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TOWN OF
PENETANGUSHENE

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August 17, 1981

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ONTARIO HERITAGE
FOUNDATION

Ontario Heritage Foundation,
77 Grenville Street,
Queen's Park,
Toronto, Ontario.
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Dear Sir/Madam:

Re: Designation under Part IV of The
Ontario Heritage Act, 1974.

Enclosed please find the Notice of Intention to
Designate for three buildings:

14 Water Street,
35 Robert Street West,
20 Robert Street West.

I trust these will meet your requirements.

Yours truly,

Brian Murrant
Brian Murrant, Secretary,
Local Architectural Conservation
Advisory Committee.

BM/wes.
Encl.

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 14 WATER STREET: LOT 4
ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF WATER ST: REGISTERED
PLAN NO. 9, IN THE TOWN OF PENETANGUISHENE,
IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

TO: [REDACTED]
14 Water Street,
Penetanguishene, Ontario.

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Penetanguishene intends to designate the property, including lands and buildings, known municipally as 14 Water Street, as a property of architectural and/or historical value or interest under Part IV of The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974, S.O. Chapter 122.

Reasons for the Proposed Designation:

In 1859 the prominent local merchant and first mayor, Alfred Andrew Thompson, built this house, a classic example of the Georgian Style of architecture.

The Thompson family's active involvement in the politics of the municipality is indicated by their 8 years of representation in the position of mayor.

The stone wall extending along the front border of the property, the two chimney stacks at the corners of the hip roof peak, the structural openings (windows, doors) and the more recently added verandah all support the house's symmetry which, above all else, is most important in Georgian Styling. The main door with its side lights, transom light and defining pilasters also bolsters the symmetry of the house.

Although the flemish bond red brick exterior is not very decorative it does have significance in that the bricks were hand made.

Any person may, before the 21st day of September 19 81, send by registered mail or deliver to the Clerk of the Town of Penetanguishene, notice of his or her objection to the proposed designation, together with a statement of the reasons for the objection and all relevant facts. When a Notice of Objection has been received, the Council of the Town of Penetanguishene will refer the matter to the Conservation Review Board for a hearing and report.

DATED at PENETANGUISHENE, Ontario.
this 17th day of August 19 81

Y.A. Gagné
Clerk