RNTPC Paper No. A/YL-KTN/1084 For Consideration by the Rural and New Town Planning Committee on 28.2.2025

<u>APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION</u> <u>UNDER SECTION 16 OF THE TOWN PLANNING ORDINANCE</u>

<u>APPLICATION NO. A/YL-KTN/1084</u> (for 1st Deferment)

<u>Applicant</u>	:	Mr. WONG Ka Kei Alfred represented by Chief Force Limited
<u>Site</u>	:	Lot 750 S.A RP in D.D.110, Tai Kong Po, Kam Tin, Yuen Long, New Territories
<u>Site Area</u>	:	About 189.9 m ²
Lease	:	New Grant Agricultural Lot
<u>Plan</u>	:	Approved Kam Tin North Outline Zoning Plan No. S/YL-KTN/11
Zoning	:	"Agriculture"
Application	:	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House (NTEH) – Small House)

1. <u>Background</u>

On 8.1.2025, the applicant sought planning permission for proposed house (NTEH – Small House) 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. <u>Request for Deferment</u>

On 6.2.2025, 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 for preparation of further information (FI) to address the departmental comments (**Appendix I**).

3. <u>Planning Department's Views</u>

3.1 The Planning Department <u>has no objection</u> to the request for the first 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, Further Representations and Applications made under the Town Planning Ordinance (TPB PG-No. 33B) in that the deferment would allow the applicant to prepare FI to address outstanding issues.

3.2 Should 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 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. <u>Decision Sought</u>

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. <u>Attachments</u>

Appendix IEmail from the applicant's representative dated 6.2.2025Plan A-1Location Plan

PLANNING DEPARTMENT FEBRUARY 2025