RNTPC Paper No. A/NE-LYT/821 For Consideration by the Rural and New Town Planning <u>Committee on 26.1.2024</u>

APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION UNDER SECTION 16 OF THE TOWN PLANNING ORDINANCE

APPLICATION NO. A/NE-LYT/821

<u>Applicant</u>	:	Mr. LEE Lok Hang represented by Ching Wan Engineering Consultants Company
<u>Site</u>	:	Lot 1644 S.A in D.D. 76, Kan Tau Tsuen, Fanling, New Territories
<u>Site Area</u>	:	161.51m ² (about)
Lease	:	Block Government Lease (demised for agricultural use)
<u>Plan</u>	:	Approved Lung Yeuk Tau and Kwan Tei South Outline Zoning Plan (OZP) No. S/NE-LYT/19
<u>Zonings</u>	:	 (i) "Agriculture" ("AGR") (about 99.6% of the Site) (ii) "Village Type Development" ("V") (about 0.4% of the Site)¹
Application	:	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House (NTEH) - Small House)

1. <u>The Proposal</u>

- 1.1 The applicant, who claimed himself as indigenous villager of Lau Shui Heung of Fanling Heung², seeks planning permission to build a proposed NTEH (Small House) on the application site (the Site) in Kan Tau Tsuen, Fanling (**Plans A-1 and A-2a**). The Site falls within an area zoned "AGR" on the OZP. According to the Notes of the OZP, 'House (NTEH only)' is a Column 2 use within the "AGR" zone which requires planning permission from the Town Planning Board (the Board).
- 1.2 Details of the proposed NTEH (Small House) are as follows:

Total Floor Area	:	195.09m ²
Number of Storeys	:	3
Building Height	:	8.23m
Roofed over Area	:	65.03m ²

The applicant indicates that the uncovered area of the Site would be used as garden. The layout of the proposed Small House (including septic tank) are shown in **Drawing A-1**.

¹ About 0.7m² (i.e. 0.4%) of the Site falls within the "V" zone, which is considered as minor boundary adjustment and not included in the planning assessments.

² As advised by District Lands Officer/North, Lands Department (DLO/N, LandsD), the applicant's eligibility for Small House concessionary grants has yet to be ascertained.

- 1.3 The Site is the subject of a previously approved application No. A/NE-LYT/629 submitted by a different applicant for the same use. Details of the previous application are set out in paragraph 5.1 below. Compared with the previous application, the major development parameters and layout of the Small House are generally the same as the current one.
- 1.4 In support of the application, the applicant has submitted an Application Form with attachment and Supplementary Information (SI) received on 13.12.2023 and 18.12.2023 (**Appendix I**).

2. Justifications from the Applicant

The justifications put forth by the applicant in support of the application are detailed at **Appendix I** and summarized as follows:

- (a) the Site is the subject of a previously approved application No. A/NE-LYT/629;
- (b) the Site falls within the village 'environs' ('VE') and the applicant is an indigenous villager who is entitled to Small House grant in accordance with the Small House Policy; and
- (c) the proposed Small House is compatible with the surrounding areas.

3. <u>Compliance with the "Owner's Consent/Notification" Requirements</u>

The applicant is the sole "current land owner" of respective lot of the Site. Detailed information would be deposited at the meeting for Members' inspection.

4. Assessment Criteria

The set of Interim Criteria for Consideration of Application for New Territories Exempted House (NTEH)/Small House in New Territories (the Interim Criteria) was first promulgated on 24.11.2000. The latest set of Interim Criteria, which was promulgated on 7.9.2007, is at **Appendix II**.

5. <u>Previous Application</u>

- 5.1 The Site is the subject of a previous application No. A/NE-LYT/629 submitted by a different applicant for the same use (**Plan A-2a**). The application was approved by the Rural and New Town Planning Committee (the Committee) on 23.6.2017 mainly on sympathetic consideration of being in line with the Interim Criteria in that more than 50% of the footprints of proposed Small House fell within the 'VE' of Kan Tau Tsuen; the site was in close proximity to the existing village proper of Kan Tau Tsuen; and there were approved Small House applications nearby. The planning permission lapsed on 24.6.2021.
- 5.2 Details of the previous application are summarized at **Appendix III** and its location is shown on **Plan A-2a**.

6. <u>Similar Applications</u>

- 6.1 There have been 39 similar applications for Small House development within/partly within the same "AGR" zone in the vicinity of the Sites in the Lung Yeuk Tau and Kwan Tei South area since the first promulgation of the Interim Criteria on 24.11.2000.
- 6.2 Among them, 20 applications were approved by the Committee between July 2002 and January 2015 before the Board's formal adoption of a more cautious approach since August 2015³. 19 applications were approved by the Committee between December 2015 and October 2023 after the Board's formal adaption of a more cautious approach mainly on sympathetic consideration that the sites were the subject of previous approvals and/ or there were Small House applications approved in the vicinity at different stages of development nearby which formed new village clusters in the locality.
- 6.3 Details of the similar applications are summarized at **Appendix IV** and their locations are shown on **Plan A-2a**.

7. The Site and Its Surrounding Areas (Plans A-1, A-2a and A-2b, A-3 and A-4)

- 7.1 The Site is:
 - (a) currently vacant and occasionally occupied by private vehicles;
 - (b) located to the immediate southeast of the "V" zone and village proper of Kan Tau Tsuen; and
 - (c) connected via a track to Sha Tai Kok Road Ma Mei Ha.
- 7.2 The surrounding areas are in a rural landscape character dominated by village houses, farmlands, vegetated areas and tree clusters. To the west and northwest is the village proper of Kan Tau Tsuen. To the further southeast is existing village houses and Tan Shan River.

8. <u>Planning Intention</u>

The planning intention of the "AGR" zone in the Lung Yeuk Tau and Kwan Tei South area is intended 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.

9. <u>Comments from Relevant Government Departments</u>

9.1 The application has been assessed against the assessment criteria at **Appendix II**. The assessment is summarized in the following table:

³ Among others, in considering whether there is a general shortage of land in meeting Small House demand, more weighting should be put on the number of outstanding Small House applications provided by LandsD.

	<u>Criteria</u>	Yes	No	Remarks
1.	Within "V" zone? - The Site	0.4%	99.6%	The Site falls mostly within "AGR" zone with minor portion within "V" zone.
	 Footprint of the proposed Small House 	-	100%	
2.	Within 'VE'? - The Site	71.7%	28.3%	DLO/N advises that the majority of the footprint of proposed Small House falls within the 'VE' of Kan Tau
	- Footprint of the proposed Small House	78.7%	21.3%	Tsuen.
3.	Sufficient land in "V" zone to meet Small House demand (outstanding Small House application plus 10-year Small House demand)?		~	Land Required - Land required to meet Small House demand in Kan Tau Tsuen: about 4.4 ha (equivalent to 176 Small House sites). The outstanding Small House applications for Kan Tau Tsuen village cluster are 46 ⁴ while the 10-year Small House demand forecast for the same village cluster is 130.
	Sufficient land in "V" zone to meet outstanding Small House application?	~		Land Available - Land available to meet the Small House demand within the "V" zone of Kan Tau Tsuen village cluster: about 1.78 ha (equivalent to 71 Small House sites) (Plan A-2b).
4.	Compatible with the planning intention of "AGR" zone?		✓	Director of Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation (DAFC) does not support the application from agricultural perspective as the Site possesses potential for agricultural rehabilitation. Agricultural activities are active in the vicinity and agricultural infrastructures such as road access and water source are available. The Site can be used for agricultural activities such as open-field cultivation, greenhouses, plant nurseries, etc.

