

Cullimore, Clarence
Southern California Application for Membership

No copy.

December 3, 1926

To the Secretary of the American Institute of Architects,
The Octagon House, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby apply for Membership in the American Institute of Architects.

I hereby certify that the following statements are correct:

Name Clarence Cullimore

Address 10 Oleander Ave., Bakersfield, California
(Number and Street) (City.) State.)

Place and date of birth Jacksonville, Illinois, 1886

Graduate in architecture University of California, 1910
[If required in your case, give name of institutions and year.—Attach evidence of Diploma or Certificate of graduation.]

Holder of Scholarship in architecture _____
[If required in your case, attach evidence.]

Passed the qualifying examinations of the Royal Institute of British Architects, or the examinations for the first class of the Ecolè des Beaux Arts _____
[If required in your case, state which, and attach evidence of Certificate.]

If an Associate of a Chapter of the Institute, give name of chapter _____

If practicing architect, firm name Clarence Cullimore, Architect

Have been in practice _____ years Eleven months

If draughtsman, employed by _____
[State number of years.]

Collegiate and office training Five years at University of California

I have carefully examined the Constitution and By-Laws of the Institute and the "Circular of Advice Relative to Principles of Professional Practice and Canons of Ethics," and I agree, if elected, honorably to maintain them.

I further agree, if elected to membership in the American Institute of Architects, that if at any time my membership shall cease, either by my own resignation or by any action taken by the Institute, I will then, by that fact, relinquish all rights of any character that I may have acquired by reason of such membership in the property, real or personal, of the American Institute of Architects, and of the Chapter of the Institute of which I am then a member.

(1) Clarence Cullimore
[Signature of Applicant.]

I hereby certify that the signer of this application was duly elected an Associate of the Southern California
[For use when the applicant is an Associate.]

Chapter, A. I. A., on the following date Aug 29 1927 (2) Edgar H. Cline
[Insert date of election to chapter.] [Signature of the Secretary of the chapter.]

If the applicant is not an Associate, the following acknowledgment must be signed:

Without endorsement I hereby take note on behalf of my chapter that this applicant is applying for Institute membership (3) Edgar H. Cline
[Signature of President or Secretary of Chapter to which the applicant will be assigned if elected]

We, the undersigned members of the American Institute of Architects, have carefully examined the foregoing statement by the applicant and believe it to be correct. We know the applicant personally, and consider that his work and practice warrant his admission to Membership.

- (4) Dr. W. L. Clark
- (5) Charles H. Figgan
- (6) [Signature]

Registration or License Number.
(Essential)

It is mandatory that applicants from Registration or License law states be registered or licensed. The current number of Registration or License must appear here.

(7) B. 1453
NUMBER

[The signatures of three Institute members are here required even if the applicant has the unanimous endorsement of his Chapter, in which case certification to that effect should be made above by the Secretary. Unanimous endorsement is that endorsement in which each Institute member of the Chapter had an opportunity to express himself by letter ballot either for or against the member proposed, and in which there were no negative votes. No other form of unanimous endorsement will be accepted.]

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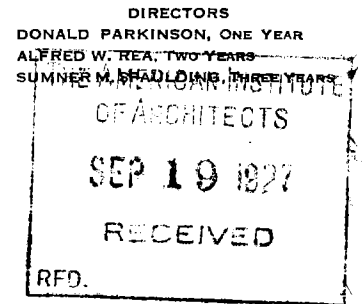
*Check with the
State for endorsement
over to the Inst. #*

DAVID J. WITMER, PRESIDENT
C. E. NOERENBERG, VICE-PRESIDENT
EDGAR H. CLINE, SECRETARY
W. L. RISLEY, TREASURER



SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
632 PETROLEUM SECURITIES BUILDING
LOS ANGELES, CAL.



September 2, 1927

Mr. E. C. Kemper, Executive Secretary,
American Institute of Architects,
The Octagon House,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find application from Mr. Clarence Cullimore, for Institute Membership in the American Institute of Architects, together with his check for \$5.00.

Mr. Cullimore's name was submitted to the members of the Southern California Chapter for unanimous endorsement, and copies of the following documents in connection therewith are enclosed:

- (a) Copy of Resolution adopted by the Executive Committee under date of June 27, 1927, authorizing thirty day letter ballot for unanimous endorsement.
- (b) Copy of Resolution adopted by the Executive Committee under date of August 29, 1927, declaring result of letter ballot.
- (c) Copy of letter ballot.
- (d) Application Form - (Document No. 136).

Yours very truly

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER
AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

Edgar H. Cline
Secretary

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

RESOLUTION OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

AUTHORIZING LETTER BALLOT
(Institute Member).

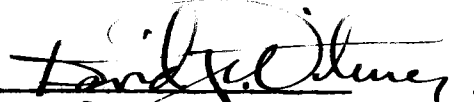
WHEREAS: Mr. Clarence Cullimore, 10 Oleander Avenue, Bakersfield, California, having regularly applied for membership in the American Institute of Architects, and

WHEREAS: It is the sense of the Executive Committee of the Southern California Chapter that said applicant is entitled to unanimous endorsement of the Chapter as provided in the rules of the American Institute of Architects regarding election of members, therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the Executive Committee of the Chapter under authority given by Section 3 of Article IV of the by-laws of the Chapter does hereby authorize the Secretary to send to each member of the Chapter a letter ballot returnable on or before August 24, 1927.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

BY


President

BY


Secretary

Dated: June 27, 1927

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

TO EACH MEMBER:

The Executive Committee of the Chapter, acting under the rules of the American Institute of Architects and the authority vested in them by the By-Laws of the Chapter, recommend the "unanimous endorsement" of the following applications for Institute membership, and request that you vote thereon.

To vote, place a cross in the "yes" or "no" column opposite the name of the candidate. Put the ballot in the plain envelope furnished. Write your name on the envelope, seal it and place in your own envelope and send it to the Secretary of the Chapter.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER,
The American Institute of Architects
EDGAR H. CLINE, Secretary.

No exhibits of executed work are required in any case when the applicant has the unanimous endorsement of this Chapter. Unanimous endorsement is that endorsement in which each Institute member of the Chapter has had an opportunity to express himself by letter ballot, either for or against the member proposed, and upon such ballot no negative votes are received. **BALLOTS** must be returned to the Secretary on or before **August 24, 1927**.

LETTER BALLOT

"Unanimous Endorsement" of the Candidates for Institute Membership

BENNETT, JOHN CYRIL	YES.....	NO.....
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600 Security Building, Pasadena, California.
Born: Hereford, England, June 21, 1890.
Office Training: 13 years; practicing since February 14, 1914, firm name, Haskell and Bennett.

CULLIMORE, CLARENCE	YES.....	NO.....
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10 Oleander Avenue, Bakersfield, California.
Born: Jacksonville, Illinois, 1885.
Education: Graduate in Architecture University of California, 1910.
Office Training: 5 years at University of California, practicing 11 months.

STEVENSON, F. W.	YES.....	NO.....
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645 Spreckels Building, San Diego, California.
Born: Akron, Indiana, July 15, 1892.
Education: Three years credits University of Michigan.
Office Training: Eight years in practice.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

RESOLUTION OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

DECLARING RESULT OF LETTER BALLOT
(Unanimous Endorsement).

WHEREAS: Mr. Clarence Cullimore, 10 Oleander Avenue, Bakersfield, California, having regularly applied for membership in the American Institute of Architects, and the Executive Committee under authority of Section 3 of Article IV of the by-laws of the Chapter having by resolution authorized a letter ballot on such application for members of the Chapter, and

WHEREAS: The ballots cast have been duly canvassed this day by the Executive Committee, the results of which are as follows:

Number of votes cast	55
Number of votes favorable	54
Number of votes unfavorable	1

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That this Executive Committee does hereby authorize the Secretary of the Chapter to file the application, together with a copy of this resolution, copy of resolution of this Committee authorizing the letter ballot, and a copy of the letter ballot with the Secretary of the American Institute of Architects.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

BY *Landy J. Jones*
President

BY *L. H. Cain*
Secretary

Dated: August 29, 1927

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

COPY

December 12, 1927.

