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	Ann	lication	Form

BSA APPLICATION NO. 58-11-BZ CEQR NO. 11-BSA-091

Section A	by Shelly S. Friedman, Esq.	The Trustees of Th	e Spence S	School, Inc.	
Applicant/	NAME OF APPLICANT	OWNER OF RECORD			
Owner	568 Broadway - Suite 505	22 East 91st S	treet		
	ADDRESS 10010	ADDRESS	ATTY	10100	
	New York NY 10012	New York	NY	10128	
	212 STATE ZIP 925-4545	CITY	STATE	ZIP	
	AREA CODE TELEPHONE	LESSEE / CONTRACT VE	NDEE		
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Section B	20-22 East 91st Street and 17 East				
Site	Property is situated on the south side of East 91st St., 62.17 ft wester of East 91st St. and the westerly side of Madison Ave. (Lot 59). Proper	ty is situated on the north side	of East 90th	St distant 281.11	
Data	ft easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY BY BOUNDING OR CROSS STRE	side of East 90th St. and the e	asterly side of	f 5th Ave. (Lot 12).	
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	CITY COUNCIL MEMBER ZONING DISTRICT		NNG MAP NU	MBFR	
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Section C	BSA AUTHORIZING SECTION(S) 72-21 for		CIAL PERMI	T (Including 11-41)	
Dept of Building	Section(s) of the Zoning Resolution to be varied 24–11; 24–382				
Decision	DOB Decision (Objection/ Denial) date: April 28, 2011 Acting on Application No: Alt. 103426892 (20 E. 91)				
			Alt. 120	504418 (17 E. 90)	
Section D	(LEGALIZATION YES NO IN PART)	72-21 with respect to	constructi	on of a	
	The applicant seeks a variance pursuant to ZR Sec. 72-21 with respect to construction of a proposed Connector within the rear yard equivalent between the rear elevations of 17 East 90th				
Description	Street and 20-22 East 91st Street. The proposed 29.75 ft tall Connector will increase the degree				
	of the zoning lot's existing lot coverage noncompliance (ZR Sec. 24-11); and will increase the extent of the rear yard equivalent noncompliance (ZR Sec. 24-382).				
Section E	If "YES" to any of the below questions, please explain in the STATEM	MENT OF FACTS		YES NO	
BSA History	Has the premises been the subject of any previous BSA application(s)?				
and	PRIOR BSA APPLICATION NO(S): 390-86-BZ (20-22 East 91st Street)				
Related Actions	2. Are there any applications concerning the premises pending before any other government agency?				
	3. Is the property the subject of any court action?				
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	I HEREBY AFFIRM THAT BASED ON INFORMATION AND BELIE	F THE AROVE STATEMENT	S AND THE S	TATEMENTS	
Section F	CONTAINED IN THE PAPERS ARE TRUE.	I, IIIE ABOVE STATEMENT	JAND THE S	TATEMENTS.	
Signature	Full on	SWORN TO ME THI	e Ind nav	OF May 2011	
	Signature of Applicant, Corporate Officer or Other Authorized Repres	sentative			
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	Shelly S. Friedman, Esq. Counsel	Clina sky	recognistration of the second	No. 01AR6050323	
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May 3, 2011

BY HAND

The Honorable Meenakshi Srinivasan Chair NYC Board of Standards and Appeals 40 Rector Street - 9th Floor New York, New York 10006

Re:

22 East 91st Street (Block 1502 Lot 59) & 17 East 90th Street

(Block 1502 Lot 12), Manhattan (the "Site")

BSA Cal. No. CEQR No.

Dear Chair Srinivasan:

We are special land use counsel to The Spence School ("Spence"), owner of the above-referenced premises. Spence seeks a variance pursuant to ZR Sec. 72-21 with respect to construction of a proposed Connector within the rear yard equivalent between the rear elevations of 17 East 90th Street and its current school building at 20-22 East 91st Street. The proposed 29.75 ft tall Connector will increase the degree of existing lot coverage noncompliance (ZR Sec. 24-11) and will increase the extent of the rear yard equivalent noncompliance (ZR Sec. 24-382) within the R8B portion of the Site. The proposed design is identical to the design presented to the Landmarks Preservation Commission. The Commission unanimously approved the design on December 14, 2010.

