

Dated November 30, 1943.
Received December 20, 1943.
Granted February 15, 1944

MEMBERSHIP NO 2071



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

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In due order
December 20, 1943
H. H. Jenkins

- A Name of applicant Percival Raymond Pereira Chapter Detroit
- B Address of applicant 9617 North Martindale Avenue, Detroit, Michigan
- C Applicant proposed by Talmage C. Hughes and Ralph R. Calder
- D Application received with check for \$10.00 on December 20, 1943.
- E Application returned for correction 19
- F Application in due order on December 20, 1943.
- Record of registration, Form S39, Sent (Mich.) Dec. 21, 1943. Received.) January 10, 1944.
Second Request " " Jan. 5, 1944.)
- G Notices sent to chapter executive committee:
 - (a) Form S11, reasonable time ending on 19, on 19
 - (b) Form S12, 30 day extension ending on 19, on 19
- H Acknowledgments to applicant, proposers, and chapter on December 22, 1943.
- I Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission ~~on that application be denied~~ received on December 20, 1943.
- J No report from chapter executive committee on 19
- K Application sent to The Board of Examiners on February 8, 1944.
- L The Board of Examiners reported on application on February 8, 1944.
- M Applicant was admitted on February 15, 1944.
- N Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter and letter to proposers on February 15, 1944.
- O Notice of denial of application to chapter and applicant and \$ returned to applicant on 19

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

Percival Raymond Pereira

to membership in The Institute, and hereby declare him to be a corporate member of The Institute and assign him to membership in the Detroit Chapter.

Date February 15, 1944.

Alexander C. Robinson, III
Secretary



THE AMERICAN
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

ORIGINAL

1943 DEC 20

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

WASHINGTON, D.C. File a duplicate, on gray paper, with
the secretary of the local chapter of The
Institute.

The American Institute of Architects

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

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

1. My full name is *Percival Raymond Pereira*

2. State whether a natural or a naturalized citizen.

2. I am a *natural* citizen of *the United States.*

3. My legal residence is in the City of *Detroit*

County of *Wayne* State of *Michigan.*

4. State whether residence or office address.

4. My address in The Institute records will be

Number *9617* Street *N Martindale Ave.*

City *Detroit* State *Michigan.*

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

5. I am engaged in the profession of architecture as *an Architect.*

6. I desire to be a member of the *Detroit Mich.* Chapter.

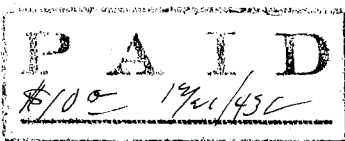
7. I declare that I have read the by-laws and the Principles of Professional Practice of The American Institute of Architects, and that I understand the duties, responsibilities and obligations thereunder of a member of The Institute, and I do hereby agree and declare that, if admitted to membership, I will to the best of my ability abide by and comply with such by-laws and Principles of Professional Practice.

8. I have filed the duplicate of this application with the secretary of the chapter above named. I am not indebted to The Institute or to any of its chapters or state association members.

9. I enclose my check for \$ *10.00*, for admission fee and the first year's annual dues. It is my understanding that if for any reason I am not admitted to membership all of said amount will be returned to me, except five dollars which The Institute will retain as an examination fee.

Date *Nov. 30, 1943.*

Percival Raymond Pereira
Applicant sign full name in ink



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STATISTICS

10. Date of birth *Mar. 14, 1882* Place of birth *Brooklyn N. Y.*

11. I am registered or licensed to practice architecture in the following named states:

(State or States) By Examination

(State or States) By Exemption

Michigan

(a) I hold a Certificate No. ~~1081~~ 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:

Manual Training High School - Brooklyn Boro. N.Y. City
Pratt Institute Fine Arts - Drawing from Antique still life, portraiture, landscape, composition.
" " Architecture History of art,
Beaux Arts - Atelier work - N. Y.
Principal studies independent courses,
Lectures Gothic - Barr Ferree & Brooklyn Institute.
" Italian Renas. Prof. Goodyear 4 winters.
Personal reading on subj.

