

UNDER authority to elect members, as vested in me by The Board of Directors of The American Institute of Architects, by resolution of The Executive Committee adopted at its meeting on December 10-13, 1934; and in accord with the attached report of The Board of Examiners, I hereby declare

Sigurd Edor Naess
elected a corporate member of The American Institute of Architects and assigned to membership in the Chicago Chapter,
effective July 1, 1938.

APPLICATION NO AP 251

Dated (Undated) 19 .
Received April 26, 1938.
Granted July 1, 1938.

MEMBERSHIP NO 251

Chas. J. Long Secretary

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

RECORD OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INSTITUTE

- Include order April 26, 1938 J. H. Gervais*
- A. Name of applicant Sigurd Edor Naess Chapter Chicago
- B. Address of applicant 80 East Jackson Blvd., Chicago, Illinois
- C. Applicant proposed by Alfred Shaw and John R. Fugard
- D. Application received with check for \$. 25.00 on April 26, 1938.
- E. Application returned for correction 19 .
- F. Application in due order on April 26, 1938.
- G. Notices sent to chapter executive committee:
- (a) Form S11, reasonable time ending on June 1, 1938, on May 2, 1938.
- (b) Form S12, 30 day extension ending on 19 ., on 19 .
- H. Acknowledgments to applicant, proposers, and chapter on May 2, 1938
- I. ~~Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission or that application be denied~~ Advice of admission or that application be denied received on May 13, 1938.
- J. No report from chapter executive committee on 19 .
- K. Application sent to The Board of Examiners on June 22, 1938.
- L. The Board of Examiners reported on application on June 22, 1938.
- M. Applicant was admitted on July 1, 1938.
- N. Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter and letter to proposers on June 27, 1938.
- O. Notice of denial of application to chapter and applicant and \$. . . returned to applicant on 19 .
- P. Questionnaire, in re: Registration (Illinois) May 2, 1938. Rec'd 5/13/38

A member, by virtue of his membership in The Institute, becomes a member of the chapter of The Institute within the territory of which he resides or has his place of business, as he elects, but he pays an admission fee to The Institute only. The admission fee to membership in The Institute normally is twenty-five dollars. (For 1936 this fee was reduced to five dollars.)

A member pays annual dues both to The Institute and to the chapter. The annual dues to The Institute normally are twenty-five dollars (for 1936 Institute dues were reduced to twenty dollars) and those to the chapter are fixed in its by-laws.

Normally the period between the time of filing

an application and the time it is acted on by The Board of The Institute is four months. The period will be longer if the application must be returned to the applicant for corrections or if additional exhibits of the applicant's work are required by The Board of Examiners.

If an application is denied, the amount prepaid by the applicant for annual dues and for admission fee, less five dollars for examination fee, will be returned to him.

An applicant whose application has been denied without prejudice may reapply for admission to membership a year or more after the date of The Secretary's notice to him of his non-admission.

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

1. My full name is **Sigurd Edor Naess** .

2. State whether a natural or a naturalized citizen.

2. I am a **naturalized** citizen of **United States** .

3. My legal residence is in the City of **River Forest** ,

County of **Cook** State of **Illinois** .

4. State whether residence or office address.

4. My address in The Institute records will be

Street **80 E. Jackson Blvd.,**

City **Chicago** , State **Illinois** .

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

5. I am engaged in the profession of architecture as **practicing architect** .

6. I desire to be a member of the **Chicago** 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. Exhibit required.

8. I filed the duplicate of this application with the secretary of the chapter above named and attach his receipt therefor.

9. I enclose my check for \$, 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.

Date

19

Sigurd Edor Naess
Sign full name in ink

STATISTICS

10. Date of birth April 25, 1886 Place of birth Norway

11. I am registered or licensed to practice architecture as follows:
States Registration or license numbers

Illinois

2416

EDUCATION

12. I attended the following schools:

- (a) High School - Technical High School - Norway
Preparatory High School City State Graduation year (c) (d) (e) Write in initials of degree.
- (b) Private School Name of School City State Graduation year
- (c) College or University for years.
Graduation Year Degree
- (d) College or University for years.
Graduation Year Degree
- (e) Post-graduate at for years. Degree

13. I held the following named scholarships:

- (a) Year
- (b) Year

14. I have traveled in the following countries:

- in England, France, Germany, Belgium Year 1927
- in Norway, Sweden, Denmark Year 1934
- in Year

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

15. 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:

Classification	From	To	Name of Employer	City
	1904	1932	Graham Anderson Probst & White	Chicago

Write in Classification Column the word Student, Junior, or Senior, to indicate your classification as draftsman in each case.

