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

AND IN THE MATTER OF THE LANDS AND PREMISES KNOWN MUNICIPALLY AS 14 ELM STREET, IN THE CITY OF TORONTO, IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

To:

The St. George's Society of Toronto, 14 Elm St. Toronto, Ontario, M5G 1G8.

Ontario Heritage Foundation.

Take notice that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Toronto, on the 1st day of October, 1975, decided to designate the lands and buildings, known municipally as 14 Elm Street, as a property of historical and architectural value or interest under The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974, S.O. Chapter 122.

Short Statement of the Reasons for the Proposed Designation:

St. George's Hall, 14 Elm Street (N); 1891, alterations c.1920 for the Arts & Letters Club by Sproatt & Rolph.

St. George's Hall is recommended for designation as a very good example of the progressive Gothic style as practised at the end of the nineteenth century. The interior of the Arts and Letters Club meeting room is moreover a fine example of the Beaux Arts Tudor style by a Toronto firm of international importance. The building is also of historical importance for its long association with the most progessive movements of Canadian art, literature and design. It is also significant in terms of streetscape as part of a grouping with the Elm Grove Hotel to the east and a row of three shops to the west.

Notice of objection to the designation may be served on the Clerk within thirty days of October 10th, 1975.

DATED at Toronto this 10th day of October, 1975.

City Clerk.