This application also requests the continuation of two previous variances granted in 1987 as 390-86-BZ in association with a previous expansion on Lot 59 when it was a separate zoning lot. 390-86-BZ modified lot coverage and rear yard regulations to permit Spence to construct the three-storey and cellar Osborne Wing on Lot 59's easternmost portion, an area of the Lot that is unrelated to the present proposal. This Application assumes that the 1987 lot coverage waiver for the Osborne Wing will be subsumed and continued with the approval of the lot coverage waiver requested in this Application. In addition, this Application requests that the Board in its resolution re-affirm its waiver of the rear yard objection for the Osborne Wing provided in the 1987 Variance.

Enclosed please find one (1) original and nine (9) copies of the following materials in connection with Spence's ZR. Sec. 72-21 variance application:

- 1. BZ Application form;
- 2. BSA Resolution 390-86-BZ;
- 3. Department of Buildings Objections dated April 28, 2011;

- 4. Affidavits of Ownership;
- 5. Statement of Facts;
- 6. Statement of Findings;
- 7. Landmarks Preservation Commission Certificates of Appropriateness issued on 12/14/2010;
- 8. Certificate of Occupancy No. 103426892T013 for 20 East 91st Street;
- 9. Tax Map;
- 10. Zoning Map;
- 11. BSA Zoning Analysis;
- 12. Radius Diagram/Land Use Map;
- 13. Photographs 1 through 7;
- 14. Existing Conditions Plans (Drawings EX-1 through EX-15 dated May 3, 2011);
- 15. Conforming (As-of-Right) Plans (Drawings AOR-1 through AOR-15 dated May 3, 2011);
- 16. Proposed Conditions Plans (Drawings P-1 through P-15 dated May 3, 2011;
- 17. List of Affected Property Owners and Tenants;
- 18. A CD containing all materials listed above;
- 19. Environmental Assessment Statement (one (1) original; two (2) copies and two (2) CDs).

Also enclosed are:

- Internal Revenue Service 501(c)(3) letter issued to Spence;
- Checks in total amount of Eight Thousand Eighty Dollars and 00/100 cents (\$8,080.00) payable to Board of Standards and Appeals which represent the BSA filing fee based on 80,803.47 sf of zoning floor area of the project;
- A check in the amount of Twenty-Seven Thousand Three Hundred Twenty-Five Dollars and 00/100 (\$27,325.00) payable to Board of Standards and Appeals which represents the CEQR filing fee based on 109,164.85 sf of gross floor area of the project.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you should have any questions please feel free to call me at (212) 925-4545.

