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Granted November 15, 1952.



MEMBERSHIP NO 8853

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In due order
October 15, 1952
J.H. Gerow

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

RECORD OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INSTITUTE

- A Name of applicant Caesar Leo DeSina Chapter New Jersey
- B Address of applicant 214 65th Street, West New York, N. J.
- C Applicant proposed by St. John Setti and L. E. Fellgraf
- D Application received with check for \$ 15.00 on Aug. 11 1952.
- E Application returned for correction 19 .
- F Application in due order on October 15, 19 52
Record of registration, Form S39, Sent NJ Aug. 22 1952. Received August 28, 19 52.
- G Notices sent to chapter executive committee:
 - (a) Form S11, reasonable time ending on September 22 1952, on August 22 11 1952.
 - (b) Form S12, 30-day extension ending on October 22, 19 52, on September 19 52
- H Acknowledgments to applicant, ~~proposers,~~ and chapter on August 22 1952.
- I Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission ~~was that application be denied~~ received on October 15, 19 52
- J No report from chapter executive committee on 19 .
- K Application sent to The Board of Examiners on October 21, 19 52.
- L The Board of Examiners reported on application on October 21, 19 52.
- M Applicant was admitted on November 15, 19 52.
- N Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter ~~and letter~~ to proposers on November 15, 19 52.
- O Notice of denial of application to chapter and applicant and \$ 19 .
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

Caesar Leo DeSina

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

Date November 15, 19 52

Caesar Leo DeSina
Secretary

(a)

n. 9 aug. 22



INSTRUCTIONS

Type in all information carefully and sign with ink.
Mail this original and check for \$15.00 to The Secretary, The American Institute of Architects, 1741 New York Avenue, N. W., Washington 6, D. C.
File the duplicate, on yellow paper, with the secretary of the local Chapter of The Institute.

The American Institute of Architects

APPLICATION FOR CORPORATE MEMBERSHIP

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

1. My full name is **Caesar Leo DeSina**
2. I am a **natural** citizen of the United States.
State whether a natural or a naturalized citizen.
3. My legal residence is in the City of **West New York**
County of **Hudson** State of **New Jersey**
4. My address in The Institute records will be
Number 214 Street 65th Street
City West New York Zone State N. J. (Office Address)
State whether residence or office address.
5. I am engaged in the profession of architecture as **a practicing architect.**
State whether a practicing architect, teacher, a public official, etc.
6. I desire to be a member of the **New Jersey** Chapter.
7. I declare that I will comply with the By-laws; and the Standards of Professional Practice of The American Institute of Architects, which are attached hereto; and the Rules and Regulations supplementary thereto; and that I understand the duties, responsibilities, and obligations of a member of The Institute; and that I have read and understand all the information contained in this form and its attachments.
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 component organizations.
9. I enclose my check for \$15.00, for admission fee and the first year's annual dues, of which \$1.00 is for a year's subscription to the *Bulletin of The American Institute of Architects*. It is my understanding that if I am not admitted to membership \$10.00 will be returned to me, and \$5.00 retained by The Institute as an examination fee.

Date 19

Caesar L. DeSina
Applicant sign full name in ink

PAID
\$15.00 8/12/52

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STATISTICS

10. Date of birth July 3, 1912 Place of birth Union City, New Jersey

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

New Jersey

(b) I passed the State Board Examination in the following-named states:

New Jersey
California, (Temporary Certificate, 1945)

(c) I hold Certificate No. of the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards,
for having passed their Standard Examination.

(Application currently filed)

EDUCATION

12.(a) I attended high schools, private schools, colleges, universities, as follows:

<i>Name of School, College, University</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>No. of Years</i>	<i>Year of Graduation</i>	<i>Degree</i>
Memorial High School	West New York N.J.	4	1930	
Columbia Univ. School of Architecture	New York	5	1935	Undergrad.

(b) I have held the following-named scholarships or other honor awards, and have traveled in
the following-named countries:

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

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

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>
St. John Setti, Union City, N.J.	1930-	1932
N.Y. Housing Authority, N.Y.C.	33-	34
Geigy Co., Inc., Bayonne, N.J.	Jan 35-	Jun 35
W. H. Gumpert, N.Y.C., N.Y.	Jun 35	Dec 35
Paul P. Cayot, West New York, N.J.	May 36	Oct 36

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

14. I list below, in chronological order, the periods during which and the states in which I have practiced architecture as an individual or as a member of a firm or corporation or 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).

