

April 20, 2010

Scott Barrett
Senior Preservation Co-ordinator
Heritage Preservation Services
Toronto City Hall
100 Queen St. W.
Toronto, ON
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Dear Scott:

Re: 335 Yonge St.

I am writing to request that Heritage Preservation Services staff report on designating 335 Yonge St., a property that was listed on the City of Toronto's Heritage Inventory in 1974. As most are well aware, on April 16th 2010, part of the north façade of the building collapsed onto Gould St.

In the interest of public safety, part of the north wall was demolished, as well as the HVAC system on the roof.

For many years, I have attempted to get the property owners to restore the heritage values of the property; however, I have been unsuccessful in this regard.

Now that the property is being assessed structurally, and it has significant landmark merits, I ask that staff report as soon as possible on the designation of the building.

I remain,

Kyle Rae
City Councillor

C: Mary MacDonald, Acting Manager, HPS