MORGAN, DAVID HOWELL

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18 October 1956

Jury of Fellows
Philadelphia Chapter, A. I. A.
Architects Building
Philadelphia 3, Penna.

FACTUAL

Gentlemen:

I am writing in support of Mr. David H. Morgan's elevation to Fellowship. Mr. Morgan's long record of public service and service to The American Institute of Architects is set forth in the nominating documents.

I know from personal experience that he has been unselfish of his own time and effort in working for the best interests of the profession.

I believe his work in connection with the establishment of acceptable fees for public work while on the National A. I. A. Committee is generally recognized. The same is true of his work on the building code in Philadelphia.

Recently he has brought the support and prestige of his office as President of the Philadelphia Chapter to the recognition of the value of the Philadelphia Art Commission in the rapid expansion of the central part of this city.

Furthermore he is carrying on the responsibilities of the office of President of the Philadelphia Chapter extremely ably and with distinction.

Sincerely,

Roy F. Larson

GEORGE SIMPSON KOYL 4400 SPRUCE STREET PHILADELPHIA 4, PENNSYLVANIA

October 20, 1956

The Jury of Fellows, A.I.A., The Octagon, 1735 New York Avenue, N. W., Washington 6, D. C.

Gentlemen:

It gives me particular pleasure to endorse the nomination of David H. Morgan by the Executive Committee of the Philadelphia Chapter for advancement to Fellowship in The Institute.

For the last thirty years, David Morgan has been a Corporate Member. He has been continuously zealous in promoting the advancement of the Institute and the Profession as an officer or committeeman. Shortly after being elected to membership he organized the Northeastern Pennsylvania Chapter, becoming its first President. His membership on Chapter committees has always been effective. His contribution to the Committee on Fees of The Institute of which committee he served on the Executive Committee was outstanding. He has been a progressive President of The Philadelphia Chapter.

I fully believe The Jury will be advancing the standing of The American Institute of Architects by favorable action on this nomination.

Sincerely yours,

George S. Koyl.

cc: Mr// Grant M. Simon, Chairman Committee on Fellows, Philadelphia Chapter, A.I.A.

LOVELACE AND SPILLMAN ARCHITECTS

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October 23, 1956

Jury of Fellows American Institute of Architects 1735 New York Avenue, N. W. Washington 6, D. C.

FACTUAL

Gentlemen:

The name of Mr. David H. Morgan is being submitted by the Committee on Fellows of the Philadelphia Chapter of the American Institute of Architects for advancement to Fellowship for Achievement in Service to the Institute.

Mr. Morgan has been a member of the American Institute of Architects since 1922 and was instrumental in organizing the Northeastern Pennsylvania Chapter, of which he was a charter member.

As a member of the Executive Committee of the American Institute of Architects' Committee on Fees, he assisted in establishing and increasing Housing Fee Schedules, which were later approved by the Public Housing Administration.

From 1927 to 1940 he was a member of the Pennsylvania State Board of Examiners of Architects and served as Chairman of this Board for six years.

Mr. Morgan has been an officer of the Philadelphia Chapter for a number of years and, at the present time, is President. Through his enthusiastic and persistent efforts, interest in the Philadelphia Chapter has been enhanced, as noted by the increased attendance at Chapter meetings. He has also been successful in instituting a Public Relations Program for the Chapter.

Since 1946 he has been a member of the Philadelphia Citizens Council on City Planning and a member of the Philadelphia City Planning Commission and the Citizens Technical Advisory Committee to the Philadelphia City Planning Commission.

I wholeheartedly endorse Mr. Morgan's nomination and trust it will meet with your approval.

Sincerely yours,

CURTIS M. LOVELACE, FAIA

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October 24, 1956

Jury of Fellows, American Institute of Architects The Octagon 1725 New York Avenue, N. W. Washington 6, D.C.

Gentlemen:

As a member of the Jury of Fellows of the Philadelphia Chapter of the A.I.A., I wish most heartily to endorse the proposal for Fellowship of Mr. David H. Morgan, President of the Philadelphia Chapter A.I.A. I have known Mr. Morgan intimately for many years past and am particularly familiar with his unusual interest in the work of the Philadelphia Chapter and the valuable contribution which his services have been to it through many years past.

During the period of my own two years service as president of this chapter, Mr. Morgan was one of my most valued supporters and active participants in all the work thereof. It will not be necessary for me to enumerate his many other activities in connection with the various offices that he has held in our Chapter, nor the fact that he was Charter President of the Northeastern Pennsylvania Chapter - 1922 to 1924, nor also of his valuable assistance in the work of the Pennsylvania Society of Architects, as this detail will, I know, be covered in other documents submitted.

Therefore, permit me to repeat that I most highly am in favor of his elevation to Fellowship.

Very truly yours,

Livingston Smith

THE OFFICE OF GRANT M. SIMON, ARCHITECT 2214 ST. JAMES PLACE PHILADELPHIA 3, PA.

October 25, 1956

The Jury of Fellows, The American Institute of Architects, 1735 New York Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C.

FACTUAL

Gentlemen:

It gives me great pleasure to bring to your attention, the unusual achievements of Mr. David H. Morgan in furthering the interests of the Institute.

He has devoted, over the many years that I have known him, a large part of his time to this work, serving in many capacities. As President of the Chapter for the past year, he has, by his individual efforts aside from the enthusiastic support of his colleagues, tremendously increased the interest and attendance of the younger men. He has made the Chapter a vivid part of their professional life.

It is, I believe, an outstanding service to the Institute. His contribution has been so unusual that the Executive Committee has taken what we believe to be an unprecedented action in presenting an expression of their appreciation to him in the form of a 'citation'. A copy of this paper is attached.

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Sincerely,

Grant W. Simon.

Enclosures. GMS/j

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October 29, 1956

Jury of Fellows
The American Institute of Architects
The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 6, D. C.

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Gentlemen:

It has come to my attention that Mr. David H. Morgan, A.I.A. of the Philadelphia Chapter, has been proposed for advancement to Fellowship in The Institute.

Having known Mr. Morgan over a period of years and being aware of his services to the profession in many capacities, may I respectfully add my world of hearty endorsement to this nomination. The esteem in which the profession is held in the eyes of the public traces in large measure to the prestige and integrity of its leading members.

Mr. Morgan, over a period of time, has represented the high purposes of The American Institute of Architects, has served. The Institute effectively and conscientiously on numerous assignments, and in my opinion fully deserves your most favorable consideration. Some years ago he and I served together on a national committee, and I was impressed with the devotion and sincerity with which he approached his contributions to the work.

Very truly yours,

George B. Allison

GBA/cfh

HARRY M. PRINCE

ARCHITECT

MEMBER
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November 7, 1956

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Jury of Fellows, A.I.A., The Octagon, 1735 New York Avenue, Washington 6, D.C.

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Gentlemen:

I have recently learned that Mr. David H. Morgan, president of the Philadelphia Chapter, A.I.A., has been nominated for fellowship in the Institute for achievement in service to the Institute.

It was my very good fortune as chairman of the A.I.A. Committee on Housing Fees to have Mr. Morgan as a member of that committee. His untiring efforts, energy and vigor in pursuing the objectives of this committee with officials in Washington and elsewhere proved a tower of strength. To this can be added his unstinted giving of time again and again when called upon for meetings of the committee, and the indication that his efforts were solely in behalf of his fellow practitioners.

In addition, my personal contacts with Mr. Morgan proved to me repeatedly that he is a man of the most ethical convictions and one who holds his guide to be all those things for which the A.I.A. stands as a professional body.

I can join wholeheartedly with the members of his chapter in supporting his nomination and fully endorse their absolute conviction that Mr. Morgan merits this honor.

Very truly yours

Harry M. Pyince

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November 8, 1956

Jury of Fellows, A. I. A. The Octagon 1735 New York Avenue, N. W. Washington 6, D. C.

Ref: David H. Morgan

Gentlemen:

I understand that Mr. David H. Morgan has been nominated, and very properly so, for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute for "Achievement in Service to the Institute."

It has been my pleasure to work with and for Mr. Morgan in connection with our local Chapter and State elements of the A. I. A. This relationship developed prior to the time he became President of the Philadelphia Chapter and evolved into a more intimate one during his outstanding administration this past year.

During this period I served as Chairman or as a member of numerous Chapter committees and as a P. S. A. Director representing the Philadelphia Chapter. I mention this simply because I found that in relating and reporting my activities to Mr. Morgan that he had a tremendous appreciation and a well-developed interest in all aspects of activity in which the Chapter took part. He has always had that important characteristic of patience while listening to the problem and then the ability to apply constructive thinking to the problem.

Equally important he has demonstrated the important executive characteristic of selective delegation of authority and then respecting conclusions developed by these assistants.

Certainly he has demonstrated his very sincere interest in and active concern for the advancement of the profession in relation to all matters.

Dave Morgan in my opinion has brought to the Chapter, during his recent administration, more vision and more progress than I have

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observed for quite a few years in Philadelphia.

A letter of endorsement may often be suspect of casual or even polite exaggeration. I wish to emphasize that this most certainly is not the case with respect to my above statements which indicate my admiration for Mr. David H. Morgan, President of the Philadelphia Chapter, A. I. A.

Very truly yours,

William W. Eshbach

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cc: Grant M. Simon, Architect

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8 November 1956

ASSOCIATES:

VICTOR H. KUSCH, R.A. JOHN H. WELSH, R.A. CHARD F. WEBB, R.A.

Gentlemen:

This is in support of the nomination of David H. Morgan for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

I have known Mr. Morgan for the past 10 years and I know of no other member of the Philadelphia Chapter who has labored so ceaselessly in service to the Institute. He has devoted so much time to the office of President of the Philadelphia Chapter that I am sure his practice must have suffered as he was giving unselfishly of his service to the Institute.

I am honored to endorse his nomination.

Yours, very truly,

HERBERT H. SWINBURNE

HHS:H

Jury of Fellows, A.I.A., The Octagon, 1735 New York Avenue, N.W., Washington 6, D. C.

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JURY OF FELLOWS
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
1735 NEW YORK AVENUE, N. W.
WASHINGTON, D. C.

RE: DAVID H. MORGAN

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GENTLEMEN:

I VALUE THE PRIVILEGE GIVEN ME TO FORWARD TO YOU A WORD IN THE INTEREST OF SUPPORTING THE ACTION OF THE PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER IN ADVANCING FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION THE NAME OF DAVID H. MORGAN FOR FELLOWSHIP HONORS.

DAVE MORGAN IS AN OUTSTANDING EXEMPLAR OF THE GIFTED PROFESSIONAL WHO GIVES MUCH MORE THAN HIS SHARE OF HIMSELF TO THE ADVANCEMENT OF THE PROFESSION.

THE LIST OF "EXTRA-CURRICULAR" ACTIVITIES OUTSIDE OF THE NOMINEE'S REGULAR OBLIGATIONS MAKES MOST IMPRESSIVE READING AND IS SO EXTENSIVE AS TO MAKE ONE WONDER HOW HE EVER FINDS THE TIME TO ACCOMPLISH ALL THIS GOOD WORK.