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>
Private practice & free lance, N. J.	Jan '36	Dec '39
Designer with D. Stewart, Vancouver, Wa., and P. Belluschi, Portland, Ore.	Jan '40	Jun '42
Instructor-Univ. of S. Calif. In-plant Trg	Jul '42	Apr '45 (Eng'r. subjects)
Private Practice-Los Angeles, Calif.	May '45	Jan '46 (Temp. Certif.)
Private Practice & free lance, N. J.	Feb '46	Jul '52

BUSINESS AFFILIATIONS

15. I list below other business in which I participate or own an interest, and the extent of such participation or interest.

PRESENT OR PREVIOUS MEMBERSHIPS IN ARCHITECTURAL ORGANIZATIONS

- 16. Member of Institute from _____ to _____
- 17. Junior of Institute from _____ to _____
- 18. Associate of _____ Chapter from _____ to _____
- 19. Junior Associate of _____ Chapter from _____ to _____
- 20. Student Associate of _____ Chapter from _____ to _____
- 21. Member of State Organization in _____ from _____ in _____ to _____

ENDORSEMENT BY PROPOSERS

(The two proposers must be corporate members of The Institute in good standing.)

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I have read the statements made hereinabove by the applicant and believe them to be correct. I vouch for his honorable standing in this community and in his profession, and 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 _____ years.

Signed Dr. John Delle
Proposer

Signed J. Willgroff
Proposer

628-8 1/2 Street, Union City, New Jersey.
Address

Ridgefield Park, N.J.
Address



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

RECORD OF REGISTRATION

OF

Caesar Leo DeSina, West New York, N. J.
(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS,
Newark, New Jersey
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 August 22 19 52.

Earl C. Wick
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?.....
3. What was the scope of the examination? written examination
4. What was the period of the examination? 4 days. Written examination 36 hours; Oral examination 1/2 hours.
5. When examined, did applicant have a certificate from the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards? No. If so, give Certificate No.
6. Date of first registration July 10, 19 35. Registration No. C-2112. Is it current? Yes.

Class. J. Ackerman
(Signature of Secretary of Board)

Date Aug. 27, 19 52

New Jersey State Board of Architects
(Name of Board)

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TELEPHONE MARKET 3-4477

ARTHUR B. HOLMES, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

September 9, 1952

Miss Florence H. Gervais,
Secretary to The Board of Examiners
The American Institute of Architects
1741 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Dear Miss Gervais:

Our Chapter Membership Committee met yesterday to consider applications for corporate membership in The Institute, but did not feel justified in acting on Caesar L. DeSina inasmuch as they had insufficient letters from sponsors and privileged communications from members to guide them. They consequently instructed me to write you requesting a month's extension of time for Chapter recommendation on this application. I believe the present deadline for Chapter action on Mr. DeSina is September 22nd. I hope we may have the courtesy of this extension.

We have received no indication that the Board of Admissions is considering the application of Frank A. Amodio, who received the favorable recommendation of the New Jersey Chapter on May 8th. I would appreciate it if you would tell me what is being done about Mr. Amodio's application.

With personal regards.

Sincerely yours,

Arthur B. Holmes
Executive Director

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By Edison
as of
9.13.52
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ARTHUR B. HOLMES, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

October 14, 1952

Board of Admissions
The American Institute of Architects
1741 New York Avenue
Washington 6, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is notice of favorable recommendation from the Executive Committee of the New Jersey Chapter, on the application of Caesar Leo DeSina, for corporate membership in The Institute.

Sincerely yours,

Arthur B. Holmes
Executive Director

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enclosure

AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
NEW YORK

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WASHINGTON D.C.

November 15, 1952

Dear Sir:

I am pleased 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 as indicated below.

You will be a member of the listed organizations, unless you later transfer therefrom, 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 my office is at your service to the extent of its powers.

The Policies of The Institute are developed largely from activities within the chapters and State organizations. By taking an active part in their affairs, you will contribute to the advancement of the objects of The Institute and will increase the benefits to be derived from Institute membership.

I bespeak your active cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Mr. Caesar Leo DeSina, A.I.A.
214 65th Street
West New York, New Jersey

Secretary

ASSIGNMENTS:

Chapter: **New Jersey**
State Organization:

Effective Date: **November 15, 1952**

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Enclosures: