



Town of
East Gwillimbury

Attachment 1

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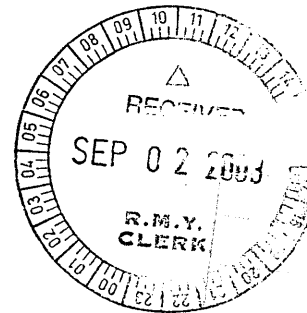
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REGION OF YORK
CLERK'S OFFICE

FILE No. - *pe3*

25 August 2003

Mr. Denis Kelly
Regional Clerk
Regional Municipality of York
17250 Yonge Street
Newmarket, ON
L3Y 6Z1



Dear Mr. Kelly:

**Re: Application from Queensville Antique Mall for exemption
under the Retail Business Holidays Act**

Enclosed please find an application for exemption under the Retail Business Holidays Act from Queensville Antique Mall. This application is pursuant to the direction received in your letter of 21 July 2003 regarding their request for exemption in future years.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned if you have any questions.

Yours truly,

Lucille King, MPA
Director of Corporate Services/Municipal Clerk

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"Our town, Our future"

THE RETAIL BUSINESS HOLIDAYS ACT

APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION

QUEENSVILLE ANTIQUE MALL (name of business) hereby applies to the Council of The Regional Municipality of York for an exempting by-law pursuant to Section 4(1) of the Retail Business Holidays Act, as follows:

<u>Business</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Holidays</u>	<u>Hours</u>
<u>Retail</u>	<u>20091 Woodbine Avenue</u>	<u>All holidays except</u>	<u>10:00 am - 6:00 pm</u>
		<u>Christmas Day, Boxing</u>	
		<u>Day and New Year's Day</u>	

Enclosed in support of the application is the following (itemize all of the material submitted in support of the application):

- Letter of application from Queensville Antique Mall
- Resolution of East Gwillimbury Council dated July 7, 2003
- Letter dated 21 July 2003 from Region of York requesting this application

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Dated at Town of East Gwillimbury this 25th day of August, 2003.

David Scott Ferguson
Signature

OWNER

Relationship to business (President, Partner, Owner, etc.)

Please provide the following information:

- Name, address and telephone number of the business.

Queensville Antique Mall

20091 Woodbine Avenue

Queensville, Ontario LOG 1R0 Tel: (905) 478-4022

- Name, address and telephone number of the contact person.

David Scott Ferguson

20091 Woodbine Avenue, Queensville, Ontario LOG 1R0

(905) 478-4022

- The name, or a description, including location, of the tourist attraction, or attractions, relied on:

1 - Approx 15 km south of Lake Simcoe on a major north/south route to the lake

2 - Old McDonald's Furniture & Appliances & Brice's Sports Centre Limited both on Woodbine Avenue and currently exempt from the Act.

3 - Approx 5 km from Sharon Temple

- If the retail business establishment to be exempted is located in the Town of Markham, the Town of Richmond Hill, or the City of Vaughan, is the business within 2 km of the tourist attraction?

n/a

6. Please indicate the category of tourist attraction (natural; outdoor recreational; historical; cultural; multi-cultural or educational).

Historical

7. Is the retail business establishment directly associated with the tourist attraction? If yes, explain the nature and extent of the association.

Located between two (2) existing large tourist draws for antiques

8. Does the retail business establishment provide goods or services on holidays primarily to tourists?

Yes

NOTE: Under the Retail Business Holidays Act the Regional Council is not required to pass an exempting by-law even if the tourism criteria are met.

For further information, please contact The Regional Municipality of York Legal Department, 17250 Yonge Street, Newmarket, Ontario, L3Y 6Z1. Telephone 905-895-1231, ext. 1420, Fax 905.895.3768.

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QUEENSVILLE ANTIQUE MALL
ON WOODBINE
20091 WOODBINE AVE
QUEENSVILLE, ONT
L0G 1R0

ATT. DAYSY DOWNS

WE WOULD LIKE TO OPEN ALL HOLIDAYS IN THE YEAR
2003 EXCEPT FOR CHRISTMAS AND BOXING DAY
AND FOR THE YEAR 2004 WE WOULD LIKE TO OPEN ALL
HOLIDAYS EXCEPT FOR NEW YEARS DAYS, CHRISTMAS DAY
AND BOXING DAY.

