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The Ontario Heritage Foundation
10 Adelaide Street East, 3rd Floor
Toronto ON M5C 1J3

Dear Sirs:

**Re: Notice of Intention to Designate Under the Ontario Heritage Act
426 Queen Street East**

Enclosed please find a Notice of Intention to Designate the property known as the Court House at 426 Queen Street East in the City of Sault Ste. Marie.

This Notice is served upon you pursuant to the provisions of the Act. If you have any questions, feel free to give me a call at 759-5407.

Yours truly,

Nuala M. Kenny
Assistant City Solicitor

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Enclosure

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HERITAGE DESIGNATION

IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT R.S.O. 1990, CHAPTER O.18 AND IN THE MATTERS OF THE LANDS AND PREMISES AT THE FOLLOWING MUNICIPAL ADDRESS IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Sault Ste. Marie intends to designate the property at the following municipal address as a property of architectural and/or historical value or interest under Part IV of The Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990, chapter O.18.

REASONS FOR PROPOSED DESIGNATION – 426 Queen Street East

It is recommended that the structure known as the Sault Ste. Marie Courthouse situated at 426 Queen Street East and its three major interior features, namely the central staircase, the glass ceiling and Courtroom Number 1 be designated as having heritage significance under the Ontario Heritage Act Part IV because of the many unique characteristics found in this property. Its architectural significance is a fine example of Beaux-Arts Classicism style. This includes symmetrical styling, ornamental wrought iron and hardwood railing on the staircase balustrade, a glass ceiling with a circular decorative motif and an imposing courtroom with classical double cube dimensions.

NOTICE of objection to the proposed designation together with a statement of reasons for the objection and all relevant facts may be served on the Clerk of the Corporation of the City of Sault Ste. Marie before the 3rd day of August, 2004.

DATED at Sault Ste. Marie this 19th day of June, 2004.

THE CORPORATION OF THE
CITY OF SAULT STE. MARIE
DONNA P. IRVING, CITY CLERK
Civic Centre, Fourth Floor
99 Foster Drive
Sault Ste. Marie ON P6A 5X6

June 19, 2004, June 26, 2004, July 3, 2004