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Our File No.: 190678

City of Toronto City Hall, 2nd Floor 100 Queen Street Toronto, Ontario M5H 2N2

Attention: Ulli S. Watkiss, City Clerk

Dear Ms. Watkiss:

Re: Notice of Appeal Pursuant to Subsection 34(11) of the *Planning Act*

Application No. 18 189969 NNY 10 OZ 25 Fisherville Road, City of Toronto

We are solicitors for IMH 25 Fisherville Ltd., who are the owners of the property known municipally in the City of Toronto as 25 Fisherville Road (the "Site"). We are writing on behalf of our client to appeal our client's zoning by-law amendment application (the "Application") to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal (the "Tribunal"), pursuant to subsection 34(11) of the *Planning Act*, for the failure of the City to make a decision on the Application.

Background

The Site, which has an area of 1.52 hectares (3.75 acres), is located on the south side of Fisherville Road to the west of Bathurst Street. The Site is rectangular in shape, with approximately 70 metres of frontage on Fisherville Road and a lot depth of approximately 190 metres. It is currently occupied by a single slab 18-storey residential building oriented perpendicular to Fisherville Road. This building contains 214 residential rental units with an existing underground parking garage.

From a policy perspective, the Site is a candidate for infill intensification because it is designated as *Apartment Neighbourhoods* and much of the Site is currently vacant, comprising surface parking lots, unused paved area or other unprogrammed space. In particular, surface parking is located on the northern edge of the Site and a second surface parking lot is located to the south of the existing building.

The Application would permit the construction of two residential buildings (22-storeys and 12-storeys), in addition to two blocks of 3-storey townhouses. The proposed redevelopment would have a total gross floor area of approximately 31,427 square metres and approximately 412 residential units. The existing 18-storey residential building would be retained. The Application



would also include a 530 square metre public park and a 248 square metre privately-owned publicly accessible space (POPS) abutting the public park, as well as a new north-south public street along the easterly limit of the Site.

The City declared the Application complete as of November 29, 2018. Through mediation at the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal involving two appeals filed by adjacent landowners, our client worked with City staff (and the other landowners) on a comprehensive approach to redevelopment of these three properties. On August 23, 2019, our client filed a revised application with the City, which formed the basis of a positive staff report dated September 12, 2019.

At its meeting on October 2, 2019, City Council adopted the staff recommendations, including (among other matters):

- that City Council amend the applicable zoning by-laws to permit the proposed redevelopment of the Site;
- withhold introduction of the bills pending completion of certain additional studies;
- withhold introduction of the bills pending an agreement to secure the construction of the above-noted public road; and,
- withhold introduction of the bills until the Tribunal has issued its approval in principle for the above-noted appeals filed by the two adjacent landowners (6020/6030 Bathurst Street and 6040 Bathurst Street/5 Fisherville Road).

Reasons for the Appeal

Our client understands that this "friendly appeal" may seem counterintuitive, given the positive staff report and City Council's adoption of the staff recommendations.

Our client believes the Application is consistent with the Provincial Policy Statement, conforms with the Growth Plan, appropriately implements the City's Official Plan, represents good planning and is in the public interest. The basis for these conclusions is found in the materials submitted in support of the Application and in the positive staff report. For clarity, our client is supportive of the recommendations in the City staff report and appreciates the collaborative approach with City staff to secure such a positive staff report.

However, through discussions with City staff and counsel for the adjacent landowners, there is concurrence that this appeal should be filed to ensure that all matters of implementation, as between the three landowners, are carried forward by one approval authority, which would be the Tribunal. Given that the Tribunal is the approval authority for the applications regarding the two other blocks of land, it is prudent for the Tribunal to be the approval authority for the

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Application. This will ensure that the requisite agreements and the construction of the abovenoted public road can be coordinated and implemented in an efficient manner.

We respectfully request that a prehearing be scheduled for this appeal on January 6, 2019. Such a date would enable the first prehearing conference for this appeal to be heard together with the next prehearing conferences for LPAT Case No. PL171014 and LPAT Case No. PL180386, although we are not proposing that these matters be consolidated.

