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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 THE ABRAHAM HOOVER HOUSE, 4700  
KEELE STREET IN THE CITY OF NORTH YORK, IN THE  
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

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T O   D E S I G N A T E

To:                   The Ontario Heritage Foundation  
                      77 Bloor Street West  
                      7th Floor  
                      Toronto, Ontario.

Take notice that the Council of the Corporation of  
the City of North York on the 15th day of December,  
1980, decided to designate the lands and building  
known municipally as the Abraham Hoover House, 4700  
Keele Street, as a property of architectural value  
or interest under The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974, S.O.  
Chapter 122.

Short Statement of the Reasons for the Proposed  
Designation.

The part of Number 4700 Keele Street known as the  
Abraham Hoover House is recommended for designation  
for architectural reasons as a rare example of board  
and batten construction in North York. Stylistically  
it combines neo-classical, Gothic Revival and eclectic  
Picturesque elements in the eaves trim, construction  
method and gabled massing. Built about 1848 by  
Christian and Abraham Hoover, it is a fine relic of  
the Pennsylvania German community in York County.

Notice of objection to the designation may be served  
on the City Clerk within thirty days of December 22nd,  
1980.

DATED at Willowdale this 22nd day of December, 1980.



E. ROBERTS  
City Clerk

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