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Mach 10, 2011

Manhattan Community Board 8 505 Park Avenue, 602 New York, NY 10022 Attn. Chair: Jacqueline Ludorf

> Re: <u>50 East 69<sup>th</sup> Street, Manhattan,</u> BSA Cal. No. 307-81-BZ

## Dear Chair Ludorf:

Please be advised that we have today filed an Application with the Board of Standards and Appeals (the "Board") for an Extension of the term of a previously approved and extended variance, pursuant to Section 72-21 of the Zoning Resolution, which permitted, in an R8B district, in a five story and penthouse building, medical office use on all floors except the owner's residential penthouse. Since 1981, when the variance was first granted, the building has been continuously occupied by the Center for Specialty Care which has its plastic surgery practice at the building.

In accordance with the rules of the Board, we are sending you copies of the following documents:

- 1. SOC Application;
- 2. Department of Building Objection;
- 3. Statement of Facts and Findings,
- 4. Architectural Plans, for Previously Approved and Proposed Conditions, no change, together with the colored Radius Diagram;
- 5. Color photographs of site;

- 6. List of Affected Property Owners and Tenants;
- 7. Affidavit of Ownership and Certificate of Inspection;
- 8. BSA Zoning Analysis and Zoning Analysis Forms.

Please let me know when your Board will schedule this application for its review.

Very truly yours,

Francis R. Angelino

FRA:ag Enclosures

cc: Board of Standards and Appeals City Planning Commission (2 copies) Manhattan Borough President Stringer Council Member Garodnick December 20, 2001

Hon. James L. Chin Chairman NYC Board of Standards and Appeals 40 Rector Street New York, NY 10006

Re: BSA Cal. No. 307-81-BZ, 50 East 69th Street

Dear Chairman Chin:

At its Land Use/Full Board meeting on Wednesday, December 19, 2001, Community Board 8M passed the following resolution by a vote of 30 in favor, 0 opposed and 0 abstentions:

Whereas, above referenced applicant has requested an extension of the term of an existing variance for an additional ten-year term; and

Whereas, Community Board 8M held a public hearing regarding this matter;

Be it resolved, that Community Board 8M recommends approval of this application.

Kindly advise this office of your decision made concerning this matter.

Sincerely,

Kenneth M. Moltner Chair

cc:

Hon. Rudolph Giuliani

Hon. C. Virginia Fields

Hon. Carolyn Maloney

Hon. Roy Goodman

Hon. Alexander Grannis

Hon. John Ravitz

Hon. A. Gifford Miller

Hon. Eva Moskowitz

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## SPECIAL ORDER CALENDAR (SOC)

Application Form

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	Authorizing Section(s) of the Zoning Resolution:									
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Section E  Department Of Buildings Information  Section F Board History	1. Have plans been filed?  2. Have plans been approved?  (If Yes, Date Approved	vas granted by
Section G Inspection and Compliance	1. Have you reviewed the Board's case file?  2. Have you recently inspected the premises and surrounding area?  (If Yes, date of most recent site inspection February 15, 2011  )  3. Did you find:	YES NO
	<ul> <li>a. Compliance with the terms and conditions of the Board's resolution?  Attach a completed Certificate of Inspection and Compliance</li> <li>b. Any significant condition changes (e.g. rezoning, city map amendments, recent developments) within the affected area since the Board's last action on this application?</li></ul>	
	S. Are there any outstanding violation(s) on the premises?      (If Yes, submit a DOB BIS printout)     S. Is there any other application before the Board which affects the premises?      (If Yes, Cal No)     7. Is there any other application at any government agency which affects the premises?	
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## STATEMENT OF FACTS AND FINDINGS

RE: 307-81-BZ; 50 East 69th Street, Manhattan (the "Subject Premises")

This application, submitted on behalf of 50 East 69<sup>th</sup> Street Corp. (the "Applicant"), seeks the extension of the term of an existing variance, regarding the Subject Premises, for an additional ten (10) year term. The existing variance, which permitted the conversion of a five story and penthouse school into a medical office building with medical office use above the first floor in a residential district and an owner-occupied apartment in the penthouse, was initially approved by the Board on September 15, 1981 (the "Variance"), for a term of ten years, and was granted two ten year extensions of its term in 1992 and in 2001 (copies of the Board's granting resolutions are submitted herewith).

Applicant now seeks the Board's consent to a further ten year extension of the term of the Variance from September 15, 2011, when the current term expires, until September 15, 2021. Applicant has continuously operated its medical offices, Use Group 6 use, at the Subject Premises in compliance with the conditions of the Variance. Applicant desires to continue operating its medical offices in the same manner as set forth in the Variance, without any modifications to the Subject Premises or the conditions of the grant of the Variance.

There have been no significant changes in the character of the surrounding Upper East Side neighborhood since the last extension of the term of the Variance, as is further indicated by the radius diagram which is being submitted with this application. Applicant is unaware of any existing violations or complaints by surrounding neighbors with respect to the operation of the medical practice within the Subject Premises. Accordingly, Applicant believes that as further extension of the existing variance for an additional ten (10) year term will not adversely affect the character of the surrounding neighborhood.