⁴ Among the 46 outstanding Small House applications, 14 of them fall within the "V" zone and 32 straddle or outside the "V" zone. For those 32 applications straddling or being outside the "V" zone, 15 of them have obtained valid planning approvals from the Board.

	<u>Criteria</u>	Yes	No	Remarks
5.	Compatible with surrounding areas/ development?	√		The proposed Small House is not incompatible with the surrounding areas dominated by village houses, farmland, vegetated areas and tree clusters (Plan A-2a).
6.	Within Water Gathering Ground?		~	
7.	Encroachment onto planned road networks and public works boundaries?		~	
8.	Need for provision of fire service installations and emergency vehicular access (EVA)?		✓	Director of Fire Services (D of FS) has no in-principle objection to the application. The applicant is reminded to observe 'New Territories Exempted Houses – A Guide to Fire Safety Requirements' published by LandsD.
9.	Traffic impact?			Commissioner for Transport (C for T) advises that Small House developments should be confined within the "V" zone as far as possible. Although additional traffic generated by the proposed development is not expected to be significant, such type of development outside the "V" zone, if permitted, will set an undesirable precedent case for similar applications in future. The cumulative adverse traffic impact could be substantial. Notwithstanding the above, the application only involves development of one Small House could be tolerated on traffic grounds.
10.	Drainage impact?		✓	Chief Engineer/Mainland North, Drainage Services Department (CE/MN, DSD) has no objection to the application.
11.	Sewerage impact?		~	Director of Environmental Protection (DEP) advises that in view of the small scale of the proposed development, the application is unlikely to cause major pollution.

	Criteria	Yes	No	<u>Remarks</u>
12.	Landscape impact?		V	Chief Town Planner/Urban Design and Landscape, Planning Department (CTP/UD&L, PlanD) has no objection to the application from the landscape planning perspective. Significant adverse impact on existing landscape resources within the Site and the landscape character arising from the proposed use is not anticipated.
13.	Local objections conveyed by DO?	✓		District Officer (North), Home Affairs Department (DO(N), HAD) advises that he has consulted the locals. The Chairman, 1 st Vice-Chairman and Vice-Chairman of Fanling District Rural Committee, the Chairman of Lung Shan Area Committee, the Resident Representative of Kan Tau Tsuen object to the application mainly on the grounds that the applicant is not indigenous villager of Kan Tau Tsuen and the proposed development would cause traffic and drainage impacts on the surrounding areas. The Indigenous Inhabitant Representative of Kan Tau Tsuen has not replied.

- 9.2 Comments from the following government departments have been incorporated in paragraph 9.1 above. Details of comments from government departments are at **Appendix V**.
 - (a) DLO/N, LandsD;
 - (b) CE/MN, DSD;
 - (c) DEP;
 - (d) DAFC;
 - (e) CTP/UD&L, PlanD;
 - (f) $D ext{ of } FS;$
 - (g) C for T;
 - (h) DO(N), HAD;
 - (i) Chief Highway Engineer/New Territories East, Highways Department (CHE/NTE, HyD).
- 9.3 The following government departments have no objection to/comment on the application:
 - (a) Chief Engineer/Construction, Water Supplies Department (CE/C,WSD); and
 - (b) Project Manager (New Territories East), Civil Engineering and Development Department (PM(NTE), CEDD).

10. Public Comments Received During Statutory Publication Period (Appendix VI)

On 22.12.2023, the application was published for public inspection. During the first three weeks of the statutory public inspection period, four public comments were received. While the Chairman of Sheung Shui District Rural Committee indicates no comment on the application, the remaining three public comments from the Chairman, First Vice-Chairman, Vice-Chairman of Fanling District Rural Committee raise objection to the application mainly on the grounds that the applicant is not an indigenous villager and the proposed development would cause traffic and drainage impacts on the surroundings.

11. Planning Considerations and Assessment

- 11.1 The application is for a proposed Small House at the Site mostly zoned "AGR" on the OZP. The proposed development is not in line with the planning intention of the "AGR" zone as set out in paragraph 8 above. DAFC does not support the application from agricultural perspective as the Site possesses potential for agricultural rehabilitation. Agricultural activities are active in the vicinity and agricultural infrastructures such as road access and water source are also available. DAFC advises that the Site can be used for agricultural activities such as open-field cultivation, greenhouses, plant nurseries, etc. There is no strong planning justification in the current submission for a departure from the planning intention.
- 11.2 The Site is situated in an area of rural landscape predominated by village houses, farmland, vegetated areas and tree clusters. The proposed Small House is not incompatible with the surrounding areas. As significant adverse impact on existing landscape resources within the Site and the landscape character arising from the proposed development is not anticipated, CTP/UD&L, PlanD has no objection to the application from landscape planning perspective. C for T considers that Small House developments should be confined within the "V" zone as far as possible but given that application involves construction of one Small House only, the application could be tolerated from traffic impact perspective. Other relevant government departments consulted, including DEP, CE/C of WSD, CE/MN of DSD and D of FS, have no objection to or no adverse comment on the application.
- 11.3 Regarding the Interim Criteria (Appendix II), more than 50% of the footprint of the proposed Small House falls within the 'VE' of Kan Tau Tsuen (Plan A-2a). DLO/N of LandsD advises that the number of outstanding Small House applications for Kan Tau Tsuen village cluster is 46 while the 10-year Small House demand forecast is 130. Based on PlanD's latest estimate, about 1.78 ha (equivalent to 71 Small House sites) is available within the "V" zone concerned (Plan A-2b). While the amount of land available within the "V" zone of Kan Tau Tsuen is insufficient to fully meet the future Small House demand, it is sufficient to accommodate the outstanding Small House applications. It should be noted that the Board has formally adopted a more cautious approach in considering applications for Small House development since August 2015. Among others, in considering whether there is a general shortage of land in meeting Small House demand, more weighting has been put on the number of outstanding Small House applications provided by LandsD. As such, it is considered more appropriate to concentrate the proposed Small House development within the "V" zone for more orderly development pattern, efficient use of land and provision of infrastructures and services. Although the Site is the subject of a previously approved application No. A/NE-LYT/629 for the same use, it was submitted by a different applicant and has

already lapsed in 2021.

- 11.4 There are 39 similar applications for Small House developments in the vicinity of the Site (**Plan A-2a**), of which 19 were approved by the Committee between December 2015 and October 2023 after the Board's formal adaption of a more cautious approach mainly on sympathetic consideration that the sites were the subject of previous approvals and/or there were Small House applications approved in the vicinity at different stages of development nearby which formed a new village clusters in the locality. The planning circumstances of the current application is different to those approved applications as there are vacant areas surrounding the Site and therefore may not be regarded as an infill site among existing NTEHs/Small Houses. Sympathetic consideration is not applicable to the subject application.
- 11.5 Regarding the local comments conveyed by DO(N) of HAD and public comments on the application as detailed in paragraphs 9.1 and 10 respectively, government departments' comments and planning assessments above are relevant.

