此文件在2022年11月 3·日 应到,级计划2000年7月 只會在中華社会工作第二人文件包括正人程。一一月 应圈的日间。

This document is resolved as 3 NOV 2022

The Town Planning Board will formally acknowledge
the date of receipt of the application only upon receipt
of all the required information and documents.



APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION

A/YL-77/579 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 proposals not involving or not only involving: 適用於建議不涉及或不祇涉及:

(i) Construction of "New Territories Exempted House(s)"; 興建「新界豁免管制屋宇」;

(ii) Temporary use/development of land and/or building not exceeding 3 years in rural areas; and 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;及

(iii) Renewal of permission for temporary use or development in rural areas 位於鄉郊地區的臨時用途或發展的許可續期

Applicant who would like to publish the <u>notice of application</u> 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<u>申請通知</u>,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 填寫表格的一股指引及註解

- ** "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 「レ」 at the appropriate box 請在適當的方格内上加上「レ」號

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| For Official Use Only | Application No. 申請編號 | A19L-77/579 | |
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| 請勿填寫此欄 | Date Received 收到日期 | - 3 NOV 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。
- 2. 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 樓及新界沙田上禾卷路 1 號沙田政府合署 14 樓)索取。
- 3. 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. 此表格可從委員會的網頁下載,亦可向委員會秘書處及規劃署的規劃資料查詢處索取。申請人須以打印方式或以正楷填寫表格。如果申請人所提交的資料或文件副本不齊全,委員會可拒絕處理有關申請。

| 1. Name of Applicant 申請人姓名/: | 1 | Name | of | App | licant | 申 | 請 | 人 | 姓 | 名 | /名 | A | ij |
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(□Mr. 先生 /□ Mrs. 夫人 /□ Miss 小姐 /□ Ms. 女士 /□ Company 公司 /ゼ Organisation 機構)

蓮華寺有限公司

LOTUS TEMPLE LIMITED

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)

志科有限公司

CHIEF FORCE LIMITED

| 3. | Application Site 申請地點 | |
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| (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) | 新界元朗大棠鄉丈量約份DD116 LOT NO. 1445RP (部份),1446,1609 (部份),1610 (部份),1612SB.ss1,1612SB.RP (部份)及毗鄰政府土地 |
| (b) | Site area and/or gross floor area involved 涉及的地盤面積及/或總樓面面 | ☑Site area 地盤面積 2118 sq.m 平方米☑About 約 ☑Gross floor area 總樓面面積 639 sq.m 平方米☑About 約 |
| (c) | Area of Government land included (if any) 所包括的政府土地面積(倘有) | 50 sq.m 平方米 ☑About 約 |

| (d) | Name and number of the relat statutory plan(s) 有關法定圖則的名稱及編號 | S/YL-TT/18 | | | | |
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| (e) | Land use zone(s) involved 涉及的土地用途地帶 | 農業 | | | | |
| (f) | Current use(s) 現時用途 | 宗教用途 (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,證在圖則上顯示,並註明用涂及總樓面面稅) | | | | |
| 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"#& 是唯一的「現行土地擁有人」# | (please proceed to Part 6 and attach documentary proof of ownership). (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)。 | | | | | |
| Ø | | | | | | |
| |] 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 Con就土地擁有人的同意/ | | | | | |
| (a) | According to the record(s application involves a total of | of the Land Registry as at | | | | |
| (b) | The applicant 申請人 - | | | | | |
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| | Details of consent of "curr | ent land owner(s)"# obtained 取得「現行土地擁有人」"同意的詳情 | | | | |
| | 「租行 | ber/address of premises as shown in the record of the Land (DD/MM/YYYY) where consent(s) has/have been obtained 也註冊處記錄已獲得同意的地段號碼/處所地址 (日/月/年) | | | | |
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| | De | Details of the "current land owner(s)" notified 已瘦通知「現行土地擁有人」"的詳細資料 | | | | | | | |
| | La r | Date of notification given 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 | | | | | | | |
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| [| | taken reasonable steps to obtain consent of or give notification to owner(s): 采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: | | | | | | | |
| | Rea | sonable 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」"郵遞要求同意譽 ^{&} | | | | | | | |
| | Rea | sonable 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 ^{&} | | | | | | | |
| | Ø | posted notice in a prominent position on or near application site/premises on(DD/MM/YYYY)& | | | | | | | |
| | | 於12/10/2022(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。 | | | | | | | |
| | ₽Z | sent notice to relevant owners' corporation(s)/owners' committee(s)/mutual aid committee(s)/management office(s) or rural committee on(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 ^{&} | | | | | | | |
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| | | others (please specify) 其他(請指明) | | | | | | | |
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| ļ. | applicati | on. 《一個方格內加上「V」號 頁就申請涉及的每一地段(倘適用)及處所(倘有)分別提供資料 | | | | | | | |

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| 6. | Type(s) of Application | ı 申請類 | 別 | | | | |
| | Type (i) Change of use v 第(i)類 更改現有建築物 |) Change of use within existing building or part thereof 更改現有建築物或其部分內的用途 | | | | | |
| | Type (ii) Diversion of stream / excavation of land / filling of land / filling of pond as required under Notes of S Plan(s) | | | | | der Notes of Statutory | |
| | | 〈註釋〉內角 | 听要求的河道改 道 | 道/挖土/填土/填坑 | 工程 | | |
| | Type (iii) Public utility in 第(iii)類 公用事業設施 | stallation / Utility installation for private project 裝置/私人發展計劃的公用設施裝置 | | | | | |
| | Type (iv) Minor relaxatio 第(iv)類 略為放寬於法院 | on of stated development restriction(s) as provided under Notes of Statutory Plan(定圖則《註釋》內列明的發展限制 | | | | | tutory Plan(s) |
| Ø | Type (v) Use / developm 第(v)類 上述的(i)至(iii) | ent other that)項以外的用 | n (i) to (iii) abovo 途/發展 | e . | | | |
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| <i>(</i>) | For Type (i) applicati | on 供第(i | <i>)類申讃</i> | | | | |
| i | Total floor area involved 涉及的總樓面面積 | | | | sq.m | 平方米 | : |
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| 1 | Proposed use(s)/development 擬議用途/發展 | (If there are any Government, institution or community facilities, ple the use and gross floor area) (如有任何政府、機構或社區設施,調在圖則上顯示,並註明F | | | | _ | , , , |
| (c)] | Number of storeys involved 涉及層數 | | | Number of units inve 涉及單位數目 | olved | - | |
| | | Domestic p | part 住用部分 | | sq.m 🏻 | 方米 | □About 約 |
| | Proposed floor area 擬議樓面面徴 | Non-domestic part 非住用部分 sq.m 平方米 □ | | □About約 | | | |
| | | Total 總計 sq.m 平方米 口A | | | □About 約 | | |
| | Proposed uses of different | Floor(s) 樓層 | Current u | se(s) 現時用途 | P | roposed | use(s) 擬議用途 |
| ; | floors (if applicable) 不同樓層的擬議用途(如適 | | | | | | · |
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| (ii) For Type (ii) application | ation 供第(ii)類申讀 |
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| | □ Diversion of stream 河道改道 |
| | □ Filling of pond 填塘 Area of filling 填塘面積 |
| (a) Operation involved 涉及工程 | □ Filling of land 填土 Area of filling 填土面積 sq.m 平方米 □About 約 Depth of filling 填土厚度 m 米 □About 約 |
| | □ Excavation of land 挖土 Area of excavation 挖土面積 sq.m 平方米□About 約 Depth of excavation 挖土深度 m米□About 約 (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) (簡用図則顯示有關土地/池塘界線,以及河道改道、坑塘、坑土及/或挖土的细節及/或範圍)) |
| (b) Intended use/development 有意進行的用途/發展 | (AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND |
| (iii) For Type (iii) applic | ation 供第fii)類甲譜 |
| | □ Public utility installation 公用事業設施裝置 □ Utility installation for private project 私人發展計劃的公用設施裝置 Please specify the type and number of utility to be provided as well as the dimensions of each building/structure, where appropriate i 請註明有關裝置的性質及數量,包括每座建築物/構築物(倘有)的長度、高度和闊度 |
| (a) Nature and scale 性質及規模 | Name/type of installation 裝置名稱/種類 Number of provision 數量 Dimension of each installation /building/structure (m) (LxWxH) 每個裝置/建築物/構築物的尺寸 (米) (長 x 闊 x 高) |
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| | (Please illustrate on plan the layout of the installation 静用圖則顯示裝置的布局) |

| (iv) <u>F</u> | for Type (iv) application | #第(iv)類申讀 | | | | |
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| 1 | oroposed use/development ar | nd development particular | development restriction(s) and <u>alses in part (v) below</u> - 接議用途/發展及發展細節 - | so fill in the | | |
| | Plot ratio restriction 地積比率限制 | From 由 | to至 | ·. | | |
| | Gross floor area restriction 總樓面面積限制 | From 由sq. m ^五 | 平方米 to 至sq. m 平方米 · | | | |
| | Site coverage restriction 上蓋面積限制 | From 由 | 6 to 至% | | | |
| | Building height restriction 建築物高度限制 | | * * to 至 m ** | : | | |
| | | From d | mPD 米 (主水平基準上) to 至 | | | |
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| | | From 由 | storeys 層 to 至storey | s層 . | | |
| | Non-building area restriction 非建築用地限制 | From 由 | m to 至m | | | |
| | Others (please specify) 其他(請註明) | | | | | |
| (v) <u>F</u> | or Type (v) application 供 | 第(v)類申讀 | | | | |
| | posed (s)/development 義用途/發展 | 養議宗教機構 (佛教寺院)連 附 | | | | |
| | (Please | illustrate the details of the propo | sal on a layout plan 請用平面圖說明建議語 | 羊擠) | | |
| (b) <u>Dev</u> | (b) <u>Development Schedule 發展細節表</u> | | | | | |
| Pro | posed gross floor area (GFA) | | | MAbout 約 MAbout 約 MAbout 約 | | |
| | posed no. of blocks 擬議座數 | · | 2 | • | | |
| Pro | posed no. of storeys of each bloc | k 每座建築物的擬議層數 | l storeys 層 | | | |
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| Pro | posed building height of each blo | ock 每座建築物的擬議高度 | mPD 米(主水平基準上 5 m 米 |)□About約 ☑About約 | | |

| Domestic parl | : 住用部分 | | • | | |
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| GFA 總相 | 婁面面 穳 | | sq. m 平方米 | □About 約 | |
| number o | of Units 單位數目 | | | | |
| average | unit size 單位平均面 | 樹 | sq. m 平方米 | □About 約 | |
| estimated | d number of residents | 估計住客數目 | • | | |
| | | | | | |
| ✓ Non-domestic | : part 非住用部分 | | GFA 總樓面面 | 趙 | |
| eating pl | ace 食肆 | | sq. m 平方米 | □About約 | |
| ☐ hotel 酒/ | 活 | | sq. m 平方米 | □About約 | |
| | | • | (please specify the number of rooms | : | |
| | | | 請註明房間數目) | | |
| ·□ office 辦 | 公室 | | sq. m 平方米 | □About約 | |
| | services 商店及服務 | 4行業 | sq. m 平方米 | □About約 | |
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| ☐ Governm | nent, institution or co | mmunity facilities | (please specify the use(s) and | concerned land | |
| | 选椭或社區設施 | ······································ | area(s)/GFA(s) 謗註明用途及有關 | 1 | |
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| | pen space 公眾休憩/ | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | | iess man - Pyris | |
| (c) Use(s) of differ | ent floors (if applicat | ole) 各機屬的用途 (如: | 圆用) | | |
| [Block number] | [Floor(s)] | | [Proposed use(s)] | • • | |
| [座數] | [函數] | | [擬識用途] | | |
| 樹築物A | | 宗教用途、廁所 | · 休息室及儲物室 | 1 | |
| 構築物B | | 宗教用途 | 77.00 | ******* | |
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| (d) Proposed use(s 草地及休憩用地 | | ifany) 鹫天地方(倘有 |)的擬識用途 | | |
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| 7. Anticipated Completi 擬議發展計劃的預 | | e of the Development Proposal 時間 |
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| 採藏發展計劃預期完成的年份及 (Separate anticipated completion Government, institution or comm | と月份(分 times (in unity facili | month and year) should be provided for the proposed public open space and |
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| 8. Vehicular Access Arra 擬議發展計劃的行 | | nt of the Development Proposal 安排 |
| Any vehicular access to the | Yes是 | ☑ There is an existing access. (please indicate the street name, where appropriate) 有一條現有車路。(講註明車路名稱(如適用)) |
| site/subject building? | | 友善路 |
| 是否有車路通往地盤/有關建築物? | , | □ 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) |
| | No 否 | |
| Any provision of parking space for the proposed use(s)? 是否有為擬議用途提供停車 位? | Yes 是 | ☑ (Please specify type(s) and number(s) and illustrate on plan) 請註明種類及數目並於圖則上顯示) 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(講列明) |
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| | No否 | |
| Any provision of loading/unloading space for the proposed use(s)? | Yes 是 | □ (Please specify type(s) and number(s) and illustrate on plan) 講註明種類及數目並於圖則上顯示) 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 |
| 是否有為擬議用途提供上落客 貨車位? | No否 | Heavy Goods Vehicle Spaces 重型貨車車位 Others (Please Specify) 其他 (請列明) |
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| 9. Impacts of De | elopment Proposal 擬議發展計劃的影響 | | | | |
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| 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,謂另頁註明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。 | | | | | |
| 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 Please provide details 請提供詳情 | | | | |
| Does the development proposal involve the operation on the right? 擬議發展是否涉及右列的工程? (Note: where Type (ii) application is the subject of application, please skip this section. 註:如申請涉及第(ii)類申請・請跳至下一條問題。) | Yes 是 | | | | |
| Would the development proposal cause any adverse impacts? 擬議發展計劃會否造成不良影響? | On environment 對環境 On traffic 對交通 On water supply 對供水 On drainage 對排水 On drainage 對排水 On slopes 對斜坡 Yes 會 No 不會 V On slopes 對於響 Yes 會 No 不會 V On slopes 對斜坡 Yes 會 No 不會 V On slopes 對斜坡 Yes 會 No 不會 V On slopes 對於響 Yes 會 No 不會 V On slopes 對於學 Yes 會 No 不會 V | | | | |

| 10. Justifications 理由 |
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| The applicant is invited to provide justifications in support of the application. Use separate sheets if necessary. 現調申謝人提供申謝理由及支持其申讚的資料。如有需要,請另頁說明。 |
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| 詳 憐請參閱附帶規劃文件。 |
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| | Form No. S16-I 表格第 S16-I 號 |
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| 11. Declaration 聲明 | |
| I hereby declare that the particulars given in this application a 本人謹此聲明,本人就這宗申請提交的資料,據本人所知 | |
| I hereby grant a permission to the Board to copy all the materito the Board's website for browsing and downloading by the 員會酌情將本人就此申請所提交的所有資料複製及/或上旬 | als submitted in this application and/or to upload such materials public free-of-charge at the Board's discretion. 本人現准許委战至委員會網站,供公眾免費瀏覽或下載。 |
| Signature 簽署 | □ Applicant 申請人 / ☑ Authorised Agent 獲授權代理人 |
| 鄭嘉翔 | 文員 |
| Name in Block Letters 姓名(誵以正楷填寫) | Position (if applicable) 職位 (如適用) |
| Professional Qualification(s) | 會 / □ HKIA 香港建築師學會 / 會 / □ HKIE 香港工程師學會 / |
| The board of the state of the s | nd Chop (if applicable) 機構名稱及蓋章(如適用) |
| Date 日期 12/10/2022 | (DD/MM/YYYY 日/月/年) |
| Remai | k 備註 |
| The materials submitted in this application and the Board's decision on the application would be disclosed to the public. Such materials would also be uploaded to the Board's website for browsing and free downloading by the public where the Board considers appropriate. 委員會會向公眾披露申請人所遞交的申請資料和委員會對申請所作的決定。在委員會認為合適的情况下,有關申請資料亦會上載至委員會網頁供公眾免費瀏覽及下載。 | |
| Warni | ng 警告 |
| Any person who knowingly or wilfully makes any statement or furnish any information in connection with this application, which is false in any material particular, shall be liable to an offence under the Crimes Ordinance. | |

任何人在明知或故意的情況下,就這宗申請提出在任何要項上是虛假的陳述或資料,即屬違反《刑事罪行條例》

Statement on Personal Data 個人資料的聲明

- 1. The personal data submitted to the Board in this application will be used by the Secretary of the Board and Government departments for the following purposes:
 - 委員會就這宗申請所收到的個人資料會交給委員會秘魯及政府部門,以根據《城市規劃條例》及相關的城市規劃委員會規劃指引的規定作以下用途:
 - (a) the processing of this application which includes making available the name of the applicant for public inspection when making available this application for public inspection; and 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舊及政府部門之間進行聯絡。
- 2. The personal data provided by the applicant in this application may also be disclosed to other persons for the purposes mentioned in paragraph 1 above. 申請人就這宗申請提供的個人資料,或亦會向其他人士披露,以作上述第1段提及的用途。
- 3. An applicant has a right of access and correction with respect to his/her personal data as provided under the Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance (Cap. 486). Request for personal data access and correction should be addressed to the Secretary of the Board at 15/F, North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong. 根據《個人資料(私隱)條例》(第 486 章)的規定,申請人有權查閱及更正其個人資料。如欲查閱及更正個人資料,應向委員會秘書提出有關要求,其地址為香港北角查轄道 333 號北角政府合署 15 樓。

| For Developments involving Columbarium Use, please also complete the for 如發展涉及靈灰安置所用途,請另外填妥以下資料: | ollowing: |
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| Ash interment capacity 骨灰安放容量 [®] | |
| Maximum number of sets of ashes that may be interred in the niches 在龕位內最多可安放骨灰的數量 Maximum number of sets of ashes that may be interred other than in niches 在非龕位的範圍內最多可安放骨灰的數量 | |
| Total number of niches 爺位總數 | |
| Total number of single niches 單人龕位總數 | |
| Number of single niches (sold and occupied) 單人爺位數目 (已售並佔用) Number of single niches (sold but unoccupied) 單人龕位數目 (已售但未佔用) Number of single niches (residual for sale) 單人爺位數目 (待售) | |
| Total number of double niches 雙人龕位總數 | |
| Number of double niches (sold and fully occupied) 雙人爺位數目 (已售並全部佔用) Number of double niches (sold and partially occupied) 雙人龕位數目 (已售並部分佔用) Number of double niches (sold but unoccupied) 雙人龕位數目 (已售但未佔用) Number of double niches (residual for sale) 雙人龕位數目 (待售) | |
| Total no. of niches other than single or double niches (please specify type) 除單人及雙人爺位外的其他爺位總數 (講列明類別) | |
| Number. of niches (sold and fully occupied) 爺位數目 (已售並全部佔用) Number of niches (sold and partially occupied) 爺位數目 (已售並部分佔用) Number of niches (sold but unoccupied) 爺位數目 (已售但未佔用) Number of niches (residual for sale) 爺位數目 (待售) | |
| Proposed operating hours 擬議營運時間 | · · |
| Ash interment capacity in relation to a columbarium means – 就靈灰安置所而言,骨灰安放容量指: the maximum number of containers of ashes that may be interred in each niche in the columbarium; 每個愈位內可安放的骨灰容器的最高數目; the maximum number of sets of ashes that may be interred other than in niches in any area in the coluction columbarium and the total number of sets of ashes that may be interred in the columbarium. 在該蜀灰安置所內,總共最多可安放多少份骨灰。 | ınbarium; and |

附帶規劃文件

按城市規劃條例第16條的規劃許可申請·現於新界元朗大棠鄉丈量約份DD116LOT NO. 1445RP(部份), 1446, 1609(部份), 1610(部份), 1612SB.ssl, 1612SB.RP(部份)及毗鄰政 府土地,進行規劃申請。

地帶:

「農業」

用途: 「擬議宗教機構 (佛教寺院)連附屬設施」

場地面積:「約2118平方米」

行政摘要:

申請人現依據城規條例第 16 條向城市規劃委員會申請,擬在新界元朗大棠鄉丈量約份 DD116 LOT NO. 1445RP(部份),1446,1609(部份),1610(部份),1612SB.ss1,1612SB.RP(部份)及毗鄰政府土地,申請作「擬議宗教機構 (佛教寺院)連附屬設施」用途。

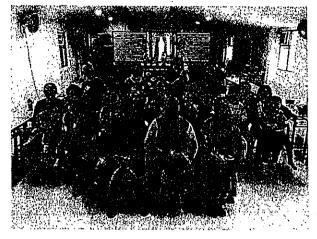
申請地點位於大棠分區計劃大綱圖 (法定圖則編號:S/YL-TT/18)的「農業」用途地帶內,申請用途屬於大綱圖第二欄「須先向城市規劃委員會申請,可能在有附帶條件或無附帶條件下獲准的用途」中的 「宗教機構(未另有列明者)」用途。

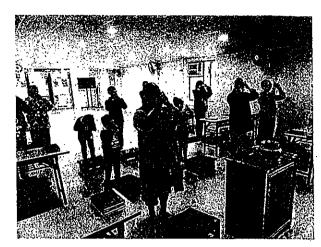
申請人「香港蓮華寺」是公共性質的非牟利慈善組織,以「慈悲喜捨」為宗旨,不時舉辦佛學講座和體驗營等活動,向市民推廣佛教精神。是次申請希望可以為香港佛教信眾提供場所,進行佛法修行和講經,推廣佛學理念,同時亦可為本地村民提供一些社區服務。

申請地點不會取代該區作「農業」用途的永久規劃意向。如是次規劃申請獲得批准,申請人承諾會在期限前盡快完成所有相關的附帶條件,並符合相關政府部門的要求,並在獲得相關部門接受後馬上落實及邀請相關部門人員至申請場地檢閱,因此申請人懇請城規會可以考慮批准是次之申請。

推廣佛學活動之詳情,請參閱以下資料文件。

兒童佛學營







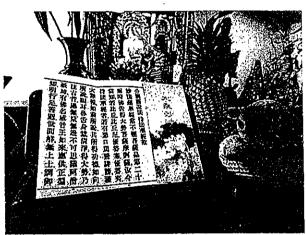


傳戒法會









疫情期間協助隔離、贈送物資、輔助老弱



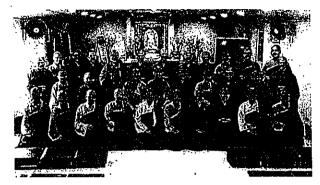






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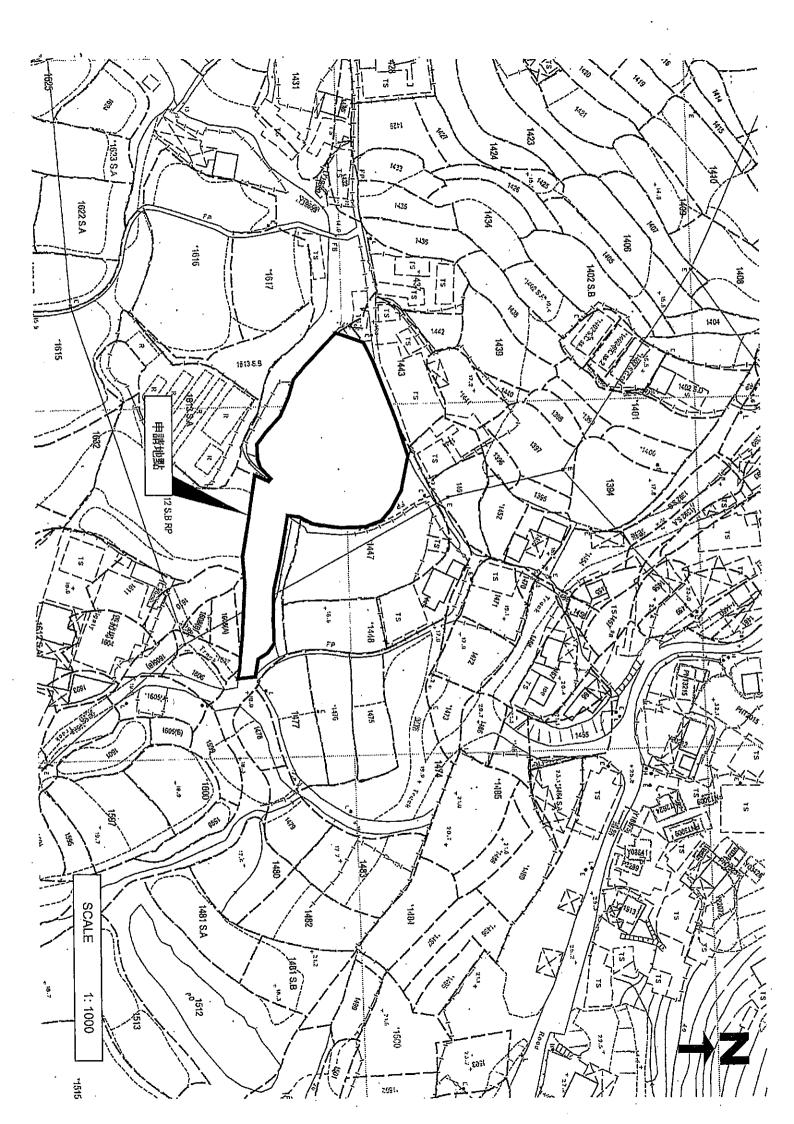




申請位置

申請地點位於新界元朗大棠鄉丈量約份 DD116 LOT NO. 1445RP(部份), 1446, 1609(部份), 1610(部份), 1612SB.ssl, 1612SB.RP(部份)及毗鄰政府土地, 申請地點場地面積約2118 平方米,其中政府土地佔約50平方米。