The Appellant Form is enclosed, along with a cheque in the amount of \$300.00. If any additional information is required, please contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

Goodmans LLP

David Bronskill

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✓	Appeal of <i>Planning Act</i> matters for Official Plans and amendments, Zoning By-Laws and amendments and Plans of Subdivision, Interim Control By-laws, Site Plans, Minor Variances, Consents and Severances, proceed to Section 1A
	Second appeal of a <i>Planning Act</i> matter for Official Plans and amendments, Zoning By-Laws and amendments, proceed to Section 1B. NOTE: Bill 139, Building Better <i>Communities and Conserving Watersheds Act</i> , 2017, allows appeals to the Tribunal of some <i>Planning Act</i> matters previously determined by LPAT.
	Appeals of other matters, including Development Charges, Education Act, Aggregate Resources Act, Municipal Act and Ontario Heritage, proceed to Section 1C

Subject of Appeal	Type of Appeal	Reference (Section)	
	Planning Act Matters		
2	Appeal a decision by local council that adopted an OP or OPA (exempt from approval by Minister or Approval Authority)	17(24)	
Official Plan or Official Plan Amendment	Appeal a decision of an Approval Authority that approved or did not approve all or part of a plan or amendment	17(36)	
	Approval Authority failed to make a decision on the plan within 120 days	17(40)	
	Council failed to adopt the requested amendment within 120 days		
	Council refuses to adopt the requested amendment		
Zoning By-law or Zoning By-law Amendment	Appeal the passing of a Zoning By-law	34(19)	
	Application for an amendment to the Zoning By-law – failed to make a decision on the application within 90 days	34(11)	
•	Application for an amendment to the Zoning By-law – failed to make a decision within 120 days where the application is associated with an Official Plan Amendment		
	Application for an amendment to the Zoning By-law – refused by the municipality		
Interim Control Zoning By-law	Appeal the passing of an Interim Control By-law within 60 days (Minister only)	38(4)	
	Appeal the passing of an extension of an Interim Control By-law within 60 days	38(4.1)	
Site Plan	Application for a site plan – council failed to make a decision within 30 days	41(12)	

Subject of Appeal	Type of Appeal	Reference (Section)
	Appeal requirements imposed by the municipality or upper tier municipality	41(12.01)
Minor Variance	Appeal a decision of the Committee of Adjustment that approved or refused the application	45(12)
	Appeal a decision that approved or refused the application	53(19)
Consent/Severance	Appeal conditions imposed	
	Appeal changed conditions	53(27)
	Application for consent – Approval Authority failed to make a decision on the application within 90 days	53(14)
	Application for a plan of subdivision – Approval Authority failed to make a decision on the plan within 120 days	51(34)
	Appeal a decision of an Approval Authority that approved a plan of subdivision	
Plan of Subdivision	Appeal a decision of an Approval Authority that did not approve a plan of subdivision	
	Appeal a lapsing provision imposed by an Approval Authority	51(39)
	Appeal conditions imposed by an Approval Authority	
	Appeal conditions - after expiry of 20 day appeal period but before final approval (only applicant or public body may appeal)	51(43)
	Appeal changed conditions	51(48)

1 B. Appeal Type (Please check all applicable boxes) Only for appeal(s) of a new decision or non-decision by municipality or Approval Authority following a previous LPAT Decision (i.e., second appeal).

For matters subject to Bill 139 and the associated transition regulation (the second appeal).