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:

1900 - Office of Clarence True N. Y. C. Junior - 2 yrs.
1902 - Clinton & Russell " " " Draftsman - 2 yrs
1903 - Dodge & Morrison 80 Wall St. N. Y. C. Chief draftsman - 1 yr.
1903 about. Carrere & Hastings 5TH AVE N. Y. C. -
General drafting, design, squad leader - Then asst. Chief draftsman.
10 yrs +
1913 Tom Lamb - Chief draftsman. N. Y. City.
1913 fall Geo. Mann. Little Rock Ark. chief draftsman.
1914 Tom Lamb as junior partner.
1915 Entered practice for myself in Candler Bldg. N. Y. C.

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

1943 DEC 20 PM 3:40

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 as a public official or have taught architecture or the arts and sciences allied therewith. (State names of firms or corporations or public office and of schools or colleges).

1915 Practiced alone
 1916 Took partner. Formed firm of De Rosa & Pereira.
 1919 in fall went in limited partnership Howard Crane & as chief designer.
 1920 Opened office alone as Architect and applied for registration.
 1921 Registered & practiced until we entered the war. Now in Engineering Dept. Dow Chemical Co.
 1942 During this period was commissioned as Architect Fairbairn Hotel. 10 sty.
 Gotham Hotel. 11 "
 Briggs Hotel. 18 "
 RKO. Uptown Theatre 4000 seats.
 " " Downtown " 3000 " and others.

PRESENT OR PREVIOUS MEMBERSHIPS IN ARCHITECTURAL ORGANIZATIONS

- 15. Member of Institute from _____ to _____
- 16. Junior of Institute from _____ to _____
- 17. Associate of _____ Chapter from _____ to _____
- 18. Junior Associate of _____ Chapter from _____ to _____
- 19. Member of State Association in *Michigan* from *1921* to *1943*.

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 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 *20* years.

I have known the applicant for *15* years.

Signed *Delmar Hughes*
Proposer

Signed *Ralph R. Calder*
Proposer

Note: The two proposers must be corporate members of The Institute in good standing.



THE AMERICAN
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
1944 JAN 10 AM 9:50
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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

RECORD OF REGISTRATION
OF

Percival R. Pereira, Detroit, Mich.
(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS,
Detroit, Michigan
Address

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.

Date December 21, 1943

Alexander C. Robinson III
Secretary

1. Is the applicant registered or licensed to practice architecture in your state?..... Yes
2. Was his registration or licensing by examination?.....or by exemption?..... Reciprocity
3. What was the scope of the examination?.....
.....
4. What was the period of the examination?.....days. Written examination.....hours; Oral examination.....hours.
5. When examined, did applicant have a certificate from the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards?..... If so, give Certificate No.....
6. Date of last registration..... NOV. 8 19 22 Registration No..... 1181 Is it current?..... Yes

Watts Shelly
(Signature of Secretary of Board)
Michigan State Board of Registration
for Architects, etc.
(Name of Board)

Date Dec. 28 19 43

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

COPY

February 15, 1944

Dear Mr. Pereira:

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 Detroit Chapter, effective February 15, 1944. 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,

Secretary

Mr. Percival Raymond Pereira, A.I.A.
9617 North Martindale Avenue
Detroit, Michigan

ACR:bdh
Enc.

COPY TO

FILES PRESIDENT SECRETARY TREASURER

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

1741 New York Avenue, N. W.

Washington 6, D. C.

THE OCTAGON

Inter-Office Communication

September 9, 1944

CONCERNING YOUR ADDRESS

To the Corporate Member of The Institute
whose name and address appear below:

The Journal of the A.I.A. and other communications sent to you are returned as undeliverable.

We hope that this letter, under first class mail, will reach you.

We ask that you correct *or* confirm the address below and return this letter, so that Institute communications may reach you promptly and safely.

Please insert zone number if you have one.

A stamped self-addressed envelope is enclosed for your convenience.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Percival R. Pereira
9617 No. Martindale Avenue
Detroit, Michigan

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

COPY

February 27, 1945

Dear Mr. Pereira:

The Board of Directors at its meeting in December 1944 issued a charter for a new chapter to be formed under the name of "The Saginaw Valley Chapter" and directed that members of The Institute located in the territory to be assigned to that chapter, namely, the Counties of Saginaw, Shiawasee, Bay, Midland, and Genesee in the State of Michigan, should be transferred to the new chapter.

Before your chapter assignment can be transferred from the Detroit Chapter to the Saginaw Valley Chapter, your 1944 dues to the Detroit Chapter should be paid--to permit your transfer as a member in good standing.