THANK YOU

David Scott Ferguson

DAVID SCOTT FERGUSON

(905) 478-4022

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Town of
East Gwillimbury

COUNCIL

MOVED BY

Jack Shuska

DATE: July 7, 2003

SECONDED BY

John Horton

WHEREAS Regional Council, at its June 12, 2003 meeting passed a motion that Staff be authorized to take the appropriate action to initiate the process set out in The Retail Business Holidays Act, including the giving of notice of a special meeting of Council in July, 2003, if necessary, so that Council can consider Region-wide exemption to the holiday provisions in the Act for the remainder of 2003 at the earliest possible time;

AND WHEREAS, the motion was passed in connection with consideration of Region-wide initiatives to address the loss of business revenues resulting from the SARS outbreak;

AND WHEREAS, notice has been published of the Regional Council's special meeting on July 17, 2003 at 9:30 a.m.;

AND WHEREAS, David Scott Ferguson of Queensville Antique Mall, 20091 Woodbine Avenue, Queensville has requested the following exemptions to the Retail Business Holidays Act: All except Christmas Day, Boxing Day and New Year's Day, from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.;

AND WHEREAS, Queensville Antique Mall complies with the provisions of the Retail Business Holidays Act - Ontario Regulation 711/91, Section 3, "Each retail business establishment that on days other than holidays normally uses a total area of 2,400 square feet or more for serving the public or normally has four or more employees serving the public must, in addition to meeting the tourism criteria set in subsection 2 (1) provide goods or services on holidays primarily to tourists."

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council
_____ makes an application/ _____ does not make an application to The
Regional Municipality of York to exempt Queensville Antique Mall from the
holiday provisions in the Retail Business Holidays Act.

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James Young, Mayor

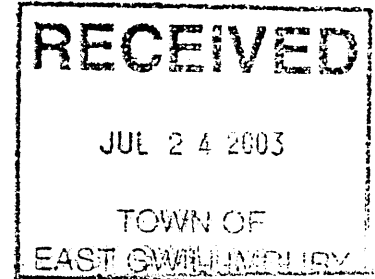


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Office of the Regional Clerk
Corporate Services Department

July 21, 2003

Ms. Lucille King
Director of Corporate Services/Municipal Clerk
Town of East Gwillimbury
19000 Leslie Street
Sharon, Ontario L0G 1V0



Dear Ms. King:

Re: Retail Business Holidays Act Exemptions

Regional Council, at its meeting on July 17, 2003, received your communication dated July 8, 2003, regarding *Retail Business Holidays Act* exemptions.

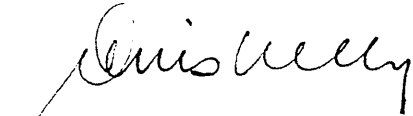
Following the statutory public meeting, Council decided to:

1. receive Report No. 4 of the Commissioner of Corporate Services and;
2. approve the applications from the Town of Markham, the City of Vaughan, the Town of Richmond Hill and the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville to exempt all retail businesses in those municipalities from the provisions of the *Retail Business Holidays Act* on Labour Day and Thanksgiving Day, 2003; and
3. approve the application from the Town of East Gwillimbury to exempt the Queensville Antique Mall, 20091 Woodbine Avenue from the provisions of the *Retail Business Holidays Act* on Labour Day and Thanksgiving Day, 2003, but that a further application be submitted if it wishes for an exemption in future years.

In addition, Regional Council enacted By-law No. LI-0008(g)-2003-068 being a By-law to amend By-law No. LI-8-95-76 to permit retail business establishments to be open on statutory holidays in 2003. This By-law permits an exemption for Queensville Antique Mall, 20091 Woodbine Avenue from the provisions of the *Retail Business Holidays Act* on Labour Day and Thanksgiving 2003. There would need to be a separate application for exemptions in future years. I have enclosed an application form from our Legal Services Branch in this regard.

Enclosed for your information is a copy of the above mentioned report and by-law.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Denis Kelly". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Denis Kelly
Regional Clerk

Attachments

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