April 22 19 41 Dated Received May 19 41 Granted 19 41. June 7

MEMBERSHIP Nº 821



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

RECORD OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INSTITUTE

A	Name of applicant (George) Vincent Palmer Chapter S	OUTHERN.	CALIFORNIA
В	Address of applicant 713 South Fairfax at Wilshire, Los Angeles	5	
С	Applicant proposed by William H. Harrison and S. B. Man	ston	•
D	Application received with check for \$ 10.00	May 5	1941.
E	Application returned for correction. Exhibits requested 5/24/41 Rec'd	June 2	19 41.
F	Application in due order on	May 5	19 41
	Record of registration, Form S39, Sent Calif May 129 41 Received.	May 23	1941
G	Notices sent to chapter executive committee:		
	(a) Form S11, reasonable time ending on		<i>19</i> .
	(b) Form S12, 30 day extension ending on		<i>19</i> .
	Acknowledgments to applicant, proposers, and chapter on s.	May 12	1941 .
1 .	Gertified-resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission manufamaniaminaminaminaminaminaminaminaminami	May 5	19 ₄₁ .
J	No report from chapter executive committee on		19 .
K	Application sent to The Board of Examiners on	June 3	19 ₄₁ .
L	The Board of Examiners reported on application on	June 3	19 ₄₁ .
M	Applicant was admitted on	June 7	<i>19</i> 41 .
N	Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter and letter to proposers on	June 7	19 ₄₁ .
O	Notice of denial of application to chapter and applicant and \$returned to applicant on		<i>19</i> .

CERTIFICATION OF ELECTION AND ASSIGNMENT

I, Secretary of The American Institute of Architects, hereby certify that, under authority vested in me by The Board of Directors, I have this day duly elected

(George) Vincent Palmer

to membership in The Institute, and hereby declare him to be a corporate member of The Institute and assign him to membership in the Southern California

Date June 7

19 41.

(a)



ORIGINAL

File the original with The Secretary of The American Institute of Architects.

File the duplicate, on gray paper, with the secretary of the local chapter of The Institute.

The American Institute of Architects

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

WASHINGTON, D. CE

I, the undersigned, do hereby apply for corporate membership in The American Institute of Architects.

- 1. My full name is (George) Vincent Palmer,
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 - 2. I am a naturalized citizen of United States of America
 - 3. My legal residence is in the City of Los Angeles, California

County of Los Angeles State of California

4. State whether residence or office

5. State whether as a practicing architect, a teacher, a public official, etc.

2. State whether a natural or a natural critizen.

4. My address in The Institute records will be

Street 713 South Fairfax at Wilshire.

City Los Angeles,

State California

- 5. I am engaged in the profession of architecture as private practice
- 6. I desire to be a member of the Southern California Chapter

Chapter.

- 7. I declare that I have read the by-laws, the rules and regulations, and the Standards of Practice of The American Institute of Architects, and the by-laws and rules and regulations of the chapter of which I desire to become a member, and that I understand the duties, responsibilities and obligations thereunder of a member of The Institute, and I do hereby expressly agree and declare that, if admitted to membership, I will to the best of my ability abide by and comply with such by-laws, rules and regulations, and will abide by and uphold said Standards of Practice and conduct my practice of the profession accordingly. I am financially able to undertake all pecuniary obligations of a member to The Institute and to the chapter.
- 8. Receipt required.
- 8. I filed the duplicate of this application with the secretary of the chapter above named and attach his receipt therefor. I am not indebted to The Institute or to any of its chapters or state association members.

I enclose my check for \$10.00, for admission fee and the current annual dues. It is my understanding that if for any reason you do not admit me to membership, all of said amount will be returned to me, except five dollars which you will retain as an examination fee.

pate April 22

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Applicans sign full name in ink

STATISTICS

- 10. Date of birth August 12, '02 Place of birth Toronto, Canada
- 11. I am registered or licensed to practice architecture in the following named states:

 (State or States) By Examination (State or States) By Examption

California

(a) I hold a Certificate No. of the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards.

EDUCATION

12. I attended the following named schools (high school, private school, college or university); have held the following named scholarships; have travelled in the following named countries:

Parkdale High School, Toronto, Canada, Humberside High School, Toronto Canada, University of Toronto, Canada, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California, Degrees:

Batchelor of Science in Architecture, Master of Science in Civil Engineering,

Iravelled in,
 England, France, Spain, Italy, Portugal, Mexico, Central
 America.

