

凌雲寺普同塔 南無蓮池海會佛菩薩 (No known English name)

**Exemption and Temporary Suspension of Liability (TSOL) Applications**

**Cessation of Processing of the above Exemption and TSOL Applications**

According to the comments of the District Lands Office (Yuen Long), the columbarium under the exemption application and TSOL application in respect of the columbarium named as 凌雲寺普同塔 南無蓮池海會佛菩薩 falls within the “Permitted Burial Ground Site no. YL/24” in the New Territories. As the keeping of human ashes within Permitted Burial Grounds is regulated by the regime of “Certificate for Burial within Permitted Burial Grounds” which requires the approval of the respective District Office of the Home Affairs Department, by virtue of Section 4(1)(a) of the Private Columbaria Ordinance, columbaria situated within “Permitted Burial Grounds” are outside the scope of the Private Columbaria Ordinance.

In view of the above, the Private Columbaria Licensing Board has decided to cease the processing of the exemption application and TSOL application in respect of the columbarium named as 凌雲寺普同塔 南無蓮池海會佛菩薩.