As soon as this matter has received your attention, we shall be glad to complete the assignment.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary

K/G/b

Mr. Percival R. Pereira, A.I.A.
1173 Foster Road
Route 1
Midland, Michigan

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

COPY

Saginaw Valley Chapter

(charter)

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Gewans

March 29, 1945

Dear Tal:

We sent you a copy of our telegram of the twenty-sixth to Mr. Pereira concerning his dues to the Detroit Chapter.

We can complete the Saginaw Valley Chapter set-up and send them a charter just as soon as Mr. Pereira's status is determined.

He responded to our telegram as follows:

"Chapter dues will be paid when I receive corrected bill requested."

Can you help us by expediting this in some way so that the Saginaw Valley Charter will not be delayed longer?

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary

ECK:dd

*(Spec sent
Callahan)
a.c.R.*

Mr. Talmage C. Hughes,
Executive Secretary
Detroit Chapter, A.I.A.
120 Madison Avenue
Detroit 26, Michigan

Charge to the account of **The American Institute of Architects**

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A. N. WILLIAMS
PRESIDENT

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

MARCH 26, 1945
3:45 P.M.

FOR VICTORY
BUY
WAR BONDS
TODAY

PERCIVAL R. PEREIRA
1173 FOSTER ROAD
ROUTE 1
MIDLAND MICHIGAN

WOULD LIKE TO INCLUDE YOUR NAME AS CHARTER MEMBER OF NEW SAGINAW VALLEY CHAPTER BUT CANNOT DO SO UNTIL YOU HAVE PAID 1944 CHAPTER DUES TO DETROIT CHAPTER. ALSO WOULD LIKE YOUR NAME TO APPEAR UNDER NEW CHAPTER IN NEW ANNUARY ABOUT TO PRINT. PLEASE TELEGRAPH IF CHAPTER DUES HAVE BEEN PAID OR WILL BE PAID SHORTLY AND OBLIGE.

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

cc to: Mr Hughes, Executive Secretary
Detroit Chapter

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A. N. WILLIAMS
PRESIDENT

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CHAPTER DUES WILL BE PAID WHEN I RECEIVED COLLECTED BILL REQUESTED=

P R PEREIRA

THE AMERICAN
 INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
 1545 MAR 28 AM 11:18
 WASHINGTON, D.C.

THE COMPANY WILL APPRECIATE SUGGESTIONS FROM ITS PATRONS CONCERNING ITS SERVICE

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THE AMERICAN
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

1945 APR -2 AM 10:03

WASHINGTON, D. C.

March 30, 1945

Mr. Julian R. Cowin, Treasurer,
1507 Stroh Bldg.,
Detroit, Mich.

Dear Julian:

I have copy of telegram from Kemper to P. R. Pereira urging his payment of Detroit Chapter dues so that he may be included as a charter member of the Saginaw Valley Chapter and included in the coming printing of the Annuary.

Pereira has just written me asking for a statement of Detroit Chapter Dues and MSA dues so that he can comply. I am sending him a copy of this letter, also to Kemper with statement that Mr. Pereira is in good standing with the Chapter.

Ofcourse, MSA dues are included in the ten dollars for Chapter dues and perhaps a copy of this letter to P. R. will serve as notice that his indebtedness to the Chapter for 1944 dues is ten dollars, without further billing from you.

As time is important, let's let this letter serve as notice to all concerned.

Faithfully yours,


Talmage C. Hughes

Copy:
P. R. Pereira,
1173 Foster Rd., Rt. 1,
Midland, Mich.

ECKemper

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

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COPY

April 3, 1945

Dear Mr. Pereira:

At its meeting in December 1944, the Board of Directors granted a charter of chapter membership to the Saginaw Valley Chapter, effective January 1, 1945, in accordance with the petition signed by five members of the Detroit Chapter.

The Board also directed that Institute members located in the territory transferred to the new chapter should be transferred to that chapter also.

Accordingly, you are hereby notified that you are formally transferred as an Institute member in good standing from the Detroit Chapter to the Saginaw Valley Chapter, effective January 1, 1945.

Both chapters have been advised.

Sincerely yours,

Alexander C. Robinson III

Secretary

Mr. Percival R. Pereira, A.I.A.
1173 Foster Road
Route 1
Midland, Michigan

ACK:b

1173 Foster Rd Rte 1
Midland Mich

Feb. 9/50

American Inst. of Architects
Washington D. C.

Mr. Chas. J. Cellarius Treas.

