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The City of New York Manhattan Community Board 8

April 25, 2016

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

Re: 744 Madison Avenue-(between 64th and 65th Streets)-Upper East Side Historic District

Dear Chair Srinivasan:

At the Full Board meeting on Wednesday, April 20, 2016, the board adopted the following resolution regarding 744 Madison Avenue-(between 64th and 65th Streets)-Upper East Side Historic District-Michael Chirigos, architect- Application for signage.

WHEREAS 744 Madison Avenue is a two-story commercial building designed by Rouse & Goldstone and constructed in 1917.

WHEREAS the proposed awning is to be located above the Madison Avenue entry door to the tenant spaces of the third and fourth floors.

WHEREAS the fixed awning will be made of galvanized steel to create a "half-dome" frame and will be covered in a silver fabric with dark gray or black lettering and will match the color and signage previously approved for 744 Madison Avenue.

WHEREAS the awning will extend 2' out.

WHEREAS the awning is appropriate within the historic district.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that this application be approved as presented.

This recommendation was approved by a vote of 42 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstentions, and 0 not voting for cause.

Sincerely,

James G. Clynes

Chairman

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David Helpern and Jane Parshall

Co-Chairs, Landmarks Committee

cc: Honorable Bill de Blasio, Mayor of the City of New York

Honorable Gale Brewer, Manhattan Borough President

Honorable Liz Krueger, NYS Senator, 26th Senatorial District

Honorable Dan Quart, NYS Assembly Member, 73rd Assembly District Honorable Ben Kallos, NYC Council Member, 5th Council District

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