期期間	<p><input type="checkbox"/> year(s) 年</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> month(s) 個月</p>

Part 6 (Cont'd) 第 6 部分(續)

7. Justifications 理由

The applicant is invited to provide justifications in support of the application. Use separate sheets if necessary.
 現請申請人提供申請理由及支持其申請的資料。如有需要，請另頁說明。


1. The application site is far from residential settlement so that the operation and training activities at the application site would not affect nearby residents.
2. The application site is grown with mature trees so that it is an ideal place for tree care training.
3. The tree care training to be occurred at the application site includes tree climbing, the use of saw and tree care training
4. The proposed development is close to a hobby farm and a fishing ground. The proposed development is not incompatible with the surrounding environment.
5. The application site is currently occupied by TCHK which is a qualified training institution accredited by Hong Kong Education Bureau. The application site is occupied as a training ground for the TCHK.
6. The supporting letter from TCHK is attached. Additional information can be seen at web site treeclimbing.hk.
7. The applicant submitted the landscape and tree preservation plan to preserve all the trees at the application site. The applicant also submitted a drainage proposal to drain the stormwater at the site and external catchment to appropriate location. The applicant is sincere to maintain the application site free from drainage, traffic and landscape problems.
8. Being a training centre for tree care and to promote tree care to the society, the impact of the proposed development to the surrounding environment is minimal.
9. The application site is subject to a previous planning permission No. A/YL-HTF/1102 but it is revoked due to the presence of hard paving at the application site. The applicant has removed all the hard paving at the application site.

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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Signature
簽署


.....
Patrick Tsui
Name in Block Letters
姓名（請以正楷填寫）

☐ Applicant 申請人 / ☒ Authorised Agent 獲授權代理人

Consultant

Position (if applicable)
職位（如適用）

Professional Qualification(s)
專業資格

☐ Member 會員 / ☐ Fellow of 資深會員

☐ HKIP 香港規劃師學會 /

☐ HKIA 香港建築師學會 /

☐ HKIS 香港測量師學會 /

☐ HKIE 香港工程師學會 /

☐ HKILA 香港園境師學會 /

☐ HKIUD 香港城市設計學會

☐ RPP 註冊專業規劃師

Others 其他

on behalf of Metro Planning & Development Company Limited (都市規劃及發展顧問有限公司)
代表

☒ Company 公司 / ☐ Organisation Name and Chop (if applicable) 機構名稱及蓋章（如適用）

Date 日期

13/1/2022

(DD/MM/YYYY 日/月/年)

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處理這宗申請，包括公布這宗申請供公眾查閱，同時公布申請人的姓名供公眾查閱；以及

(b) facilitating communication between the applicant and the Secretary of the Board/Government departments.
方便申請人與委員會秘書及政府部門之間進行聯絡。

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Gist of Application 申請摘要

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Application No. 申請編號	(For Official Use Only) (請勿填寫此欄)
Location/address 位置/地址	Lots 230 & 581 (Part) in D.D. 128, Lau Fau Shan, Yuen Long, N.T.
Site area 地盤面積	2,070 sq. m 平方米 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> About 約 (includes Government land of 包括政府土地 Nil sq. m 平方米 <input type="checkbox"/> About 約)
Plan 圖則	Approved Ha Tsuen Fringe Outline Zoning Plan No. S/YL-HTF/12
Zoning 地帶	'Coastal Protection Area' ("CPA")
Type of Application 申請類別	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Year(s) 年 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Month(s) 月 _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Renewal of Planning Approval for Temporary Use/Development in Rural Areas for a Period of 位於鄉郊地區臨時用途/發展的規劃許可續期為期 <input type="checkbox"/> Year(s) 年 _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Month(s) 月 _____
Applied use/ development 申請用途/發展	Proposed Temporary Training Centre (Tree Care Training Centre) for a Period of 3 Years

(i) Gross floor area and/or plot ratio 總樓面面積及／或地積比率		sq.m 平方米	Plot Ratio 地積比率
	Domestic 住用	NA <input type="checkbox"/> About 約 <input type="checkbox"/> Not more than 不多於	NA <input type="checkbox"/> About 約 <input type="checkbox"/> Not more than 不多於
	Non-domestic 非住用	240 <input type="checkbox"/> About 約 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not more than 不多於	0.116 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> About 約 <input type="checkbox"/> Not more than 不多於
(ii) No. of block 幢數	Domestic 住用	NA	
	Non-domestic 非住用	2	
(iii) Building height/No. of storeys 建築物高度／層數	Domestic 住用	NA	m 米 <input type="checkbox"/> (Not more than 不多於)
		NA	Storeys(s) 層 <input type="checkbox"/> (Not more than 不多於)
	Non-domestic 非住用	4.5	m 米 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Not more than 不多於)
		1	Storeys(s) 層 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Not more than 不多於)
(iv) Site coverage 上蓋面積	11.59 % <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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		2
	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 Medium Goods Vehicle Parking Spaces 中型貨車泊車位 Heavy Goods Vehicle Parking Spaces 重型貨車泊車位 Others (Please Specify) 其他 (請列明) NA		2 0 0 0 0 0
	Total no. of vehicle loading/unloading bays/lay-bys 上落客貨車位／停車處總數		0
	Taxi Spaces 的士車位 Coach Spaces 旅遊巴車位 Light Goods Vehicle Spaces 輕型貨車車位 Medium Goods Vehicle Spaces 中型貨車車位 Heavy Goods Vehicle Spaces 重型貨車車位 Others (Please Specify) 其他 (請列明) NA		0 0 0 0 0 0