Very truly yours,

Shelly S. Friedman

Enclosures

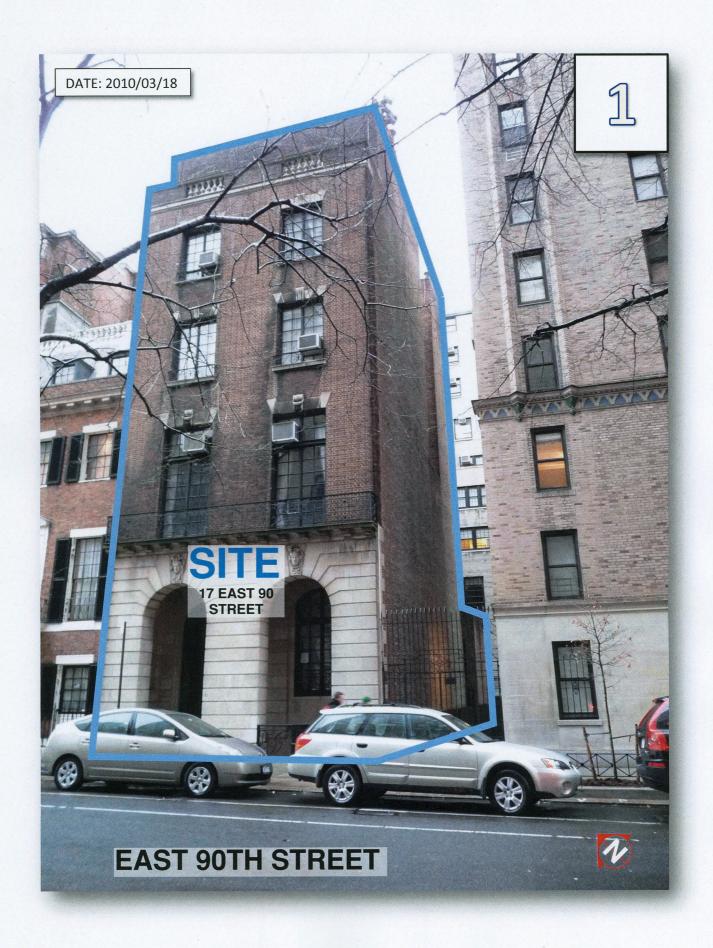
cc: Hon. Jacqueline Ludorf, Manhattan CB 8

Hon. Daniel R. Garodnick, NY City Council Member Hon. Scott M. Stringer, Manhattan Borough President

Ms. Edith Hsu-Chen, Director, Manhattan Office, Department of City Planning

Mr. Christopher Holme, Zoning & Urban Design Division, Department of City Planning

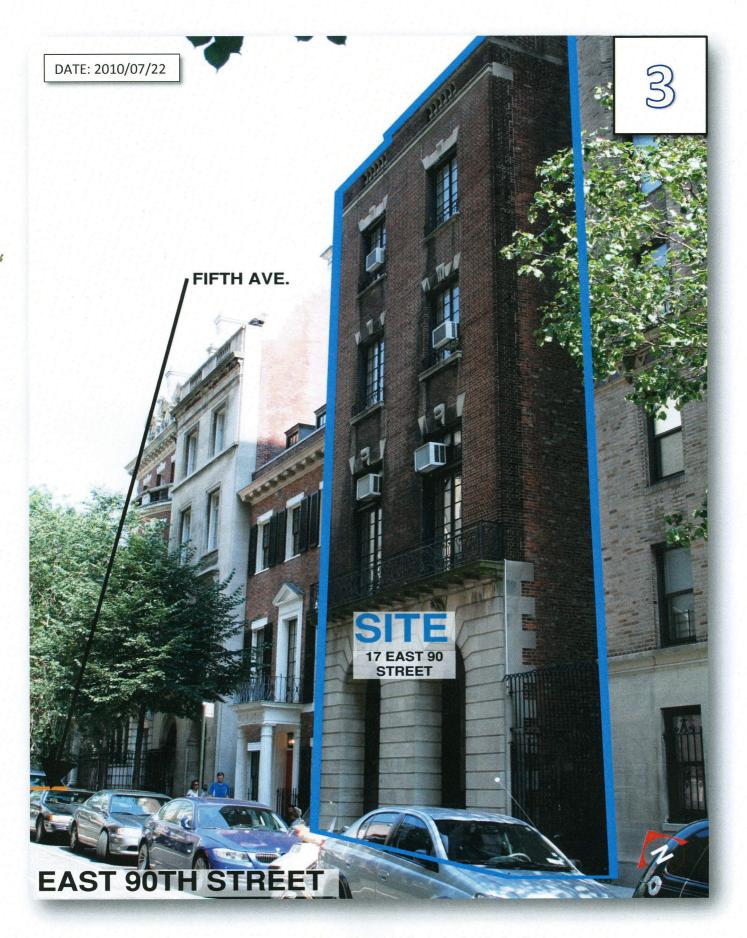
Derek Lee, R.A., Manhattan Borough Commissioner, NYC Department of Buildings