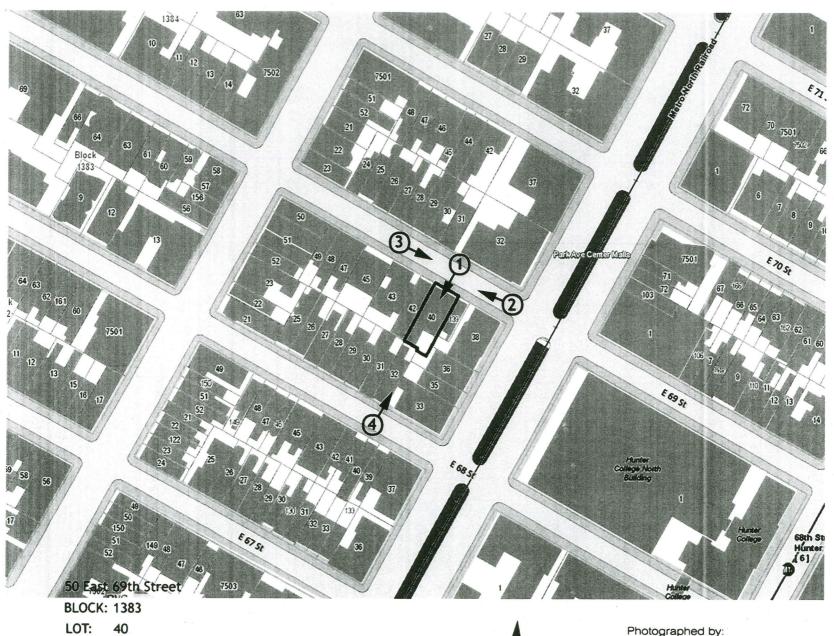
Since the approved plans date back to 1981, we are submitting updated and formatted plans, entitled "Previously Approved and Proposed Conditions". The updated plans essentially are the same as the approved plans except for some minor changes in interior partitions that would be considered as normal over a thirty year period. The conditions of the Board's grant as to days and hours of operation and as to the permitted use have not changed.

Based on the foregoing adherence by the Applicant to the conditions of the Variance, and because the neighborhood conditions have not materially changed in the ten (10) years since the Board granted its last extension of the term of this Variance, Applicant respectfully requests that the Board grant an additional ten (10) year extension of the term of the Variance.