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

- 12.1 Based on the assessments made in paragraph 11 and having taken into account the local comments conveyed by DO(N) of HAD and public comments as detailed in paragraphs9.1 and 10 respectively, the Planning Department <u>does not support</u> the application for the following reasons:
 - (a) the proposed development is not in line with the planning intention of the "AGR" zone in the Lung Yeuk Tau and Kwan Tei South area 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. There is no strong planning justification in the submission for a departure from the planning intention; and
 - (b) land is still available within the "V" zone of Kan Tau Tsuen which is primarily intended for Small House development. It is considered more appropriate to concentrate the proposed Small House development within the "V" zone for more orderly development pattern, efficient use of land and provision of infrastructures and services.
- 12.2 Alternatively, should the Committee decide to approve the application, it is suggested that the permission shall be valid until 26.1.2028, and after the said date, the permission shall cease to have effect unless before the said date, the development permitted commences or the permission is renewed. The recommended advisory clauses are attached at **Appendix VII**.

13. Decision Sought

- 13.1 The Committee is invited to consider the application and decide whether to grant or refuse to grant permission.
- 13.2 Should the Committee decide to reject the application, Members are invited to advise what reason(s) for rejection should be given to the applicant.

13.3 Alternatively, should the Committee decide to approve the application, Members are invited to consider the advisory clause(s), if any, to be attached to the permission, and the date when the validity of the permission should expire.

14. Attachments

Appendix I	Application Form with attachment and SI received on 13.12.2023 and 18.12.2023
Appendix II	Relevant Interim Criteria for Assessing Planning Applications for NTEH/Small House Development in New Territories
Appendix III	NTEH/Small House Development in New Territories Previous Application
Appendix IV	Similar s.16 Applications for Proposed House (NTEH - Small House) in the vicinity of the Site within / partly within the same "AGR" Zone on the Lung Yeuk Tau & Kwan Tei South OZP
Appendix V	Detailed Comments from Relevant Government Departments
Appendix VI	Public Comments
Appendix VII	Recommended Advisory Clauses
Drawing A-1	Proposed Small House Layout Plan
Plan A-1	Location Plan
Plan A-2a	Site Plan
Plan A-2b	Estimated Amount of Land Available within the "V" zone of Kan Tau Tsuen for Small House Development
Plan A-3	Aerial Photo
Plan A-4	Site Photos

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<u>Applicable to Proposal Only Involving Construction of</u> <u>"New Territories Exempted House(s)"</u>

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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: <u>https://www.tpb.gov.hk/en/plan_application/apply.html</u>

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<u>General Note and Annotation for the Form</u> 其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

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- 1. 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。
- 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戰,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/名稱

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

李樂恆 LEE LOK HANG

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)

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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)	D.D. 76 Lot 1644S.A. 新界沙頭角鄉簡頭村
(b)	Site area and/or gross floor area involved 涉及的地盤面積及/或總樓面面 積	■Site area 地盤面積 161.51 sq.m 平方米■About 約 ■Gross floor area 總樓面面積 65.03 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)	NA

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(d)	Name and number of the	related	Lung Yeuk Tau & Kwan Tei S	outh OZP				
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6. Development Proposa	Development Proposal 擬識發展計劃						
(a) Name(s) of indigenous villager(s) (if applicable) 原居民姓名(如適用)	李樂恆 LEE LOK HANG						
 (b) 原居民所屬的原居鄉村 (如適用) The related indigenous village of the indigenous villager(s) (if applicable) 	簡頭村						
(c) Proposed gross floor area 擬議總樓面面積	195.0)9 sq.m 平方米	口About 約				
 (d) Proposed number of house(s) 擬議房屋幢數 	1	Proposed number of storeys of each house 每幢房屋的擬議層數	3				
 (e) Proposed roofed over area of each house 每幢房屋的擬議上蓋面積 	65.03 sq.m 平方米	Proposed building height of each house 每幢房屋的擬議高度	m 米				
 (f) Proposed use(s) of uncovered area (if any) 露天地方(倘有)的擬議用 途 	(Please illustrate on plan the total m tank, where applicable) (請在圖則上顯示,並註明單位總數		rking space, and/or location of septic (或化茲池的位置 (如適用))				
(g) Any vehicular access to the site/subject building? 是否有車路通往地盤/有 關建築物?	 Yes 是 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)) □ 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 						
 (h) Can the proposed house(s) be connected to public sewer? 擬議的屋宇發展能否接駁 至公共污水渠? 	接駁公共污水渠	on plan the location of the pro-	ion proposal. 請用圖則顯示 oposed septic tank. 請用圖則				

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7. 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?	Yes 是 □ (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) (訪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) □ □ Diversion of stream 河道改道 □ Filling of pond 填塘 Area of filling 填塘 深度		
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 Yes 會 No 不會 No 不會 On traffic 對交通 Yes 會 No 不會 No 不會 On water supply 對供水 Yes 會 No 不會 No 不會 On drainage 對排水 Yes 會 No 不會 No 不會 On slopes 對斜坡 Yes 會 No 不會 No 不會 Affected by slopes 受斜坡影響 Yes 會 No 不會 No 不會 Landscape Impact 構成景觀影響 Yes 會 No 不會 No 不會 Tree Felling 欲伐樹木 Yes 會 No 不會 No 不會 Visual Impact 構成視覺影響 Yes 會 No 不會 No 不會 Visual Impact 構成視覺影響 Yes 會 No 不會 No 不會 Others (Please Specify) 其他 (請列明) Yes 會 No 不會 No 不會 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) 前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)		

<u>Part 7 第7部分</u>

8. 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. This application is made on urgent and bona fide need basis.
2. The application is the registered owner of the application site.
3. The applicant is an indigenous villager and is entitled to Small Village grant in accordance
with the current Small House Policy.
4. The application site falls within Village "Environs".
5. The proposed development is compatible with surrounding area.
6. The site obtained the same planning application before (Case No.: TPB/A/NE-LYT/629).
7. The urgent and bona fide need for approving this planning application is clearly established.
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9. 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。			
I hereby grant a permission to the Board to_copy all the materials submitted in this application and/or to upload such materials to the Board's websites boots and a downloading by the public free-of-charge at the Board's discretion. 本人現准許委員會的情格在人說比較情報的最高調整的情報。			
Signature 口 Applicant 申請人 / V Authorised Agent 獲授權代理人			
Authorized Signature Man Ka Chai			
Name in Block Letters Project Engineer 处名(請以正楷填寫) 職位 (如適用)			
Professional Qualification(s) 專業資格 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 香港國境師學會 / □ HKIUD 香港城市設計學會 RPP 註冊專業規劃師 Others 其他			
on behalf of CHING WAN ENGINEERING CONSULTANTS COMPANY			
Date 日期 ✓ Company 公司 / □ Organisation Name and Chop (if applicable) 機構名稱及蓋章(如適用) 6 - / 2 - 2023 (DD/MM/YYYY 日/月/年)			
· Remark 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況下,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。			
Warning 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			
 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書及政府部門,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衆查閱,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。

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。

An applicant has a right of access and correction with respect to his/her personal data as provided under the Personal Data 3. (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,其地址為香港北角渣華道 333 號北角政府合署 15 樓。

