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THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF LONDON

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Re: Designation of 53 McClary Avenue
22 Peter Street
23 Peter Street
670 Oxford Street East
The Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1980, c. 337

Please find enclosed, a certified copy of the by-law designating each of the above mentioned properties, passed by the Municipal Council of The Corporation of the City of London on August 6, 1985.

Patricia Deman

R. J. Tolmie
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Secretary - Board of Control

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Encl.

By-law No. L.S.P.-2850-348

A by-law to designate 22 Peter Street of architectural value.

WHEREAS pursuant to The Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1980, c. 337 the Council of a municipality may by by-law designate a property including buildings and structures thereon to be of historic or architectural value or interest;

AND WHEREAS notice of intention to so designate the property at 22 Peter Street having been duly published and served, no notice of objection was received to such designation;

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Council of The Corporation of the City of London, as follows:

1. There is designated as being of architectural value or interest the real property, more particularly described in Schedule "A" hereto, at 22 Peter Street East, for the reasons set out in Schedule "B" hereto.
2. The City Clerk is authorized to cause a copy of this by-law to be registered upon the title to the property described in Schedule "A" hereto in the proper Land Registry Office.
3. The City Clerk is authorized to cause a copy of this by-law to be served upon the owner of the aforesaid property and upon the Ontario Heritage Foundation and to cause notice of this by-law to be published in the London Free Press, and to enter the description of the aforesaid property, the name and address of its registered owner, and short reasons for its designation in the Register of all properties designated under The Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1980.
4. This by-law comes into force on the day it is passed.

PASSED in Open Council on August 6, 1985.

M. A. Gleeson
Mayor

P. C. McNorgan
City Clerk

First reading - August 6, 1985
Second reading - August 6, 1985
Third reading - August 6, 1985

I, K. W. Sadler, Deputy City Clerk of the Corporation of the City of London, hereby certify this to be a true copy of	
By-law No.	L.S.P.-2850-348
passed	Aug. 6, 1985
Date	Aug. 14/85
	(Deputy City Clerk)

SCHEDULE "A"

to By-law No. L.S.P.- 2850-348

All of Lot 22, Registered Plan 59(e) in the City of London in the County of Middlesex in the Province of Ontario, being the lands described in Instrument 55189.

SCHEDULE "B"

to By-law No. L.S.P.- 2850-348

Architectural Reasons

The clapboarded house at 22 Peter Street is an excellent example of the storey-and-a-half Ontario farmhouse placed in an urban setting. Built about 1870, the house displays a symmetrical facade to the street. On either side of the centrally placed front doorway - complete with transom and side lights - are ample sash windows. Above the main door is a small gable which contains a semi-circular headed window. The present well-proportioned entrance porch is said to use parts of the original front porch that ran across the entire front of the house. A side porch (on the north) is typical of farmhouse side porches and is probably original to the house. On the south side of the house is a bay window with distinctive detail in the woodwork.

Inside, a staircase dominates the main hallway, and handsome inlaid wooden floors are found in the parlour, dining room and main hallway. The floors were installed by Robert W. Bennet, one of London's foremost nineteenth-century furniture makers and an early occupant of the house.