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CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS 02139

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April 11, 1974

To owners of property in the vicinity of Hastings Hall, 1533-1541
Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge Common Historic District:

The Cambridge Historical Commission has received from Harvard Law School an application for a Certificate of Appropriateness for the following exterior alterations to the property located at 1533-1541 Massachusetts Avenue:

Removal of existing screens; installation of combination aluminum storm windows with screens on double-hung sash windows and of storm panels on fire escape windows of the casement type; all aluminum to be painted black; storm windows to be mounted on each window box so that molded side and head casings will show beyond storm sash at sides and top of window; existing steel grills on basement and first floor windows to remain in place.

Under the provisions of the Historic District Act, General Laws Chapter 40 C, Section 12, the Cambridge Historical Commission may dispense with a public hearing on this application and proceed to issue a Certificate of Appropriateness for the proposed alterations, provided that the alterations are deemed to be insubstantial in their effect on the Historic District and that ten days' prior notice is given to the owners of adjoining property and of property deemed to be materially affected by such alterations. We deem the effect of the alterations described above to be insubstantial and your property to be among those materially affected.

Should you have any objection to the issuance of a Certificate of Appropriateness for the proposed alterations at 1533-1541 Massachusetts Avenue, please notify the Cambridge Historical Commission at the above address within ten days.

Robert G. Neiley
Chairman

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Comm. from Historical Comm. re: for a
certificate of appropriateness for the
property located at 1533-1541 Mass. Ave.

In City Council,

April 22, 1974

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