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

16. 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:

State	From	To	Name of Firm or Corporation
Illinois	1932	1936	Graham Anderson Probst & White
	1937		Shaw Naess and Murphy

If your practice was individual do not write in the last column to the right.

17. I have taught architecture or the arts and sciences allied therewith as follows:

State	From	To	Name of School or College	My Title
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18. In my capacity of architect, I have held the public offices listed below:

Title of Office	City and State	From	To
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19. I list below and attach photographs of two or more of the buildings or other works of which I am the author.

Name of Work

City

State

See letter attached

Exhibits required.

MEMBERSHIP IN NON-ARCHITECTURAL ORGANIZATIONS

20. I am a member of civic or semi-public organizations listed below:

Name of Organization

City

State

Life Member - Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois

" " Field Museum of Natural History " "

" " Chicago Historical Society " "

21. I have held offices in non-architectural organizations as follows:

Office

Name of Organization

Year

22. I have written the following papers relating to architecture and the arts and sciences allied therewith:

Title

Publication

Year

SHAW NAESS AND MURPHY
ARCHITECTS

ALFRED SHAW · SIGURD E. NAESS · CHARLES F. MURPHY
RAILWAY EXCHANGE · CHICAGO

April 18, 1938

American Institute of Architects,
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Mr. Naess has chosen not to submit photographs of executed work and I submit the following list of buildings which were planned by Mr. Naess. These buildings not only involve the functional planning, but also involve fundamental consideration for the architectural expression by his associates:

New Chicago Post Office	Chicago, Ill
20 Wacker Drive Building	"
Chase National Bank	New York
Continental Illinois Bank	Chicago
Field Building	Chicago
Northwestern National Bank	Minneapolis

Yours very truly,

Alfred Shaw

MEMBERSHIPS IN ARCHITECTURAL ORGANIZATIONS

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Reason for Termination</i>
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23. Member of Institute

24. Junior of Institute

25. Associate of following Chapters:

26. Member of State Association in _____ from _____ to _____

State

27. I have held offices in the architectural organizations listed below:

Office

Architectural Organization

Year

28. I am not indebted to The Institute or to any of its chapters or state association members.
(If there are exceptions, state details)

I certify that each and all of the foregoing statements are true and correct.

Signed Sigard Edor Naess
Applicant

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 _____ years.

Signed Alfred Shaw. Oga
Proposer

Signed John R. Sigard ada
Proposer

1661 Railway Exchange Bldg
Chicago

RECORD OF REGISTRATION TO PRACTICE ARCHITECTURE

OF Sigurd Edor Naess, Chicago, Ill.

APPLICANT FOR MEMBERSHIP IN
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS



1. Is the applicant registered or licensed in the state of Illinois?
_____? Answer: Yes

2. Did the applicant have a Certificate of the National Council of
Architectural Registration Boards? No
If so, please give Certificate Number _____

3. Was his registration by the State by examination or by exemption?
Answer: By examination: Yes By exemption: _____

4. If registered by examination, was that examination written or oral?
Answer: By written examination: X By oral examination: _____

5. What was the scope of the examination?
Answer: Architectural Design, Graphic Statics, History
of Architecture, Specifications, Mechanics of Materials,
Reinforced Concrete.

6. Date of last registration: In good standing for year ending
Sept. 30, 1938.

7. Current Registration Number: 2416

L. H. Lawrence
(Signature of Secretary of the Board)

Architectural Examining Committee (Illinois)

(Name of Board)

STATE OF ILLINOIS
HENRY HORNER, GOVERNOR
DEPARTMENT OF
REGISTRATION AND EDUCATION

SPRINGFIELD

May 5, 1938

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HOMER J. BYRD
SUPERINTENDENT OF REGISTRATION
H. J. HEBNER
ASST. SUPERINTENDENT

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) SS
COUNTY OF SANGAMON)

I, Homer J. Byrd, Superintendent of Registration of the Department of Registration and Education, State of Illinois, hereby certify that the records of the said Department show that Registered Architect Certificate No. 2416 was issued to

SIGURD EDOR NAESS

on June 18, 1932, following a Junior examination before this Department.

The records further show that this certificate is in good standing for the year ending June 30, 1938.

WITNESS my hand and the Seal of the said Department of Registration and Education at Springfield, Illinois, this fifth day of May 1938.

KH

Homer J. Byrd
Superintendent
of Registration

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

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May 11, 1938

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

Mr. E. C. Kemper, Executive Secretary
The American Institute of Architects,
1741 New York Avenue, N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper:

This will acknowledge receipt of application for membership of Mr. Wm. L. Pereira, Sigurd Edor Naess, and Charles Francis Murphy and I have indicated action taken by the Executive Committee on these and other applications as follows:

Wm. L. Pereira: Previous action taken by this Committee recommending election of Mr. Wm. L. Pereira.

