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CITY OF BOSTON THE ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The ST. BOTOLPH AREA ARCHITECTURAL CONSERVATION DISTRICT **COMMISSION**

will hold a public hearing: Tuesday, October 17, 2017

4:00 PM PLACE: Boston City Hall, Room 709

Subject of the hearing will be applications for Certificates of Design Approval on the agenda below, reviews of architectural violations, and such businesses as may come before the commission, in accordance with Chapter 772 of the Acts of 1975, as amended. Applications are available for review during business hours at the office of the Environment Department. Applicants or their representatives are required to attend, unless indicated otherwise below. Sign language interpreters are available upon request.

After 5:30 p.m., enter and exit City Hall at the Dock Square entrance on Congress Street (across from Faneuil Hall).

I. DESIGN REVIEW HEARING

- 117 Saint Botolph Street: Replace roof deck; install new EPDM roofing; reconstruct and 18.414 SB repoint chimneys; repair metal coping on parapet; repair gutter and downspouts and install standing seam metal canopy over head house over door.
- 18.412 SB 131 Saint Botolph Street: Replace windows; remove ivy and repoint brick; clean masonry; replace guardrail with new wrought iron handrail; repair front steps; replace rear door; install steel balconies on 2nd, 3rd and 4th floors on rear elevation and alter window opening and install new door for balcony access on 2nd, 3rd and 4th floors on rear elevation.
- II. ADMINITRATIVE REVIEW/APPROVAL: In order to expedite the review process, the commission has delegated the approval of certain work items, such as those involving ordinary maintenance and repair, restoration or replacement, or which otherwise have a minimal impact on a building's appearance, to commission staff pending ratification at its monthly public hearing. Having been identified as meeting these eligibility criteria and all applicable guidelines, the following applications will be approved at this hearing:
 - ▶ Applicants whose projects are listed under this heading **NEED NOT APPEAR** at the hearing. Following the hearing, you will be issued a Determination Sheet to present at the Inspectional Services Department (1010 Massachusetts Avenue) as proof of project approval when applying for permits. ISD personnel will send an electronic copy of your building-permit application to the commission staff for review. (To avoid potential confusion, the text of your building-permit application should be consistent with the project description given below.) Commission staff will accordingly authorize the execution of the work, attaching any applicable provisos, reflecting the relevant guidelines and precedents.

► <u>PLEASE NOTE THAT FOLLOWING ISSUANCE OF THE DETERMINATION SHEET</u> NO FURTHER CORRESPONDENCE WILL BE ISSUED FOR THE APPLICATIONS LISTED

BELOW. The electronic building-permit application as annotated by commission staff will constitute your Certificate of Appropriateness; this will be valid for one year from the date of the hearing. The applicant is required to notify the commission of any project changes; failure to do so may affect the status of the approval.

If you have any questions not addressed by the above information, please contact staff at 617.635.3850 or StBotolphACDC@boston.gov. Thank you.

18.408 SB

<u>67 Saint Botolph Street</u>: Replace aluminum windows with 2/2 aluminum-clad simulated divided lite windows; clean and repoint brick on front elevation; restore front entry door and add new intercom, hardware, mail slot and brass kick; repair and repaint fire balconies; remove existing front yard plantings and replace with new groundcover and boxwood hedge and repair and repaint front metal gate and fence.

III. REVIEW and RATIFICATION OF September 19, 2017 PUBLIC HEARING MINUTES

IV. STAFF UPDATES

PROJECTED ADJOURNMENT: 5:00 PM

DATE POSTED: October 5, 2017

ST. BOTOLPH AREA ARCHITECTURAL CONSERVATION DISTRICT COMMISSION

Richard Henderson, Susan Trowbridge, *Three Vacancies* Alternates: Françoise Elise, Barbara Wennerholm

cc: Mayor/ City Council/ City Clerk/ Boston Planning and Development Authority/ Law Department/ Parks and Recreation/ Inspectional Services Department/ Boston Art Commission/ Neighborhood Services/ Owner(s)/ Applicants/ Abutters/ Civic Design Commission/ Commissioners/ Office of Persons with Disabilities/ Architectural Access Board/