Subject of Appeal	Type of Appeal	Reference (Section)
	Planning Act Matters	
Official Plan or Official Plan Amendment	Appeal of a decision by Approval Authority on an OP or OPA (exempt from approval by Minister or Approval Authority) following a LPAT decision	17(24) and 17(49.6)
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	Appeal of a refusal within 90 days by Council following a LPAT decision	22(7) and 22(11.0.12)
	Appeal of a non-decision within 90 days by Council following a LPAT decision	
Zoning By-law or Zoning By-law Amendment	Appeal of a refusal within 90 days by Council following a LPAT decision	34(11) and 34(26.5)
	Appeal of a non-decision within 90 days by Council following a LPAT decision	ar II
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1 C. Other Appeal Types	(Please check all applicable boxes)			
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	Development Charges Act Matters			
Development Charge By- aw	Appeal a Development Charge By-law	14		
	Appeal an amendment to a Development Charge By-law	19(1)		
Development Charge Complaint	Appeal municipality's decision regarding a complaint	22(1)		
	☐ Failed to make a decision on the complaint within 60 days	22(2)		
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	Objection to an amendment to a front-ending agreement	50		
	Education Act Matters			
ducation Development Charge By-law	Appeal an Education Development Charge By-law	257.65		
	Appeal an amendment to an Education Development Charge By-law	257.74(1)		
ducation Development Charge Complaint	Appeal approval authority's decision regarding a complaint	257.87(1)		
	Failed to make a decision on the complaint within 60 days	257.87(2)		
	Aggregate Resources Act Matters			
	One or more objections against an application for a 'Class A' aggregate removal licence	11(5)		
	One or more objections against an application for a 'Class B' aggregate removal licence			
	Application for a 'Class A' licence – refused by Minister	11(11)		
	Application for a 'Class B' licence – refused by Minister			
	Changes to conditions to a licence	13(6)		
Aggregate Removal Licence	Amendment of site plans	16(8)		
	Minister proposes to transfer the licence – applicant does not have licensee's consent			
	Minister proposes to refuse transfer of licence – applicant is licensee or has licensee's consent to transfer	18(5)		
	Minister proposes to refuse transfer of licence – applicant does not have licensee's consent to transfer			
	Revocation of licence	20(4)		
	Municipal Act Matters			
	Appeal the passing of a by-law to divide the municipality into wards			
Ward Boundary By-law	Appeal the passing of a by-law to redivide the municipality into wards	222(4)		

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			Ontario Heritage	e Act Matters			
Designation of Property	Appeal a Notice of intention to designate property				29(11)		
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		Appeal a Notice of Intention to repeal a designating by-law or part of a designating by-law					31(9)
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Heritage Conservation District	Appeal the		ng of a by-law desig	gnating a herit	age conservation		40.1(4)
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4. Representative	e Information					
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If you intend on arguing on one or more of the above throughout a proceeding, please explain:						

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Oral/written submissions to council If applicable, did you make your opinions regarding this matter known to council? Oral submissions at a public meeting of council Written submissions to council
6. Related Matters
Are there other appeals not yet filed with the Municipality? Yes No Are there other matters related to this appeal? (For example: A consent application connected to a variance application) Yes No If yes, please provide LPAT Case Number(s) and/or Municipal File Number(s)
7. Mediation
Mediation is a confidential process in which the parties to an appeal talk about their differences and, with the facilitative assistance of an impartial individual, a mediator, negotiate a consensual resolution of the appeal. Unless the Tribunal determines that there is a good reason for not addressing the appeal with mediation, all parties shall presume that their differences will first be addressed through a mediation directed by the Tribunal. As such, parties shall act and prepare accordingly, meaning good faith negotiation and collaboration are a priority and are expected by the Tribunal.
8. Witness Information
Detail the nature and/or expertise of witnesses you will have available. Land use planning, urban design, transportation
For all other appeal types: Describe expert witness(es)' area of expertise (For example: land use planner, architect, engineer, etc.).
9. Required Fee Total Fee Submitted \$ 300 Payment Method ▶ ☐ Certified cheque ☐ Money Order ✓ Lawyer's general or trust account cheque

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I solemnly declare that all of the statements and complete.	and the information provided, as well as any support	ing documents are true, correct
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Personal information or documentation requested on this form is collected under the provisions of the *Planning Act*, R.S.O. 1990 c. P. 13 and the *Local Planning Appeal Tribunal Act*. After an appeal is filed, all information relating to this appeal may become available to the public.

10. Declaration