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

13. I list below, in chronological order, the periods of my training as draftsman, the names and addresses of my principal employers, and my classification as draftsman while employed by each:

I was never employed by anyone other than myself. Hence for this item, the following,-Committeeman, Legislative Committee, S.C.Chapter, A.I.A., 1932 1932 Public Information Ħ Chairman, 1932 Legislative State Association, 1931 Public Information 1930 Committeeman Profess.Betterment 1930 Public Information S.C.Chapter, A.I.A. 1930 1929 Chairman, Profess. Betterment State Association, Committeeman, Unit Cost Committee, Hollywood Arch.League 1930 Public Relations 1929 11 71 11 1929 Profess.Ethics 1927 Lecturer, Speakers' Bureau, Supervisor, Beaux Arts Institute, Atelier Vincent Palmer, 1929-(Continued under 14)

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

14. I list below, in chronological order, the periods during which and the states in which I have practiced architecture as an individual or as a member of a firm or corporation or have taught architecture or the arts and sciences allied therewith. (State names of firms or corporations and of schools or colleges)

Private practive, Kentfield, Calif, 1925

Private practice, Los Angeles, 1926 continuous to present.

Item 13 (Continued)

Honorable mention, House Beautiful Competition, 1938 Phairman, Profess. Betterment Committee, State Assoc. **1940** Elected Vice-President and Director, 1940 (subsequently resigned 1941 Chairman, Program Committee, State Association, 1940 Chairman, Profess, Betterment Committee, State Assoc. 1941

PRESENT OR PREVIOUS MEMBERSHIPS IN ARCHITECTURAL **ORGANIZATIONS**

15. Member of Institute from

16. Junior of Institute from

to

- 17. Associate of Southern California Chapter from 1927 to 1932 (?) (Membership resigned voluntarily)
- 18. Junior Associate of

Chapter from

to

19. Member of State Association in California

from 1928 present

ENDORSEMENT BY PROPOSERS

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I have read the statements made herein above by the applicant and believe them to be correct. I vouch for him and for his honorable standing in this community and in his profession. I believe he is fully qualified for membership and I propose him therefor.

I have known the applicant for

years.

I have known the applicant for

SYLVANUS B. MARSTON, President PALMER SABIN, Vice-President DONALD B. KIRBY, Secretary WILLIAM H. HARRISON, Treasurer



DIRECTORS

SAMUEL E. LUNDEN, One Year HERBERT J. POWELL, Two Years ULYSSES FLOYD RIBLE, Three Years

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER⁷⁷
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS ³⁶
832 WEST FIFTH STREET, LOS ANGELES ³⁶

April 30, 1941

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NSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
1941 MAY -5 AM 9: 33
1941 WASHINGTON.D. C.

Mr. Chas. T. Ingham American Institute of Architects The Octagon Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Ingham:

We submit herewith the applications of the following for Institute membership:

Mr. S. E. Sonnichsen (Check enclosed - \$10.00)
Mr. Robert V. Derrah
Mr. Vincent Palmer
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These applications have the approval of the Executive Committee and the Membership Committee.

Very truly yours

Donald Beach Kirby,

Secretary

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The American Institute of Architects

1941 MAY 23 PM 2:29

Washington, D. C.

Ben H. O'Connor, Secretary, Southern District

California State Board of Architectural Exam'rs.

(Name of Board)

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C. Office of The Secretary

RECORD OF REGISTRATION

OF

(George) Vincent Palmer - Los Angeles, Calif.
(Name of Applicant)

Secretary, California

Board of Architectural Examiners, Southern District 907-C State Building Los Angeles, Advantage Los Angeles (1998) Los Angeles

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May 19

Date.....

Dear Sir:

The above named applicant for membership in The American Institute of Architects is an architect practicing in your state.

To qualify for such membership, an applicant, if resident in a state having registration or licensing laws for architects, must be registered or licensed by the state to practice architecture therein.

Will you please answer the following questions relating to the applicant's registration, to assist The Institute in determining his eligibility for membership? A duplicate of the form is enclosed for your files.

