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RE: Review and Entry into the Ontario Public Register of Archaeological Reports: Archaeological Assessment Report Entitled, "Stage 2 Archaeological Assessment 850 Champlain Street Lot 1, Concession 1, Part of Blocks I, O, and P, registered Plan M-206, City of Ottawa, Ontario", Dated Aug 14, 2017, Filed with MTCS Toronto Office on Aug 21, 2017, MTCS Project Information Form Number P340-0053-2017, MTCS File Number 06SP049

Dear Mr. Ling:

This office has reviewed the above-mentioned report, which has been submitted to this ministry as a condition of licensing in accordance with Part VI of the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990, c 0.18.¹ This review has been carried out in order to determine whether the licensed professional consultant archaeologist has met the terms and conditions of their licence, that the licensee assessed the property and documented archaeological resources using a process that accords with the 2011 Standards and Guidelines for Consultant Archaeologists set by the ministry, and that the archaeological fieldwork and report recommendations are consistent with the conservation, protection and preservation of the cultural heritage of Ontario.

The report documents the assessment/mitigation of the study area as depicted in Map 7 of the above titled report and recommends the following:

- 1) That no further archaeological investigation is required in the study area, as identified on Map 2, p. 39, and as a consequence that the Ministry of Tourism, Culture, and Sport issue a letter concurring that no additional archaeological investigations are required for this area; and,
- 2) Should development extend beyond the study area identified on Map 2, p. 39, further archaeological assessment may be required based on the pre-Contact and Euro-Canadian archaeological potential of the area.
- 3) The MTCS is requested to review, and provide a letter indicating their satisfaction with the results and recommendations presented herein, with regard to the 2011 Standards and Guidelines for Consultant Archaeologists and the terms and conditions for archaeological licences, and to enter this report into the Ontario Public Register of Archaeological Reports.

Based on the information contained in the report, the ministry is satisfied that the fieldwork and reporting for the archaeological assessment are consistent with the ministry's 2011 Standards and Guidelines for Consultant Archaeologists and the terms and conditions for archaeological licences. This report has been entered into the Ontario Public Register of Archaeological Reports. Please note that the ministry makes no representation or warranty as to the completeness, accuracy or quality of reports in the register.

Should you require any further information regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Jessica Marr
Archaeology Review Officer

cc. Archaeology Licensing Officer
Julie Carrara, Fotenn
Michael Mizzi, City of Ottawa

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