GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS

Building and Land Regulation Administration
Office of the Administrator

July 21, 2003

Mr. and Mrs. John McAdams
2708 44th Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20007

Re: Amendment to "Order to Abate and Remove the Top Story"

Dear Mr. and Mrs. McAdams:

This is to advise that the Building and Land Regulation Administration, Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs, is amending the Order to Abate and Remove the Top Story ("Order"), dated March 28, 2003.

One of the violations cited in the Order stated that your residence at 2708 44th Street, N.W., exceeded the maximum Gross Floor Area ("GFA") permitted by the Zoning Regulations found at 11 DCMR § 1543.3. The Order recited that the maximum GFA permitted for your structure was 6,353.20 sq. ft., but that the GFA of your structure was 6,705.76 sq. ft., thus exceeding that maximum. We have had occasion to re-calculate the GFA of your residence and have determined that the GFA should not have been calculated as stated, but as 5,600 sq. ft., which is within the maximum 6,353.20 sq. ft. permitted.

Accordingly, we are amending the March 28, 2003, Order to rescind the violation for exceeding the maximum GFA permitted. The other violation cited in the Order, that your residence exceeds the number of stories allowed, must still be abated.

We are aware that you have filed an application with the Board of Zoning Adjustment seeking zoning variances to resolve these matters, so we are forwarding a copy of this letter to the Board for its consideration.

Sincerely,

Denzil L. Noble
Administrator

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cc: Board of Zoning Adjustment
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