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The City of New York Community Board 8 Manhattan

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Hon. Sarah Carroll, Chair NYC Landmarks Preservation Commission Municipal Building One Center Street, 9th Floor New York, NY, 10007

RE: 150 East End Avenue (between East 86th and East 87th Street) – Henderson Place Historic District. *Nick Elliot, Owner.* Application is to replace the 3rd floor windows in the building.

Dear Chair Carroll:

At the Full Board meeting of Community Board 8 Manhattan held on January 23, 2019, the board voted to <u>disapprove</u> the application in accordance with the following resolution by a vote of 24 in favor, 14 opposed, 1 abstention, and 0 not voting for cause:

WHEREAS 150 East End Avenue is part of the Henderson Place Historic District:

WHEREAS 150 East End Avenue is one of the 32 houses originally built by the developer John C. Henderson for persons of modest means;

WHEREAS the houses were all designed by Lamb & Rich in the Oueen Anne style:

WHEREAS 150 East End Avenue was formerly lived in by Alfred Lunt and Lynne Fontaine;

WHEREAS the windows on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd floors are to be replaced with new black-painted wood windows; there will be no change to the ground level windows;

WHEREAS the new windows at the 1st and 2nd floors were approved at the staff level at the LPC, but were included in the applicant's presentation at the request of the LPC;

WHEREAS the windows at the 3rd floor (two windows) will be changed to match with the 6 over 6 double hung windows at the 1st and 2nd floors; the existing original and historic transoms will be removed;

WHEREAS new brick mold casing for the windows will be matched to the historic brick mold; the third floor wood brick molding will remain in place;

WHEREAS the applicant is essentially swapping a 3-part window at the 3rd floor for a 6 over 6 double hung window;

WHEREAS other historic windows within the historic district have been changed; the two new 6 over 6 replacement windows are consistent with windows on neighboring houses;

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

Please advise us of any action taken on this matter.

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Sincerely,

Alida Camp Chair David Helpern and Jane Parshall
Co-Chairs, Landmarks Committee

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

Honorable Carolyn Maloney, 12th Congressional District Representative

Honorable Gale Brewer, Manhattan Borough President

Honorable Liz Krueger, NYS Senator, 28th Senatorial District

Honorable Dan Quart, NYS Assembly Member, 73rd Assembly District

Honorable Rebecca Seawright, NYS Assembly Member 76th Assembly District

Honorable Ben Kallos, NYC Council Member, 5th Council District

Honorable Keith Powers, NYC Council Member, 4th Council District