Dear Mr. Cullimore:

Acting for the Secretary I am pleased to advise you of your election to Membership in The American Institute of Architects, effective December 12, 1927.

You have been assigned to the Southern California Chapter as an Institute member in good standing therein, and the Secretary of the Chapter has been so notified.

May I take this opportunity to say that the Office of the Secretary at The Octagon is for the service of every Institute Member. Should the occasion arise we shall be glad to give you our best co-operation.

Cordially yours,

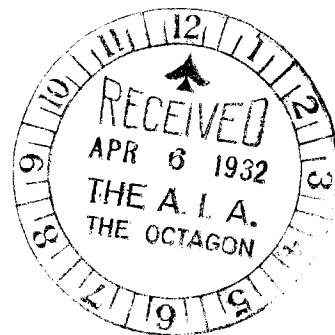
Executive Secretary.

Mr. Clarence Cullimore,
10 Oleander Avenue,
Bakersfield, Calif.

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CLARENCE CULLIMORE
ARCHITECT
BAKERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA

10 OLEANDER AVENUE



April 1, 1932

American Institute of Architects
Octagan House
Washington D. C.

Gentlemen:

I find it impossible for me to keep up my membership in the Southern California Chapter of the American Institute of Architects. However, I shall make strenuous efforts, in spite of financial conditions to retain my membership in the National Organization-- American Institute of Architects. You have, I believe, my membership dues for 1932, or are they still to be paid?

For the past five years, due to my geographical location I have found it impossible to give or receive any benefit from the Southern California Chapter, and I trust that my severing my affiliation with them will not affect my membership in our National Organization of the American Institute, for I certainly would like to retain this affiliation, but can not retain both.

Very truly yours,

Clarence Cullimore-Architect

CC:IH

owes \$25.00 for 1932 dues

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

COPY

April 7, 1932

Dear Mr. Cullimore:

This will acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 1st, with regard to your membership in the Institute and the Southern California Chapter.

Under the By-laws of the Institute each member must maintain his Chapter membership, as well as his national membership, and he cannot continue the one without the other.

We are indeed sorry that your financial condition is such that you feel you must curtail your obligations in this respect.

The Institute is greatly concerned at the prospective loss of good members who have encountered financial difficulties. It has been carrying those members for at least two years, and inasmuch as your dues are paid to December 31, 1931, the sincere hope is expressed that you will allow your membership to continue during 1932, both in the Institute and the Chapter. By that time things may be much brighter.

In this crisis, the Institute, as the national society of the architectural profession, and the local Chapter, as its embodiment in the community, greatly need the moral support of the leading members of the profession - as such support is evidenced by their interest and membership.

We hope you will let us hear further from you, and that you will decide to continue your affiliation with and support of the Institute and the Southern California Chapter.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Clarence Cullimore,
10 Oleander Avenue,
Bakersfield, California.

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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October 7, 1932

Dear Mr. Cullimore:

Last April you wrote to this office with regard to your status as a member of the Institute and the Southern California Chapter.

At that time we expressed the hope that you would allow your membership to continue at least until the end of 1932, in the hope that there would be a marked improvement in your financial condition and prospects by that time.

We have heard nothing further from you, and we are presuming that you wish to continue your affiliation with the A.I.A. and your Chapter.

Accordingly, we are making arrangements to carry your membership into 1933 without impairment, and since we have not heard from you to the contrary, we are encouraged to hope that this action will have your approval.

There will be a meeting of the Executive Committee shortly after November 1st, in Washington, and if we do not hear from you by that time we will assume that this course of action has your approval.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Clarence Cullimore,
10 Oleander Avenue,
Bakersfield, California.

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Copy to the Secretary, Southern California Chapter.

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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September 18, 1935

Dear Mr. Cullimore:

You are a member of the Institute in good standing and assigned to the Southern California Chapter.

Under the By-laws of the Institute each member must maintain his Chapter membership as well as his national membership.