1.	Is the applicant registered or licensed to practice architecture in your state? YES
2.	Was his registration or licensing by examination? TYES or by exemption?
3.	What was the scope of the examination? Oral and presentation of drawings, submission to questions
	What was the period of the examination?days. Written examinationhours; Oral examinationhours.
	When examined, did applicant have a certificate from the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards
6.	Date of last registration January 1941. Registration to B-1624. Is it current? YES.
	(Signature of Secretary of Bothy)

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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with further reference to your application for corporate membership in The Institute, which is now pending:

It is requested that you send to this effice photographs of two buildings executed by you, as exhibits in support of your application.

The Board of Examiners has the power to waive submission of exhibits by applicants who have been registered to practice by written examination in such states as have laws requiring registration or license to practice architecture. Inasmuch as your registration was effected in California by an oral examination only, submission of exhibits is necessary.

When these photographs are received your application will be complete, and you may rest assured that The Secretary will do all he can to expedite its progress.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary

Mr. Vincent Palmer
713 South Fairfax at Wilshire
Los Angeles, California

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copy to Secretary, Southern California Chapter

VINCENT PALMER ARCHITECT 713 SOUTH FAIRFAX AT WILSHIRE LOS ANGELES TELEPHONE YORK 5205

THE AMERICAN
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

1941 JUN-2 AM 10:01

WASHINGTON, D. C.

May 27,1941

Mr.Charles T. Ingham, Secretary, American Institute of Architects, 1741 New York Avenue, Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Ingham:

Your letter of May 24th caught my office rather impoverished in the line of available photographs.

In 1935 I discontinued the use of black and white photography and all our work has been subsequently illustrated by the projection of natural color Kodachromes. To this end we have provided a projection room so that our facilities are complete.

We have found this change to be so appreciable in its success that we do not even keep files of printed photographs.

Accordingly, I am not able to send you a carefully selected exhibit of our work, but rather just those pictures which for odd reasons have been kept. Should they seem inadequate to you, I will be pleased to send you a file of our Kodachrome slides which, as you know, require a projector, and from which printed enlargements are not yet successfully obtained.

For your perusal, I am sending, under separate cover,

A binder of photographs of an English type residence, which cost some \$135,000.

A binder of photographs of an Italian type residence, which cost some \$60,000.

A binder of photographs of a modified Italian type, which cost some \$45,000.

Yours very truly

VP/gv

Vincent Palmer

June 7, 1941

Jun 7, 1961

Bear Mr. Palmer:

The Secretary is happy to inform you that your application for membership in The Institute was acted on favorably by the Board of Directors and that you were admitted to corporate membership in The Institute and assigned to membership in the Southern California Chapter, effective June 7, 1941. You wall bas a member of that chapter, or of some other chapter if you later transfer thereto, until your membership in The Institute derminates. Faimer, whom you proposed for men-

beredign in the lestibute, has been educated to much Leur certificate of sembership duly executed by the Officers of the institute will be sent in due course.

The Board of Directors welcomes you to membership in The Institute and The Secretary's office is at your service to the extent of its powers.

Distance 12.2 The policies and the activities of The Institute are developed largely from problems arising within the chapters. By taking an active part in your chapter affairs you will contribute to the advancement of the objects of The Institute and will increase the benefits to be derived from Institute membership.

We bespeak your active cooperation.

Mr. S. S. Mirkon, A.c.A. er Mart Burley Bernet Panders, Californ's

Sincerely.

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Mr. Vincent Palmer, A.I.A. 713 South Fairfex at Wilshire Los Angeles, California

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON 6, D. C. Office of The Secretary

NOTICE OF SUSPENSION OF MEMBERSHIP

March 1, 1945

To:

Mr. George Vincent Palmer 8531 Hedges Way Los Angeles, California

It is with much regret that we send to you, and to those indicated below, this notice of the suspension of your corporate membership in The Institute, and in the chapter of The Institute to which you are assigned—because of non-payment of Institute dues.

This suspension is effective as of December 31, 1944. The sending of this notice has been delayed with the earnest wish that you might take some action in the matter.

We sincerely hope that present conditions which so adversely affect the practice of architecture will definitely change for the better in the early future, thus making it convenient for you to meet your present obligation to The Institute and to restore your good standing before December 31, 1945.

The Institute values and needs your active support. The other Officers join with me in the hope that your membership may soon be restored to good standing.