DURING MY TERM AS REGIONAL DIRECTOR, I FOUND DAVE MORGAN, AS PRESIDENT OF THE PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER, A STRONG RIGHT ARM IN EVERY GOOD MOVE FOR THE PROFESSION. HE REPRESENTED ON THE REGIONAL COUNCIL THE LARGEST SINGLE ORGANIZATION AND WITHOUT HIS SYMPATHETIC AND ACTIVE ASSISTANCE MY EFFORTS WOULD HAVE GONE FOR NAUGHT.

MR. MORGAN'S RECORD OF BRILLIANT SERVICE IS KNOWN TO YOU, AND I WILL NOT REPEAT IT; BUT IT MORE THAN JUSTIFIES THE HONOR WHICH I KNOW WE WOULD ALL LIKE TO SEE ACCORDED HIM IN APPROVING HIS NOMINATION FOR FELLOWSHIP IN THE INSTITUTE.

RESPEGATULLY,

MARCELLUS WRIGHT, JR.

MWJR: PM

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November 9, 1956

Jury of Fellows
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 6, D. C.

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Gentlemen:

I have been given to understand by Mr. Grant Simon, Chairman of the Committee of Fellows of the Philadelphia Chapter, that they have recommended that David H. Morgan be advanced to Fellowship in the Institute.

When I was president of the Institute I had the opportunity of working with David Morgan and found him of enormous help. I think his record, which I know has been forwarded to you, indicates both the willingness and inspiration he has brought to Chapter affairs.

I think without question he should be advanced to Fellowship.

Very truly yours,

Raymon

Ralph Walker

DAVIS & DUNLAP

Architects

M. EDMUNDS DUNLAP, F. A. I. A. JOHN F. DUNLAP, A. I. A. ARCHITECTS BUILDING PHILADELPHIA 3, PA.

November 9, 1956

The Jury of Fellows,
The American Institute of Architects,
The Octagon,
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.,
Washington 6, D. C.

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Gentlemen:

I have been informed that Mr. David H. Morgan, a member of my Chapter - the Philadelphia Chapter - has been nominated for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute for "Achievement in Service to the Institute".

It has been my pleasure to have known Mr. Morgan intimately for many years, and I count it a privilege to be permitted to support his nomination for this well-earned and well-deserved honor.

Silnderelly yours,

M. EDMUNDS DUNLAP

ARCHITECT

9 November 1956

Jury of Fellows American Institute of Architects 1735 New York Avenue, N.W. Washington 6, D. C. och 11/19

Gentlemen:

I have been advised by the Philadelphia Chapter that David Morgan is being proposed for Fellowship.

I want to take this opportunity to commend him heartily to you for the outstanding job that he has done at the local, state and national levels for the Institute. Dave has given his time unselfishly on Committee work throughout the years and, in addition to being the retiring president of the Philadelphia Chapter, had the honor to have been a founder and past president of the Northeast Pennsylvania Chapter many years ago.

I think that the Institute is making a real contribution of recognition to a man who has worked so hard over so long a period of time.

Sincerely

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ROBERT RODES MGGOODWIN, FAIAARCHITECT

November 12,1956.

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PHILADELPHIA 3

Jury of Fellows, A.I.A., The Octagon 1735 New York Avenue, N.W., Washington 6, D.C. ach 11/19 19/2

Dear Sirs:

The Philadelphia Chapter A.I.A. has nominated David H. Morgan for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute, for "Achievement In Service To The Institute".

It is therefore my priviledge and great pleasure to support his nomination, and to recommend him highly to you, for this advancement.

His record of achievement in Service to the Institute has extended over a great number of years, and I am attaching a memorandum herewith for your files.

Thanking you in advance for your consideration, I am,

Sincerely Yours,

Robert Rodes McGoodwin

MEMORANDUM.

David H. Morgan, President of Philadelphia Chapter, A.I.A. 1955-1956.

Graduate, R.I.B.A., London, England 1907.

A.I.A. member 1922.

Organized and chartered Northeastern Pennsylvania Chapter, A.I.A. 1922.

Charter President of Northeastern Pennsylvania Chapter, 1922-1924.

Member, Pennsylvania State Board of Examiners of Architects, 1927-1940 Chairman, 1934-1940.

Member of National Panel of Arbitrators of American Arbitration Association, 1928 to present.

Member National A.I.A. Committee on Fees, 1948-1953. Member of Executive Committee of National A.I.A. Committee on Fees when Housing Fees Schedules were increased approximately 32% and accepted by the Public Housing Administration.

Member Philadelphia Chapter Committee on Codes and Zoning, 1948-1955. Chairman, 1948-1953. Committee instrumental in having Philadelphia Building Code rewrite

accepted as City Ordinance in 1949; Committee carefully studied Drafts of New Codes for State Department of Labor and Industry - made numerous recommendations and approved final rewrite for State Code - adopted 1955.

Second Vice President of Philadelphia Chapter, A.I.A., 1953-1954. First Vice President of Philadelphia Chapter, A.I.A., 1954-1955. President of Philadelphia Chapter, A.I.A. 1955-During incumbency as President, theattendance at Chapter meetings has increased from average of 50-55 per meeting to as nigh as 328. Last meeting of Chapter, attendance was 197. Instrumental in organizing comprehensive Public Relations Program for the Chapter, as well as a successful program of integration of the efforts and aspirations of the Philadelphia Chapter and the Pennsylvania (State) Society of Architects.

Public Services: Assistant Director of the Philadelphia City Planning Commission, 1934-1936. Number of the Citizens Technical Advisory Commission the Philadelphia City Planning Commission 1953. Number of the Philadelphia Citizens Council on City Planning, 1945 to the present time, served on Speakers Panel for two years.

