



City of Cambridge

15.

IN CITY COUNCIL

March 24, 1997

COUNCILLOR TRIANTAFILLOU
COUNCILLOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR DUEHAY
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR REEVES
COUNCILLOR SULLIVAN
COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

WHEREAS: In light of the affordable housing crisis that the residents in Cambridge are experiencing, a spotlight should be placed on landlords who are not taking advantage of the end of rent control; and

WHEREAS: One such landlord is the Samia Company, the largest owner of multi and single family housing in Boston; and

WHEREAS: Samia's chief executive, Leonard J. Samia, has frozen rents for the elderly and the disabled who lost their protected tenant status for the next two years; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the Cambridge City Council applaud the Samia Company for their compassion displayed for people who are facing homelessness and urge landlords in Cambridge to follow the lead displayed by the Samia Company; and be it further

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WITHDRAWN ON MOTION OF COUNCILLOR TRIANTAFILLOU.

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Davis, Duhaay, Galluccio, Reeves
Consent Order #15 Sullivan, Toomey

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Order Withdrawn
on motion of
Councillor Triantafillou