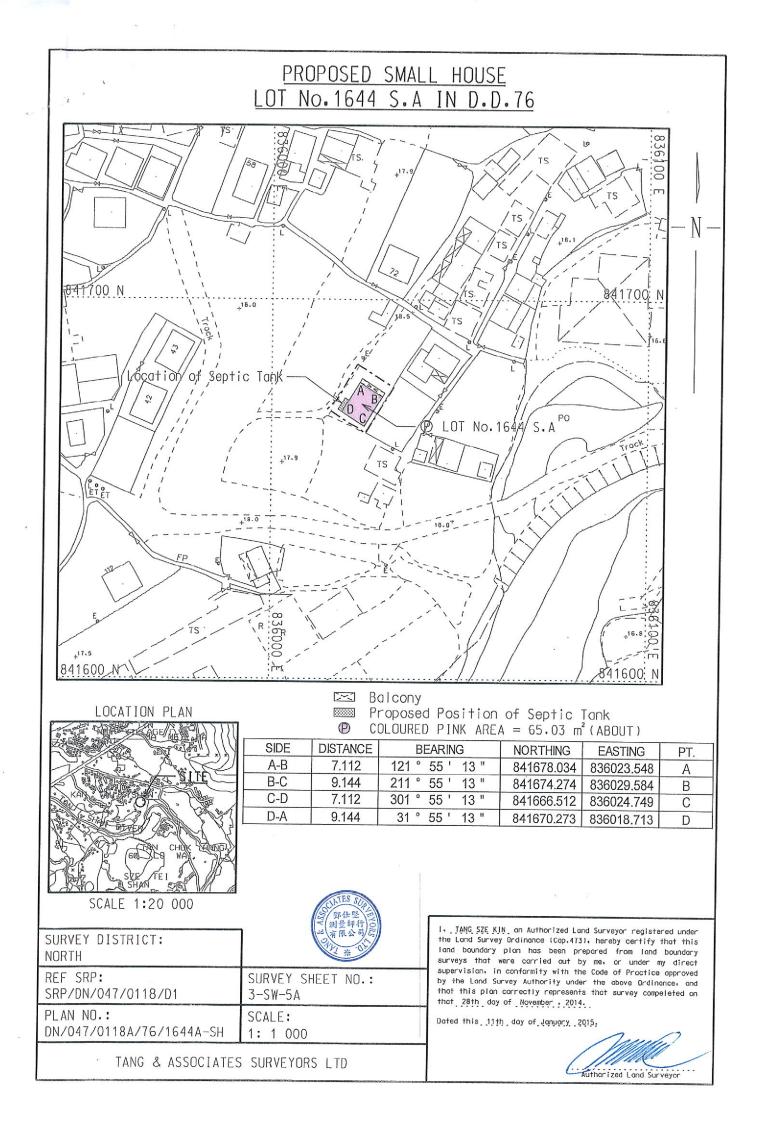
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位置/地址		D.D. 76 Lot 1644S.A. 新界》	少頭角鄉簡頭村
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	(inclue	les Government land of 包括政府土地	sq.m 平方米 口About 約)
Plan Initial		Lung Yeuk Tau & Kwan Tei	South OZP
圖則		S/NE-LYT/19	
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Applied use/ development 申請用途/發展		Territories Exempted House 新界豁	免管制屋宇
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Submitted Plans, Drawings and Documents 提交的圖則、繪圖及文件		
	<u>Chinese</u> 中文	<u>English</u> 英文
Plans and Drawings 副則及繪圖		
Master layout plan(s)/Layout plan(s) 總綱發展藍圖/布局設計圖		
Block plan(s) 樓宇位置圖		
Floor plan(s) 樓宇平面圖		
Sectional plan(s) 截視圖	· 🛄	
Elevation(s) 立視圖		
Photomontage(s) showing the proposed development 顯示擬議發展的合成照片		
Master landscape plan(s)/Landscape plan(s) 園境設計總圖/園境設計圖		
Others (please specify) 其他(請註明) Proposed House Plan		
Planning Statement/Justifications 規劃綱領/理據		
Environmental assessment (noise, air and/or water pollutions)		
環境評估(噪音、空氣及/或水的污染)	_	_
Traffic impact assessment (on vehicles) 就車輛的交通影響評估		
Traffic impact assessment (on pedestrians) 就行人的交通影響評估		
Visual impact assessment 視覺影響評估		· 🔲
Landscape impact assessment 景觀影響評估	· 🔲	
Tree Survey 樹木調查		
Geotechnical impact assessment 土力影響評估		
Drainage impact assessment 排水影響評估		
Sewerage impact assessment 排污影響評估		
Risk Assessment 風險評估		
Others (please specify) 其他(請註明)		
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Benson Ka Chun LAU/PLAND

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附件:	A-NE-LYT-821 Form P2.pdf

Dear Sir,

Please find the revised P2 of the application form of the captioned case.

regards,

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- 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.tpb.gov.hk/. 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.tpb.gov.hk/),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 上禾輋路 1 號沙田政府合署 14 樓)索取。
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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)

李樂恆 LEE LOK HANG

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)

正宏工程顧問公司 CHING WAN ENGINEERING CONSULTANTS COMPANY

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)	D.D. 76 Lot 1644S.A. 新界沙頭角鄉簡頭村	
(b)	Site area and/or gross floor area involved 涉及的地盤面積及/或總樓面面 積	✔Site area 地盤面積	
(c)	Area of Government land included (if any) 所包括的政府土地面積(倘有)	sq.m 平方米 □About 約	

Relevant Interim Criteria for Consideration of <u>Application for New Territories Exempted House (NTEH)/Small House in New Territories</u> (promulgated on 7.9.2007)

- (a) sympathetic consideration may be given if not less than 50% of the proposed NTEH/Small House footprint falls within the village 'environs' ('VE') of a recognized village and there is a general shortage of land in meeting the demand for Small House development in the "Village Type Development" ("V") zone of the village;
- (b) if more than 50% of the proposed NTEH/Small House footprint is located outside the 'VE', favourable consideration could be given if not less than 50% of the proposed NTEH/Small House footprint falls within the "V" zone, provided that there is a general shortage of land in meeting the demand for Small House development in the "V" zone and the other criteria can be satisfied;
- (c) development of NTEH/Small House with more than 50% of the footprint outside both the 'VE' and the "V" zone would normally not be approved unless under very exceptional circumstances (e.g. the application site has a building status under the lease, or approving the application could help achieve certain planning objectives such as phasing out of obnoxious but legal existing uses);
- (d) application for NTEH/Small House with previous planning permission lapsed will be considered on its own merits. In general, proposed development which is not in line with the criteria would normally not be allowed. However, sympathetic consideration may be given if there are specific circumstances to justify the cases, such as the site is an infill site among existing NTEHs/Small Houses, the processing of the Small House grant is already at an advance stage;
- (e) if an application site involves more than one NTEH/Small House, application of the above criteria would be on individual NTEH/Small House basis;
- (f) the proposed development should not frustrate the planning intention of the particular zone in which the application site is located;
- (g) the proposed development should be compatible in terms of land use, scale, design and layout, with the surrounding area/development;
- (h) the proposed development should not encroach onto the planned road network and should not cause adverse traffic, environmental, landscape, drainage, sewerage and geotechnical impacts on the surrounding areas. Any such potential impacts should be mitigated to the satisfaction of relevant Government departments;
- the proposed development, if located within water gathering grounds, should be able to be connected to existing or planned sewerage system in the area except under very special circumstances (e.g. the application site has a building status under the lease or the applicant can demonstrate that the water quality within water gathering grounds will not be affected by the proposed development*);
- (j) the provision of fire service installations and emergency vehicular access, if required, should be appropriate with the scale of the development and in compliance with relevant standards; and

- (k) all other statutory or non-statutory requirements of relevant Government departments must be met. Depending on the specific land use zoning of the application site, other Town Planning Board guidelines should be observed, as appropriate.
- *i.e. the applicant can demonstrate that effluent discharge from the proposed development will be in compliance with the effluent standards as stipulated in the Water Pollution Control Ordinance Technical Memorandum.