Very truly yours

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February 25, 2011



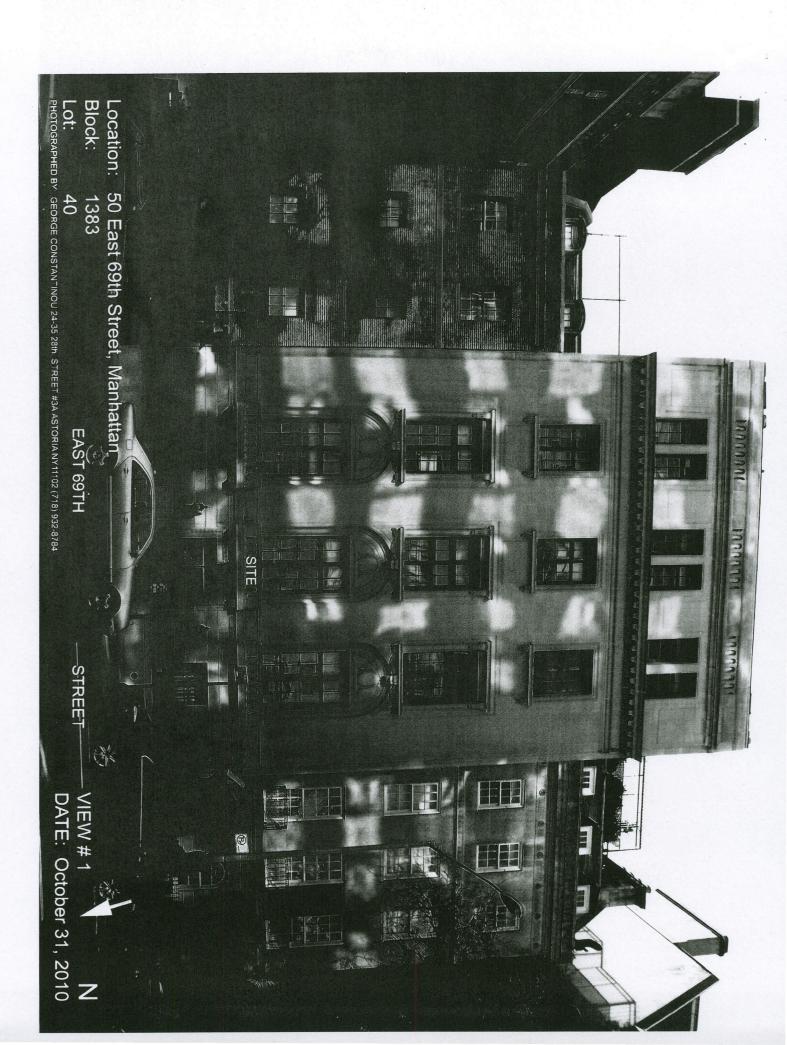
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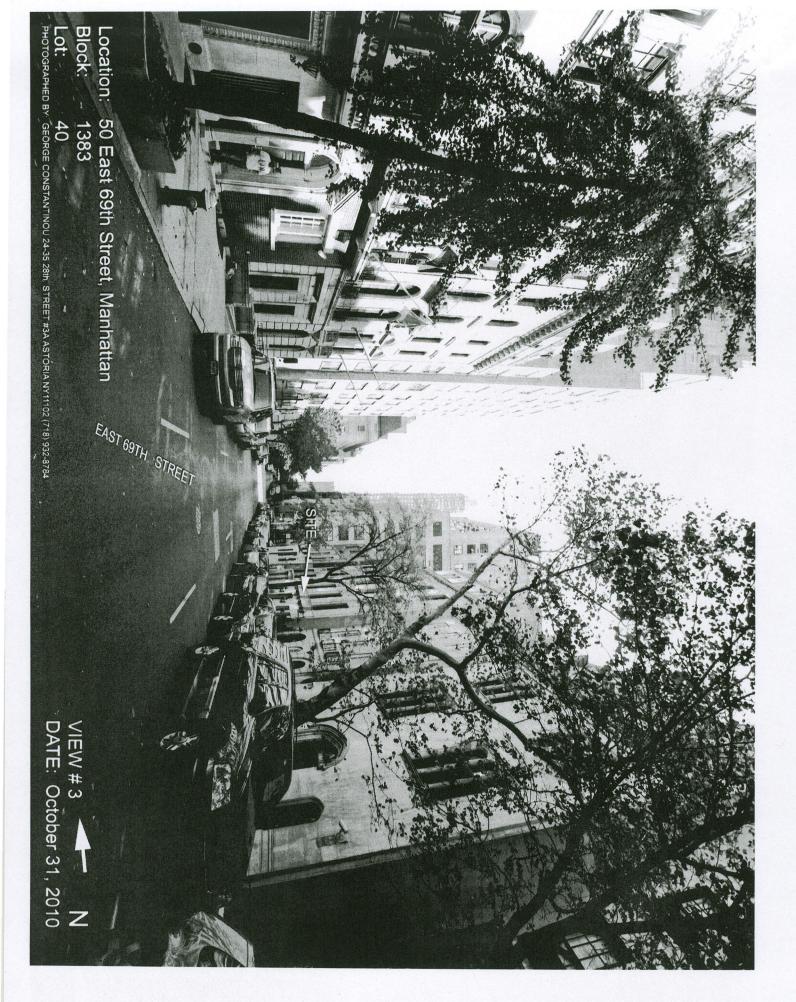
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Phone: (718) 932-8784 (718) 932-3685 October 31, 2010

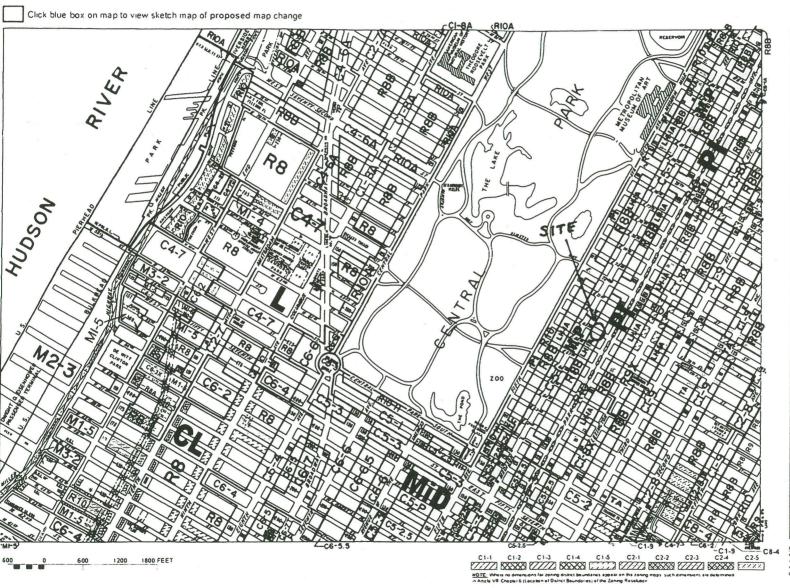
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Block: PHOTOGRAPHED BY: GEORGE CONSTANTINOU 24-35 28th. STREET #3A ASTORIA NY11102 (718) 932-8784 Lot: ( No. 50 East 69th Street, Manhattan 1383 EAST 68TH. STREET DATE: October 31, 2010



### **ZONING MAP**

THE NEW YORK CITY PLANNING COMMISSION

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