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PG21.1.164

Attention: Ms. Frances Pritchard, Administrator

Dear Chair Milczyn and Committee Members:

RE Statutory Public Meeting re: New City-wide Zoning By-law
- Item No. PG21.1, March 6, 2013 Agenda
- Submission filed on behalf of 555 Richmond Limited Partnership
- No. 555 Richmond Street West and No. 543 Richmond Street West

Please be advised that we are the solicitors for 555 Richmond Limited Partnership, the owner of property located at No. 555 Richmond Street West. Our client is about to submit a Zoning By-law Amendment application relating to both its property and the adjacent property at 543 Richmond Street West. Both properties are covered by Site Specific By-law No. 195-85 which is an anachronism in terms of its restrictions on density and permitted uses. Accordingly, our client wants to be on record that it does not support any provisions in the proposed New Zoning By-law which create impediments to the appropriate permitted uses and regulations for these properties.

In addition, pursuant to the provisions of the *Planning Act*, in order to preserve one's right to appeal the Zoning By-law Amendment to the Ontario Municipal Board, a property owner must express its concerns on the proposed Zoning By-law Amendment before City Council adopts that amendment. Since it is possible that City Council can make amendments, without notice, up to the very last minute prior to adoption of the New Zoning By-law, the only way in which a property owner can protect its rights is by filing a letter expressing its concerns.

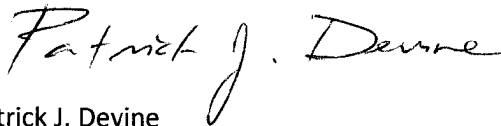
Accordingly, please accept this letter as our client's written letter of concern with respect to the application of the provisions, maps, overlays, etc. in the proposed New Zoning By-law which relate in any way to the above-noted properties.

Kindly provide the writer with notice of all further actions with respect to this matter including Notice of Passing of the new Zoning By-law. In addition, kindly ensure that this written submission is forwarded to City Council for its consideration prior to the adoption of the new Zoning By-law.

Should you require anything further with respect to this matter, kindly contact the writer at your earliest convenience.

Yours very truly,

Fraser Milner Casgrain LLP

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Patrick J. Devine". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looped initial 'P'.

Patrick J. Devine

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cc: 555 Richmond Limited Partnership