Form 140
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Case No. 16970

PARTY STATUS APPLICATION

Notice: See other side of party status form for instructions.

NAME: Last	First	Middle I.
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I hereby request to appear and participate as a party. Signature: Dorothy Rich Date: 12/14/02

Will you appear as a(n) ☐ Proponent ☒ Opponent Will you appear through legal counsel ☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, please enter the name and address of such legal counsel.

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Please answer all of the following questions referencing why the above person should be granted party status.
(If you require additional space, please attach an additional sheet.)

1). How will the property owned or occupied by such person, or in which the person has an interest be affected by the action requested of the Board?
NCRC has requested up to now for a small addition of students to the school- I have heard the number of 10 students - As a supporter of the school, I was reluctant to oppose such a modest increase. Now, I see that the request calls for what could be 240 students in total an increase from 169 students - of about 70 students. This goes well beyond what

2). What legal interest does the person have in the property? (i.e. owner, tenant, trustee, or mortgagee)
I appear as a former Board member of NCRC who cares deeply about the school and I also appear as a neighbor who cares deeply about the neighborhood in which the school resides.

3). What is the distance between the person's property and the property that is the subject of the appeal or application before the Board? (Preferably no farther than 200ft.)
My house is around the corner from the school. I have no driveway in which to park my own car. All spaces are often taken up by cars from the NCRC Center.

4). What are the environmental, economic or social impacts that are likely to affect the person and/or the person's property if the action requested of the Board is approved or denied? It includes congestion and traffic of course, but goes beyond [illegible] to issues of negative impact on a residential neighborhood with narrow streets and [illegible] with children who play in the streets, one of the last places in DC where this can happen. I live on the corner where the cars from NCRC turn onto Newark from 33rd Pl. I work a lot

5). Describe any other ~~relevant matters that demonstrate how~~ the person will likely be affected or aggrieved ~~if the action requested of the Board is approved~~ or denied.
at home and there are days when parents' cars are so thick in my street that I cannot find a place to park near my own home. I am over 70 and I am often carrying large packages long distances to get back to my home. I have not opposed a modest increase for NCRC attendance. But the numbers now seem totally out of line with what

6). Explain how the person's interest will be more significantly, distinctively, or uniquely affected in character or kind by the proposed zoning action than that of other person's in the general public.

can work for the center as a Research Center and what can be tolerated by the neighborhood and by my family's own experience here. We are longtime residents of DC, since 1958. I support DC education with my work and am a Washingtonian of the Year for these efforts. I believe in positive, planned change but this is change that will have negative effects both for the school, which I respect and for the neighborhood that I love.

D Rich

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