HENRY F. LUDORF, A.I.A. ARCHITECT NINETY-THREE ELM STREET HARTFORD 14, CONNECTICUT

November 12, 1956

JURY OF FELLOWS, A.I.A. THE OCTAGON 1735 NEW YORK AVENUE, N.W. WASHINGTON 6, D. C.

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GENTLEMEN:

IT IS INDEED A PLEASURE FOR ME TO SUPPORT THE NOMINATION OF MR. DAVID H. MORGAN OF PHILADELPHIA FOR ADVANCEMENT TO FELLOWSHIP IN THE INSTITUTE.

I HAVE SERVED WITH MR. MORGAN ON THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE ON FEES AND ON ITS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AS WELL. HIS CONTRIBUTION WAS NOTABLE.

MR. MORGAN'S OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION TO THE INSTITUTE AND IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST IS WELL RECOGNIZED, AND I AM SURE WILL MERIT YOUR VALUED CONSIDERATION.

SINCEREZY YOURS

HFL: GML

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WARREN W. CHAPIN, M. E. CONSULTING ENGINEER

November 12, 1956

CHARLES HENRY CONRAD, JR., P. E. JOHN BUTLER CUMMINGS, A. I. A.

FLOYD K. HARPER CHIEF DRAFTSMAN

Jury of Fellows
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Gentlemen:

I have been informed that David H. Morgan, President of the Philadelphia Chapter, A.I.A., has been nominated for advancement to Fellowship in The Institute for "Achievement In Service To The Institute". I am happy to record my hearty approval of this nomination and my hope that he may be accorded this honor.

My acquaintance with Dave Morgan dates from 1948 at which time I was Vice Chairman of the A.I.A. Committee on Contract Documents. At the time when the Chairman was out of the country, it became necessary to confer with the officials of the Public Housing Administration in an effort to obtain more equitable fees for competent architectural service engaged by that administration. Dave Morgan was one of the small group of dedicated members of the A.I.A. Committee on Fees who collaborated most effectively with my committee in achieving a worthwhile result.

From that time on we have been in frequent contact. During the period in which I was Secretary of The Institute, his advice was frequently sought on matters in connection with arbitration practices, contracts, fees and professional relations. During my incumbency as President of The Institute, Dave Morgan energized the Philadelphia Chapter to a high degree of responsiveness to the national program and effectiveness in its local area. I remember with pleasure and gratitude the large turn out of his Chapter which greeted me on one of my Presidential visits. In a year of memorable collaboration between the national administration of The Institute and that of its components, the response and cooperation of the Philadelphia Chapter under Dave Morgan's Presidency were outstanding.

For the man's personal qualities and his effectiveness in service to The Institute, I believe him eminently qualified to receive the honor of advancement to Fellowship.

Very sincerely yours,

George Rain Cummings, F.A.I.A.

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JOSEPH B. TOWNSEND, JR., A. I. A.

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November 12, 1956

The Jury of Fellows, A.I.A. The Octagon 1735 New York Avenue, N. W. Washington 6, D. C.

Gentlemen:

SYDNEY E. MARTIN, F. A. I. A.

HARRY G. STEWART, A. I. A.

ROBERT W. NOBLE, A. I. A.

It is a distinct privilege and a great pleasure for me to write to you in connection with the nomination for advancement to Fellowship of David H. Morgan, President of the Philadelphia Chapter, A.I.A.

I have known Mr. Morgan since about 1937 and for the last few years have been in a position to call him a close friend.

Since Mr. Morgan's admittance to the A.I.A. he has been interested in the advancement of the Institute and the list of his activities surely marks him as a man of accomplishments.

I have served with Mr. Morgan as an officer of the Philadelphia Chapter since 1954 and can give assurance that his every thought has been for the betterment of the Institute through the channels of the work of our chapter.

I know of no individual in Philadelphia who has devoted the time and energy in behalf of the A.I.A. that Mr. Morgan has expended.

It gives me great pleasure to support the nomination of Mr. David H. Morgan for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

Sincerely

Harky G. Stewart

HGS:edb

L. VERNE LACY
THOMAS H. ATHERTON, F.A.I.A.
JOHN W. DAVIS, A.I.A., P.S.P.E.

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NEW YORK REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAM M. VARKER 439 MADISON AVENUE

November 12, 1956

Jury of Fellows, A.I.A.
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Washington 6, D.C.

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Gentlemen:

It must have been about 1908 that David H. Morgan and I worked in the same office here in Wilkes-Barre. I can remember we had a lot of fun in those days and that we kidded Mr. Morgan a great deal about spending two weeks on a drawing of a wrought iron grille over a front entrance door.

Mr. Morgan has always been full of enthusiasm which has not worn out during the years. He has come up the hard way and deserves great credit. His record of service to the Institute is certainly quite outstanding and it seems to me only proper that he should receive recognition through a Fellowship. I am happy to endorse him enthusiastically.

Very sincerely yours,

Thomas H. Atherton

THA:iab

cc: Mr. Grant M. Simon

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November 12, 1956

JURY OF FELLOWS, A. I. A. THE OCTAGON 1735 NEW YORK AVENUE WASHINGTON 6, D. C.

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GENTLEMEN:

It is my understanding that Mr. David H. Morgan has been nominated for advancement to Fellowship in The American Institute of Architects for "achievement in service to the Institute."

IT IS WITH GREAT PLEASURE AND SATISFACTION THAT I WRITE THIS LETTER TO THE JURY, AND HOPE THAT YOU WILL CONSIDER THIS PROMOTION FAVORABLY.

I KNOW OF NO OTHER MEMBER IN THE PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER WHO SO RICHLY DESERVES THIS AWARD.