We are advised by the Chapter that you are indebted for Chapter dues from January, 1932, to date. The Chapter does not want to lose your membership, but it feels in fairness to the other members that the account should be adjusted or that the affiliation should be terminated.

The Institute Executive Committee feels that it must support the Chapter in a matter of this kind, and on the other hand, it never terminates a membership for financial reasons except as a last resort.

We therefore write to call the situation to your attention, in the thought that the Chapter indebtedness may be overlooked, and to ask that you make a remittance for Chapter dues to the Secretary of the Chapter, Mr. Eugene Weston, Jr., in the Architects Building, Los Angeles, California.

Please take this action before November 15th, because the Institute's Board of Directors will meet during the first week of December, at which time this matter will be acted upon. We hope to have, before then, a letter from you or from Mr. Weston stating that the account has been squared. In any event, we hope that you will communicate promptly with Mr. Weston, as he will receive a copy of this letter.

We hope very much that you will continue your support of the Chapter and the national society.

Sincerely yours,

Mr. Clarence Cullimore, A.I.A.,
10 Oleander Avenue,
Bakersfield, Calif.

Assistant to Executive Secretary.

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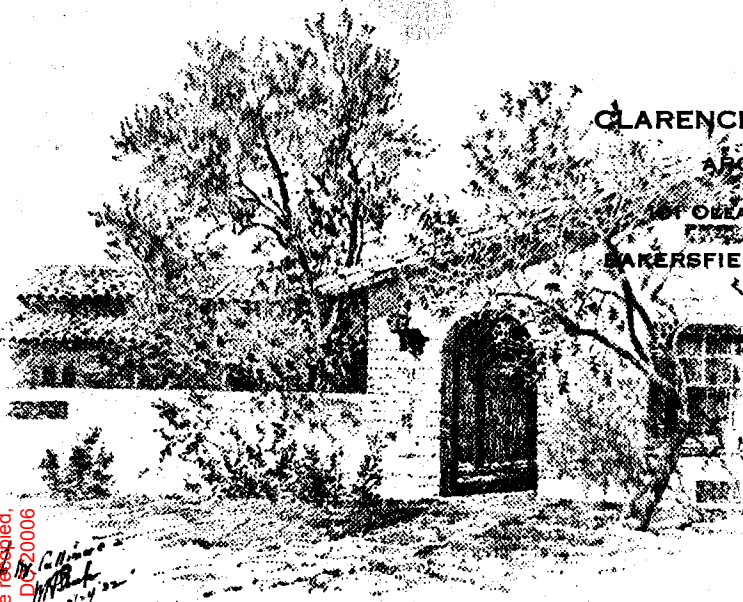
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SECRETARY

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CLARENCE CULLIMORE
ARCHITECT
187 OCEANVIEW AVENUE
BAKERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA



Dec 30

October 4, 1935

Mr. Eugene Weston, Jr.
Secretary, So. Calif. Chapter
American Institute of Architects
Architects Building
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Weston:

Yours of September 30, relative to Housing display, is just here, also a letter from Paul H. White, Assistant to Executive Secretary of A. I. A. under date of September 18. A copy of which he states was sent to you. He asks me to promptly communicate with you regarding my arrears in chapter dues. This, of course, I had done under date of September 20 asking for reinstatement upon the payment of dues if that is still possible. I will await your reply and statement of dues if Mr. Whites' statements conform to the wishes of the Board of Directors of the local chapter. I seem to have misplaced the previous statement sent me.

Sincerely yours

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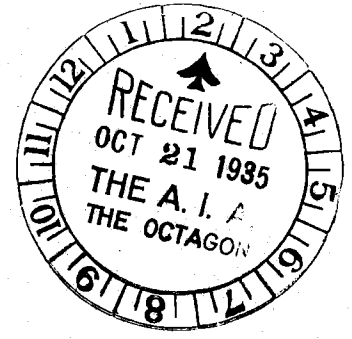
Copy to Paul H. White

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CLARENCE CULLIMORE
ARCHITECT
107 OCEANER AVENUE
BAKERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA

Copy -

File



October 17, 1935

Mr. Eugene Weston, Jr.
So. California Chapter
Am. Institute of Architecture
Architect's Building
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Weston:

Enclosed is my check for \$42. in full pay-
ment for A. I. A. dues to date. This I trust
will place me in good standing in the A. I. A.