Previous S. 16 Application

Approved Application

Application No.	Uses/ Development	Date of Consideration
A/NE-LYT/629	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	23.6.2017

Similar S.16 Applications for Proposed House (NTEH – Small House) within/partly within the "Agriculture" zone in the vicinity of the Site in the Lung Yeuk Tau and Kwan Tei South Area

Approved Applications

Application No.	Uses/ Development	Date of Consideration
A/NE-LYT/238	Proposed New Territories Exempted House (NTEH) (Small House)	12.7.2002
A/NE-LYT/242	Proposed New Territories Exempted House (NTEH) (Small House)	13.9.2002
A/NE-LYT/367	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	12.10.2007
A/NE-LYT/407	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	29.1.2010
A/NE-LYT/473*1	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	24.8.2012
A/NE-LYT/474*2	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	24.8.2012
A/NE-LYT/475*3	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	24.8.2012
A/NE-LYT/476*4	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	24.8.2012
A/NE-LYT/478*5	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	24.8.2012
A/NE-LYT/479*6	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	24.8.2012
A/NE-LYT/480*7	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	24.8.2012
A/NE-LYT/481*8	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	7.9.2012
A/NE-LYT/482*9	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	7.9.2012

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Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	21.12.2012
Proposed 3 Houses (New Territories Exempted Houses – Small Houses)	22.8.2014
Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	16.1.2015
Proposed 2 Houses (New Territories Exempted Houses – Small Houses)	18.12.2015
Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	17.2.2017
Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	17.2.2017
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A/NE-LYT/613*12	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	17.2.2017
A/NE-LYT/614*1	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	17.2.2017
A/NE-LYT/615*4	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	17.2.2017
A/NE-LYT/616*3	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	17.2.2017
A/NE-LYT/665*14	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	5.10.2018
A/NE-LYT/666*14	Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House – Small House)	6.7.2018
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A/NE-LYT/787*15	Proposed Four Houses (New Territories Exempted Houses – Small Houses)	13.1.2023
A/NE-LYT/808*16	Proposed Two Houses (New Territories Exempted Houses – Small Houses)	27.10.2023

Remarks

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- *2: A/NE-LYT/474 and A/NE-LYT/604 are the same site.
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- *14: A/NE-LYT/665 and A/NE-LYT/666 and A/NE-LYT/667 are portion of A/NE-LYT/545.
- *15: A/NE-LYT/557 and A/NE-LYT/787 are the same site.
- *16: A/NE-LYT/583 and A/NE-LYT/808 are the same site.

Detailed Comments from Relevant Government Departments

1. Land Administration

Comments of the District Lands Officer/North, Lands Department (DLO/N, LandsD):

- (a) majority of the Site falls within the village 'environs' ('VE') of Kan Tau Tsuen;
- (b) the applicant claimed himself to be the indigenous villager of Lau Shui Heung, Fanling Heung. His eligibility for Small House grant has yet to be ascertained;
- (c) the Site is not covered by any Modification of Tenancy/ Building Licence;
- (d) the Small House application is still under processing;
- (e) there is no "Fung Shui" area at Kan Tau Tsuen; and
- (f) there is no existing or planned Emergency Vehicular Access (EVA) within Kan Tau Tsuen.

2. <u>Traffic</u>

Comments of the Commissioner for Transport (C for T):

- (a) she has reservation on the application. Such type of development should be confined within the "Village Type Development" ("V") zone as far as possible. Although additional traffic generated by the proposed development is not expected to be significant, such type of development outside the "V" zone, if permitted, will set an undesirable precedent case for similar applications in the future. The resulting cumulative adverse traffic impact could be substantial;
- (b) notwithstanding the above, the application only involves the construction of one Small House. She considers that the application can be tolerated unless being rejected on other grounds; and
- (c) the local village access leading to the Site from Sha Tau Kok Road Ma Mei Ha is not managed by Transport Department.

Comments of the Chief Highway Engineer/New Territories East, Highways Department (HyD):

- (a) no comment on the planning application; and
- (b) the access road adjacent to the Site is not maintained by HyD.

3. Environment

Comments of the Director of Environmental Protection (DEP):

(a) in view of the small scale of the proposed development, the application is unlikely to cause major pollution; and

(b) septic tank and soakaway system is an acceptable means for collection, treatment and disposal of the sewage provided that its design and construction follow the requirements of the ProPECC PN 1/23 "Drainage Plans subject to Comment by the Environmental Protection Department" and are duly certified by an Authorized Person.

4. Landscape

Comments of the Chief Town Planner/Urban Design and Landscape, Planning Department (CTP/UD&L, PlanD):

- (a) she has no objection to the application from the landscape planning perspective; and
- (b) the Site is located in an area of rural inland plain landscape character comprising of village houses, farmland, vegetated areas and tree clusters. Compared with the aerial photo of 2017, there is no significant change in the landscape character surrounding the Site. Based on the aerial photo of 2022, the Site is vacant with no sensitive landscape resources within the Site. According to the application form, there is no change in the proposed layout. Significant adverse impact on existing landscape resources within the Site and the landscape character arising from the proposed use is not anticipated.

5. <u>Drainage</u>

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

- (a) no objection to the application from the public drainage viewpoint; and
- (b) the Site is in an area where no public sewerage connection is available. EPD should be consulted regarding the sewage treatment/disposal aspects for the proposed development and the provision of septic tank.

6. <u>Nature Conservation and Agriculture</u>

Comments of the Director of Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation (DAFC):

- (a) the Site falls within the "AGR" and "V" zones and is generally vacant. The agricultural activities are active in the vicinity, and agricultural infrastructures such as road access and water source are also available. The Site can be used for agricultural activities such as open-field cultivation, greenhouses, plant nurseries, etc. As the Site possesses potential for agricultural rehabilitation, the application is not supported from an agricultural perspective; and
- (b) nevertheless, he has no comment on the planning application from nature conservation perspective.

7. <u>Fire Safety</u>

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

- (a) he has no in-principle objection to the application provided that the application would not encroach on any existing or planned EVA under application in accordance with LandsD's record; and
- (b) the applicant is reminded to observe 'New Territories Exempted Houses A Guide to Fire Safety Requirements' published by LandsD. Detailed fire safety requirements will be formulated upon receipt of formal application via LandsD.

8. District Officer's Comments

Comments of the District Officer (North), Home Affairs Department (DO(N), HAD):

he has consulted the locals regarding the application. The Chairman, 1st Vice-Chairman and Vice-Chairman of Fanling District Rural Committee, the Chairman of Lung Shan Area Committee and the Resident Representative of Kan Tau Tsuen object the application mainly on the grounds that the applicant is not indigenous villager of Kan Tau Tsuen and the proposed development would cause traffic and drainage impacts on the surrounding areas. The Indigenous Inhabitant Representative of Kan Tau Tsuen has not replied HAD.

