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Anthony J. Hood, Chairman
Zoning Commission for the District of Columbia
One Judiciary Square
441 4th Street, NW, Suite 210S
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RE: 97-16A Lowell School Expansion and Modification of Planned Unit Development

Chairman Hood:

The DC Preservation League (DCPL) is Washington's only citywide nonprofit organization dedicated the preservation and protection of historic resources in the District of Columbia. DCPL's Board of Trustees voted unanimously at its June 22, 2010 quarterly board meeting to co-sponsor the landmark nomination for the Lowell School that is due to be completed and submitted for consideration by the Historic Preservation Review Board (HPRB) in July 2010. DCPL feels this is a significant resource to the city and is encouraged that it will be listed in the DC Inventory of Historic Sites.

DCPL understands that there is a hearing on July 1, 2010 to address the proposed modifications to the Lowell School and requests that the Zoning Commission postpone this hearing until such time that the HPRB has reviewed and voted on the proposed landmark nomination. We believe it is in the best interest of all parties involved to have the full breadth of information available in order to move forward in a productive manner.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Rebecca Miller

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