Sincerely yours,

alexander C. Roberton To

Copy of this notice as "Notice" to the following:

Mr.Henry L. Eggers	Secretary
Southern California	Chapter, A.I.A
	, Secretary
	State Association Member

IF YOU ARE IN MILITARY SERVICE THIS NOTICE IS NOT EFFECTIVE, PROVIDED INFORMATION CONCERN-ING YOUR BRANCH OF SERVICE, RANK AND ADDRESS REACHES THE OCTAGO ! BY MAY 15, 1945

Record on March

VINCENT PALMER A. I. A.

SUITE 212, 3757 WILSHIRE BLVD LOS ANGELES 5, CALIF.

March 14,1945

ARCHITECTURE INDUSTRIAL MANAGEMENT

Mr. Alexander C. Robinson, Secretary. The American Institute of Architects, The Octagon, Washington, 6, D.C.

Dear Sir:

At the Southern California Chapter meeting last night. I was considerably surprised to learn that my membership had been suspended for alleged failure to pay dues.

This morning I searched my files and found that on April 29,1944, I had mailed to you my check in the amount of Twenty Dollars. The same day I had also sent my current check to the local Chapter. Investigation of my returned cancelled checks indicates that the Chapter received and deposited theirs, but no record exists of the one sent to you ever being deposited.

However, lest it has been lost in the mails, I have stopped payment on same at my bank, and am enclosing herewith my check of this date in the amount of Forty-Two Dollars. Will you kindly apply Twenty Dollars to the payment of my 1944 dues, and Twenty Dollars to the payment of the 1945 dues which I believe are now due and payable. Since suspension might jeopardize the efforts which I am devoting to the profession, I would appreciate your use of the balance in telegraphing the local Chapter of this letter and, I trust, of my reinstatement.

It happens that I am Vice-President of the Southern California Association of Architects, a delegate on the California Council of Architects, the Secretary-treasurer of Architects Bureau, Limited, which is a fiduciary agent for the profession, as well as member of a number of committees. Hence, I trust you will understand my rather unusual request.

I would also appreciate a change in your files concerning my address so that I may be addressed in the future to that shown on this letterhead. My failure to receive any communications from you may be traceable to the fact that my residence is located within a Rural delivery zone.

Sincerely yours,

George) Vincent Palmer

CHITECTS ARCHIVES For information

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M. Sc. IN CIVIL ENGH.

VP/gv Enc.

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March 20, 1945

Dear Mr. Palmers

We write to acknowledge your letter of March 14 at hand on March 19 with regard to membership suspension.

We have made a careful search and can find no record of your check for \$20. dated April 29, 1944 and note that you have stopped payment on it. If it ever comes to hand, we would appreciate it very much if you would send it to The Octagon in order that we may see the endorsement on it.

We acknowledge your present check of \$42. Which pays 1944 dues in full in the sum of \$20.; and 1945 dues in full in the sum of \$20.

We do not think The Institute should accept the additional \$2. on account of the enclosed telegram which we have sent to Mr. Eggers, Secretary of the Southern California Chapter.

We are indeed sorry these unusual circumstances arose and trust that our telegram to the chapter will clear the record there as fully as it is now cleared here.

The Institute's check in refund, in the amount of \$2. is enclosed herewith.

Sincerely yours,

ECKidd Enclosure

Assistant Treasurer

Mr. Vincent Palmer, A.I.A. 3757 Wilshire Boulevard Los Angeles 5. California

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SERIAL DEFERRED
NIGHT LETTER
Patrons should check class of service desired; otherwise the message will be

WESTERN 1206 UNION

CHECK

ACCOUNTING INFORMATION

TIME FILED

Send the following telegram, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

NIGHT LETTER

3430 P.M. MARCH 20, 1945 FOR VICTORY
BUY
WAR BONDS
TODAY

MR. HENRY L. EGGERS, SECRETARY SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER, A.I.A. 832 W. 5th STREET LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

SUSPENSION OF INSTITUTE AND CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP OF VINCENT PALMER AROSE FROM MON DELIVERY OF HIS CHECK FOR INSTITUTE DUES. SUBSEQUENT CHECK COMPLETELY RESTORES HIS MEMBERSHIP TO GOOD STANDING IN INSTITUTE AND CHAPTER FOR YEARS 1944 and 45. FORMAL RESTORATION NOTICE FOLLOWS.

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON 6, D. C. Office of The Secretary

NOTICE OF RESTORATION OF MEMBERSHIP

To Mr. George Vincent Palmer, A.I.A. Suite 212, 3735 Wilshire Blvd. Los Angeles 5, Calif.

