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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 KNOX COLLEGE ON SPADINA CRESCENT,  
IN THE CITY OF TORONTO, IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

To: The Governors of The University of Toronto,  
c/o Toronto University,  
Room 232, St. George Hall,  
Toronto, Ontario M5S 1A1

✓ Ontario Heritage Foundation.

Take notice that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Toronto, on the 15th day of October, 1975, decided to designate the lands and buildings, known municipally as Knox College on Spadina Crescent, as a property of historical value or interest under The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974, S.O. Chapter 122.

Short Statement of the Reasons for the Proposed Designation:

Knox College (later Connaught Laboratories), 1875 by Smith & Gemmill. Knox College is recommended for designation for its historical association with the teaching of Presbyterian theology in Canada; as the first major home of Knox College; and for its association with the production of penicillin, carried on here by the Connaught Laboratories. It is also important as a major complex by an important firm of Toronto architects, perhaps better known for the churches they built across Ontario. But possibly its greatest importance is in terms of streetscape, for it dominates and defines the vista up Spadina Avenue.

Notice of objection to the designation may be served on the Clerk within thirty days of January 16th, 1976. (Reference File 0795).

DATED at Toronto this 16th day of January, 1976.

  
ROY V. HENDERSON  
City Clerk.