MR. MORGAN HAS BEEN AN ACTIVE WORKER SINCE 1922, SERVING IN THE CAPACITY OF COMMITTEEMAN OR CHAIRMAN OF MANY COMMITTEES OF THE INSTITUTE. HE HAS THE REPUTATION OF BEING READY TO LEND A HELPING HAND AT ALL TIMES.

IN THE PAST EIGHTEEN MONTHS, HE HAS SERVED AS PRESIDENT OF THE PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER, DEVOTING MUCH MORE OF HIS TIME THAN COULD BE EXPECTED NORMALLY IN HELPING TO INCREASE MEMBERSHIP, ATTENDING MEETINGS, GIVING ADVICE, AND REORGANIZING THE CHAPTER AS A WHOLE. IN FACT, MANY ARCHITECTS AGREE THAT MR. MORGAN'S TERM AS PRESIDENT HAS BEEN THE MOST SUCCESSFUL IN THE HISTORY OF THE PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER.

IT IS MY EARNEST WISH THAT YOU FAVOR MR. MORGAN'S ADVANCE-MENT TO FELLOW MEMBER OF THE A. I. A.

SINCERELY YOURS

LYLE F. BOULWARE

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November 13, 1956

JURY OF FELLOWS, A. I. A. THE OCTAGON 1735 NEW YORKAVENUE, N. W. WASHINGTON 6, D. C.

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GENTLEMEN:

It is a pleasure to hear that David H. Morgan has been nominated for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

HAVE KNOWN MR. MORGAN A LONG TIME, AND HAVE WORKED WITH HIM ON CHAPTER AFFAIRS OVER THE PAST SIX YEARS. HE HAS BEEN MOST DILIGENT AND ENERGETIC IN HIS EFFORTS, ALSO IMPARTING THESE QUALITIES TO OTHERS WORK-ING WITH HIM.

! SINCERELY BELIEVE THE RECORD OF ACTIVITIES OF MR. MORGAN, ON INSTITUTE AFFAIRS AND RELATED PUBLIC SERVICES, SHOULD BE RECOGNIZED BY THE JURY OF FELLOWS, BY BESTOWING ON HIM THE HONOR HE WELL DESERVES.

SINCERELY YOURS

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The Jury of Fellows
American Institute of Architects
The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
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Gentlemen:

I have been informed that David H. Morgan of the Philadelphia Chapter has been nominated for Fellowship in the Institute.

My contact with Mr. Morgan dates back over many years and were formed through collaboration in Institute affairs. Through those contacts, I have been greatly impressed by his service over and beyond the call of duty, both to the Institute itself and to the public at large. I believe the list of his accomplishments in service to the Institute and in public service qualifies him beyond question for the honor of Fellowship.

Sincerely

Norman J. Schlossman, F.A. I.A.

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Jury of Fellows, A.I.A. The Octagon 1735 New York Avenue, N. W. Washington 6, D. C.

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Gentlemen:

Mr. Grant M. Simon, Chairman of Committee on Fellows of the Philadelphia Chapter, A.I.A., has advised me that you are now considering the advancement to Fellowship of David H. Morgan.

I have known Mr. Morgan for many years in both a personal and professional relationship and wish to state that I class him as the most honorable man I have ever known. His love and his devotion to the Institute has only been secondary to his love for his profession.

I certainly feel as must countless others in our Chapter that David H. Morgan well deserves this honor.

Sincerely,

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Aaron Colish, A.I.A. Philadelphia Chapter LAPIERRE, LITCHFIELD & PARTNERS
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November 16, 1956

Jury of Fellows American Institute of Architects The Octagon 1735 New York Avenue Washington 6, D. C. ach 11/20

Gentlemen:

I have just learned that the Philadelphia Chapter of the American Institute of Architects has nominated <u>David H. Morgan</u> for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute. I want to support this nomination, for the enthusiasm and hard work that Mr. Morgan has for and has given the Institute makes him more than worthy of this advancement.

I have known Mr. Morgan since the time I was appointed Chairman of the Institute Committee on Fees which, if my memory serves me correctly, was about 1948. There was no more enthusiastic and hard-working member of that Committee than he was. He served on that Committee with me until my resignation and I believe he continued serving after I was forced to resign due to professional commitments.

In addition to the above, I understand that Mr. Morgan has a long list of service to the Institute - nationally, state-wise and local, in his hometown of Philadelphia. He organized and was the first president of the Northeastern Pennsylvania Chapter, A.I.A., State of Pennsylvania. He was a member of the State Board of Examiners of Architects for Pennsylvania for 13 years and, during the last 6 years of that period, was Chairman of that Board. He is presently serving as a member of the National Panel of Arbitrators of the American Abitration Association, and has served that Association for the past 28 years.

His local Philadelphia Chapter and his City have been fortunate in receiving and utilizing his energetic and enthusiastic approach of all problems, when he was a member of the Philadelphia Chapter Committee on Codes and Zoning between the years 1948-1955; he served as Chairman of this Committee between the years of 1948-1953. He is also a member of the Committee instrumental in having the Philadelphia Building Code rewritten and accepted as City Ordinance in 1949. He is also a member of a Committee that studied and redrafted New Codes for the State Department of Labor and Industry.

In 1953 he was elected Vice President of the Philadelphia Chapter, A.I.A.; the next year was elected First Vice President, and is presently serving as President of that Chapter which, I understand, is having a terrific increase in attendance of their meetings. He was also Assistant Director of the Philadelphia City Planning Commission between the years of 1934-1936, and has been a member of the Citizens Technical Advisory Committee to the City Planning Commission and is now serving as a member of the Philadelphia Citizens Council on City Planning.

The above technical services that Mr. Morgan has given to his local, State and national bodies of the Institute, as well as the service he has given to his community, eminently places him in a high position for your serious consideration for advancement to Fellowship. I wish to highly recommend that action.

