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MUNICIPAL OFFICES 8911 WOODBINE AVENUE MARKHAM, ONTARIO -L3R 1A1

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The Town of Markham

IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT, 1974, R.S.O. CHAPTER 122.

AND IN THE MATTER OF THE LANDS AND PREMISES KNOWN MUNICIPALLY AS The Old Order of the Mennonite Church, Concession 11, Part Lot 1, IN THE TOWN OF MARKHAM IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

TO: Old Order of the Mennonite Church, c/o Levi B. Diller, R.R. #1, Markham, Ontario.

Ontario Heritage Foundation.

Take notice that the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Markham on the 14th day of February, 1978, passed a motion of intention to designate the property including the lands and buildings known municipally as the Old Order of the Mennonite Church, Concession 11, Part Lot 1, Markham, Ontario, as a property of architectural and/or historical interest or value under The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974, R.S.O. Chapter 122.

Short Statement of the Reasons for the Proposed Designation:

The property, locally known as the Reesor Mennonite Meeting-house on the East Town Line, W/S Concession 11, Part Lot 1, Markham, Ontario, is recommended for designation for historical reasons. Around 1820 a log church/school was built on Concession 9, Lot 1 by the settlers. In 1865 it was moved to its present location, enlarged and remodelled into the frame building one can see today. This simple church is one storey high, five bays across the main facade and four bays long. It is covered in clapboard with a medium gable roof.

To the north of the church are the carriage sheds. Partially barn construction, partially board and batten, they are in excellent condition

The Reesor family has been associated with the Church for seven generations.

Notice of objection to the designation may be served on the Clerk within thirty (30) days of the 8th day of March, 1978.

Dated at Markham this 8th day of March, 1978,

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Diane E. Smith, (Mrs),

Town Clerk.