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The City of New York Manhattan Community Board 8

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Hon. Robert B. Tierney, Chair NYC Landmarks Preservation Commission Municipal Building One Centre Street, 9th Floor New York, NY 10007

Re: 50 East 77th Street (between Madison and Park Avenues) [The Carlyle] – Individual Landmark

Dear Chair Tierney:

At the Full Board meeting on Wednesday, June 20, 2012, the board adopted the following resolution regarding **50 East 77**th **Street (between Madison and Park Avenues)** [**The Carlyle**] – **Individual Landmark** – *Panorama Windows, Ltd.* – An Art-Deco style building built in 1930 and designed by Bien & Prince. Application is to alter color of exterior windows.

WHEREAS all the double hung windows are currently bronze in color and all of the steel divided light windows are currently black;

WHEREAS the master plan calls for bronze colored double hung windows to be replaced with black double hung windows and black colored steel divided light windows to be replaced with black divided light windows;

WHEREAS the applicant wants to replace bronze colored double hung windows with bronze colored double hung windows;

WHEREAS the applicant represented that the master plan was filed by mistake with bronze windows to be replaced with black windows;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that this application is **disapproved** as presented.

This recommendation was approved by a vote of 23 in favor, 14 opposed, and 4 abstentions.

Sincerely,

Nicholas Viest Chair David Helpern and David Liston Co-Chairs, Landmarks Committee

cc: Hon. Michael Bloomberg, Mayor of the City of New York

Hon. Scott M. Stringer, Manhattan Borough President

Hon. Liz Krueger, NYS Senate Member

Hon. Dan Quart, NYS Assembly Member

Hon. Micah Kellner, NYS Assembly Member

Hon. Daniel Garodnick, NYC Council Member

Hon. Jessica Lappin, NYC Council Member