Yours very truly,

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Clarence B. Litchfield, A.I.A

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November 21, 1956

Jury of Fellows, A. I. A. The Octagon 1735 New York Avenue, N. W. Washington 6, D. C.

Gentlemen:

David H. Morgan has done more to bring color and spark to the Philadelphia Chapter of the American Institute of Architects than any President I have known. His enthusiastic devotion to the Institute has drawn together segments of the profession in Philadelphia which heretofore had not been aware of each other.

I can think of no Architect in the entire Philadelphia community who has done as much as David Morgan for the revival of active participation in A. I. A. matters by Institute members. He has attracted the most colorful people in the profession to our meetings in Philadelphia. He has spent a great deal of time pursuing the assignment of chapter responsibilities to competent people and has engendered a spirit of keen interest in professional matters which has been lacking in our community for many years. I would certainly recommend David Morgan most heartily for advancement to fellowship in the Institute.

Very truly yours,

Vincent G. Kling

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November 27, 1956

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Gentlemen:

I have learned from the Philadelphia Chapter A.I.A. that Mr. David H. Morgan has been nominated for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute for "achievement in service to the Institute".

In this connection I would like to state that
I have known Mr. Morgan for the past eight years and
have met him at various National and Regional Conventions
of the Institute, where I learned to greatly admire him
as a conscientious Architect and gentleman.

During my term as Chairman of the New Jersey Ethics Committee I had occasion to work with Mr. Morgan and became well acquainted with his untiring efforts in the interest of the profession.

I can think of no one better qualified for this honor than Mr. Morgan.

Sincerely yours,

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Jury of Fellows, A.I.A. The Octagon, 1735 New York Avenue, Washington 6, D. C.



1735 New York Avenue, N.W. Washington 6, D. C.

November 28, 1956

CONFIDENTIAL

Re: Dovid Morgan, A.T.A.

To:

Mr. Grant M. Simon, F.A.I.A. Philadelphia 3, Pennsylvania

An architect is advanced to Fellowship in recognition of exceptional ability or of exceptional service. The Jury of Fellows always tries to choose wisely and with discrimination, but it is limited in precise knowledge about the nominees.

To complete Nomination this form must be filled and returned before February 1st. Otherwise, no action will be taken at the forthcoming Jury meeting.

It is the opinion of the Jury of Fellows that a designer, however talented, should not be advanced to Fellowship if he possesses deficiencies of character which reflect discredit upon the profession; and that no architect, regardless of outstanding service, should be advanced if the buildings which he has designed are so notably inferior in architectural design as to reflect discredit upon the profession.

To help the Jury learn such aspects, which are not normally completely supplied through regular nomination procedure, fill in the lines below which in your opinion apply to havid Morgan, A.T.A. and return this sheet in the addressed envelope provided.

- 1. He has many friends who speak well of him but cannot vouch for his accomplishments.

 2. His character is beyond reproach.

 3. His ethics would be considered acceptable in business.

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- 4. I prefer not to comment upon his character.

Sincerely yours,

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1735 New York Avenue, N.W. Washington 6, D. C.

November 28, 1956

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Re: David Morgan, A.I.A.

To:

Mr. Livingston Smith, F.A.I.A. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

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To help the Jury learn such aspects, which are not normally completely supplied through regular nomination procedure, fill in the lines below which in your opinion apply to <u>David Morgan</u>, A.T.A. and return this sheet in the addressed envelope provided.

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3. His ethics would be considered acceptable in business. MA

Sincerely yours,

(Signature)



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November 78, 1956

CONFIDENTIAL

Re: David H. Morgan, A.I.A.

To:

Mr. Curtis M. Lovelace, B.A.I.A. Betbleben, Pennsylvania

An architect is advanced to Fellowship in recognition of exceptional ability or of exceptional service. The Jury of Fellows always tries to choose wisely and with discrimination, but it is limited in precise knowledge about the nominees.

To complete Nomination this form must be filled and returned <u>before</u>
February 1st. Otherwise, no action will be taken at the forthcoming
Jury meeting.

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- He has many friends who speak well of him but cannot vouch for his accomplishments. Designs have been superior.
- 2. His character is beyond reproach. Very much so.
- 3. His ethics would be considered acceptable in business. Definitely.
- 4. I prefer not to comment upon his character. Excellent character. Sincerely yours,

Cutis M. Lovelace (Signature)



1735 New York Avenue, N.W. Washington 6, D. C.

November 28, 1956

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| To: Mr. Roy F. Larson, F.A.I.A. Architects Bldg., Philadelphia 3, Pennsylvania |
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| 1. He has many friends who speak well of him but cannot vouch for his accomplishments. |
| 2. His character is beyond reproach. |
| 3. His ethics would be considered acceptable in business. |
| 4. I prefer not to comment upon his character. |
| Sincerely yours, |



1735 New York Avenue, N.W. Washington 6, D. C.

November 28, 1956

CONFIDENTIAL

Re: David H. Morgan, A.I.A.

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Mr. George S. Koyl, F.A.I.A. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

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To help the Jury learn such aspects, which are not normally completely supplied through regular nomination procedure, fill in the lines below which in your opinion apply to ______ David H. Morgan, A.I.A. and return this sheet in the addressed envelope provided.

- He has many friends who speak well of him but cannot vouch for his accomplishments. The lieve this to be true.
- 2. His character is beyond reproach. Unquestionably so.,
- 3. His ethics would be considered acceptable in business. Yes.
- 4. I prefer not to comment upon his character. Exceloent character.

Sincerely yours,

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30 November 1956

Jury of Fellows American Institute of Architects The Octagon 1735 New York Avenue, N.W. Washington 6. D.C.

