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Dear Mayor and Members of Council:

**Re: Application to Remove and Injure Private Trees, 78 Queen's Park
University of Toronto, Faculty of Law Building**

We are the solicitors for the Governing Council of the University of Toronto ("University"). We are writing further to our correspondence dated December 12, 2013 and the correspondence of Ms. Ceta Ramkhalawansingh dated December 14, 2013.

The arborist reports for the Faculty of Law expansion were circulated to Councillor Vaughan in August, who we understand in turn distributed these to the community. As set out in the City staff report dated October 28, 2013, on its own initiative the University worked diligently, with the support of Urban Forestry, to save and protect two additional trees that were originally proposed to be removed. In total, 37 large growing shade trees are being planted to the satisfaction of Urban Forestry.

We would be pleased to respond to any further questions or concerns the community or City may have.

Yours truly,
Cassels Brock & Blackwell LLP

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cc: Clients