Submitted Plans, Drawings and Documents 提交的圖則、繪圖及文件		
	Chinese 中文	English 英文
Plans and Drawings 圖則及繪圖		
Master layout plan(s)/Layout plan(s) 總綱發展藍圖／布局設計圖	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Block plan(s) 樓宇位置圖	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Floor plan(s) 樓宇平面圖	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sectional plan(s) 截視圖	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Elevation(s) 立視圖	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Photomontage(s) showing the proposed development 顯示擬議發展的合成照片	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Master landscape plan(s)/Landscape plan(s) 園境設計總圖／園境設計圖	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Others (please specify) 其他（請註明）	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
As-built drainage plan, site plan, location plan		
Reports 報告書		
Planning Statement/Justifications 規劃綱領/理據	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Environmental assessment (noise, air and/or water pollutions) 環境評估（噪音、空氣及／或水的污染）	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Traffic impact assessment (on vehicles) 就車輛的交通影響評估	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Traffic impact assessment (on pedestrians) 就行人的交通影響評估	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Visual impact assessment 視覺影響評估	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Landscape impact assessment 景觀影響評估	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tree Survey 樹木調查	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Geotechnical impact assessment 土力影響評估	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Drainage impact assessment 排水影響評估	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sewerage impact assessment 排污影響評估	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Risk Assessment 風險評估	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Others (please specify) 其他（請註明）	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Drainage proposal and estimated traffic generation		
Note: May insert more than one '✓'. 註：可在多於一個方格內加上「✓」號		

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Annex 1 Drainage Assessment

1. Existing Situation

A. Site particulars

- 1.1 The application site possesses an area of about 2,070m².
- 1.2 It is observed that the land to the north of the site is under active cultivation. A fishing ground is found to the northeast of the application site. Deep Bay Road is found to the south of the site.
- 1.3 No site formation will be carried out. The hard paving has been removed.

B. Level and gradient of the subject site & proposed surface channel

- 1.4 The application site is gentle in gradient and sloping from centre to west and east from about +4.3 mPD to +4.0mPD.
- 1.5 In order to follow the topography of the subject site, the proposed surface U-channel will be constructed following the gradient of the site. As demonstrated in the calculation in succeeding paragraphs, 525mm surface U-channel will be capable to drain surface runoff accrued at the subject site and the said passing through the site from adjacent area.

C. Catchment area of the proposed drainage provision at the subject site

- 1.5 There is a knoll to the south of the application site. As such, the land to the south of the application site commands a higher level and reaches the peak at about +36.5mPD. **(Figure 5)** Under such circumstance, an external catchment is taken into account for the estimation of the size of the proposed surface channel at the application site. The external catchment is about 4,930m² in size and the existing flow of surface runoff is illustrated in **Figure 5**.
- 1.6 The land to the north, south and west commands a similar level than the application site.

D. Particulars of the existing drainage facilities to accept the surface runoff collected at the application site

- 1.8 According to recent site inspection, a pond is found to the north of the application site. Also, CEDD had completed the drainage improvement works at Hang Hau

Tsuen Channel which would be able to withstand flooding with a return period of one in 50 years to reduce the risk of flooding.

- 1.9 According to **Figure 5**, pits and drain pipes leading to the Hang Hau Tsuen Channel were constructed by CEDD and already in place at the above-mentioned pond. When the water level of the pond rises and reaches the level of the pits, the water will be naturally dissipated to the Hang Hau Tsuen Channel.

2. Runoff Estimation (Q_1)

- 2.1 Rational method is adopted for estimating the designed run-off

$$Q_1 = k \times i \times A / 3,600$$

- 2.2 Assuming that:

- i. The area of the entire catchment (including the application site) is approximately 7,000m². (**Figure 5**);
- ii. Although the catchment is predominant rural in character, it is assumed that the value of run-off co-efficient (k) is taken as 0.7 because the land within the catchment is almost untouched and paved with soil and vegetation.

$$\text{Difference in Land Datum} = 36.5\text{m} - 4.0\text{m} = 32.5\text{m}$$

$$L = 154\text{m}$$

$$\therefore \text{Average fall} = 32.5\text{m in } 154\text{m} \text{ or } 1\text{m in } 4.74\text{m}$$

- 2.3 According to the Brandsby-Williams Equation adopted from the "Stormwater Drainage Manual – Planning, Design and Management" published by the Drainage Services Department (DSD),

$$\text{Time of Concentration } (t_c) = 0.14465 [L / (H^{0.2} \times A^{0.1})]$$

$$t_c = 0.14465 [154 / (21.1^{0.2} \times 7,000^{0.1})]$$

$$t_c = 4.99 \text{ minutes}$$

- 2.4 According to the Geotechnical Manual for slope, runoff is calculated based on the Rational Method and a design rainstorm return period of 1 in 50 years for permanent surface drainage systems. The mean rainfall intensity (i) for 1 in 50 recurrent flooding period is found to be 275mm/hr

$$\text{By Rational Method, } Q_1 = 0.7 \times 275 \times 7,000 / 3,600$$

$$\therefore Q_1 = 374.31 \text{ l/s} = 22,458.33 \text{ l/min}$$

- 2.5 According to the calculation in succeeding paragraph, 525mm U-surface channel at a gradient of 1:165 is considered adequate to dissipate all the stormwater accrued by the application site and the adjacent area.

3. Proposed Drainage Facilities

- 3.1 The application site was a chicken farm three decades ago and no land filling will be carried. The proposed development would neither change nor divert the flow of stormwater.
- 3.2 Subject to the above calculations, it is determined that 525mm surface U-channel at a gradient of 1:165 and 120 at the southern site periphery of the site is adequate to intercept storm water passing through and generate at the application site (**Figure 5**).
- 3.3 The intercepted stormwater will then be discharged to the pond by the proposed 525mm surface U-channel. The said pond is fitted with pits and drain pipes which was constructed by CEDD. When the water level of the pond rises and reaches the level of the as-built pits, the water will be naturally dissipated to the Hang Hau Tsuen Channel.
- 3.4 The applicant will seek consent from the relevant stakeholders or DLO/Yuen Long if the proposed drainage facilities fall outside the application site.
- 3.5 The provision of the proposed surface channel will follow the gradient of the application site. All the proposed drainage facilities will be constructed and maintained at the expense of the applicant.
- 3.6 All proposed works at the site periphery would not obstruct the flow of surface runoff from the adjacent areas, the provision of trees and surface channel at site boundary is detailed hereunder:
 - (a) Soil excavation at site periphery, although at minimal scale, is inevitably for the provision of surface channel and landscaping. In the reason that the accumulation of excavated soil at the site periphery would obstruct the free flow of the surface runoff from the surroundings, the soil will be cleared at the soonest possible after the completion of the excavation process.
 - (b) In view of that soil excavation may be continued for several working days, surface channel will be dug in short sections and all soil excavated will be cleared before the excavation of another short section.
 - (c) Neither land filling works nor pond filling works will be carried at the subject site. As such, the proposed development would neither alter nor obstruct the flow of surface runoff from adjacent areas.
 - (d) No site fencing is proposed because of the nature of the development so that no fencing would obstruct the flowing of surface runoff from adjacent area.

Annex 2 Traffic Generation and Attraction

- 1.1 The application site is serviced by an existing vehicular track leading from Deep Bay Road. Such vehicular track is mainly fall upon private land.
- 1.2 The estimated average traffic generation and traffic generation rate at peak hours below
- 1.3 The operation hour of the application site is 9:00a.m. to 7:00p.m. on all days. The proposed development is intended to serve a maximum of 10 persons at the same time. In the reason that the site is only 8 minutes walk from Deep Bay Road which is served by public mini green-bus, it is trust that 2 parking spaces as proposed by the applicant would cater for the demand.
- 1.4 In association with the intended purpose, adequate space for manoeuvring of vehicle would be provided within the application site and queueing up of traffic would not be the result especially that the traffic generated is insignificant. The negligible increase in traffic would not aggravate the traffic condition of Deep Bay Road and nearby road networks.

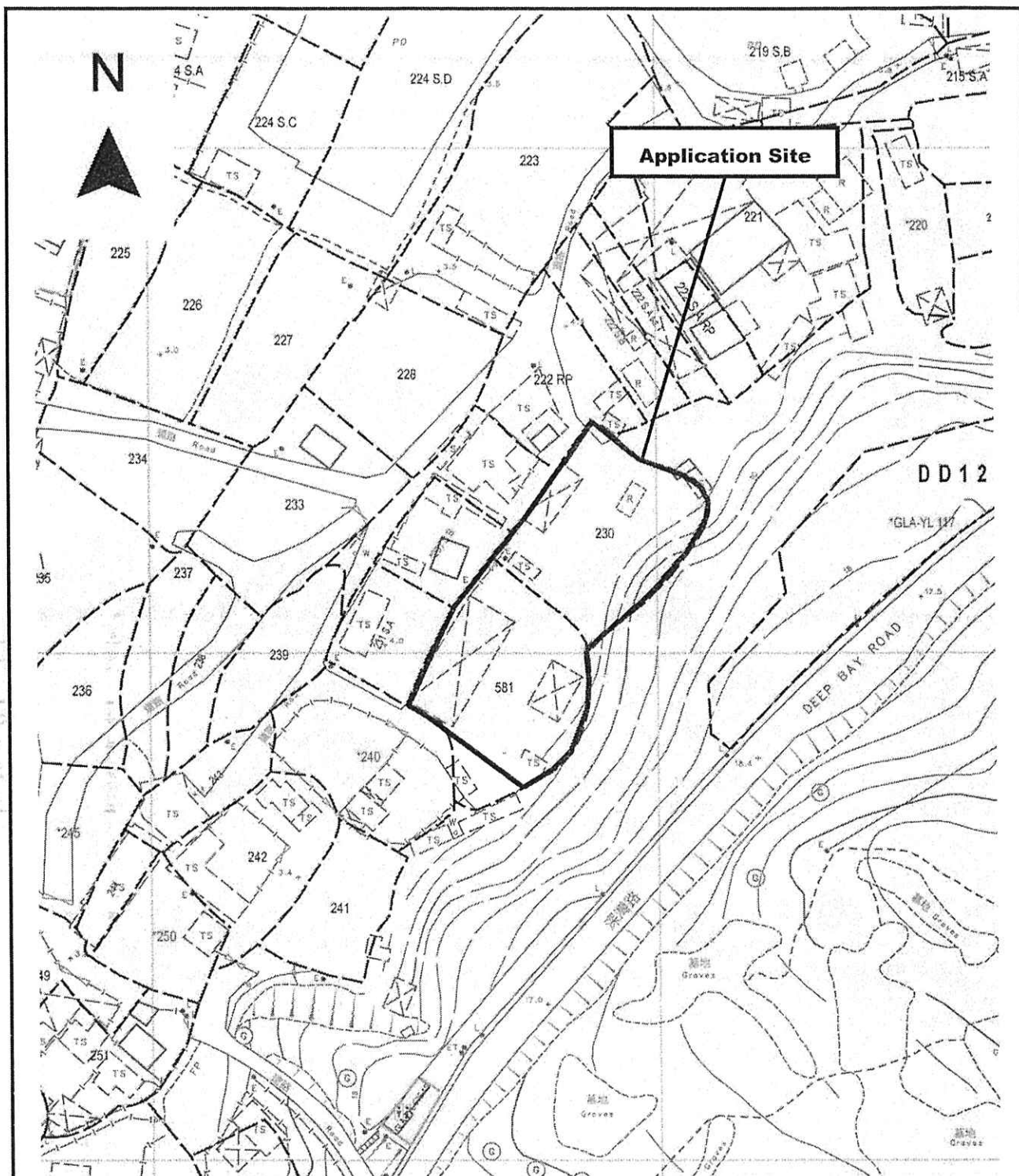
Type of Vehicle	<u>Average Traffic Generation Rate</u> (pcu/hr)	<u>Average Traffic Attraction Rate</u> (pcu/hr)	<u>Traffic Generation Rate at Peak Hours</u> (pcu/hr)	<u>Traffic Attraction Rate at Peak Hours</u> (pcu/hr)
Private car	0.2	0.2	1	1

Note 1: The opening hour of the proposed development is restricted to 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. from Mondays to Sundays including public holidays

Note 2: The pcu of private car is taken as 1.

Note 3: Morning peak is defined as 7:00a.m. to 9:00a.m. whereas afternoon peak is defined as 5:00p.m. to 7:00p.m.

- 1.5 It is anticipated that the proposed development would not generate traffic impact to the area.



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Drawing Title 圖目:

Application Site

Remarks 備註:

Drawing No. 圖號:

Figure 1

Scale 比例:

1:1000



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Location Plan

Drawing No. 圖號:

Figure 2

Remarks 備註:

● ● ● Vehicular access leading
from Deep Bay Road

Scale 比例:

1:7500

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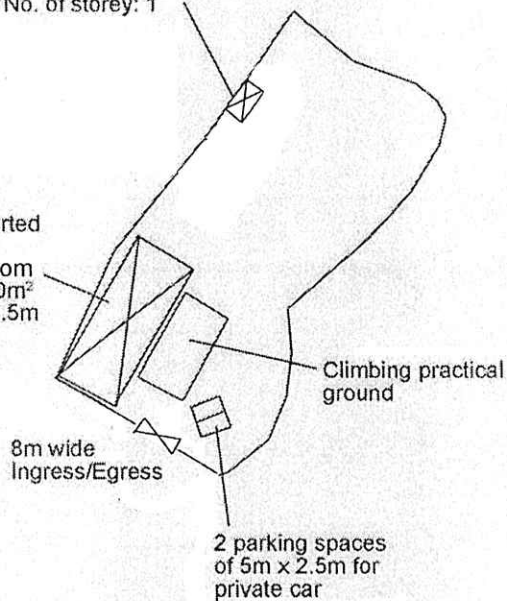


Structure 2

Toilet
GFA: Not exceeding 20m²
Height: Not exceeding 4m
No. of storey: 1

Structure 1

Open shed with 4 converted
containers underneath
for site office & classroom
GFA: Not exceeding 220m²
Height: Not exceeding 4.5m
No. of storey: 1



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Proposed Layout Plan

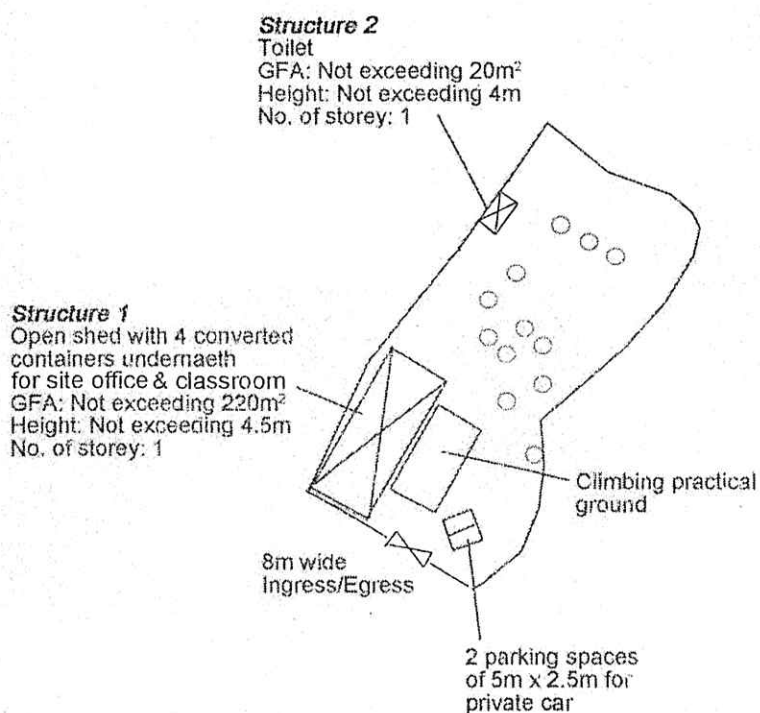
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Figure 3

Scale 比例:

1:1000



Tree	Approximate Size	Spacing
○ Existing Trees to be preserved	About 7m to 9m	NA

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Drawing Title 圖目:

Proposed Landscape & Tree Preservation Plan

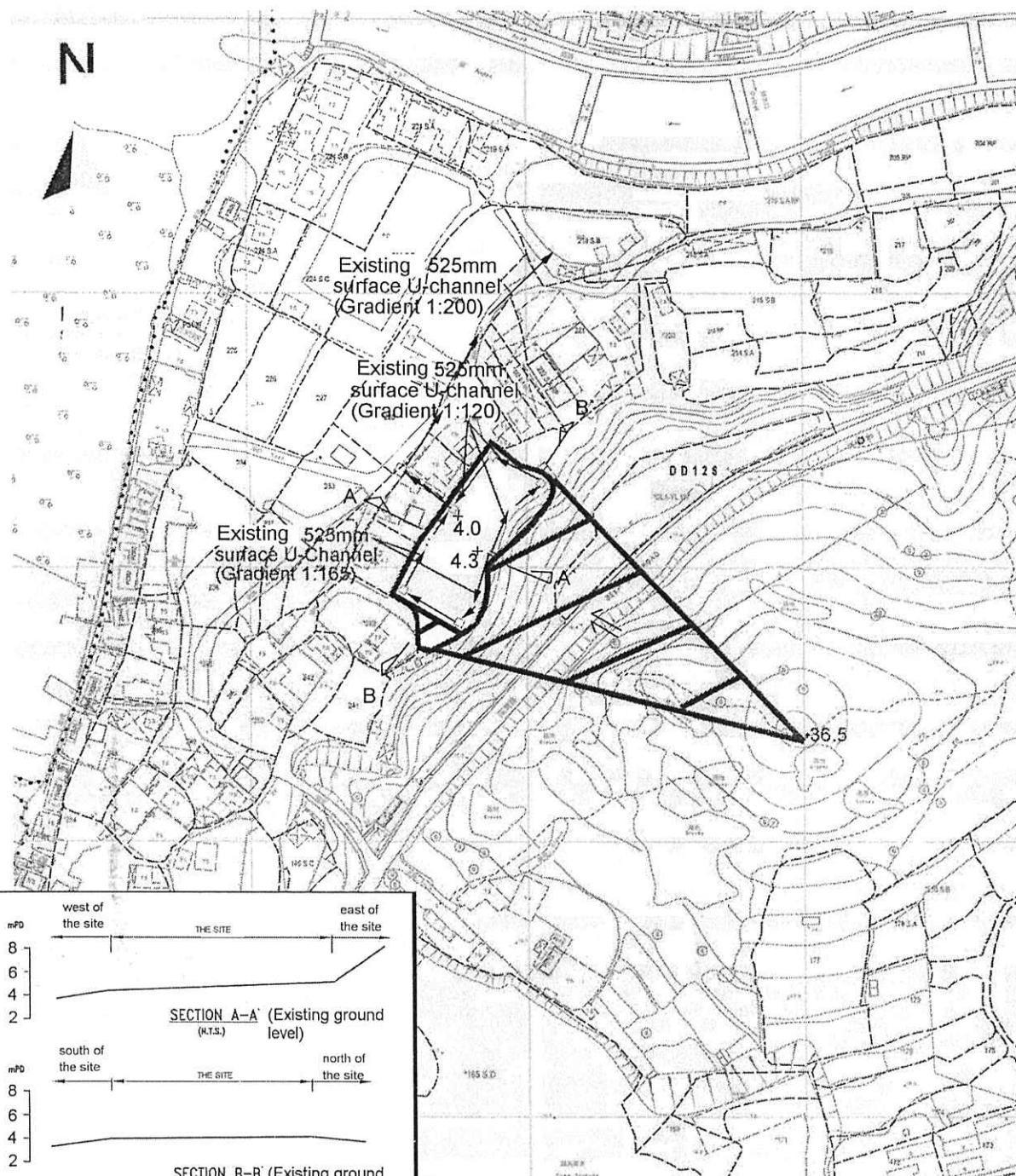
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Figure 4

Scale 比例:

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Drawing Title 圖目:

As-built Drainage Plan

Drawing No. 圖號:

Figure 5

Remarks 備註:

- ☐ Proposed Catchpit
- Flow of Surface Runoff
- +36.5 Level (in mPD)
- External catchment

Scale 比例:

1:2000



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本會租借陶氏農莊內兩副農地作為樹木護理訓練場地(DD128 Lot 230, 581 (Part))
由於這兩個場地有足夠樹木及空間並遠離民居, 因而所有樹木護理訓練得到順利進行。

本會為香港樹木學會, 宗旨主要為推廣現代樹木學知識及現時世界流行的樹木學技術。

在樹木知識推廣方面, 本會會定期開辦樹木學理論課程, 藉以使現代的樹木學知識能得以普及。

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為提高樹藝行業的安全水平, 本會亦會定期舉辦電油鋸使用及保養和樹木修剪證書資歷架構第二級 QF L2 安全操作訓練、綜合攀樹證書資歷架構第三級 QF L3、樹上流纜實務技巧證書課程資歷架構第三級 QF L3。

在社區推廣方面, 本會亦會派出資深的樹藝師及攀樹師在各院校、中小學、社團、私人屋苑及社區中心提供樹藝知識講座及樹木學推廣活動。

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本會之核心成員大部分持有國際樹藝師及攀樹師資格, 有興趣探索現代樹木知識的人仕。

香港樹木學會
會長

李國文
14-1-2022

Previous s.16 Application covering the Application Site

Approved Application

	<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Proposed Use</u>	<u>Date of Consideration</u>
1	A/YL-HTF/1102	Temporary Training Centre (Tree Care Training Centre) for a Period of 3 Years	26.5.2020 (Revoked on 11.11.2021)

Rejected Application

	<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Proposed Use</u>	<u>Date of Consideration</u> <u>(RNTPC/TPB)</u>	<u>Rejected Reasons</u>
1	A/YL-HT/805	Temporary Organic Farm with Ancillary Education and Activity Centre and Small-scale Barbecue Spot for a Period of 3 Years	4.1.2013 (TPB)	1-3

1. Not in line with the planning intention of the "CPA" zone. There was insufficient information in the submission to justify a departure from the planning intention.
2. There was insufficient information in the submission to demonstrate that there would be no adverse environmental, drainage and landscape impacts on the surrounding area.
3. The approval of the application would set an undesirable precedent for similar applications within the "CPA" zone, the cumulative effect of which would result in a general degradation of the ecological value of the area.