Thank you for your courtesy in the matter.

Very truly

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Enclosure

Refer to previous correspondence regarding non payment of dues.

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THE AMERICAN
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

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Cullimore Nominating Committee
2329 Truxtun Avenue
Bakersfield, California
December 15, 1942

To the Governing Board of the Southern
California Chapter of the American Institute
of Architects.

Gentlemen:

We the undersigned architects at large in the State of California, being members of the American Institute of Architects and members of the State Association of California Architects do hereby recommend that the Governing Board of the Southern California Chapter of the American Institute of Architects, according to the stipulations of their by-laws, place the name of corporate member, Clarence Cullimore, an architect of Bakersfield, California, in nomination before the Jury of Fellows of the American Institute of Architects at Washington, D.C., for advancement to a Fellowship. Our letters of recommendation and endorsement are attached hereto.

Membership. Clarence Cullimore was elected to membership in the American Institute of Architects on December 12, 1927, and has been in good standing therein and in the Southern California Chapter continuously thereafter.

Reasons for promotion. Clarence Cullimore has contributed to the advancement of the profession of architecture in California through exhaustive research and original design in the field of ADOBE DOMESTIC ARCHITECTURE and in the SCIENCE OF CONSTRUCTION OF ADOBE BUILDINGS through five scholarly volumes, profusely illustrated by photographs and drawings by the author. Four of these volumes in typescript form are available for circulation to architects through the Doheney Library at The University of Southern California at Los Angeles, (These volumes may be sent to the jury for their perusal.) The fifth volume is devoted to Adobe Architecture in the Santa Barbara Area and is available through the Santa Barbara Library.

Contribution to Architecture. Although Clarence Cullimore is an architect in general practice and has designed and supervised the construction of numerous commercial

Original in hands
of Southern California
Chapter's Governing Board.

buildings, schoolhouses, and churches, employing the various common types of construction he is more particularly distinguished and qualified for advancement to a Fellowship on account of his outstanding and unique contribution to the field of DOMESTIC ADOBE ARCHITECTURE, in all of its modern and scientific ramifications. A perusal of his written works and the consideration of more than a hundred of his designs for adobe houses that dot the California countryside bear evidence of a definite and appropriate contribution to architecture in the Far West.

Academic qualifications. Clarence Cullimore was graduated from the Department of Architecture at the University of California in 1910 and has recently been awarded the degree of Master of Architecture from the College of Architecture at the University of California (June 1942).

Publications.

Magazine articles:

- "Gardens and Patios of Old Spain," Arts and Decoration, 1930.
"Fountains of Andalusia," Architect and Engineer, 1931.
"Adobe Houses in California," California Monthly, June, 1936.
"Adobe at Bakersfield," Homes of the West, February, 1938.
"Adobe Goes Modern," California Arts and Architecture, August, 1939.
"Contemporary Adobe Houses," California Arts and Architecture, February, 1938.

Books:

- Mechanical Drawing for High Schools, 1922.
Old Adobes of Forgotten Fort Tejon, 1942.
Adobe Construction for Domestic Architecture, 1941.
(The above work has been approved for publication but is held in abeyance due to the international situation.)
Adobe Domestic Architectural Design, 1942.
(Thesis presented to College of Architecture at the University of Southern California.)
Historic Old Adobe Houses in Southern California, 1942.
(Typescript available through the Doheney Library at the University of Southern California.)
Old Adobe Houses in the Santa Barbara Area, 1942.
(Typescript available through the Santa Barbara Library.)

The foregoing material briefly indicates some of the nominee's qualifications for advancement and affords an indication to the jury of the sources for further study of Mr. Cullimore's qualifications.