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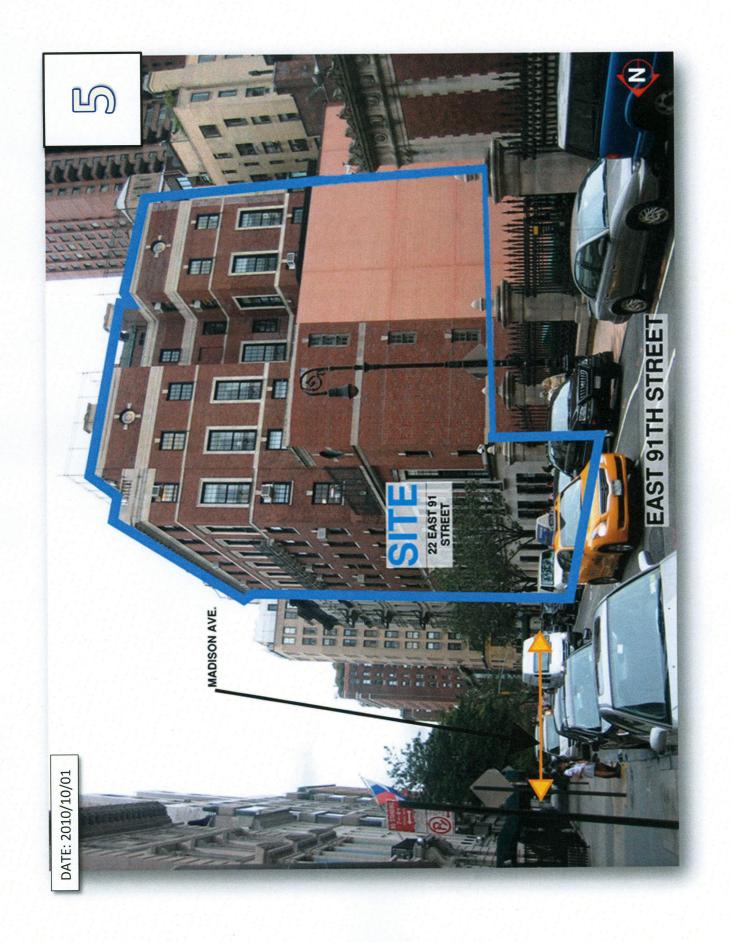
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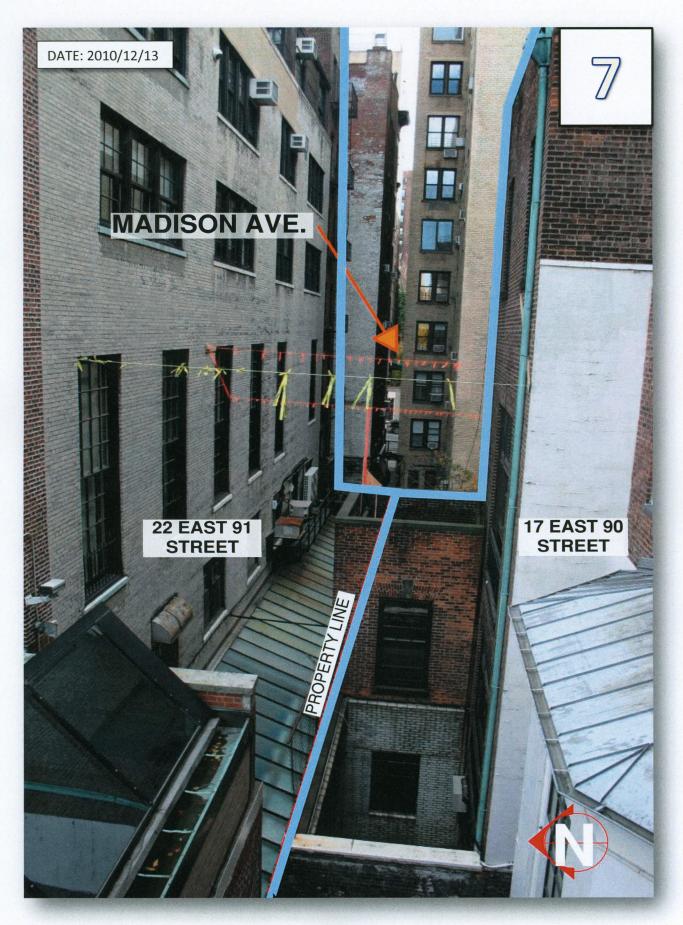
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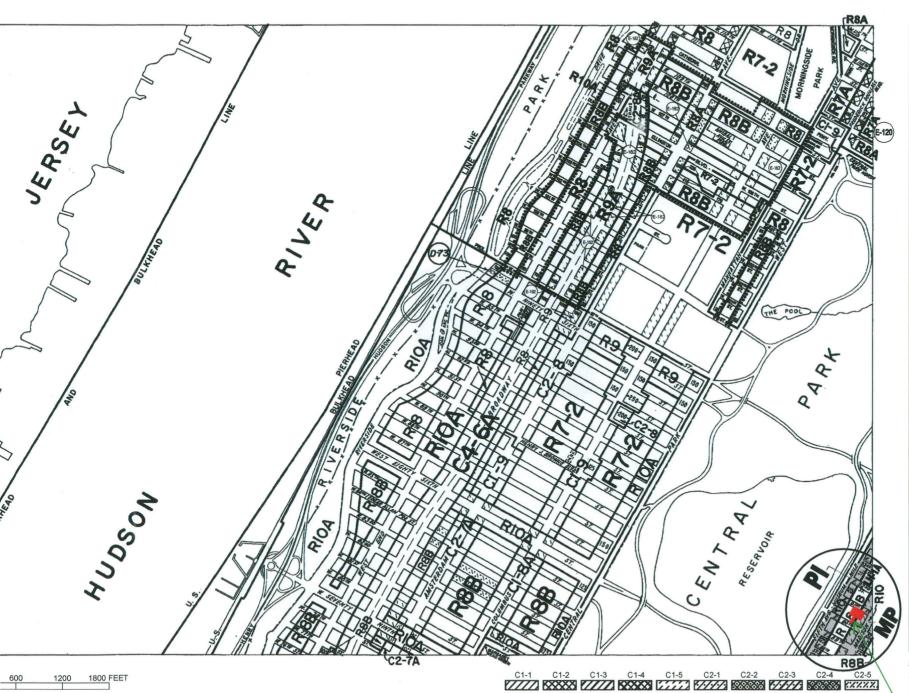
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ne Spence School. 20-22 East 91st Street & 17 East 90th Street, Manhattan. Tax Map