Government Departments' General Comments

Land Administration

1. Comments of the District Lands Officer/Yuen Long, Lands Department (DLO/YL, LandsD):
 - He has no comment on the application.

Traffic

2. Comments of the Commissioner for Transport (C for T):
 - He has no adverse comment on the application from traffic engineering point of view.

Environment

3. Comments of the Director of Environmental Protection (DEP):
 - (a) He has no objection to the application.
 - (b) There is no substantiated complaint pertaining to the Site received in the past 3 years.

Nature Conservation

4. Comments of the Director of Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation (DAFC):
 - According to the applicant, the hard paving at the Site has been removed. He has no strong view on the application from nature conservation point of view.

Landscape

5. Comments of the Chief Town Planner/Urban Design and Landscape, Planning Department (CTP/UD&L, PlanD):
 - (a) With reference to aerial photo of 2021, the Site is located in an area of rural landscape character already dominated by temporary structures, open storage yards, vacant land, village houses, ponds, tree clutters and woodland. The applied use is considered not incompatible with the existing landscape character of the surrounding area. There are existing temporary structures, existing trees and vegetation at the eastern portion of the Site.
 - (b) According to the applicant, he would preserve all the existing trees and confirm that no tree felling and landscape impact would be caused by the development. As such, further significant landscape impact on existing landscape resources within the Site arising from the applied use is not anticipated. He has no comment from the landscape planning perspective.

Building Matters

6. Comments of the Chief Building Surveyor/New Territories West, Buildings Department (CBS/NTW, BD):

- As there is no record of approval by the Building Authority for the existing structures at the Site, he is not in a position to offer comments on their suitability for the use proposed in the application.

Fire Safety

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

- (a) He has no objection in-principle to the proposal subject to fire services installations (FSIs) being provided to his satisfaction.
- (b) In consideration of the design/nature of the proposal, FSIs are anticipated to be required. Therefore, the applicant is advised to submit relevant layout plans incorporated with the proposed FSIs to his department for approval.

Drainage

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

- He has no in-principle objection to the application from drainage point of view. Should the Board consider that the application is acceptable from planning point of view, he would suggest that a condition should be stipulated in the approval letter requiring the applicant to submit a revised drainage proposal, to implement and maintain the proposed drainage facilities to the satisfaction of DSD.

Water Supply

9. Comments of the Chief Engineer/Construction, Water Supplies Department (CE/C, WSD):

- He has no objection to the application.

Others

10. Comments of the Senior Executive Officer (Further Education)¹, Education Bureau (SEO(FE)¹, EDB):

- (a) The Hong Kong Council for Accreditation of Academic and Vocational Qualifications (HKCAAVQ) is appointed under the Accreditation of Academic and Vocational Qualifications Ordinance (Cap. 592) as the Accreditation Authority and Qualifications Register (QR) Authority under the Hong Kong Qualifications Framework (HKQF). The HKQF is a seven-level hierarchy covering qualifications in the academic, vocational, professional and continuing education sectors. Qualifications awarded by a non-self-accrediting operator must be accredited by HKCAAVQ if they wish to have them recognised under the HKQF and listed on the QR.
- (b) There are four courses registered on the QR operated by Tree Climbing Hong Kong (TCHK) (香港樹木學會), including Certificate in Integrated Tree Climbing (QF Level 3) 綜合攀樹證書(資歷架構第三級), Certificate in Occupational Safety and Health for Arboriculture & Horticulture Industry (QF Level 1) 樹藝及園藝業之職業安全與健

康證書(資歷架構第一級), Certificate in Petrol Chainsaw Use and Maintenance and Tree Trimming (QF Level 2) 電油鏈鋸使用及保養和樹木修剪證書(資歷架構第二級), and Certificate in Practical Tree Rigging Skills (QF Level 3) 樹上流纜實務技巧證書(資歷架構第三級).

11. Comments of the Antiquities and Monuments Office, Development Bureau (AMO, DEVB):

- After reviewing the location and scope of the applied use as well as the findings of previous archaeological work, he has no objection in principle to the application from the archaeological and built heritage conservation perspective.

District Officer's Comments

12. Comments of the District Officer/Yuen Long, Home Affairs Department (DO/YL, HAD):

- His office did not receive any comments from the locals on the application.

Other Departments

13. The following departments have no comment on the application:

- (a) Project Manager (West), Civil Engineering and Development Department (PM(W), CEDD);
- (b) Chief Engineer/Land Works, CEDD (CE/LW, CEDD);
- (c) Director of Electrical and Mechanical Services (DEMS); and
- (d) Commissioner of Police (C of P).

