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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  
AT THE FOLLOWING MUNICIPAL ADDRESS IN  
THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

To: Ontario Heritage Foundation,  
77 Bloor Street West,  
TORONTO, Ontario.  
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TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Village of Markdale intends to designate the property including lands and buildings, at the following Municipal address as a property of architectural and historical value or interest under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act, 1974, S.O. Chapter 122

- (a) Markdale Public School,  
Victoria Avenue,  
Part Lot 15, Block "D", Plan 582
- (b) Reasons for proposed designation

The Old Markdale Public School is recommended for designation for both architectural and historical reasons. Built in 1895, it belongs to the history of Markdale. Its exterior walls of brick which have the unique colour and texture of the brick of the area at that time, its rubble stone foundation, its round-headed windows and semi-circular transom over the front entrance, combined with the curvature of the brick and other fine details, and the brick belfry with its wooden louvres on all sides, make it an excellent example of the architecture of the turn of the century and the painstakingly fine craftsmanship of that period.

Not only is it an important part of the streetscape of the Village, with its fine fenestration (window arrangement and design), its symmetry, and its perfectly centred position at the top of Eliza Street, but because of its elevation, it is also an impressive landmark from many directions in the surrounding area.

Notice of objection to the proposed designation, together with a statement of the reasons for the objection and all relevant facts may be served on the Clerk of the Village of Markdale before the 31st day of May, 1985.

Dated at the Village of Markdale  
this 24th day of April, 1985.

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Clerk