



An agency of the Government of Ontario

Un organisme du gouvernement de l'Ontario

This document was retrieved from the Ontario Heritage Act e-Register, which is accessible through the website of the Ontario Heritage Trust at **www.heritagetrust.on.ca**.

Ce document est tiré du registre électronique. tenu aux fins de la *Loi sur le* patrimoine de l'Ontario, accessible à partir du site Web de la Fiducie du patrimoine ontarien sur **www.heritagetrust.on.ca.**

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

AND IN THE MATTER OF THE LANDS AND PREMISES KNOWN MUNICIPALLY AS 160-178 YONGE STREET AT 14 RICHMOND STRLET WEST, IN THE CITY OF TORONTO, IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

To:

Simpsons Limited, 160-178 Yonge St., Toronto, Cntario M5C 2L7. The United Church of Canada, 85 St. Clair Avenue East, Toronto, Ontario MATIM The Hospital for Sick Children, 67 College St., Toronto, Ontario M5G 119. The Trusts and Guarantee Company Limited, 302 Bay Street, Toronto, Ontario

Ontario Heritage Foundation.

Take notice that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Toronto, on the 4th day of February, 1976, decided to designate the lands and buildings, known municipally as 160-178 Yonge Street at 14 Richmond Street West, as a property of architectural value or interest under The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974, 1974 S.O. Chapter 122.

Short Statement of the Reasons for the Proposed Designation:

The Robert Simpson Company, 160-178 Yonge Street at 14 Richmond Street West. The Robert Simpson Company store (begun 1894-1895 by Edmund Burke) is recommended for designation as an outstanding example of late nineteenth century commercial design. It is not only an early example of the use of steel post and beam construction is Canada, but also the work of one of Toronto's most important architects. Additions were made to the complex at various periods up to 1971, and it is now an important unit in itself as well as in the streetscape of the area.

Notice of objection to the designation may be served on the Clerk within thirty days of the 13th day of February, 1976. (Reference File 1126).

Dated at Toronto this 13th day of February, 1976.

ROY V. HENDERSON

City Clerk