ZONING MAP

THE NEW YORK CITY PLANNING COMMISSION

Major Zoning Classifications:

The number(s) and/or letter(s) that follows an **R**, **C** or **M** District designation indicates use, bulk and other controls as described in the text of the Zoning Resolution.

- R RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT
- COMMERCIAL DISTRICT
- MANUFACTURING DISTRICT

AREA(S) REZONED

EFFECTIVE DATE(S) OF REZONING: 9-25-2007 C 070427 ZMM

- SPECIAL PURPOSE DISTRICT The letter(s) within the shaded area designates the special purpose district as described in the text of the Zoning Resolution.
- RESTRICTIVE DECLARATION
- CITY ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REVIEW DECLARATION
 - REFERS TO DISTRICTS OR PORTIONS THEREOF THAT ARE INCLUSIONARY HOUSING DESIGNATED AREAS. SEE APPENDIX F FOR BOUNDARIES OF DESIGNATED AREAS.

ZONING

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	5d	6b
8a	8c	9a

visit the Zoning section of the Department of City Planning website:

www.nyc.gov/planning or contact the Zoning Information Desk at

(212) 720-3291.

NOTE: Where no dimensions for zoning district boundaries appear on the zoning maps, such dimensions are determined in Article VII, Chapter 6 (Location of District Boundaries) of the Zoning Resolution