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Gentlemen:

I have been informed by Mr. Grant M. Simon, Chairman, Committee of Fellows, Philadelphia Chapter AIA that Mr. David H. Morgan has been nominated for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

During the last ten years, a period when I have been on Chapter Committees, officer of the Chapter, and member of the Board of Directors, the writer has had considerable opportunity to observe Mr. Morgan's activities in the many positions which he held in the Chapter.

It is my personal opinion that Mr. Morgan has done an outstanding service for the American Institute of Architects, unstinting of his time at considerable personal sacrifice. During the period of his presidency he completely reorganized the Chapter activities with a corresponding increase in attendance and interest by the membership.

I, therefore, wish to support Mr. Morgan's nomination for Fellowship with my heartiest endorsement.

Very truly yours,

Charles F. Ward, Jr.

CFW:d

cc: Mr. Grant Simon

December 1 1956

Jury of Fellows
American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue N.W.
Washington

Re: David H. Mergan

Gentlemen:

The detailed recitation of David Morgan's accomplishments will come to you from other sources; it needs no repitition from me.

However, I do wish to repeat, and to reinforce, what many others will say in one way or another.

This architect has given of himself unstintingly and in great measure to the service of the profession, the public and the Institute. He has given these services with great energy, with intelligence and astuteness, and with good spirit. For this a man should be honored.

Sincerely yours,

Norman N. Rice

HOWELL LEWIS SHAY F.A.I.A. AND ASSOCIATES. Architects and Engineers.

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December 5, 1956

Jury of Fellows American Institute of Architects The Octagon 1735 New York Avenue, N. W. Washington 6, D. C.

Gentlemen:

I have been informed by Grant M. Simon, Chairman of Committee for Fellows, Philadelphia Chapter, A.I.A. that David H. Morgan has been nominated for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute for "Achievement in Service to the Institute".

I have known Dave Morgan for many years and of his service on innumerable important committees in the work of the Institute. He has undertaken more than his share of these important assignments and has played a leading role in such committees as the National A.I.A. Committee on Fees, 1948-53, in securing an increase of approximately 32% over the original fees proposed by the Public Housing Administration.

As Chairman of the Philadelphia Chapter Committee on Codes and Zoning, 1948-53, he succeeded in having the Philadelphia Building Code rewrite accepted as City Ordinance.

During his recent tenure of office as President of the Philadelphia Chapter he was instrumental in organizing a comprehensive Public Relations Program.

He also served effectively as Assistant Director of the Philadelphia City Planning Commission and as a member of the Citizens Technical Advisory Committee

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to the Philadelphia City Planning Commission.

Through his long years of diligent service to the Philadelphia Chapter, the Pennsylvania Society of Architects and the A.I.A., I feel that he has more than earned advancement to Fellowship and therefore I most heartily endorse his nomination.

Very truly yours,

Howell Lewis Shay, F.A.I.A.

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C. JONES BUEHLER, A·I·A

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ONE WEST MAIN STREET, MOORESTOWN N.J. · MOORESTOWN · 9-2607

December 14, 1956

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Gentlemen:

It gives me the deepest pleasure to recommend to you for promotion to Fellowship in the American Institute of Architects, Mr. David H. Morgan, A.I.A., whom I have been privileged to know for the past twenty years.

In so doing, I am fully aware that this high honor should be bestowed only upon those whose achievements in architecture, or whose service to the Institute is so outstanding that they command the utmost of respect and admiration of the entire profession.

I can think of no one more justly entitled to this honor than Mr. Morgan, whose untiring efforts; generous contribution of time and personal expense; and more recently, his sage and capable direction and guidance as President of the Philadelphia Chapter, have so greatly benefited us all; individually, and at both Chapter and national levels.

A very brief resume of his efforts are listed for your consideration:

1922-24: Organized and served as Chartered President of the North-eastern Pennsylvania Chapter A.I.A.

1927-40: Served as member of Pennsylvania State Board of Examiners

1934-36: Assistant Director Philadelphia City Planning Commission

1948-53: Member National A.I.A. Committee on Fees

1946-55: Member Philadelphia Chapter Committee of Codes and Zoning

1946-Pres: Member Philadelphia Citizens Council on City Planning
1953 : Member Citizens Technical Adv. Committee to City Planning

1953 : Member Citizens Technical Adv. Committee to City Planning Commission.

1953-54: Second Vice President Philadelphia Chapter A.I.A.

1954-55: First Vice President Philadelphia Chapter A.I.A.

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This listing can only give the slightest indication of the tremendous force that Mr. Morgan has been to the furtherance of the profession and especially to the Institute, and in no wise, is intended to overlook his architectural ability, and the high professional plane on which he performs his services.

In view of the above, I wholeheartedly endorse Mr. David H. Morgan, of Philadelphia, and trust his nomination will be rewarded with the bestowal of fellowship and warm approval of your honorable jury.

Respectfully yours,

C. Jones Buehler, A.I.A.

CJB: hs

The Jury of Fellows, A.I.A. The Octagon 1735 New York Avenue, N.W. Washington 6, D. C.

December 26, 1956

Jury of Fellows
American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Gentlemen:

It is a pleasure to endorse the candidacy of David H. Morgan for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute for "Achievement in Service to the Institute".

There have been few men who through the years have more freely and consistently given of themselves to matters relating to the practice of architecture and his record speaks eloquently in its own behalf. I have observed his method of approach to problems requiring State or Institute action and it has always seemed to me that he was guided solely in the interests of his associates irrespective of the time and effort required.

Mr. Morgan is an intense and dedicated member of the Institute and one who would honor the concept of the fellowship no less than he has honored the concept of the Institute by his devotion to it.

