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ZONING COMMISSION

PUBLIC HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF:

Square 769 LLC

: Case No.

: 03-12C/03-13C

Thursday, December 7, 2006

Hearing Room 220 South 441 4th Street, N.W. Washington, D.C.

The Public Hearing of Case No. 03-12C/03-13C by the District of Columbia Zoning Commission convened at 6:30 p.m. in the Office of Zoning Hearing Room at 441 4th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., 20001, Carol J. Mitten, Chairperson, presiding.

ZONING COMMISSION MEMBERS PRESENT:

CAROL J. MITTEN Chairperson
ANTHONY J. HOOD Vice-Chairperson
GREGORY JEFFRIES Commissioner
JOHN PARSONS Commissioner (NPS)
MICHAEL G. TURNBULL Commissioner (AOC)

OFFICE OF ZONING STAFF PRESENT:

SHARON S. SCHELLIN Secretary

OFFICE OF PLANNING STAFF PRESENT:

JOEL LAWSON STEVE COCHRAN

The transcript constitutes the minutes from the Public Hearing held on December 8, 2006.

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1	COMMISSIONER JEFFRIES: Not a
2	bank?
3	MR. QUINN: Okay. We would like
4	to seek your preliminary approval. We
5	understand precisely what you've said in terms
6	of the design in the corner. We will submit
7	plans. We've made a list of about four
8	different points that you've made tonight,
9	including looking and being more specific on
10	the Pepco vault. I think we need to do that
11	again and to talk about that. And we would
12	submit plans to you on that.
13	CHAIRPERSON MITTEN: Okay. I just
14	want to huddle up with my colleagues for a
15	minute to see if we're ready to move forward
16	tonight.
17	(Whereupon, off the record from
18	7:30 p.m. until 7:31 p.m.)
19	CHAIRPERSON MITTEN: We think that
20	the issues that have been raised are fairly
21	serious. And we'd like to hold off on
22	preliminary action until we see the response

from the Applicant.

1	So I just want to review the
2	things that we'd like to see. In response to
3	Mr. Jeffries question, he wanted to see a
4	rendering of the 2nd Street side of the
5	building.
6	MR. QUINN: Without trees.
7	CHAIRPERSON MITTEN: Without
8	trees. Yes. And he wanted to have some
9	perspective drawings showing how the ground
10	floor along that same side relates to the
11	park.
12	MR. QUINN: And specifically, as I
13	recall, the corner treatment.
14	CHAIRPERSON MITTEN: Yes. Yes.
15	COMMISSIONER JEFFRIES: But go
16	down the street.
17	MR. QUINN: Right. Right. Go
18	north. Right. Yes. Right.
19	CHAIRPERSON MITTEN: I'll leave it
20	to you as to how you'll respond to the
21	comments that you heard about the issue of
22	superior architecture.
23	We'll have the clarification of

1	the First Source agreement, and then we'll, if
2	you could review the surfaces that can be
3	installed above the three different Pepco
4	vaults and how those would be installed, I
5	think that would be helpful.
6	Is there anything else? Anything
7	else? Anybody else? Last call. Okay. I
8	need a sense from you about timing. Since the
9	December meeting is Monday, we don't have to
10	worry about that.
11	MR. QUINN: We think we can submit
12	within two weeks.
13	CHAIRPERSON MITTEN: Okay.
14	MR. QUINN: And that would allow
15	us to be on the January agenda.
16	CHAIRPERSON MITTEN: Okay. The
17	very full January agenda. Ms. Schellin,
18	what's two weeks?
19	MS. SCHELLIN: 3:00 December 21st.
20	CHAIRPERSON MITTEN: Okay. All
21	right. Well, thank you all for your
22	participation this evening. And we look
23	forward to your responses. And we're

1	adjourned.
2	MR. QUINN: May I just ask if
3	you'd like a proposed order?
4	CHAIRPERSON MITTEN: I'm sorry?
5	MR. QUINN: Would you like a
6	proposed order?
7	CHAIRPERSON MITTEN: Absolutely.
8	MR. QUINN: Thank you.
9	CHAIRPERSON MITTEN: And I'm sure
10	the Office of the Attorney General would like
11	a proposed order as well. Thanks for the
12	offer. We're adjourned.
13	(Whereupon, the hearing was
14	adjourned at approximately 7:33 p.m.)

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