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Application for Membership

no. 21, 1930

To the Secretary of The American Institute of Architects.

I hereby apply for Membership in The American Institute of Architects, and certify that the following statements are correct:

Name Robert Barnard O'Connor

Address 101 Park Ave., New York, N.Y.
[Number and Street.] [City] [State.]

Place and date of birth Manhasset, N.Y., Nov. 21, 1895

Graduate in architecture Princeton University, 1920.
[Give name of institution and year. Diploma or Certificate of graduation (or photostatic copy) must accompany this application.]

Holder of Scholarship in architecture _____
[If required in your case, attach evidence (or photostatic copy).]

Passed the qualifying examinations of the Royal Institute of British Architects, or the examinations for the first class of the Ecolé des Beaux Arts _____

If your State has a Registration or License Law and you are not registered, state reasons _____
[If required in your case, state which, and attach evidence of Certificate (or photostatic copy).]

If practicing architect, firm name Morris and O'Connor

Have been in practice 8 1/2 years. If draughtsman, employed by _____

Collegiate and office training A. B. Junior College 1916; MFA Princeton Univ. 1920; Trowbridge & Livingston 1921-1923; Hyde & Shepard 1923-1924; Morris & O'Connor 1924-1929

I have carefully examined the Constitution and By-Laws of the Institute and the circular of advice relative to "Principles of Professional Practice," and I agree, if elected, honorably to maintain them.

I further agree, if elected to membership in The American Institute of Architects, that if at any time my membership shall cease, either by my own resignation or by any action taken by the Institute, I will then, by that fact, relinquish all rights of any character that I may have acquired by reason of such membership in the property, real or personal, of The American Institute of Architects, and of the Chapter of the Institute of which I am then a member.

(1) Robert B. O'Connor
[Signature of Applicant.]

I hereby certify that the signer of this application was duly elected an Associate of the New York Chapter, A. I. A., on the following date May 1, 1925

Julian Clarence Levi
[Insert date of election to chapter.] [Signature of the Secretary of the chapter.]

If the applicant is not an Associate, the following acknowledgment must be signed:

Without endorsement I hereby take note on behalf of my chapter that this applicant is applying for Institute membership (3) _____
[Signature of President or Secretary of Chapter to which the applicant will be assigned if elected.]

We, the undersigned members of the American Institute of Architects, have carefully examined the foregoing statement by the applicant and believe it to be correct. We know the applicant personally, and consider that his work and practice warrant his admission to Membership.

Registration or License Number. _____
(Essential if Registered)

(4) Benjamin W. Morris
 (5) Stephanus C. ...
 (6) Robert ...

It is not mandatory that applicants from Registration or License law states be registered or licensed. But the current number of Registration or License must appear here if the applicant is registered or licensed.

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[The signatures of three Institute members are here required even if the applicant has the unanimous endorsement of his Chapter, in which case certification to that effect should be made above by the Secretary. Unanimous endorsement is that endorsement in which each Institute member of the Chapter had an opportunity to express himself by letter ballot either for or against the applicant proposed, and in which there were no negative votes. No other form of unanimous endorsement will be accepted.]

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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June 2, 1930.

Dear Mr. O'Connor:

Permit me to acknowledge, with gratification, and on behalf of the Secretary, your application for membership in the American Institute of Architects, received by reference from the Secretary of the New York Chapter.

We also wish to thank you for your check for \$50.00, in payment of the initiation fee and first year's annual dues in advance, subject to your election.

Your application appears to be complete in every respect, except for certification of your graduation from Princeton University. A photostat copy of your diploma or other evidence will suffice.

It is anticipated that final action on your application may be taken by June 13th, provided this item can be taken care of by that date.

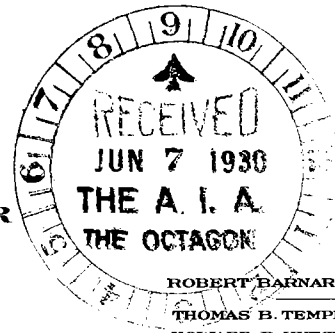
It is urged that you give your prompt attention to the submission of the above required evidence at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Robert Barnard O'Connor,
101 Park Avenue,
New York City, N. Y.

FHG:TRB.



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ARCHITECTS

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June 6th, 1930

Mr. Edward C. Kemper, Executive Sec'y.
American Institute of Architects
Octagon House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper:-

In reply to your letter of June 2nd which I received this morning, I am sending you herewith photo-static copy of my diploma from the School of Architecture, Princeton University.

Trusting that this satisfactorily completes the requirements of the Institute, I am

Very truly yours,

R. B. O'Connor
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RBOC:EW

Enclosure

The President and Trustees of Princeton University

To all to whom these presents may come

Greeting.

Be it known that by authority vested in us as the President and Trustees of this University we hereby admit Robert B. Connor to the degree of Master of Fine Arts and also confer upon him all the rights and privileges thereunto belonging.

In token whereof we have hereunto affixed our signatures and the seal of Princeton University.



Sassoon Hall.

Princeton, New Jersey.

June 15th 1920.

Woodrow Wilson
President

William Parriner
Chancellor

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June 13, 1930.

Dear Mr. O'Connor:

Acting for the Secretary, I am pleased to advise you of your election to membership in The American Institute of Architects, effective June 13, 1930.