詳情請參閱以下圖則。



場地設計

申請地點作為佛教寺院用途,當中擬議設置有2個構築物,作宗教用途、廁所、休息室 及儲物室用途。

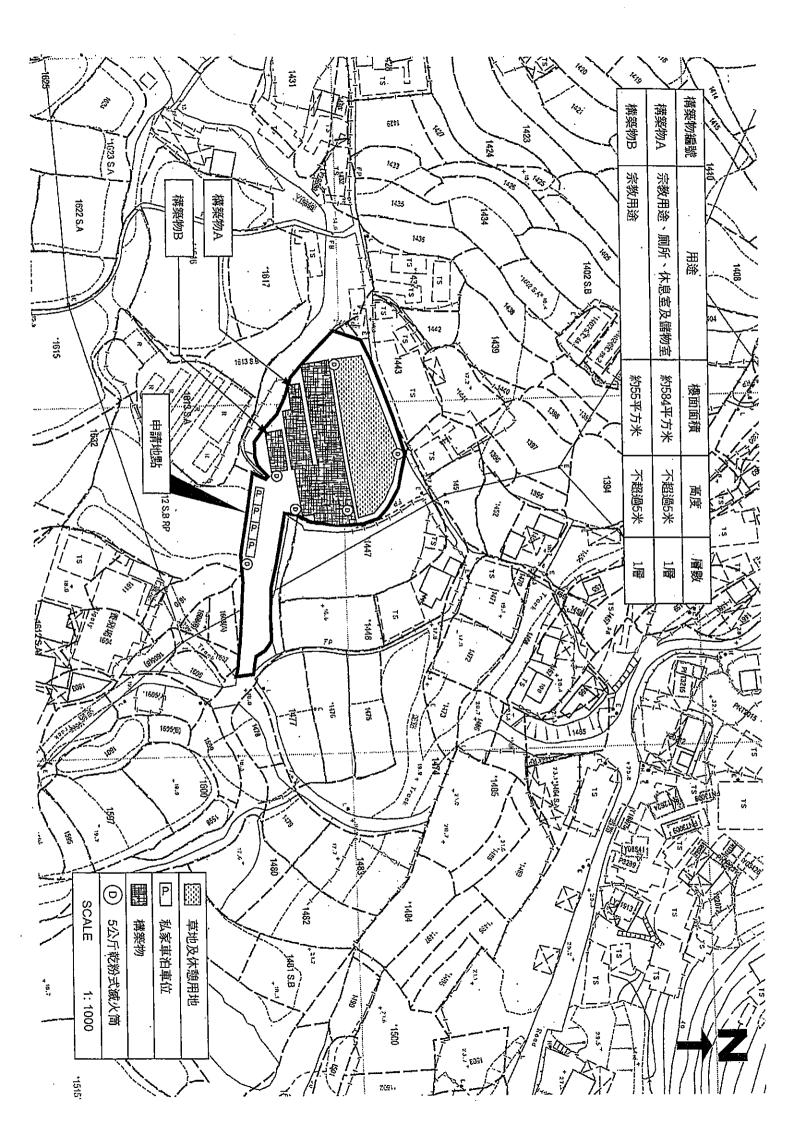
申請地點設有一個草地及休憩用地,以供信眾作為休息和修行之用。

申請地點內只作佛法修行和講經,不會有骨灰龕或鹽灰安置服務提供。

申請地點內設有私家車泊車位 4 個,每個尺寸約 5 米 x 2.5 米。

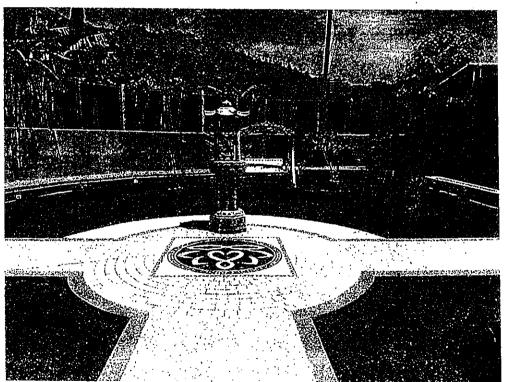
申請地點內不會停泊貨櫃車或重量超過5.5噸的車輛。

詳情請參閱以下圖則。

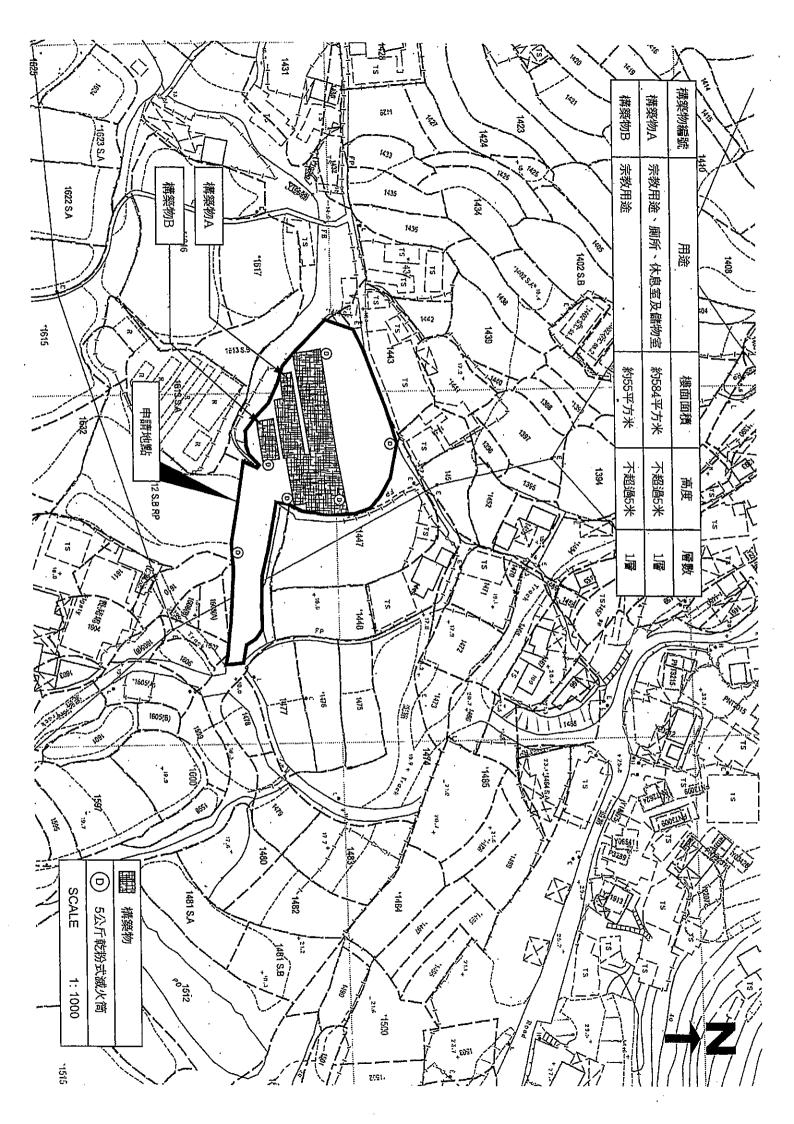


草地及休憩用地現場環境相片





消防裝置



交通運輸

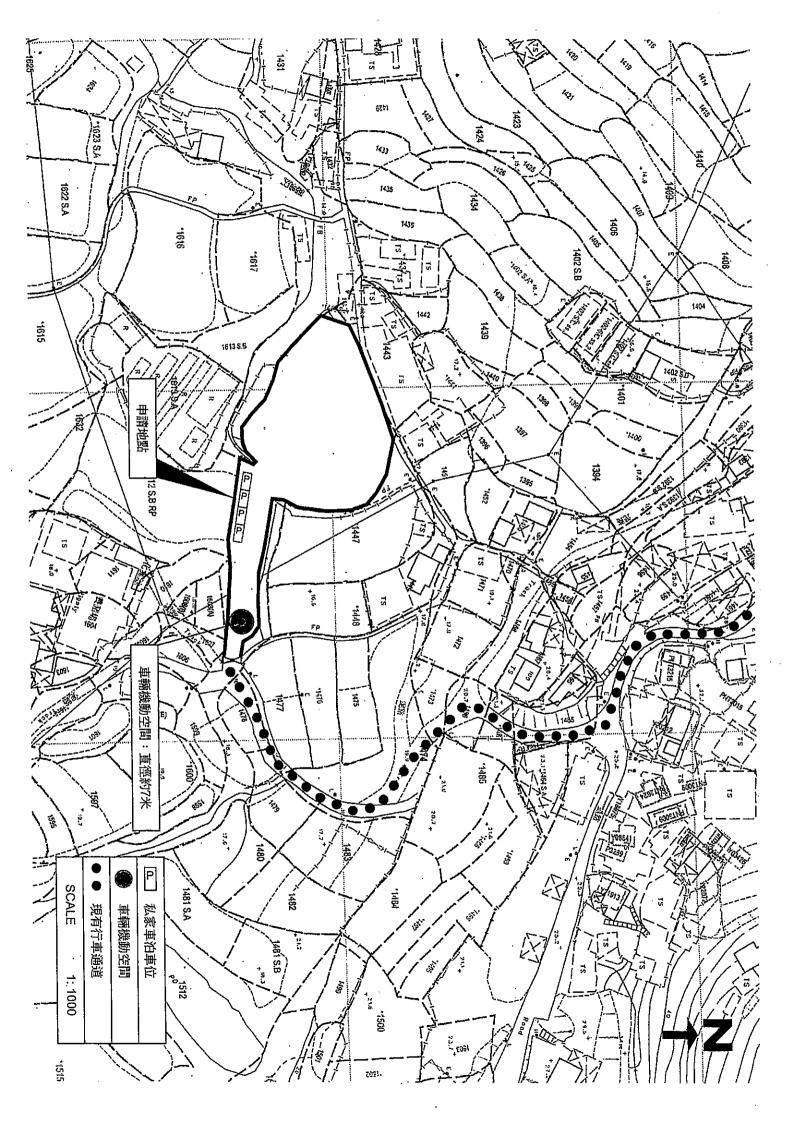
申請地點東面有一個明確的出入口,可以直通青山公路元朗段。

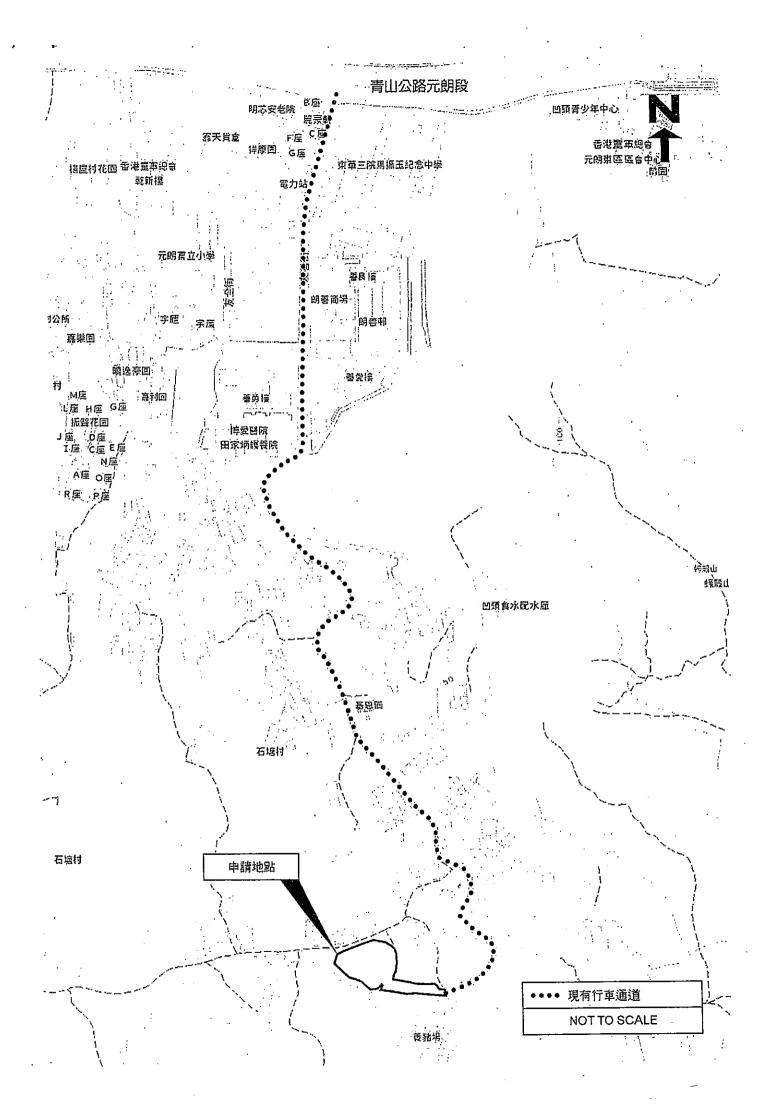
申請地點內有足夠的地方,供給車輛進行機動迴旋。

申請地點內不會停泊貨櫃車或重量超過5.5噸的車輛。

申請地點預計平均每星期約有8輛車輛進出,不會提高申請地點附近的汽車流量,就整體而言,不會對附近交通構成影響。

詳情請參閱以下圖則。

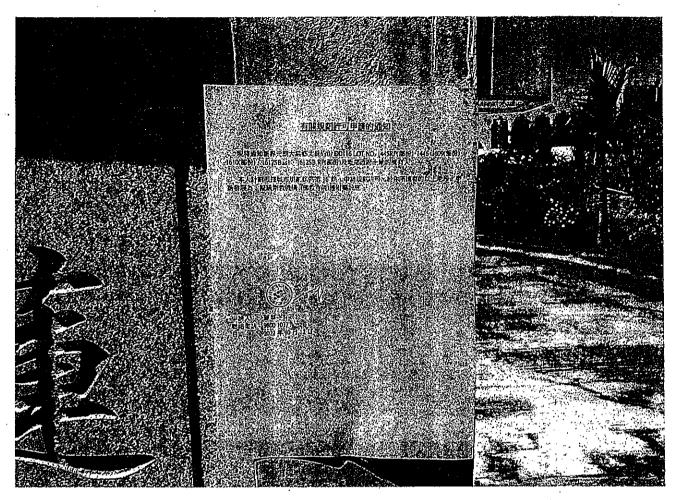




有關規劃許可申請的通知。

現特組和新導。 1610(部的),1612SB sc1、1612SB RP(相似的基础的形态是超過**對**有效。

本人計劃根據展高加加。 計發展為了操作系列取個。例為對於加州國際加拿





致:十八鄉鄉事委員會:

有關規劃許可申請的通知

現特通知新界元朗大棠鄉丈量約份 DDI16 LOT NO. 1445RP(部份), 1446, 1609(部份), 1610(部份), 1612SB.ssi, 1612SB.RP(部份)及毗鄰政府土地的擁有人:

本人計劃根據城市規劃條例第 16 條,申請規劃許可,於你所擁有的以上地段,申請發展為「擬議宗教機構 (佛教寺院)連附屬設施」。

請將本通知張貼於 貴大厦/辦事處的告示板,或你認為合適的當眼處,以告知擁有人這宗申請。

2年10月12日

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屯門及元朗西規劃處

有關規劃申請 A/YL-TT/579 補充資料

獲授權代理人現就日前政府部門的意見/查詢,作出以下補充/修改:

- 1. 澄清申請地點填土厚度約 0.15 米,填土材料為水泥。
- 2. S16-I 申請表格內容。

隨件附上相關文件,以作參考。

獲授權代理人: 志科有限公司

通訊地址: 新界元朗八鄉錦田公路橫台山新村 40D

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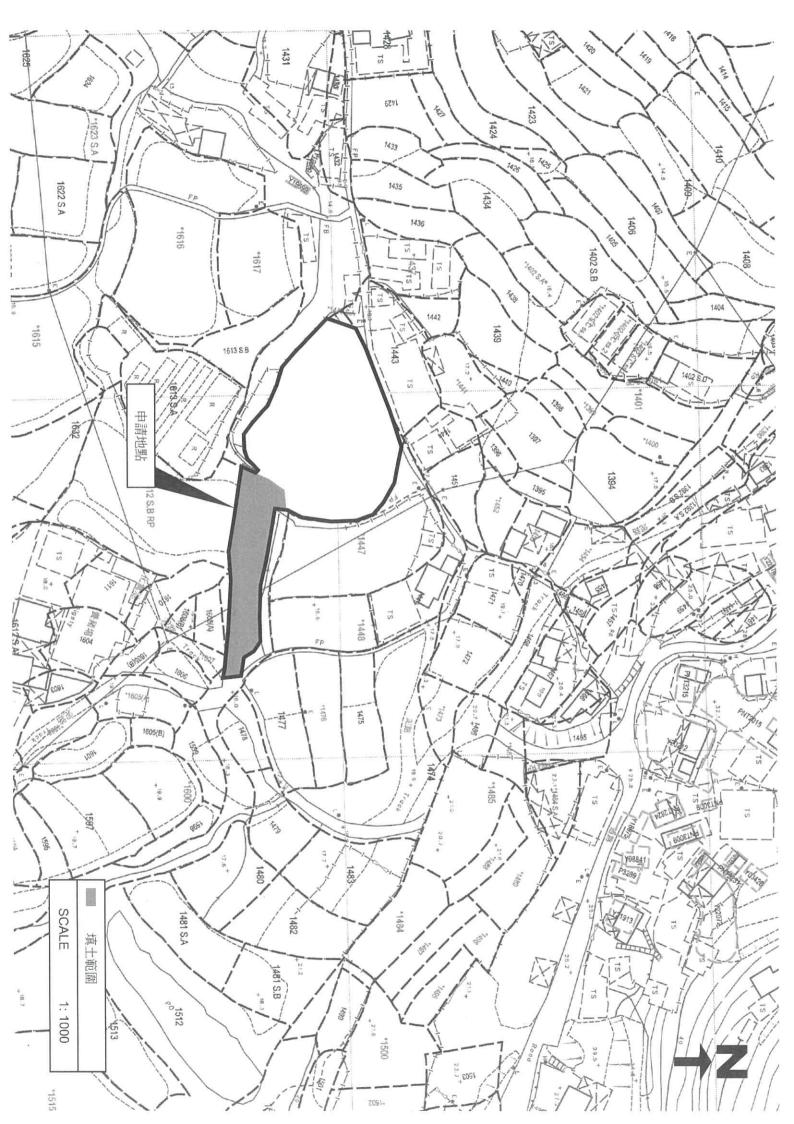
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日期: 2022年12月22日

| 6. | Type(s) | of Application 申請類別 |