Sincerely yours, Charles County

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27 DECEMBER, 1956

JURY OF FELLOWS, A.I.A. THE OCTAGON 1735 NEW YORK AVENUE, N.W. WASHINGTON 6, D.C.

GENTLEMEN:

I UNDERSTAND THAT MR. DAVID H. MORGAN, PRESIDENT OF THE PHILA-DELPHIA CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS. HAS BEEN NOMINATED BY THE PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION FOR ADVANCEMENT TO FELLOWSHIP IN THE INSTITUTE.

MR. MORGAN HAS BEEN PRESIDENT OF OUR PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER FOR THE PAST 18 MONTHS AND I KNOW OF NO ONE WHO IS BETTER QUALIFIED TO RECEIVE THE HONOR OF A FELLOWSHIP. HE HAS GIVEN ENDLESSLY OF HIS TIME AND EFFORTS TO THE DUTIES OF HIS PRESIDENCY AS WELL AS TO THE MANY CHAPTER ACTIVITIES IN WHICH HE PARTICIPATED PRIOR TO THE ACCEPTANCE OF HIS PRESENT OFFICE. THE INCREASED ATTENDANCE AT MEETINGS AND THE ENTHUSIASM IN THE CHAPTER DURING THE LAST 18 MONTHS SPEAK WELL FOR HIS LEADERSHIP. I RESPECT HIS ABILITY, HIS DEVOTION TO SERVICE TO THE CHAPTER, AND THE FRIENDSHIP HE HAS EXTENDED TO EACH ONE OF HIS FELLOW MEMBERS.

I AM EXTREMELY PROUD TO SUPPORT THE NOMINATION OF MR. MORGAN FOR ADVANCEMENT TO FELLOWSHIP IN THE INSTITUTE.

SINCERELY,

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MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

27 December 1956

Jury of Fellows, A.I.A. The Octagon 1735 New York Avenue, N.W. Washington 6, D.C.

Gentlemen:

The nomination of David H. Morgan for advancement to Fellowship in the American Institute of Architects has my whole-hearted endorsement.

I have known Dave Morgan since 1932, having met him as a member of the Pennsylvania State Board of Examiners of Architects when I was examined for my architectural registration. He gave me a rather hard time but I appreciated, even then, the sincerity of his interest in high standards for the architectural profession.

In the Philadelphia Chapter his consistent good work in chapter affairs is well known and the effectiveness of his efforts in connection with public housing has made many of us indebted to him. I could not think better of another Welshman. Certainly he has given most liberally of his capabilities, time and effort to Institute and public matters and in my estimation well deserves advancement to Fellowship for achievement in service to the Institute.

Sincerely yours,

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December 31, 1956

The Jury of Fellows
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Re: Nomination of David H. Morgan, A. I. A.

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Gentlemen:

I endorse the nomination of David H. Morgan, A. I. A., for Fellowship based on Achievement in Service to the Institute.

I worked with Mr. Morgan on the A. I. A. Committee on Fees between 1948 and 1953. This committee's work and efforts were of invaluable importance to the profession in maintaining an equitable fee schedule against the ruthless pressure of P. N. A. officials to cut it to insignificance.

Dave Morgan was a leader in this work. He headed a sub-committee of eastern architects who could meet easily and efficiently. He collected and assimilated a great quantity of facts on architectural costs and used these facts in able and competent negotiation with the government officials. I am sure he spent a great deal of his time and money in behalf of this cause.

Although I am not acquainted with Mr. Morgan's activity in the Philadelphia area, I would have to assume it is tremenduous from my observation of his energy and enterprise during the period I have mentioned.

I wholeheartedly recommend his advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

Very truly yours,

Herbert M. Tatum, F. A. I. A.

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Re: Mr. David H. Morgan, A.I.A.,

January 16, 1957

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

Gentlemen:

I am informed that the Committee on Fellows of the Philadelphia Chapter, A.I.A., has nominated David H. Morgan for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute for Achievement in Service to the Institute.

I have known Mr. Morgan for a long time, and his record of Service to the Institute has been most noteworthy. He has been a member of the Institute since 1922; being a Chapter President of Northeastern Pennsylvania Chapter from 1922-24. He has been a member, and Chairmanned the Pennsylvania State Board of Examiners of Architects. He has served on the Committee instrumental in having Philadelphia Building Code re-write accepted as City Ordinance in 1949; numorous recommendations in the Drafts of new Codes for State Department of Labor and Industry were approved for State Law. He has served as Second Vice President, First Vice President, and finally President of the Philadelphia Chapter, A.I.A., in 1955, during which time attendance at Chapter meetings has increased from an average of 50-55 per meeting to as high as 328. Mr. Morgan was instrumental in organizing comprehensive Public Relations Program for the Chapter.

He has served his Public in Philadelphia as Assistant Director of the Philadelphia City Planning Commission in various important capacities.

I worked with Mr. Morgan on the Institute's National Committee on Fees during 1948, 1949, and 1950. He was an excellent member of that Committee, affording most serious consideration and thought

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January 16, 1957

The Jury of Fellows

Re: David H. Morgan, A.I.A.,

to all the problems concerning the work of that Committee. His ideas and experience were most helpful during my term on the Fees Committee.

Mr. Morgan's constant adherance to the Mandatory Rules and the Professional Ethics of the Architect were always a source of inspiration to me, during my close associationship with him on the Fees Committee.

Because of his hard work, collaborating with his fellow-Architects, in the solution of problems besetting our profession, and his interest in the Institute, by furthering its aims and accomplishments, I am pleased to recommend Mr. David H. Morgan, A.I.A., for recommendation to Fellowship in the American Institute of Architects for Achievement in Service to the Institute.

Sincerely yours,

John N. Richards, F.A.I.A.

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