Payment for your indebtedness for dues to The Institute has been received, and your membership has been restored as of the date of this notice. The Board is gratified that you have been able to do this and assures you of its continued good wishes.

Notice of the restoration of your membership has been given to the chapters and state association members of which you are a member.

Mexander C. Robinson III.

	Secretary.
Copy of this notice as "Notice" to the following:	
Mr. Henry L. Eggers	, Secretary
Southern California	Chapter, A.I.A.
	, Secretary
	State Association Member

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.



November 9, 1945

Air Mail - Special Delivery

Dear Mr. Palmers.

Responding to your letter concerning the application of Mr. Robert Ray Inslee, received to-day:

Mr. Inslee's application was received at The Octagon on October 2 and under the customery procedure a report was requested on the admission of the applicant under date of October 11, in a communication to the Southern California Chapter.

As soon as the report of the Chapter is received the application will be put forward without delay.

We will send prompt notification to Mr. Inslee with a copy to you.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary

ECK: EC

Mr. Vincent Palmer, A.I.A. 3006 Wilshire Boulevard Los Angeles 5, California FILE COPY - PLEASE RETURN

Manual Manual Control

June 27, 1958

Mr. Vincent Pelmer 8511 Sumset Boulevard Los Angeles 46, California

Dear Mr. Palmer:

As you know, every corporate member of the Institute must be assigned to a local chapter and pay dues to that chapter.

When local dues reasin unpaid the chapter may request the Institute to suspend or terminate the membership.

It is a long-established policy of The Board of Directors of the Institute to support the chapter in this procedure, but not without making every effort to bring about the restoretion of the good standing of the corporate member concerned.

The Southern California Chapter, to which you are easigned, has requested that your membership in the Institute and the Chapter be terminated for non-payment of chapter dues.

The purpose of this letter is to express the tope that you will find it possible to take care of your chapter dues in default at an early date, thus preserving your corporate memberably.

Your response to the above will be greatly appreciated, not later than July 22nd, for we must proceed to act on the Chapter's resonantation that your membership be terminated at the meeting of The Committee in Membership to be held on that date, if the past dues are not paid by them.

The Secretary of the Southern California Chapter is Mr. Ralph M. Grosby, 3723 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, should you wish to communicate with him in this matter.

Sincerely yours.

Florence 8. Gervals Secretary f Mesbership and Records

Sopy to Mr. Crosby

" Mr. Purves - as of interest



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS 1735 New York Avenue, N.W., Washington 6, D.C.

REPORT ON RECOMMENDATION OF TERMINATION OF CORPORATE MEMBERSHIP

TO THE SECRETARY

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS:

July 28, 1958

Vincent Palmer Name of Member

Chapter:

Southern California

Corporate Membership Record:

Elected:

1941

A.I.A. Dues: Chapter Dues: Paid to December 31, 1957

Owes for 1955 to 1958, inclusive

The recommendation of the

Southern California

that the corporate membership of

Vincent Palmer

be terminated for non-payment of chapter dues is attached.

Recommendation:

On the record above submitted, The Committee on Membership recommends that

the corporate membership of

Vincent Palmer

in The

American Institute of Architects and Southern California

Chapter,

the

California

State Organization, be terminated, effective

August 1, 1958

, for the non-payment of chapter dues.

THE COMMITTEE ON MEMBERSHIP:

Chairman

CERTIFICATION OF TERMINATION OF CORPORATE MEMBERSHIP

As Secretary of The American Institute of Architects, I hereby certify that, under authority vested in me by The Board of Directors of The Institute, I have this day directed that the corporate membership of

in The Institute and the So. California Chapter, the California State Organization, be terminated for non-payment of chapter dues effective

August 1, 1958.



Palmer Vincent

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C. Office of The Secretary

NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF MEMBERSHIP

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To Mr. Vincent Palmer 8511 Sunset Boulevard Los Angeles 48, California

In accordance with the request of the

Southern Californ a
(Name of Chapter)

Chapter that your membership be terminated for your indebtedness to it, The Board, as required by the provisions of Chapter I, Article 2, Section 4, paragraph (d-2), of The Institute by-laws, terminated your membership in The Institute and in all its chapters of which you were a member, effective

The Board regrets your withdrawal from membership and hopes that you will soon return to The Institute.

Date Admin 5

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Secretary.