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Corporation of the

TOWN OF GODERICH

December 5, 1977

Ontario Heritage Foundation Queen's Park Toronto, Ontario M7A 2R9

Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed details concerning the designation of certain properties within the Corporation of the Town of Goderich. As we understand it, this information is to be forwarded to your office for each property being designated as a Heritage Building.

We are currently designating these properties according to the Ontario Heritage Act 1974, S.O. Chapter 122.

We cordially submit this information for your records.

Yours truly,

Carry J. McCabe

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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 known municipally as

Strachan House in the Town of Goderich in the

Province of Ontario.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

20 Wellington St. S.,
GODERICH, Ontario.
N7A 3S2

-Ontario Heritage Foundation

Take notice that the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Goderich , on the 3rd day of October 1977, decided to designate the lands and buildings, known municipally as Strachan House as a property of architectural and/or historical significance under The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974, S.O. Chapter 122.

REASON FOR PROPOSED DESIGNATION

The Strachan house is recommended for designation for architectural reasons. Significant architectural features include the mansard-roofed corner tower, the heavily modelled window headings, the patterned shingles, and the delightful iron cresting which crowns the roof. Most important, however, is the building's consistency of detail, for it is "a remarkably unaltered example of late nineteenth-century eclectism, invention, and ostentation - the quint-essential Victorian house." -from Ontario Towns, Oberon Press.

Notice of objection to the designation may be served on the Town Clerk within thirty days of the 8th day of December 1977.

Dated at Goderich, Ontario this 5th day of December 1977.

Signed '