PAID
DATE #1602 for 1949 \$1600
2-10-50 full

Dear Sir:

I herewith enclose my
check for \$1600 bal. due for the
year 1949.

Last year ('49) was most
disastrous for me so I made
less than \$5000.00 this

At the present, I have and
am confined at home with a
broken leg and other injuries due
to having been run down by a
car. Hospitalized since Dec. 27/49
Recovering slowly.

Yours truly,
H. Periss

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

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Pereira

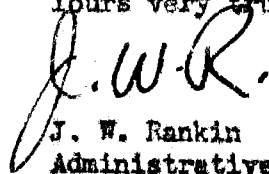
February 13, 1950

Dear Mr. Pereira:

Thank you very much for your letter of February 9,
with which you enclosed the balance of your 1949 Institute
dues.

We were very sorry to learn of the difficulties you
have had, and trust that this finds you recovered more
rapidly than expected.

Yours very truly,



J. W. Rankin
Administrative Secretary

Mr. P. R. Pereira, A.I.A.
1173 Foster Road
Route 1
Midland, Michigan

JWR:dm



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

NOTICE OF SUSPENSION OF MEMBERSHIP

March 1, 1951

To: Mr. Percival R. Pereira
1173 Foster Road
Route 1
Midland, Michigan

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

This suspension is effective as of December 31, 1950. The sending of this notice has been delayed with the earnest wish that you might take some action in the matter.


The purpose of The Institute in permitting a membership to be suspended at the end of the year for default of dues rather than terminated forthwith is to enable the member in default to *restore his membership within the period of suspension, without applying therefor and without paying a readmission fee.* The period of grace terminates on December 31 of the year next following the date of suspension: in your case, on December 31 of the current year.

At any time during the period of suspension you may restore your membership to good standing by paying to The Institute your defaulted dues.

We sincerely hope that circumstances will make it convenient for you to meet your present obligation to The Institute before December 31, 1951.

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,


Secretary

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

Mr. Frederick E. Wigen....., Secretary
Saginaw Valley..... Chapter, A.I.A.
Mr. Leo F. Bauer....., Secretary
Michigan Soc. of Archts. State Organization Member

This copy of notice to the corporate member named herein is official notice of the suspension of his membership in The Institute and in the chapter to which he is assigned. Please note on your records accordingly.

Until you receive notification of the restoration of membership or of its termination, the member named should be carried on your rolls as a *suspended* Institute member. You will be advised if and when his membership is restored to good standing.

CLAIR W. DITCHY, Secretary

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Pereira



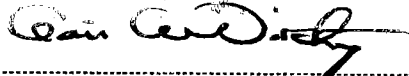
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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON 6, D. C.
Office of The Secretary

NOTICE OF RESTORATION OF MEMBERSHIP

To Mr. Percival Raymond Pereira, A. I. A.
1173 Foster Road
Route 1,
Midland, Mich.

Payment for your indebtedness for dues to The Institute has been received, and your suspension has been lifted 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 of which you are a member.

Date November 6, 1951 
Secretary.

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

Mr. Carl G. Schulwitz, Secretary
4055 State Street
Saginaw, Mich. Saginaw Valley Chapter, A.I.A.

Mr. Peter Vander Laan Secretary
718 Campbell Ave.,
Kalamazoo 51, Mich. State Organization Member

Michigan Society of Architects, A. I. A.

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AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS • SAGINAW VALLEY CHAPTER



May 17, 1957

Miss Florence Gervais
Secretary of Membership and Records
American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Ave., N.W.
Washington 6, D. C.

*Over 510-1956
50-1957*

Dear Miss Gervais:

It is the recommendation of this Chapter that the membership of Mr. Percival Pereria, 1173 Foster Road, Midland, Michigan be terminated for non-payment of Chapter dues as provided for in paragraph (d-2) Section 4, Article 2 Chapter I of the By-Laws of the American Institute of Architects (1955 Addition).

Mr. Pereria has been billed for and owes Chapter dues for the years 1954, 1955, 1956, and 1957. According to this Chapters Treasurer, he was last billed on March 15, and April 26 of this year and has not remitted; he is in arrears a total amount of thirty-three dollars (\$33.00) for this period.