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| | Type (i) 第(i)類 | Change of use within existing building or part thereof 更改現有建築物或其部分內的用途 |
| \checkmark | Type (ii) | Diversion of stream / excavation of land / filling of land / filling of pond as required under Notes of Statutory |
| | 第(ii)類 | Plan(s) 根據法定圖則《註釋》內所要求的河道改道/挖土/填土/填塘工程 |
| | Type (iii) 第(iii)類 | Public utility installation / Utility installation for private project 公用事業設施裝置/私人發展計劃的公用設施裝置 |
| | Type (iv) 第(iv)類 | Minor relaxation of stated development restriction(s) as provided under Notes of Statutory Plan(s) 略為放寬於法定圖則《註釋》內列明的發展限制 |
| 4 | Type (v) 第(v)類 | Use / development other than (i) to (iii) above 上述的(i)至(iii)項以外的用途/發展 |
| Note 1: May insert more than one 「✓」. 註 1: 可在多於一個方格內加上「✓」號 Note 2: For Development involving columbarium use, please complete the table in the Appendix. 註 2: 如發展涉及靈灰安置所用途,請填妥於附件的表格。 | | |

| (i) For Type (i) application 供第(i)類申請 | | | | | | |
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| (a) Total floor area involved 涉及的總樓面面積 | | | | sq.m | 平方洲 | 4 |
| (b) Proposed use(s)/development 擬議用途/發展 | the use and g | gross floor area) | nstitution or community 設施,請在圖則上顯示 | | | ıstrate on plan and specify 總樓面面積) |
| (c) Number of storeys involved 涉及層數 | | | Number of units inv 涉及單位數目 | olved | | |
| (d) Proposed floor area 擬議樓面面積 | Domestic p | art 住用部分 . | | sq.m 🕌 | 方米 | □About 約 |
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獲授權代理人現就日前政府部門的意見/查詢,作出以下補充/修改:

