



## APPEAL APPLICATION

This application is to be used for any appeals authorized by the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) for discretionary actions administered by the Department of City Planning.

#### 1. APPELLANT BODY/CASE INFORMATION

	Appellant Body:
	Area Planning Commission City Planning Commission City Council Director of Planning
	Regarding Case Number: DIR-2018-3417 ENV-2018-3412 CE
	Project Address: 2465 RVdue Ave., Los Angeles, Ca Goods
	Final Date to Appeal: NONE May 31, 2019
	Type of Appeal:  Appeal by Applicant/Owner
	Appeal by a person, other than the Applicant/Owner, claiming to be aggrieved Appeal from a determination made by the Department of Building and Safety
2.	APPELLANT INFORMATION
	Appellant's name (print):
	Company:
	Mailing Address: _2463 1/2 PUTCIUE AJE.
	city: LOS Angeles state: CALITOMIA zip: 90000
	Telephone: 316-666-8751 E-mail: KAKISCHORR & Yahoo Com
	Is the appeal being filed on your behalf or on behalf of another party, organization or company?
	Self Other:
	Is the appeal being filed to support the original applicant's position? Yes No
3.	REPRESENTATIVE/AGENT INFORMATION
	Representative/Agent name (if applicable):
	Company:
	Mailing Address:
	City: State: Zip:
	Telephone: E-mail:
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#### 4. JUSTIFICATION/REASON FOR APPEAL

Is the entire decision, or only parts of it being appealed?

Are specific conditions of approval being appealed?

If Yes, list the condition number(s) here:

Attach a separate sheet providing your reasons for the appeal. Your reason must state:

- The reason for the appeal
- How you are aggrieved by the decision
- Specifically the points at issue
- Why you believe the decision-maker erred or abused their discretion

Entire

Yes

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#### 5. APPLICANT'S AFFIDAVIT

I certify that the statements contained in this application are complete and true:

Appellant Signature

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### 6. FILING REQUIREMENTS/ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Eight (8) sets of the following documents are required for each appeal filed (1 original and 7 duplicates):

  - Justification/Reason for Appeal
  - 6 Copies of Original Determination Letter
- A Filing Fee must be paid at the time of filing the appeal per LAMC Section 19.01 B.
  - Original applicants must provide a copy of the original application receipt(s) (required to calculate their 85% appeal filing fee).
- All appeals require noticing per the applicable LAMC section(s). Original Applicants must provide noticing per the LAMC, pay mailing fees to City Planning's mailing contractor (BTC) and submit a copy of the receipt.
- Appellants filing an appeal from a determination made by the Department of Building and Safety per LAMC 12.26 K are considered Original Applicants and must provide noticing per LAMC 12.26 K.7, pay mailing fees to City Planning's mailing contractor (BTC) and submit a copy of receipt.
- A Certified Neighborhood Council (CNC) or a person identified as a member of a CNC or as representing the CNC may <u>not</u> file an appeal on behalf of the Neighborhood Council; persons affiliated with a CNC may only file as an <u>individual on behalf of self</u>.
- Appeals of Density Bonus cases can only be filed by adjacent owners or tenants (must have documentation).
- Appeals to the City Council from a determination on a Tentative Tract (TT or VTT) by the Area or City Planning Commission must be filed within 10 days of the <u>date of the written determination</u> of said Commission.
- A CEQA document can only be appealed if a non-elected decision-making body (ZA, APC, CPC, etc.) makes a determination for a project that is not further appealable. [CA Public Resources Code ' 21151 (c)].

This Section for City Planning Staff Use Only				
Base Fee:	Reviewed & Accepted by (DSC Planner): NOA H M(COY	Date: 5/31/2019		
Receipt No: 0 30 2   5 5 9 5 0	Deemed Complete by (Project Planner):	Date:		
Determination authority notified	Original receipt and BTC receipt	Original receipt and BTC receipt (if original applicant)		

CEQA Appeal :

DIR-2018-3411 ENV-2018-3412 CE 2465 Purdue Ave. Los Angeles, CA 90064

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#### The reason for the appeal:

The Class 32 Exemption was given in error by LADCP. And, State CEQA Guidelines Section 15300.2 further prohibit any exemption.

The Letter of Determination was approved by the City Planning Commission in error.

The Letter of Determination describes the project in 3 different ways (4-6 stories). Confusing at best.

Currently, Zoning Code does not contain a provision that affirmatively allows for CEQA clearances to be directly appealed to the city Council therefore currently the City Planning Commission is not allowed to conduct hearings or render final approval.

(California Public Resources Code Section 21155.2 (B))

#### Specifically the points at issue are:

There is substantial evidence demonstrating that an exception to a categorical exemption pursuant to State CEQA Guidelines - a Class 32 Exemption <u>does not</u> <u>apply.</u>

Specifically:

**Sections (a)**The project is consistent with the applicable general plan designation and all applicable general plan policies as well as with applicable zoning designation and regulations.

**Section (d)** Approval of the project would not result in any significant effects relating to traffic, noise, air quality, or water quality.

Section (e) The site can be adequately served by all required utilities and public services.

<u>SPECIFICALLY: The project cannot be built without CUTING OFF</u> <u>ELECTRICITY TO MY HOME AND APARTMENTS a reality presented at CPC</u> <u>hearing/appeal and was acknowledged but ignored.</u>

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And <u>State CEQA Guidelines Section 15300.2</u>, that would prohibit the use of any categorical exception.

#### Specifically:

#### B. Cumulative Impact

C. Significant Affect due to unusual circumstances

#### I am aggrieved by the decision:

The Class 32 Exemption violates the CEQA Guidelines specific to this project and CEQA appeals procedurally in general. (California Public Resources Code Section 21155. 2)

I have standing in this case because this project specifically and the CEQA appeal procedure generally negatively impacts me personally, my son, and my business in perpetuity. The CEQA appeal issues hinder my ability to file a petition for writ of mandamus.

## I believe the decision-maker erred in their discretion and abused their discretion by:

#### Erred in discretion:

DIR-2018-3411 / ENV-2018-3412 does not qualify for a Class 32 Exemption or any categorical exemption, as per State CEQA Guidelines Section 15300.2

The approved Letter of Determination Describes the project three different ways, confusing and inaccurate.

### Abused their discretion:

A class 32 Exemption for this project was not appropriate and the Letter of Determination describes the project three different ways( 4 -6 stories). Also problematic, summarily granting Class 32 Exemptions for this and all TOC projects with a hearing and final decision by the City Planning Commission is conditional. Los Angeles Zoning Code/ ordinance does not currently contain a provision that affirmatively allows for clearances to be directly appealed to the City Council, the condition by which the CPC is allowed to render a decision final or otherwise.

(California Public Resources Code Section 21155.2(b)(6)

The city of Los Angeles' continued State CEQA Guidelines non-compliance impedes my ability to petition the court for a writ of mandamus.

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