From: Chris Argiropoulos <[redacted]>

Sent: Friday, December 27, 2024 10:20 AM

To: clerk@hamilton.ca

**Subject:** Notice of Objection - 21-25 Jones Street, Stoney Creek (The Powerhouse)

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By email to <a href="mailton.ca">clerk@hamilton.ca</a>

Hamilton City Hall
71 Main St. W., 1<sup>st</sup> Floor
Hamilton, ON L8P 4Y5

Attention: Office of the City Clerk

Dear Sir or Madam,

Re: Notice of Objection to Designation under Part IV of the *Ontario Heritage Act* 21-25 Jones Street, Stoney Creek (The Powerhouse)

I act as lawyer for 2677191 Ontario Inc., the registered owner of property municipally known as 21-25 Jones Street, Stoney Creek (The Powerhouse) (the "subject property").

My client has received your Notice of Intention to Designate dated November 29, 2024, and <u>hereby formally objects</u> to the designation of the subject property on the following grounds:

- 1. The subject property does not have design value and/or physical value and it is not rare, unique, representative and/or an early example of a style, type, expression, material and/or construction method.
- 2. The subject property does not have design value and/or physical value and it does not display a high degree of craftsmanship and/or artistic merit.
- 3. The subject property does not have design value and/or physical value and it does not demonstrate a high degree of technical and/or scientific achievement.
- 4. The subject property does not have design value and/or physical value and it does not have direct associations with a theme, event, belief, person, activity, organization and/or

institution that is significant to a community.

- 5. The subject property does not have historical value and/or associative value and it does not yield, or have the potential to yield, information that contributes to an understanding of a community or culture.
- 6. The subject property does not have historical value and/or associative value and it does not demonstrate and/or reflect the work or ideas of an architect, artist, builder, designer or theorist who is significant to a community.
- 7. The subject property does not have contextual value and it not important in defining, maintaining and/or supporting the character of an area.
- 8. The subject property does not have contextual value and it is not physically, functionally, visually and/or historically linked to its surroundings.
- 9. The subject property does not have contextual value and it is not a landmark.
- 10. The current and/or past usage of the property has nullified and/or negated any of the foregoing attributes which are not admitted but specifically denied.
- 11. The location of the subject property in relation to neighboring properties and their current and/or past use has nullified and/or negated any of the foregoing attributes which are not admitted but specifically denied.
- 12. The designation of the subject property under Part IV of the *Ontario Heritage Act* will cause economic loss to the registered owner of the property.

Yours very truly,

Chris Argiropoulos

Hons. B.A., LL.B., J.D.



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