9. Demand and Supply of Small House Sites

According to DLO/N's records, the total number of outstanding Small House applications for Kan Tau Tsuen is 46 while the 10-year Small House demand forecast for the same village is 130. According to the latest estimate by PlanD, about 1.78 ha (equivalent to 71 Small House sites) of land are available within the "V" zone of Kan Tau Tsuen for Small House development. There is insufficient land in the "V" zone of Kan Tau Tsuen village cluster to meet the demand of land for Small House development (i.e. about 4.4ha of land which is equivalent to 176 Small House sites).

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敬啟者:

貴處檔號: TPB/A/NE-LYT-821 新界約嶺簡頭村丈量約份第76 約地役第1644 號 A 分役 擬議屋字(新界豁免管制屋字 - 小型屋字) (申請編號: A/NE-LYT/821)

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怒請 貴處理解村民之憂慮,慎重處理上逃申請 "

此致

規劃署沙田、大埔 反北區規劃專員

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規劃署沙田、大埔 及北區規劃專員

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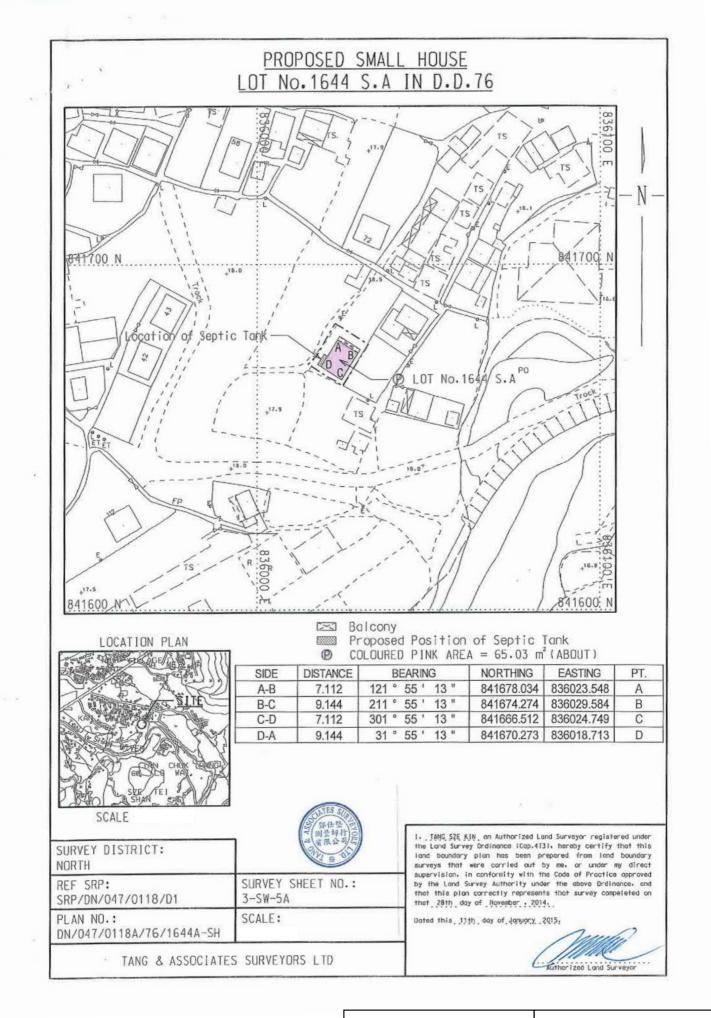
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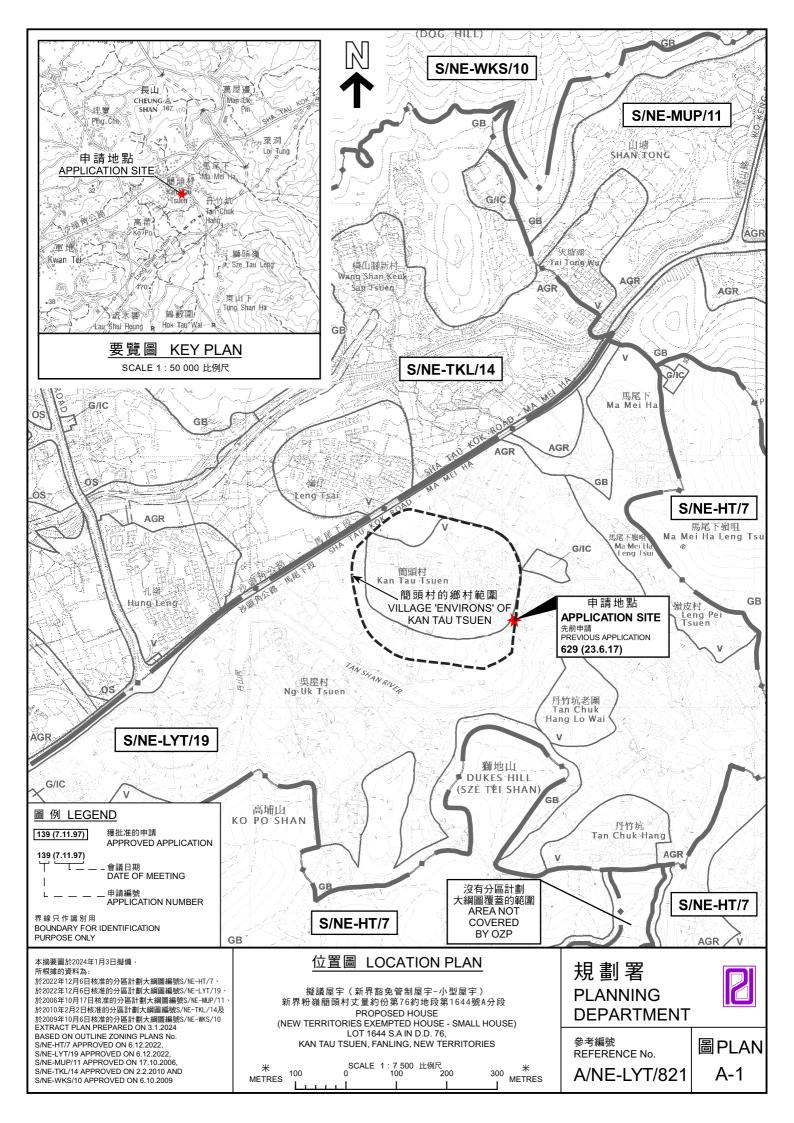
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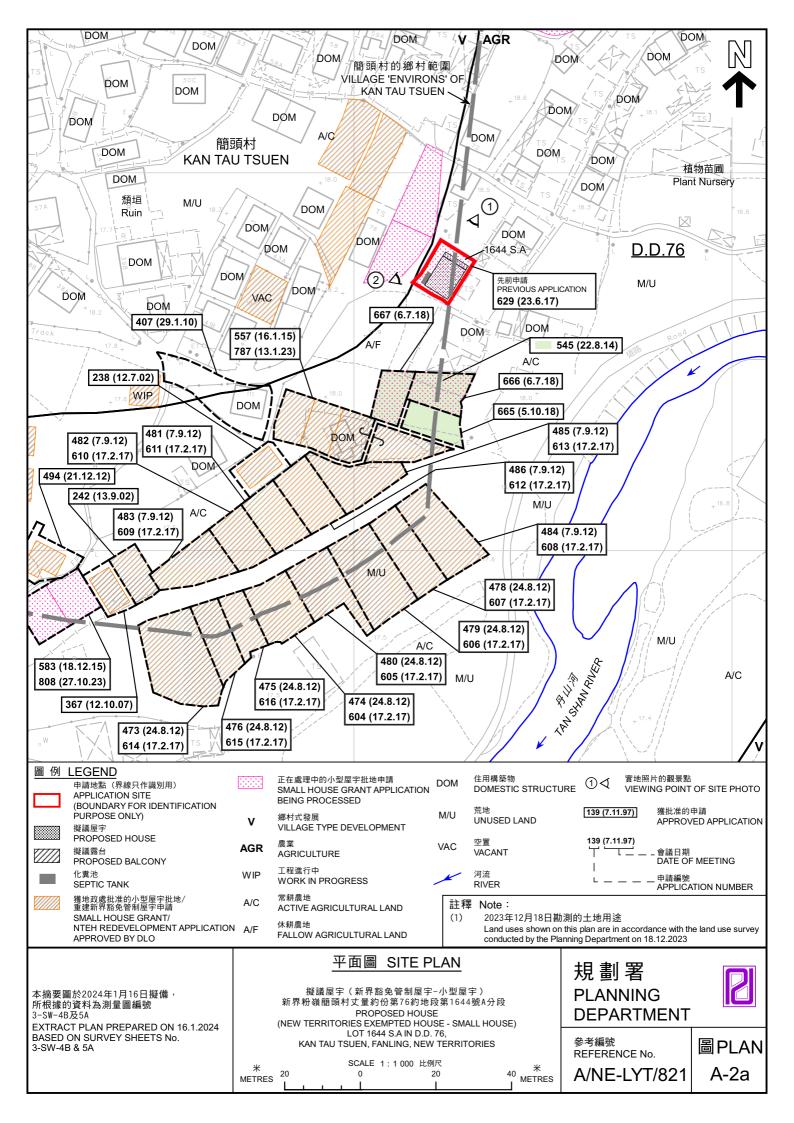
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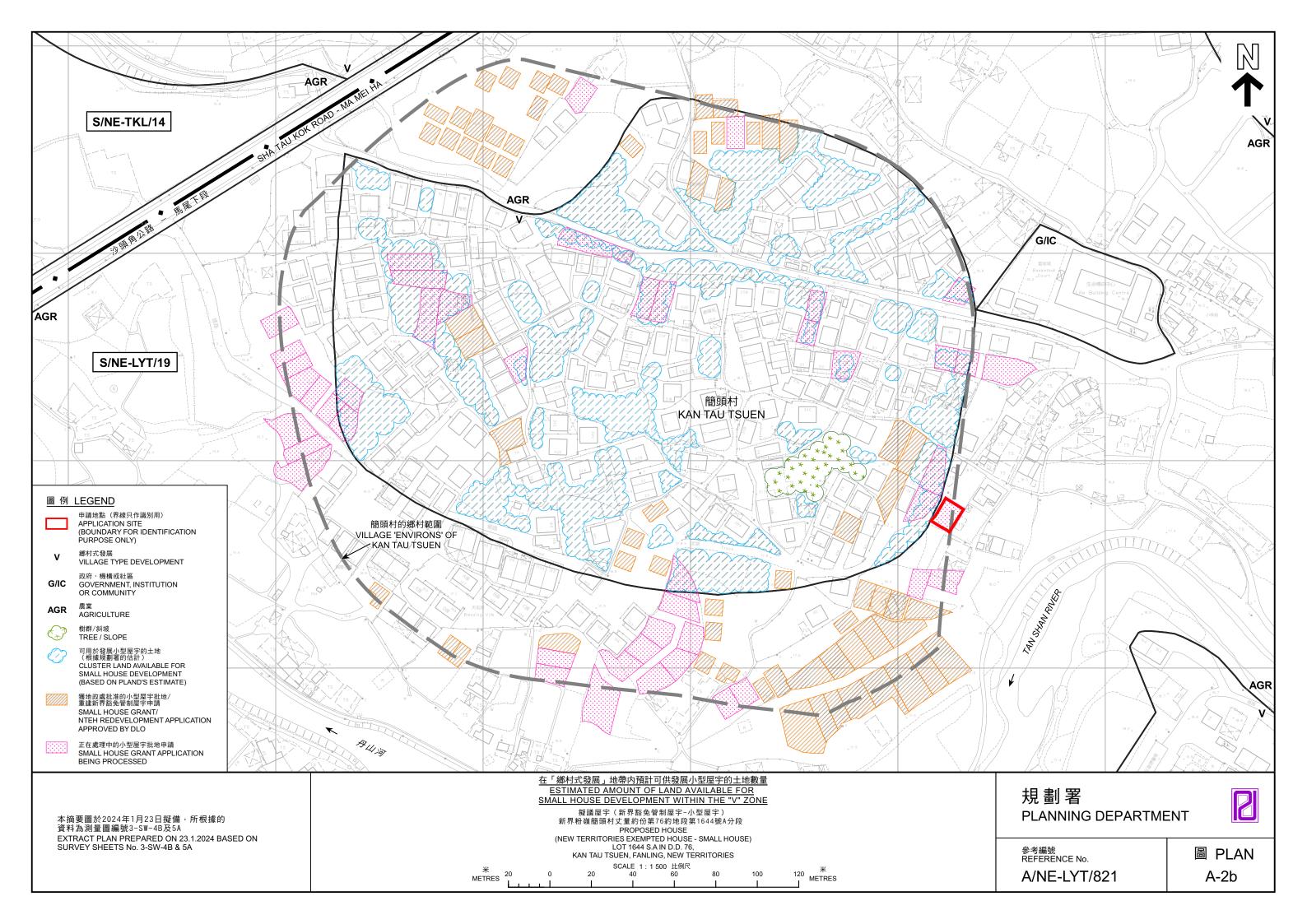
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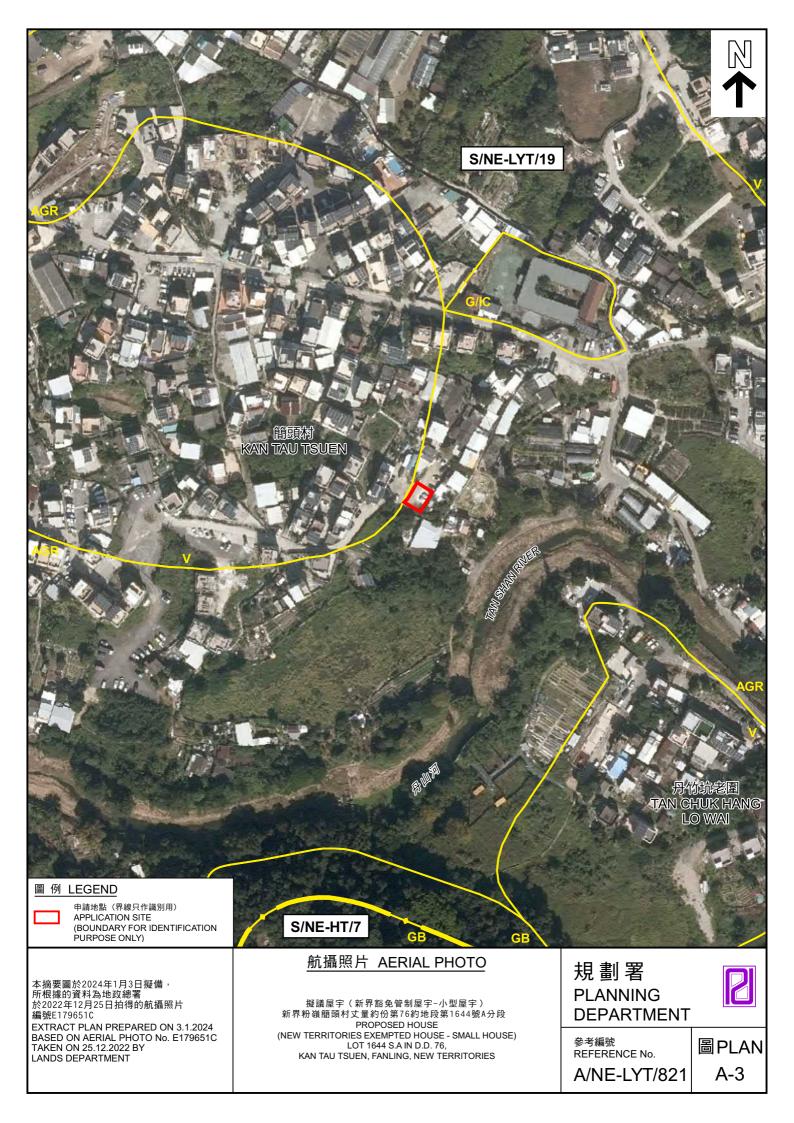


