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VIA E-MAIL (clerk@toronto.ca)

Mayor and Members of Council City of Toronto Toronto City Hall 100 Queen Street West Toronto, Ontario M5H 2Ne

Your Worship and Members of Council:

Re:

Proposed New Comprehensive Zoning By-law ("New By-law")

And Re:

Planning and Growth Management Committee PG 21.1

Final Report on the City-Wide Zoning By-law

We are the solicitors for Maple Leaf Sports & Entertainment ("MLSE"), the owner of properties known municipally as 40 and 50 Bay Street, which includes the Air Canada Centre. MLSE also has a leasehold interest in the following properties; 15 York Street (Maple Leaf Square), and 100 (Ricoh Coliseum) and 170 (BMO Field) Princes' Boulevard located at the CNE grounds.

Based on our review of the New By-law, it appears that each of the above properties is in a "hole" i.e. the zoning in place prior to the approval of the New By-law will continue to apply. Generally speaking, it is our client's submission that the entire zoning regime applicable to these properties should reflect the permissions and provisions contemplated by the existing approvals without qualification. Our client could accept the placement of the noted properties in a "hole" only on the basis that this principle was strictly followed without error. Our client would further object to any change to the New By-law that could have the effect of diminishing or lessening in any way the development permissions currently in place for each property.

Please provide us with notice of Council's decision in this matter, including any subsequent consideration by Council, Community Council, or any Committee.



Thank you for your kind consideration.

Yours very truly,

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