Recommended advisory clauses

- (a) the applicant is advised that should he fail to comply with any of the approval conditions resulting in revocation of planning permission again, sympathetic consideration would not be given to any further applications;
- (b) prior planning permission should have been obtained before commencing the development on-site;
- (c) to resolve any land issues relating to the development with the concerned owner(s) of the Site;
- (d) to note the comments of the District Lands Officer/Yuen Long, Lands Department (DLO/YL, LandsD) that the Site comprises Old Schedule Agricultural Lots held under the Block Government Lease which contain the restriction that no structures are allowed to be erected without the prior approval of the Government. The lot owner(s) will need to apply to his office for permitting the structures to be erected or to regularize any irregularities on site, if any. Besides, given the proposed use is temporary in nature, only application for regularization or erection of temporary structure(s) will be considered. Application(s) for any of the above will be considered by the LandsD acting in the capacity of the landlord or lessor at its sole discretion and there is no guarantee that such application(s) will be approved. If such application(s) is approved, it will be subject to such terms and conditions, including among others the payment of premium or fee, as may be imposed by the LandsD;
- (e) to note the comments of the Commissioner for Transport (C for T) that sufficient manoeuvring space shall be provided within the Site. No vehicles are allowed to queue back to public roads or reverse onto/from public roads. The local track leading to the Site is not under Transport Department's (TD) purview. The applicant shall obtain consent of the owners/managing departments of the local track for using it as the vehicular access to the Site;
- (f) to note the comments of the Chief Highway Engineer/New Territories West, Highways Department (CHE/NTW, HyD) that adequate drainage measures should be provided at the site access to prevent surface water flowing from the Site to the nearby public roads/drains. The access road connecting the Site with Deep Bay Road is not and will not be maintained by HyD. HyD shall not be responsible for the maintenance of any access connecting the Site and Deep Bay Road;
- (g) to note the comments of the Chief Building Surveyor/New Territories West, Buildings Department (CBS/NTW, BD) that if the existing structure (not being a New Territories Exempted House) are erected on leased land without the approval of the Building Authority (BA), they are unauthorized building works (UBW) under the Buildings Ordinance (BO) and should not be designated for any proposed use under the application. For UBW erected on leased land, enforcement action may be taken by BD to effect their removal in accordance with the prevailing enforcement policy against UBW as and when necessary. The granting of any planning approval should not be construed as an acceptance of any existing building works or UBW on the Site under the BO. Before any new building works (including containers / open sheds as temporary buildings, demolition and land filling, etc.) are to be carried out on the Site, approval and consent of the BA should be obtained, otherwise they are UBW. An Authorized Person should be appointed as the coordinator for the proposed building works in accordance with the BO. The Site shall be provided with means of obtaining access thereto from a street and emergency vehicular access in accordance with Regulations 5 and 41D of the Building (Planning) Regulations [B(P)R] respectively. The Site does not abut on a specified street of not less than 4.5m wide and its permitted development

intensity shall be determined under Regulation 19(3) of the B(P)R at building plan submission stage. Any temporary shelters or converted containers for office, storage, washroom or other uses are considered as temporary buildings and they are subject to the control of Part VII of the B(P)R. If the proposed use is subject to issue of a license, the applicant should be reminded that any existing structures on the Site intended to be used for such purposes are required to comply with the building safety and other relevant requirements as may be imposed by the licensing authority. Detailed checking under the BO will be carried out at building plan submission stage;

- (h) to note the comments of the Director of Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation (DAFC) that the applicant is advised to properly preserve the trees in the wooded areas within and to the east of the Site during operation;
- (i) to note the comments of the Director of Environmental Protection that the applicant is advised to follow the relevant mitigation measures and requirements in the latest “Code of Practice (COP) on Handling the Environmental Aspects of Temporary Uses and Open Storage Sites”;
- (j) to note the comments of the Chief Town Planner/Urban Design and Landscape, Planning Department (CTP/UD&L, PlanD) that the applicant should note that approval of the planning application by the Town Planning Board does not imply approval of the tree works such as pruning, transplanting and/or felling under lease. The applicant is reminded to approach relevant authority / government department(s) direct to obtain the necessary approval on tree works;
- (k) to note the comments of the Chief Engineer/Mainland North, Drainage Services Department (CE/MN, DSD) that the applicant is required to clearly indicate the full alignment of the discharge path from the Site all the way down to the ultimate discharge point (e.g. a well-established stream course / public drainage system). The existing channel, to which the applicant proposed to discharge the stormwater from the Site is not maintained by his office. The applicant should identify the owner of the existing drainage facilities and obtain consent from the owner prior to commencement of the proposed works. In the case that it is a local village drains, District Officer/Yuen Long should be consulted. Since there is no record of the said discharge path, the applicant is required to provide site photos to demonstrate its presence and existing condition. Sand trap or provision alike should be provided before the collected runoff is discharged to the public drainage facilities. Standard details should be provided to indicate the sectional details of the proposed u-channel and the catchpit / sand trap. The cover levels and invert levels of the proposed u-channels, catchpits / sand traps should be shown on the drainage plan. The applicant should consult DLO/YL, LandsD and seek consent from the relevant owners for any drainage works to be carried out outside his lot boundary before commencement of the drainage works;
- (l) to note the comments of the Chief Engineer/Construction, Water Supplies Department (CE/C, WSD) that for provision of water supply to the development, the applicant may need to extend his/her inside services to the nearest suitable government water mains for connection. The applicant shall resolve any land matter (such as private lots) associated with the provision of water supply and shall be responsible for the construction, operation and maintenance of the inside services within the private lots to WSD’s standards;
- (m) to note the comments of the Director of Fire Services (D of FS) that the applicant is advised to submit relevant layout plans incorporated with the proposed fire services installations (FSIs) to his department for approval. The layout plans should be drawn to scale and depicted with dimensions and nature of occupancy. The location of where the proposed FSI to be installed should be clearly marked on the layout plans. The applicant is reminded that if the proposed

structure(s) is required to comply with the Buildings Ordinance (Cap. 123), detailed fire service requirements will be formulated upon receipt of formal submission of general building plans or referral from relevant licensing authority respectively; and

- (n) to note the comments of Antiquities and Monuments Office, Development Bureau (AMO, DEVB) that the applicant is required to inform AMO immediately when any antiquities or supposed antiquities under the Antiquities and Monuments Ordinance (Cap. 53) are discovered in the course of works.