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擬議屋宇(新界豁免管制屋宇-小型屋宇) 新界粉嶺簡頭村丈量約份第76約地段第1644號A分段 PROPOSED HOUSE (NEW TERRITORIES EXEMPTED HOUSE - SMALL HOUSE) LOT 1644 S.A IN D.D. 76, KAN TAU TSUEN, FANLING, NEW TERRITORIES 祝 動 者 PLANNING DEPARTMENT ^{参考編號} REFERENCE No. A/NE-LYT/821

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Agenda Item 25

Section 16 Application

[Open Meeting (Presentation and Question Sessions Only)]

A/NE-LYT/821 Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House - Small House) in "Agriculture" and "Village Type Development" Zones, Lot 1644 S.A in D.D. 76, Kan Tau Tsuen, Fanling (RNTPC Paper No. A/NE-LYT/821)

Presentation and Question Sessions

44. With the aid of some plans, Mr Kevin K.W. Lau, STP/STN, briefed Members on the background of the application, the proposed development, departmental and public comments, and the planning considerations and assessments as detailed in the Paper. The Planning Department did not support the application.

45. Noting that the Site was the subject of a previous application for the same use approved by the Committee in 2017 (i.e. Application No. A/NE-LYT/629), a Member asked about the reasons for rejecting the current application. Mr Kevin K.W. Lau, STP/STN, explained that the current application was submitted by a different applicant and the previous application was approved mainly on sympathetic consideration that there were Small House applications approved in the vicinity to form a village cluster. Nevertheless, the planning circumstances of the current application were different in that sufficient land was available in meeting the Small House demand within the "V" zone, the said approved Small House applications in the vicinity had not been implemented to form a village cluster, and the surrounding area of the Site was still vacant. As such, sympathetic consideration could not be given to the current application.

Deliberation Session

46. After deliberation, the Committee <u>decided</u> to <u>reject</u> the application. The reasons were:

"(a) the proposed development is not in line with the planning intention of the "Agriculture" zone in the Lung Yeuk Tau and Kwan Tei South area 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. There is no strong planning justification in the submission for a departure from the planning intention; and

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<u>Agenda Item 26</u>

Section 16 Application

[Open Meeting (Presentation and Question Sessions Only)]

A/NE-LT/763 Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House - Small House) in "Agriculture" Zone, Lot 338 S.A. ss.1 in D.D.19, San Uk Pai, Lam Tsuen, Tai Po

(RNTPC Paper No. A/NE-LT/763)

Presentation and Question Sessions

47. With the aid of some plans, Mr Kevin K.W. Lau, STP/STN, briefed Members on the background of the application, the proposed development, departmental and public comments, and the planning considerations and assessments as detailed in the Paper. The Planning Department had no objection to the application.

48. Members had no question on the application.

Deliberation Session

49. After deliberation, the Committee decided to approve the application, on the terms of the application as submitted to the Town Planning Board. The permission should

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Ching Wan Engineering Consultants Co. Room 607A, 6/F, Keader Centre 129-149 On Lok Road Yuen Long, New Territories (Attn.: Man Ka Chai)

Dear Sir/Madam,

Proposed House (New Territories Exempted House - Small House) in "Agriculture" and "Village Type Development" Zones, Lot 1644 S.A in D.D. 76, Kan Tau Tsuen, Fanling

I refer to my letter to you dated 21.12.2023.

After giving consideration to the application, the Town Planning Board (TPB) decided to reject the application and the reasons are :

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A copy of the TPB Paper in respect of the application is available at TPB website at this link (https://www.tpb.gov.hk/en/meetings/RNTPC/Agenda/735_rnt_agenda.html). The relevant extract of minutes of the TPB meeting held on 26.1.2024 is enclosed herewith for your reference.

Under section 17(1) and 17(1A) of the Town Planning Ordinance (the Ordinance), an applicant aggrieved by a decision of the TPB may apply to the TPB for a review of the decision. The application must be in writing and must set out the grounds for the review. If you wish to seek a review, you should inform me and provide the grounds for review within 21 days from the date of this letter (on or before 8.3.2024). I will then contact you to arrange a

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hearing before the TPB which you and/or your authorized representative will be invited to attend. The TPB is required to consider a review application within three months of receipt of the application for review. Please note that any review application will be published for three weeks for public comments.

Under the Ordinance, the TPB can only reconsider at the review hearing the original application in the light of further written and/or oral representations. Should you decide at this stage to materially modify the original proposal, such proposal should be submitted to the TPB in the form of a fresh application under section 16 of the Ordinance.

If you wish to seek further clarifications/information on matters relating to the above decision, please feel free to contact Mr. Tim Fung of the Sha Tin, Tai Po & North District Planning Office at 2158 6237.

Yours faithfully,

(Leticia LEUNG) for Secretary, Town Planning Board

Katie Yuet Yee LEUNG/PLAND

From: Dickson Sent: Friday, March 8, 2024 9:47 AM To: tpbpd/PLAND <<u>tpbpd@pland.gov.hk</u>> Subject: Review of he application - TPB/A/NE-LYT/821

Dear Sir,

I am writing this email to apply for a review of the captioned application will the foloowing ground:

1. The is a approval record on the same application site, it is unreasonable that to disapprove the application with the reason "land is still availabe"

2. The application is the registered land owner with the right to grant a small village house. he definitely has no intention to carry out any agricultural activity on the application site.

Please kindly arrange for the review meeting of such application and I am looking forward to your reply.

Should you have any qurey, please feel free to contact me at

regards, Dickson Man Ching Wan Engineering Consultants Company

Recommended Advisory Clauses

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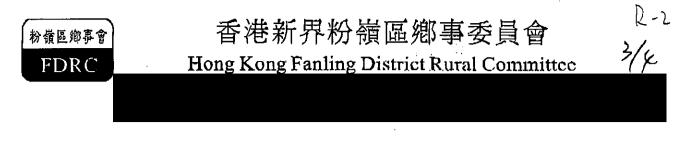
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