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May 23, 2000

D.C. Board of Zoning Adjustment
Room 210
441 15th Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20001

Re: Application before the Board of Zoning Adjustment
Square 741, Lots 7, 13, 16, 20, 21, 31, 32, 34-36, 800, 801, 803-806, 808 and 809

Dear Members of the Board:

This is to authorize the law firm of Wilkes Artis Chartered, to represent the Mary & Daniel Loughran Foundation, Inc., the owner of the above-referenced property, in all matters before the D.C. Board of Zoning Adjustment concerning the property.

Very truly yours,

Mary & Daniel Loughran Foundation, Inc.

By: _____
F. William Burke
Vice President & Secretary

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