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

AND IN THE MATTER OF THE DESIGNATION OF THE PROPERTY KNOWN MUNICIPALLY AS NO.39 DAVENPORT ROAD IN THE CITY OF TORONTO, IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

To: The Trustees of the Stone Church 45 Davenport Road Toronto, Ontario M5R 1H2

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Ontario Heritage Foundation.

Take notice that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Toronto, on the 4th day of June, 1981, decided to designate the lands and buildings known municipally as No.39 Davenport Road, as a property of architectural and historical value or interest, under The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974, 1974 S.O. Chapter 122.

Short Statement of Reasons for the Proposed Designation

No.39 Davenport Road (Jesse Ketchum Hall) is recommended for designation for architectural and historical reasons. Jesse Ketchum Hall (Temperance Hall) is the oldest building continuing in use in the Yorkville area. It was built in 1848 for the community by Jesse Ketchum who came as an immigrant farmer in 1800 and later became prominent in the Town of York as a businessman, politician and public benefactor. In 1853, when the Village of Yorkville was incorporated, he donated the Hall to the York Sons of Temperance. It was the main centre of the Temperance Movement in Ontario for a century. The front was added in 1888 when it was named in memory of the donor. The original brick structure has been retained as an important part of the annex of the pentecostal Stone Church.

Notice of Objection to the designation may be served on the Clerk within thirty days of the 30th of June, 1981. (File 2111)

DATED at Toronto this 30th day of June, 1981.

Á. R. N. Woadden Deputy City Clerk