You have been assigned to the New York Chapter as an Institute Member in good standing therein, and the Secretary of the Chapter has been so advised.

A Membership Card is enclosed herewith.

An engrossed Certificate of Membership in The American Institute of Architects will be sent to you in due course.

May I take this opportunity to say that the office of the Secretary, at The Octagon, is for the service of every Institute Member? Should the occasion arise we shall be glad to give you our best cooperation.

Cordially yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Robert Barnard O'Connor,
101 Park Avenue,
New York City, N. Y.

K-TRD.
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FILES PRESIDENT SECRETARY TREASURER

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of the NY Division
give me every-
thing you can
do
for assistance
of Mr. O'Connor*

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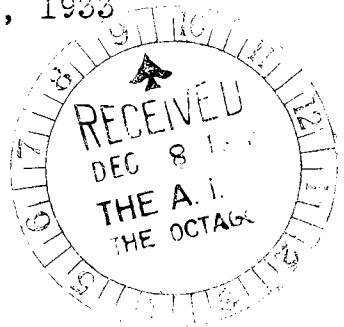
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December 6, 1933

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Mr. E. W. Kemper, Executive Secretary
American Institute of Architects
The Octagon, Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper:

My son-in-law and partner, Robert B. O'Connor, goes to Washington for the following purpose:

We are Architects for the proposed Westchester County Home near White Plains. The County has made an application for a loan from the P.W.A. which application has been approved by the New York State representatives and forwarded to Washington some weeks ago. We are anxious to know what progress, if any, has been made in the consideration of this application and also to do what we can to assist in its expedition.

We would greatly appreciate, if it is within your power, a letter of introduction to any of the following:

- Major Philip B. Fleming
- Col. Henry M. Waite
- Major R. W. Crawford
- Col. E. W. Clark

or any other assistance you may be able to give us in this connection. Thanking you in advance, and with kindest personal regards, I am

Yours very sincerely,

Robt. O'Connor

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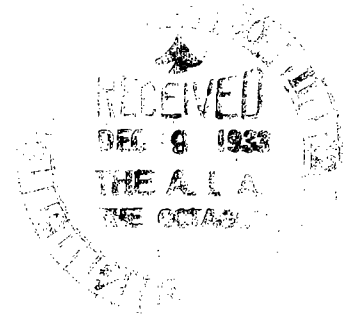
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December 8, 1933



Mr. E. C. Kemper
Executive Secretary
American Institute of Architects
The Octagon, Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper:

I wish to express my appreciation of your kind help yesterday in directing me to Mr. Heckert in the P.W.A. I ascertained that two of the three Departments have already approved the Westchester County Home project and they put a preference order on the checking still to be done by the Finance Department. I understand it then has to go before the District Committee who normally approve the three departmental reports unless there is some special condition raised by one of the departments.

I shall hope to follow this matter up again next week so that there will be no further delays which can be avoided. If I find that there would be any help in having an introduction to any members of the Committee who do the final approving, I will take the liberty of bothering you again.

With renewed thanks, I am

Yours very truly,
MORRIS AND O'CONNOR

By *RBO*

R. B. O'Connor

RBOC:EW

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March 22, 1937.

Dear Mr. O'Connor:

The Institute is advised by Mr. Scannell, Secretary of the Westchester Chapter, that you have become an unassigned member of that chapter.

Your name will be so recorded at The Octagon.

We write this letter as a confirmation and to point out that there has been no change in your status as an assigned member of the New York Chapter.

As an unassigned member of the Westchester Chapter - at meetings of that chapter - you should not vote for delegates to Institute Conventions, nor on any matters affecting The Institute, and you will be listed in The Annuary only as a member of the New York Chapter. (See Chapter II, Article 1, Section 8 of the By-laws of The Institute.)

By direction of The Secretary.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

ECK*B

Mr. Robert B. O'Connor, A. I. A.,
101 Park Avenue,
New York City, New York.

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April 15, 1948

Dear Mr. O'Connor:

The American Institute of Architects desires to confer upon you the honor of Fellowship, in accord with the action taken by The Jury of Fellows at its recent meeting.

The purpose of this letter is to request your presence at the 1948 Convention of The Institute to be held in Salt Lake City, Utah, on June 22-25, in the Utah Hotel.

At the formal dinner of the Convention on the evening of Thursday, June 24, those who have been elected to Fellowship will receive their certificates, with citations. Presentation will be with appropriate ceremony and it is highly important that each of the newly-elected Fellows be present. The Officers of The Institute and The Jury of Fellows join in the request that you come to receive this honor in person.

Please send your response to The Octagon at an early convenient date.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

Mr. Robert B. O'Connor, F.A.I.A.
101 Park Avenue
New York 17, New York

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P. S. Your Chapter has been notified and has been requested to make no public announcement until after the Convention at the end of June.

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J. Connor

July 21, 1948

Dear Mr. O'Connor:

At the direction of Secretary Ditchy, we have forwarded under separate cover your Fellowship Certificate.

This Certificate was carefully wrapped, was sent by first-class mail, and should reach you promptly.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

Mr. Robert B. O'Connor, F.A.I.A.
101 Park Avenue
New York 17, New York

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