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THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF WHITBY

In the Regional Municipality of Durham



MUNICIPAL BUILDING  
575 Rossland Road East,  
Whitby, Ontario  
L1N 2M8

Telephone  
416-668-5803

File: A-2160 (LACAC)

October 20, 1983

The Ontario Heritage Foundation  
77 Bloor Street  
Toronto, Ontario  
M7A 2R9

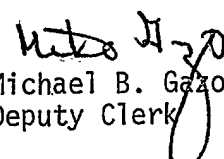
Dear Sirs:

Re: Notice of Intent to Designate

Please find enclosed for your information our Notice of Intent to Designate the premises municipally known as 800 Centre Street South, Whitby, as a property of architectural value and interest under Part 4 of the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1980, Chapter 337.

We trust that this meets with your satisfaction.

Yours truly,

  
Michael B. Gazo  
Deputy Clerk

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Encl.  
CC: B. Jordan, Planning Department

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF WHITBY

IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT, R.S.O. 1980,  
CHAPTER 337

AND IN THE MATTER OF THE LANDS AND PREMISES AT THE FOLLOWING  
MUNICIPAL ADDRESS IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

NOTICE OF INTENT TO DESIGNATE

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Whitby intends to designate the property, including lands and buildings at the following municipal address as property of architectural value or interest under Part 4 of the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1980, Chapter 337.

The Shier-Willis House  
800 Centre Street South  
Whitby, Ontario

REASONS FOR DESIGNATION OF THE SHIER-WILLIS HOUSE

(a) Architectural

The Shier-Willis House is a good example of Ontario vernacular cottage design. It displays many architectural elements typical of its time including a simple yet elegant veranda trimmed with treillage, a panelled door with cut glass, sidelights and wooden shingles.

(b) Historical

The house was built in 1868 for John Shier, the first county engineer for Ontario County. He drew up Perry's and Werden's Plans upon which much of the older part of Whitby was built, and designed "Inverlynn" and "Perry's Castle". James Willis owned the house from 1901 until his death in 1938. Willis was a local businessman who held several public positions including that of Mayor from 1913-1914.

Any person may, before November 25, 1983, send by registered mail or deliver to the Clerk of the Town of Whitby notice of his or her objection to the proposed designation together with a statement of reasons for the objection and all relevant facts. If such a notice of objection is received, the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Whitby shall refer the matter to the Conservation Review Board for a hearing.

DATED at the Town of Whitby this 26th day of October, 1983.

Donald G. McKay  
Town Clerk  
The Corporation of the Town of Whitby  
575 Rossland Road East  
Whitby, Ontario  
L1N 2M8

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in the October 26th, 1983, November 2nd and November 9th, 1983.

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