Yours very truly,

Auldin H. Nelson, Secretary
Saginaw Valley Chapter
American Institute of Architects

AHN/ht

cc: A. Charles Jones
H. Allison
V. Boyle

May 23, 1957

Mr. Percival Pereria, A.I.A.
1173 Foster Road
Midland, Michigan

Dear Mr. Pereria:

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 remain unpaid, the chapter may request The Institute to suspend or terminate the membership.

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

The Saginaw Valley Chapter, to which you are assigned, has requested that your membership in The Institute and the Chapter be terminated for non-payment of chapter dues for the years 1954, 1955, 1956, and 1957.

The purpose of this letter is to suggest that you clear your account with the Chapter, thus preserving your corporate membership in good standing.

Your response to the above will be greatly appreciated, not later than June 23, 1957, for we must proceed to act on the Chapter's recommendation to terminate your membership at the next meeting of the Committee on Membership held thereafter, if the past chapter dues are not paid by that date.

The Secretary of the Saginaw Valley Chapter is Mr. Auldin H. Nelson, 1669 N. Chevrolet Avenue, Flint, Michigan, should you wish to communicate with him in this matter.

Sincerely yours,

(Miss) Florence H. Gervais
Secretary of Membership and Records

FBG:hrs
cc: Mr. Nelson

August 13, 1957

Mr. Auldin H. Nelson, Secretary
Saginaw Valley Chapter, A.I.A.
1669 North Chevrolet Avenue
Flint, Michigan

Dear Mr. Nelson:

With further reference to your letter of May 17th, advising of the recommendation of the Chapter to terminate the corporate membership of Percival Pereira, A.I.A. for non-payment of Chapter dues:

This recommendation will be submitted to The Committee on Membership for consideration and action at its meeting on August 29th, inasmuch as we have not heard from Mr. Pereira in response to our letter to him of May 23rd.

Before taking this final action, however, we wished to check with you to make certain that he has not taken care of his indebtedness in the meantime.

May we hear from you prior to the 29th?

Sincerely yours,

(Miss) Florence H. Gervais
Secretary of Membership and Records

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AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS • SAGINAW VALLEY CHAPTER



August 16, 1957.

Miss Florence H. Gervais
Secretary of Membership and Records
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Ave., N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Dear Miss Gervais:

With reference to your letter of August 13 regarding the termination of the Corporate Membership of Mr. Percival Pereria please be advised:

Since our original communication of May 17, Mr. Pereria has paid up all past dues, but as yet has not remitted chapter dues for the present year.

Yours very truly,

Auldin H. Nelson, Secretary
Saginaw Valley Chapter, A. I. A.

AHN/ht

cc: Vincent Boyle

FILE COPY - PLEASE RETURN

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Members
Pereira, Percival

August 21, 1957

Mr. Percival Pereira
1173 Foster Road
Midland, Michigan

Dear Mr. Pereira:

We are gratified to learn, from the Secretary of the Saginaw Valley Chapter, that you have taken care of your chapter dues through the year 1956, permitting the withdrawal of the recommendation of the Chapter that your corporate membership in the A.I.A. be terminated for such non-payment.

There is a balance of \$10.00 owing for your 1956 Institute dues.

When that amount is paid your corporate membership may be restored to good standing.

Sincerely yours,

(Miss) Florence H. Gervais
Secretary of Membership and Records

Copy to the Secretary,
Saginaw Valley Chapter, A.I.A.

*Paid 1/3/57-40
11/19/57-30
12/19/57-30
1956+57 - 100
Owed \$50 - 1958*

PERCIVAL R. PEREIRA, ~~Arch~~
REGISTERED ARCHITECT
MICHIGAN
5309 Foster Road Midland

COMMERCIAL
INDUSTRIAL
RESIDENTIAL

Jan. 3 1959

The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Ave. N. W.
Washington 6 D. C.

Elected 1944

Dear Sirs;

Thereby tender my resignation as a Member of the
Institute.
I paid in full for the year 1957 but did not receive a member
ship card for that period. In fact I paid \$10.00 to
apply on 1958.
Should my finances improve I will pay up the balance due
1958.

Yours very truly

P. R. Pereira
P. R. Pereira

Copy to Mr. Vincent Boyle

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Mr. Edmund R. Purves, F.A.I.A.
Asst. Treasurer
American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Ave. N.W.
Washington 6, D.C.