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Kadoorie Farm & Botanic Garden Corporation

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Town Planning Board,
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1st March 2022.

By email only

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Temporary Training Centre (Tree Care Training Centre) for a Period of 3 Years
(A/YL-HTF/1131)

1. We refer to the captioned.
2. According to the gist, there was an application for the same purpose covering the current application site approved with conditions in 2020 (i.e., A/YL-HTF/1102); but the permission was revoked in November 2021. It was revoked because the applicant had failed to comply with conditions (b) and (c) satisfactorily by 11.11.2021 (please see below):

(b) the removal of the existing hard-paving on the site, as proposed by the applicant, before the operation of the applied use.

(c) no land filling, as proposed by the applicant, is allowed on the site during the planning approval period.

3. We urge the Board to clarify with relevant parties/ authorities as to whether the current application would involve land filling, and whether there is existing hard-paving at the current application site. Also, the Board should also clarify with relevant authorities for the current site status (e.g., is there any ongoing enforcement case?).

4. Thank you for your attention.

Ecological Advisory Programme
Kadoorie Farm and Botanic Garden



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A/YL-HTF/1131 DD 128 Lau Fau Shan CPA

21/02/2022 02:24

From:

To:

File Ref:

tpbpd <tpbpd@pland.gov.hk>

A/YL-HTF/1131

Lots 230 and 581 in D.D. 128, Lau Fau Shan

Site area : About 2,070sq.m

Zoning : "Coastal Protection Area"

Applied use : Tree Care Training Centre / 2 Vehicle Parking

Dear TPB Members,

On 24 Dec you approved another site for this **COWBOY** outfit even though the conditions on Application 1102 had not been fulfilled. Since then approval has been revoked for failure to fulfill two significant conditions, bearing in mind that this is CPA zoning.

(b) the removal of the existing hard-paving on the site, as proposed by the applicant, before the operation of the applied use;

(c) no land filling, as proposed by the applicant, is allowed on the site during the planning approval period;

But this Applicant is well versed in milking the system so is back again with a slightly modified site.

On 26 May 2020 despite reservations you approved application A/YL-HTF/1102 on CPA.

209. ***A Member cast doubts on the identity of TCHK, the tenant of the site, as it was different from "the International Society of Arboriculture (Hong Kong Chapter)" which granted certification to Arborists. The Member noted the objection from WWF-HK and Kadoorie and expressed reservation on the application as the applied use might bring adverse impact on the "Coastal Protection Area" ("CPA") where the site was located in. Another Member concurred.***

210. ***Some other Members considered that favourable consideration could be given to the application as the applied use was temporary in nature with a***

*small scale of operation. It was not incompatible with the "CPA" zone and concerned government departments had no adverse comment on or no objection to the application. The courses provided by TCHK were recognised by the Education Bureau under the Qualifications Framework and registered on the Qualifications Register. **Members noted that the concerned unauthorised development would be followed up by the Planning Authority and enforcement action would be taken where necessary***

Surely this time around TPB must recognize that the Applicant has no intention of complying with the conditions and approval would create a most negative precedent that will be used by other miscreant operators.

Mary Mulvihill

From: [REDACTED]
To: tpbpd <tpbpd@pland.gov.hk>
Date: Wednesday, 22 January 2020 3:42 AM CST
Subject: AYL-HTF/1102 DD 128 Lau Fau Shan CPA

AYL-HTF/1102

Lots 230 and 581 in D.D. 128, Lau Fau Shan

Site area : About 2,230sq.m

Zoning : "Coastal Protection Area"

Applied use : Tree Care Training Centre / 2 Vehicle Parking

Dear TPB Members,

Tree Climbing HK website is in Chinese only so I cannot determine how genuine this outfit is.

Suggest members check it out. <https://treeclimbing.hk/>

Minutes of TPB review of 4 Jan 2013 have ref to illegal structures and enforcement action.

The Director of Leisure, and Cultural Services advised that part of the Site fell within the Sha Kong Miu (North) Site of Archaeological Interest and prior consent must be sought from the Antiquities and Monuments Office on any ground excavation work proposed within the boundary of this Site of Archaeological Interest.

Among the many issues raised KFBG was also concerned that the water quality of Deep Bay could be affected by the sewage generated by the development and the applicant had not provided any information on sewage treatment of the facilities under application;

Images on website show a lot of folk on the site, so what toilet and other facilities are being provided?

Plan D: the development was not in line with the planning intention of the "CPA" zone. There was a general presumption against development in this zone, and

only developments that were needed to support the conservation of the existing natural landscape or scenic quality of the area or were essential infrastructure projects with overriding public interest might be permitted. The applicant had not demonstrated why the applied use was needed and how it could support the conservation of the existing natural landscape and scenic quality of the area. No strong planning justification had been given in the submission to justify departure from the planning intention, even on a temporary basis;

As this is CPA I trust that current members will be as diligent as those in 2013 and raise many questions with regard to the current condition of the site.

Mary Mulvihill