- 1. 澄清申請地點不會有焚燒紙錢的活動。
- 2. 澄清申請地點內不涉及有工程施工。
- 3. 申請地點內設有化糞池作為污水處理系統,申請人會定期安排承辦商進行清理,不 會影響附近環境,化糞池設置在申請地點廁所附近。
- 4. 申請地點預計平均每天約有 2 個場地人員在場地中進行維護和清理,預計平均每星期會有 24 名訪客進入申請地點進行佛法修行,申請地點只作講經和推廣佛學理念, 不提供住宿服務。
- 5. 申請地點預計平均每天有2輛私家車進出,在佛教節日或活動時會增至4輛私家車, 進入申請地點的人士大多數靠公共交通工具抵達申請地點北面的巴士站後,再徒步 進入申請地點。
- 6. 提供申請地點私家車泊車位及車輛機動空間圖則。
- 7. 澄清申請地點不提供安置骨灰龕位或牌位服務。

隨件附上相關文件以作參考,如造成不便,敬請原諒。

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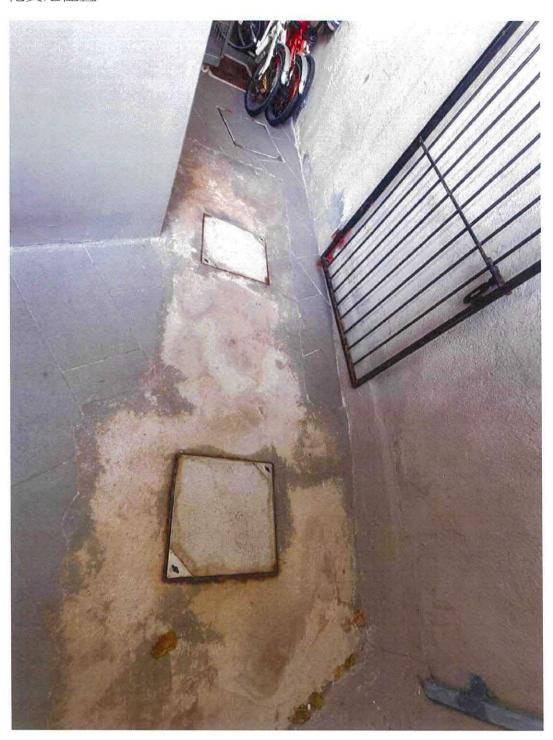
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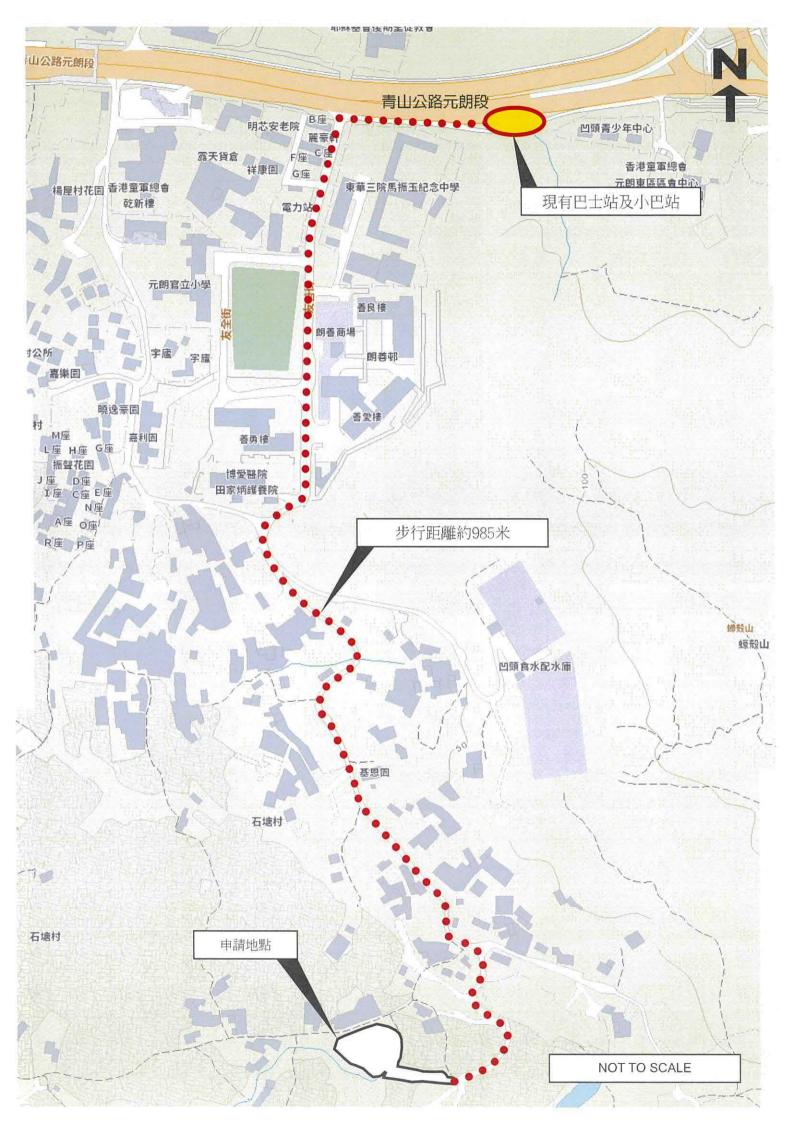
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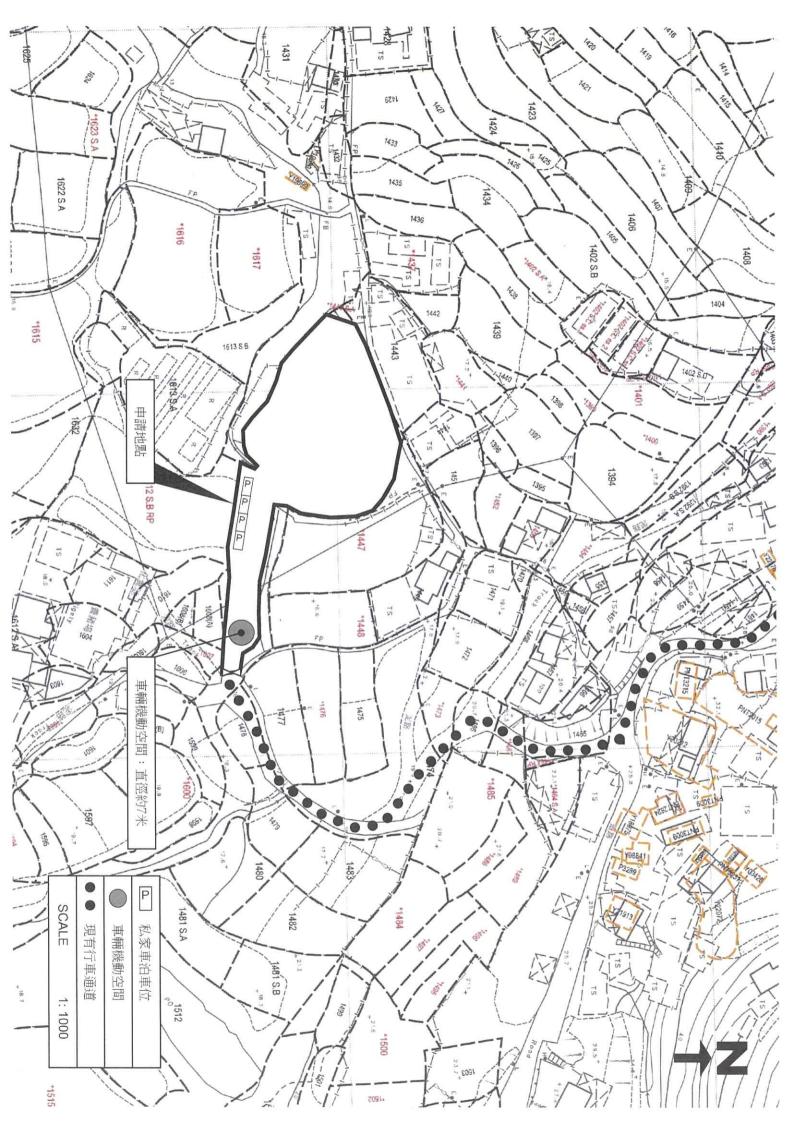
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Previous Applications covering the Application Site

Rejected Applications

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| 1 | A/YL-TT/316 | Religious Institution (Temple) with Ancillary Staff Quarters | 4.7.2014 on Review | (1), (2), (3) |
| 2 | A/YL-TT/372 | Proposed Filling of Land for Permitted Agricultural Use | 4.3.2016 | (1), (3) |

Rejection Reasons:

- (1) not in line with the planning intention of the "Agriculture" zone
- (2) failure to demonstrate that the proposed development would not pose adverse vehicular and pedestrian traffic impacts and cause environmental nuisances
- (3) setting an undesirable precedent for other similar applications