Sigurd Edor Naess: Action by the Executive Committee of this Chapter recommends the election of Mr. Naess as a Corporate member of the Institute.

Charles Francis Murphy: Action by the Executive Committee of this Chapter recommends the election of Mr. Murphy as a Corporate member of the Institute.

L. Morgan Yost: Action by the Executive Committee of this Chapter on May 10th, 1938, recommends the election of Mr. L. Morgan Yost to Corporate membership in the Institute. Mr. Yost is at present an Associate member of this Chapter.

Wm. Ehmman: This application is forwarded to you, having been approved by this Chapter's Executive Committee and having no unfavorable communications registered against it; therefore election of Mr. Ehmman is recommended.

Sincerely yours,

(Sgd) Carl E. Heimbrodt, Secretary
Chicago Chapter, A.I.A.

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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

NOTICE OF RECEIPT TO MEMBERSHIP
June 27, 1938.

TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Dear Mr. Naess:

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 have been admitted to corporate membership in The Institute and assigned to membership in the Chicago Chapter, as of July 1, 1938. You will be a member of that chapter, or of some other chapter if you later transfer thereto, until your membership in The Institute terminates.

Your certificate of membership, 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.

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.

Sincerely yours,

Chas. J. Ingham
Secretary.

CTI:LF

Mr. Sigurd Edor Naess, A.I.A.,
80 E. Jackson Boulevard,
Chicago, Illinois.

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Secretary.

Mr. Sigurd Eder Naess, A.I.A.,
80 E. Jackson Boulevard,
Chicago, Illinois.

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PRESIDENT

SECRETARY

TREASURER

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Miss Maureen Marx, Manager
Membership Procedures
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington D. C. 20006

Dear Miss Marx:

At the regular Board Meeting held on Monday, July 27, approval was made of Mr. Sigurd E. Naess for Emeritus membership.

There was an extended delay in processing his application. Therefore, the Board asks it be made retroactive to July 30, 1963. The Board feels any and all dues that may have accrued after July 30, 1963, should be waived.

According to Chapter records, Mr. Naess is in good standing, having no dues arrears.

Sincerely,

Marion J. Smith

Marion J. Smith
Executive Director, Chicago Chapter, A.I.A.

MJS:s

Enc:

1661 Railway Ex. Bldg.
Chicago Ill

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP EMERITUS

TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS,
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS:

*Strike out the
inappropriate
reason, a, b,
or c, as the
case may be.*

I wish to apply for Membership Emeritus in The Institute for the following reasons:

- ✓ a. I am more than 70 years of age.
- ✓ b. I am 65 years of age, retired, and not engaged in the practice of architecture.
- c. ~~I am unable to engage in any gainful vocation.~~

*Write in
name of
chapter.*

I have been in good standing in The Institute and the **Chicago** chapter
for 15 successive years or more immediately preceding the date of this application.

Respectfully, **S.E. Naess**

Date July 30, 1963 19 .

S.E. Naess
Signature

The applicant may supplement the above reasons in writing below or on sheets which he shall attach to this application. Under exceptional conditions and circumstances, The Board of Directors may lessen the period of good standing but not the requirements of a, b, or c.



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nales, Sigurd E

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
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NOTICE OF ELECTION — MEMBER EMERITUS

FILED OCT 21 - 1964
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TO **Mr. Sigurd E. Naess, AIA**
1461 Railway Exchange Bldg.
Chicago, Illinois

It is my privilege to advise you that The Board of Directors has conferred upon you
the title

MEMBER EMERITUS

of The American Institute of Architects and of its component organizations of which you
are a member, exempting you from the payment of annual dues to The Institute and
such organizations, effective

January 1, 1964.

O. H. Thomson

Date **August 21,** 19 **64**

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Secretary



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

April 9, 1970

Mr. Wilbert R. Hasbrouck, Exec.-Dir.
Chicago Chapter, AIA
101 South Wacker Drive
Chicago, Illinois 60606

Re: Death of Mr. Sigurd E. Haess, AIA
on March 3, 1970.

Dear Mr. Hasbrouck:

We are very sorry to learn of the death of the member indicated above.

For The Institute's Baldwin Memorial Archive records, it would be appreciated if you would have the enclosed forms filled in. Two copies should be returned to The Institute and the third copy is for the Chapter's files.

Sincerely yours,

Maureen Marx, Director
Membership Procedures

MM:bjm