Re: Membership and dues
Mr. Percival R. Perira
Foster Road, Route 1
Midland, Michigan

Dear Sir:

Upon your request we have inquired to Mr. Perira of his 1958 national dues. Mr. Perira has rather a poor record of dues payments over the last few years as correspondence in our files will attest. There is however, good reason for his delinquency and we are not unaware of the fact that for the past several years he has remitted his dues even though it was a hardship to do so. Mr. Perira is almost eighty years old and in poor health. His practice can certainly be classed as very limited. Our records do not show the length of Mr. Perira's membership in the Institute, but he called me today and indicated he would have to resign as it was impossible for him to continue his dues payments. I was quite unaware of his age or health until I had made several inquires, but it does seem as though he could be extended the courtesy of a retired membership. We are quite willing to forego any of his 1958 Chapter dues, of which he is in arrears, to make this easier on him. Would you be kind enough to do what you can to arrange this on the National level.

Yours very truly,

Vincent T. Boyle, A.I.A.
Secretary

cc: Robert Gazell, Treasurer

December 31, 1958

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Miss Florence H. Gervais

January 10, 1959

Mr. Percival R. Pereira, A.I.A.
5309 Foster Road
Midland, Michigan

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Dear Mr. Pereira:

We are in receipt of your letter of January 3rd tendering your resignation as a corporate member of The Institute.

We also are in receipt of a communication from the Saginaw Valley Chapter to which you are assigned recommending that you be elected a Member Emeritus of The Institute, and that in order to permit such election your 1958 Institute dues be waived.

Enclosed is a form requesting this change in membership status, and if you will fill it out, sign and return it, we shall be happy to refer it to The Committee on Membership for consideration and its recommendation to The Board of Directors.

The next meeting of the Committee is scheduled for January 20th and it is hoped that you will execute and return the form to us prior to that date so that it can receive prompt attention.

Sincerely yours,

(Miss) Florence H. Gervais
Secretary of Membership and Records

Enclosure

Copy to the Secretary, Saginaw Valley Chapter, A.I.A.

P.S. - In case you are not familiar with Emeritus status, such members retain all of the rights and privileges of active corporate membership while the payments of any further dues to The Institute, the Chapter and State Organization are waived.



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

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. *Seventy-seven years old.*
- b. I am ^{*over*} 65 years of age, retired, and ~~not~~ ^{*occasionally*} 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 *Detroit & Saginaw* chapter for 15 successive years or more immediately preceding the date of this application.

Respectfully,

Date *Jan 15,* 1959.

J.P. Perica
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.

c. I receive Soc. Sec. but not sufficient to live on. \$95.10 per mo. I do an occasional small job with outside assistance. I have diabetes and cirrhosis of the liver.
J.P.P.

Percival R. Pereira

*Approved
Bd. AIA*



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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON 6, D. C.
The Board of Examiners

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REPORT ON APPLICATION FOR REMISSION OF A.I.A. DUES

TO THE SECRETARY
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS:

Name of Applicant Percival R. Pereira, A.I.A.

Date of Application Jan. 15, 1959; *Received by The Board of Examiners* Jan. 20, 1959

Corporate Membership Record Elected 1944

Indebtedness for A.I.A. Dues \$50.00 ; 1958
(Years) (Amount)

1. The recommendation of the Saginaw Valley Chapter for remission of A.I.A. dues is - attached.

2. The report of the Saginaw Valley Chapter that it has remitted all or part of outstanding indebtedness for chapter dues is attached.

RECOMMENDATION:

On the record above submitted The Board of Examiners recommends that the indebtedness for A.I.A. dues owed by the above applicant be - remitted for the period of 1958 in the amount of \$50.00, to permit his election as a Member Emeritus.

THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS

Charles B. Gullé
W. H. Hopp
Leon B. ...

Date January 20, 19 59

Chairman

CERTIFICATION OF REMISSION OF A.I.A. DUES

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 directed that the indebtedness for A.I.A. dues owed by Percival R. Pereira, A.I.A. for the period of 1958 in the amount of \$50.00 be remitted, to permit his election as a Member Emeritus.

Date January 27, 19 59

Edward ...

Secretary

*Members
Pereira, Percival R.*

*From
Bd Dir*



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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

NOTICE OF ELECTION—MEMBER EMERITUS

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TO Mr. Percival R. Pereira, A.I.A.
5509 Foster Road
Midland, Michigan

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, 1959**.

Date **January 27,** 19**59.**

Edward L. Wilson
Secretary

*Saginaw Valley Chapter
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