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執事先生

支持「香港蓮華寺」申請

將 DD116 LOT1446 元朗坳頭石塘村 105 號改變為宗教機構用地

香港佛教團體在香港發展千多年時間,秉持佛陀無私奉獻的精神,致 力弘揚佛法,淨化心靈,推動慈善事業,造福大眾,並團結香港及海內外 佛教團體之間的合作,促進社會和諧。

有關「香港蓮華寺有限公司」向城市規劃委員會提出改變土地用途為「宗教機構」的申請,本會鄭重表示贊成及鼎力支持。本人相信,如果政府當局能早日批准,定能為佛教團體的發展奠下良好而穩固的基石。

過去幾年,社會運動導致大眾因生活、工作壓力及社會環境等因素而感到迷失,蓮華寺不但給予大家一個綠化清幽的環境培養寧靜的心情,大眾更可透過農禪的體驗學會積極、樂觀地生活,以耕作為禪修,透過勞動培養大眾正向積極的心態,隨緣盡心地為社會建立良好風氣。作為一個寧靜修行的地方,蓮華寺亦舉辦共修法會、佛學班講座、兒童佛學生活營及兩岸三地毗尼營講座等,讓大眾心靈得以淨化,盡心為和諧社會出一分力。

據了解,香港蓮華寺只保持淨修之所,寺內不設骨灰安置所,運作奉行環保。本會得悉香港蓮華寺有限公司(蓮華寺農禪道場)因土地用途問題而需要清拆有關建築物,並面臨流離失所的情況,造成如此結果,佛教界感到非常不安。

特此專函,希望政府對「香港蓮華寺有限公司」改變土地用途為「宗 教機構」的申請給予支持,利益眾生,功德無量。

香港佛教聯合會

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村長楊琛華代表楊屋村及石塘村表示,一向支持志願者,在本村及社區發展,維護國家安全,利益大眾的精神為依歸。

本人代表支持"蓮華寺"位於元朗坳頭石塘村105號。負責人釋普莊法師承諾,蓮華寺永不作骨灰安置所,過去10年來,亦不會因而引起交通擠塞。蓮華寺只作農禪道場,務實地推廣佛法,以耕作為禪修,透過勞動培養大眾正向積極的心態,以此建立良好的社會風氣,對本村及社區帶來正能量,共同安定人心。

因此敬請城市規劃委員會,批准"蓮華寺"在元朗 坳頭石塘村105號,是次成功申請為"宗教機構"的土 地用途,給予認可。

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香港是個文化相當多元的國際城市,對於宗教與風俗亦是展現出極大包容性。根據《香港基本法》第32和141條,以及香港法例383章《香港人權法案條例》,信仰及宗教自由是香港居民享有的基本權利之一,並受到法例保障。

現有位於元朗坳頭石塘村 105 號的佛教 "蓮華寺" 正向 貴會申請改變土地用途為 "宗教機構",並於當區展開居民意向咨詢。負責人釋普莊法師表示寺廟只作農禪道場,務實推廣佛法,並承諾永不作骨灰安置所,亦會配合當區社區規劃,期望為當區帶來正能量,建立良好社會風氣,共同安定人心。

本人亦收到蓮華寺負責人釋普莊法師的咨詢邀請,並僅以個人元 朗區議員身份就意向咨詢表示支持,冀機構能服務社區,造福居民。

沈豪傑議員辦事處

2022年10月10日



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2 December 2022

Chairman and members
Town Planning Board
15/F North Point Government Offices,
333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong
(E-mail: tpbpd@pland.gov.hk)

Dear Sir/Madam,

By E-mail ONLY

Re: Proposed Religious Institution (Temple) in "Agriculture" in Tai Tong in Yuen Long (A/YL-TT/579)

WWF would like to lodge an objection to the captioned proposal.

Unauthorised development and continued illegal land use

By comparing the location plan and site plan in the gist of the captioned application with satellite images retrieved from Google Earth, it seems likely that the affected areas detailed below match with the boundary of the application site.

The earliest satellite image of the application site on Google Earth shows various built structures as at 1 November 2000 (Fig 1). By April 2011, the built structures appear to have been upgraded with new roofs and previously vegetated areas to the south-east of the application site have been degraded to provide an access road from the application site to the nearby village (Fig 2). By March 2012, the access road appears to have been partly paved with concrete and the area immediately next to the application site appears to be used for vehicle parking (Fig 3). By December 2017, the northern portion of the application site which had previously been used for agriculture has been degraded to bare earth (Fig 4). The latest satellite image available (2 March 2022) shows a similar situation, with the northern portion of the application site appearing to be used as a landscaped garden (Fig 5).

together possible.

We note that a previous application (A/YL-TT/316) for Religious Institution (Temple) with Ancillary Staff Quarters was initially rejected by the Rural and New Town Planning Committee on 17 January 2014 and subsequently rejected on review by the Town Planning Board on 4 July 2014. The application site of A/YL-TT/316 falls within the application site of the captioned proposal. Despite this rejection, according to searches made on 28 November 2022, there was a religious institution with an online presence at the application site called "蓮華寺" (see Figs 6, 7 and 8). We query whether the applicant of the captioned proposal is the same as the applicant of A/YL-TT/316 and whether this religious institution has been illegally operated from the application site for the past eight years.

In reviewing A/YL-TT/316, it was noted that the application site was "was an agricultural lot and both LandsD and BD had not given approval for erection of the structures on the [application site]. The religious institution use on the [application site] was subject to investigation by the Planning Authority. Warning letters against the suspected unauthorised development were issued to the concerned parties. Collection of relevant information from concerned departments was underway. Should sufficient evidence be available to demonstrate that an unauthorised development under the Ordinance occurred on the [application site], enforcement action would be taken." We query whether sufficient evidence has since become available and the relevant enforcement actions have been taken or whether the investigation regarding the structures at the application site is still ongoing.

We suspect a "destroy first, build later" approach has been adopted by acquiring land with degraded vegetation and unauthorised structures in order to obtain planning permission. If the applicant had in fact knowingly acquired the land with its unauthorised structures, the Town Planning Board should not be seen to "legitimise" such illegal structures and continued illegal land use by approving the application.

We would ask the Town Planning Board to clarify with the relevant government authorities whether unauthorised development has occured at the application site. If so, we would ask the Town Planning Board to proactively deter such "destroy first, build later" planning applications so as to be consistent with the Government press release on 4 July 2011 which states that "the [Town Planning] Board is determined to conserve the rural and natural environment and will not tolerate any deliberate action to destroy the rural and

¹ Minutes of 1062nd Meeting of the Town Planning Board held on 4 July 2014, §95

natural environment in the hope that the Board would give sympathetic consideration to subsequent development on the site concerned"².

Planning intention of "Agriculture" ("AGR") zoning

The application site of the captioned proposal falls within an area zoned "Agriculture" ("AGR") under Approved Tai Tong Outline Zoning Plan No. S/YL-TT/18, the planning intention of which is "primarily to retain and safeguard good quality agricultural land/farm/fish ponds for agricultural purposes. It is also intended to retain fallow arable land with good potential for rehabilitation for cultivation and other agricultural purposes." The captioned proposal is not in line with the planning intention of "AGR" zoning. We also query whether the other concerns raised by the Town Planning Board in reviewing A/YL-TT/316, namely that the proposed development would not pose adverse vehicular and pedetrian traffic impacts and cause environmetal nuisance to residents in the surrounding area, have been adequately addressed by the applicant of the captioned proposal.

Undesirable precedent

Approval of this proposal would set an undesirable precedent for other similar applications, the cumulative effect of which would adversely impact the surrounding areas.

We would be grateful if our comments could be considered by the Town Planning Board and the captioned proposal rejected.

Yours faithfully, Cynthia Tung Policy Analyst, WWF-Hong Kong

² http://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/201107/04/P201107040255.htm

Fig 1 Aerial view of application site and vicinity as of 1 November 2000



Image source: Google Earth (Accessed on 28 November 2022)

Fig 2 Aerial view of application site and vicinity as of 11 April 2011



Image source: Google Earth (Accessed on 28 November 2022)

Fig 3 Aerial view of application site and vicinity as of 25 March 2012



Image source: Google Earth (Accessed on 28 November 2022)

Fig 4 Aerial view of application site and vicinity as of 1 December 2017



Image source: Google Earth (Accessed on 28 November 2022)

Fig 5 Aerial view of application site and vicinity as of 2 March 2022



Image source: Google Earth (Accessed on 28 November 2022)

Fig 6 Zoomed in street view at application site as of April 2022



Image source: Google Maps (Accessed on 28 November 2022)

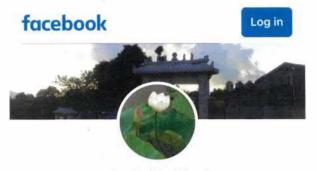


Fig 7 Facebook Page of 香港蓮華寺 Image source: Facebook (Accessed on 28 November 2022)

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Fig 8 Google Maps Listing of 蓮華寺

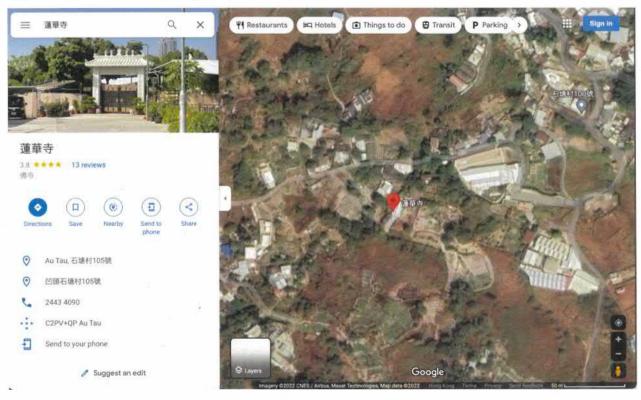


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A/YL-TT/579

Lots 1445 RP (Part), 1446, 1609 (Part), 1610 (Part), 1612 S.B ss.1 and 1612 S.B RP (Part) in D.D. 116 and Adjoining Government Land, Tai Tong

Site area: About 2,118sq.m

Zoning: "Agriculture"

Applied use: 2 Block Religious Institution (Temple) / 565sg.m OS / 4 Vehicle Parking

Dear TPB Members.

Clearly the application for a much larger site for the ongoing but unapproved operation is intended to expand the columbarium, rent seeking from the dead, enterprise.

No information with regard to the identity of the sect apart from references to Buddhism.

A/YL-TT/316: Lot 1446 in D.D. 116, Shek Tong Tsuen, Site area About 824sq.m Religious Institution

1062nd TPB MEETING ON 04.07.2014 (Note lengthy discussion)

After deliberation, the Board decided to reject the application on review. Members then went through the reasons for rejection of the review application as stated in paragraph 8.1 of the Paper and considered that they were appropriate. The reasons were:

- (a) the proposed development is not in line with the planning intention of the "Agriculture" ("AGR") zoning for the area which is primarily intended to retain and safeguard good quality agricultural land/farm/fish ponds for agricultural purposes. It is also intended to retain fallow arable land with good potential for rehabilitation for cultivation and other agricultural purposes. There is no strong planning justification provided in the submission to justify a departure from the planning intention;
- (b) the applicant fails to demonstrate that the proposed development would not

pose adverse vehicular and pedestrian traffic impacts and cause environmental nuisances to residents in the surrounding areas; and

(c) the approval of the application would set an undesirable precedent for other similar applications within the subject "AGR" zone. The cumulative impacts of approving such similar applications would result in a general degradation to the environment of the area.

The Site was currently occupied for the applied use without valid planning permission and was not subject of any previous planning application. The religious institution use currently found at the Site was subject to investigation for unauthorized development of religious institution use:

The tablets found in one of the worship halls within the Site were not ancestral/spirit tablets. They were mainly to honour the deceased in hopes for rebirth, and were not for worshipping purpose;

(v) there would be no columbarium use within the Site.

BUT

Mr Wong Sun Wo said that they would accept any request to place a tablet in 地藏殿

upon voluntary donations to the temple.

Ms Sik Po Jont said that she had not counted the number of tablets in details, but estimated that there might be **around 200 odd tablets**

The Member further said that it appeared that about 250 tablets could be accommodated on each of the three walls in 地藏殿, hence a total of some 750 tablets might be accommodated therein.

According to the applicant submission at the s.16 application stage, the temple would hold various religious/worshipping events with about 80 to 100 visitors/worshippers on a weekly basis.

Application 372: 552nd RNTPC MEETING ON 04.03.2016

After deliberation, the Committee decided to reject the application. The reasons were :

(a) the proposed filling of land for construction of an access road and structures ancillary to agricultural use is not in line with the planning intention of the "Agriculture" ("AGR") zone which is primarily to retain and safeguard good quality agricultural land/farm/fish ponds for agricultural purposes and to retain fallow arable land with good potential for rehabilitation for cultivation and other agricultural purposes. The applicant fails to demonstrate in the submission that the proposed land filling is essential for genuine agricultural propose; and

(b) the approval of the application would set an undesirable precedent for similar applications within the "AGR" zone. The cumulative effect of approving such application would result in a general degradation of the environment of the area and adverse landscape impact on the surrounding areas.

So more visitors and more Tablets (Niches?) but no parking and evidently little change with regard to the traffic issues.

Members should question what, if any, enforcement action was taken after the previous rejections and consider that the application is nothing more than an expansion of the lucrative 'columbarium' at an inappropriate location.

Mary Mulvihill

From:

To: tpbpd <tpbpd@pland.gov.hk>

Date: Wednesday, 10 February 2016 1:09 AM CST

Subject: A/YL-TT/372 Shek Tong Tsuen

A/YL-TT/372

Lot 1612 S.B RP (Part) in D.D. 116, Shek Tong Tsuen, Yuen Long

Site area : 480 m² Zoning : "Agriculture"

Applied Development: Proposed Filling of Land for Permitted Agricultural Use

Dear TPB Members.

Am I missing something, arable land of 480sqmts but proposed structures of 221sqmts, as the Yanks say 'Do the Math', almost 50% of the site would be built over. No genuine farmer would devote such a high percentage of productive land to sheds. Moreover how many tools and equipment would such a small holding require? Rest area, give over, real farmers do not go to the land to rest.

The most kind description one could give this application is dodgy. It has all the appearance of the typical fill in the land, degrade it and then apply for conversion to residential development.

The proposed development is not in line with the planning intention of the "Agriculture" zone which is to retain and safeguard good agricultural land for agricultural purposes. This zone is also intended to retain fallow arable land with good potential for rehabilitation. No strong planning justification has been given in the submission for a departure from the planning intention.

Approval of the applications would set an undesirable precedent of encouraging further encroachment on Agriculture zoned land. According to the Policy Address 126: The Government proactively supports the development of local agriculture and will explore ways to optimize use of quality agricultural land through planning and land management.

TPB must reject this application.

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Advisory Clauses

- (a) prior planning permission should have been obtained before commencing the applied use at the application site (the Site);
- (b) the planning permission is given to the development/uses under application. It does not condone any other development/use (i.e. staff accommodation) which currently exists on the Site but not covered by the application. Immediate action should be taken to discontinue such development/use not covered by the permission;
- (c) to note the comments of the District Lands Officer/Yuen Long, Lands Department that:
 - (i) the Site comprises Government land (GL) and Old Schedule Agricultural Lots held under the Block Government Lease which contains the restriction that no structures are allowed to be erected without the prior approval of the Government;
 - (ii) no permission is given for occupation of GL (about 50m², subject to verification) included in the Site. Any occupation of GL without Government's prior approval is not allowed. The lot owner(s) should case/regularise the existing occupation of GL as demanded by his department; and
 - (iii) the lots owners will need to apply to his office to permit the structure(s) to be erected or regularise any irregularities on site. Besides, given the proposed use is temporary in nature, only application for regularisation or erection of temporary structure(s) will be considered. Furthermore, the applicant has to either exclude the remaining GL portion from the application site or apply for a formal approval prior to the actual occupation of the GL portion with the STT. Application for any of the above will be considered by her department acting in the capacity as 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 rent or fee, as may be imposed by his department;
- (d) to note the comments of the Commissioner for Transport that:
 - consent of the owners/managing parties of the local track should be obtained for using it as the vehicular access to the Site;
- (e) to note the comments of the Chief Highway Engineer/New Territories West, Highways Department that:
 - (i) the access roads connecting the Site with Yau Shin Street is not and will not be maintained by his office; and
 - (ii) adequate drainage measures should be provided at the site access to prevent surface water running from the Site to nearby public roads or exclusive road drains;
- (f) to note the comments of the Director of Environmental Protection that:
 - (i) in the process of land filling, the land should not be filled with construction waste and it is applicant's responsibility to comply with all relevant environmental legislations during construction and operation of the project. The applicant should follow the 'Recommended Pollution Control Clauses for Construction Contracts' to minimise the

- environmental impacts during the construction stage; and
- (ii) the design and construction of the septic tank and soakaway system should follow the requirements of the Professional Persons Environmental Consultative Committee Practice Note No. 5/93 "Drainage Plans subject to Comment by the Environmental Protection Department" and be duly certified by an Authorised Person (AP);
- (g) to note the specific comment on the submitted fire service installation (FSI) proposal and general comments of the Director of Fire Services that:
 - (i) sprinkler system, modified hose reel system, fire alarm system, emergency lighting, exit sign and fire extinguishers shall be provided for structure with total floor area exceeding 230m²; and
 - (ii) if the proposed structure(s) is required to comply with the Buildings Ordinance (BO) (Cap. 123), detailed fire service requirements will be formulated upon receipt of formal submission of general building plans. Licensing requirement, if any, will be formulated upon receipt of formal application via relevant licensing authority;
- (h) to note the comments of the Chief Building Surveyor/New Territories West, Buildings Department (BD) that:
 - (i) 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;
 - (ii) 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;
 - (iii) if the existing structures (not being a New Territories Exempted House) are erected on leased land without approval of the Building Authority (BA), they are UBW under the BO and should not be designated for any proposed use under the application;
 - (iv) 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;
 - (v) 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, prior approval and consent of the BA should be obtained, otherwise they are UBW under the BO. An AP should be appointed as the co-ordinator for the proposed building works in accordance with the BO;
 - (vi) any temporary shelters or converted containers for office, storage, washroom or other uses considered as temporary buildings are subject to the control of Part VII of the B(P)R; and
 - (vii)detailed checking under the BO will be carried out at building plan submission stage.