Respectfully submitted by the following architects whose letters are attached:

- Howard G. Bissell, Stockton, California
- Leffler B. Miller, 804 Santa Barbara Road, Berkeley, California
- Allastair Simpson, Bakersfield, California
- Robert Stanton, Del Monte, California
- Harry A. Bruno, 4875 Harbord Drive, Oakland, California
- J. Warren Wright, Court House, Bakersfield, California
- Ernest J. Kump, 251 Kearny Street, San Francisco, California
- Project Engineer Simpson, Vallejo, California
- Wm. Clement Ambrose, 244 Kearny Street, San Francisco, California

(The following letter pertains to Mr. Cullimore's thesis of June, 1942.)

Dean A. C. Weatherhead, A.I.A., University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California.

A synopsis of the nominee's adobe findings is hereto attached.

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

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Harrison
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December 30, 1942

Dear Mr. Harrison:

We are in receipt of a document from the "Cullimore Nominating Committee, 2329 Truxton Avenue, Bakersfield, California" addressed to the Governing Board of the Southern California Chapter, A.I.A., recommending that the chapter nominate Mr. Clarence Cullimore, A.I.A., for advancement to fellowship.

As of possible use to the chapter we are sending, herewith, the two forms which must be used for nominations for fellowship - one for use by individual members; and the other for use by chapters.

We shall, of course, keep on file the copy of the document above described for attachment to the formal nomination of Mr. Cullimore if and when received.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to
The Jury of Fellows

Mr. William H. Harrison, Secretary
Southern California Chapter, A.I.A.
832 West Fifth Street
Los Angeles, California

K/g
Enclosures

SAMUEL E. LUNDEN, *President*
HERBERT J. POWELL, *Vice-President*
WILLIAM H. HARRISON, *Secretary*
WALTER C. WURDEMAN, *Treasurer*



DIRECTORS
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ROBERT V. DERRAH, *Two Years*
KENNETH S. WING, *Three Years*

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
832 WEST FIFTH STREET, LOS ANGELES
MUTUAL 4592

JUN 16 1943

June 11, 1943

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

Jury of Fellows,
American Institute of Architects,
1741 New York Avenue, N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Herewith is forwarded the application of Clarence Cullimore,
endorsed by the Executive Committee for advancement to
Fellowship.

The other supporting data will be forwarded to you direct
by Mr Cullimore.

Very truly yours,

William H. Harrison
WILLIAM H. HARRISON,
Secretary.

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encl. appl.

SAMUEL E. LUNDEN, *President*
HERBERT J. POWELL, *Vice-President*
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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
832 WEST FIFTH STREET, LOS ANGELES
MUTUAL 4592

April 2, 1943

Mr Clarence Cullimore,
101 Olcander Avenue
Bakersfield, Calif.

Dear Mr Cullimore:

I have the pleasure of informing you that the Executive Committee of the Chapter has voted to place your name in nomination for a Fellowship in the American Institute of Architects.

Enclosed herewith is a Confidential form which we request that you fill out in pencil and return to us so that we may make the final draft and send it on to Washington.

Please advise us what your wishes are in regard to the photographs and other data which you have sent to us. We suggest that you make a careful selection of your material and send it to the Jury of Fellows, The Octagon, 1741 New York Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Yours very truly,

William H. Harrison
WILLIAM H. HARRISON,
Secretary.

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Haughton House	Porterville	3
Ames House	Bakersfield	2
Cullman House	Bakersfield	8
Campbell House	Stockdale	2
Dinan House	Bakersfield	2
Darwin House	Bakersfield	2

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
JURY OF FELLOWS

Received June 16, 1943.

Voted On 3/8 - 1944

Voted On 19 .

Voted On 19 .

Granted 3/8 - 1944

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NOMINATION FOR FELLOWSHIP

CASE RECORD

- 1. Name of Nominee Clarence Cullimore Date of Nomination May 21, 1943
- 2. Address of Nominee 101 Oleander Avenue, Bakersfield, California
- 3. Nominee's firm Clarence Cullimore, Architect
- 4. Nominee's principal place of business 101 Oleander Avenue, Bakersfield, California
- 5. Nominee's Chapter Southern California
- 6. Nominee's State Association Member
- 7. Nominee admitted to Institute 1927 19 .
- 8. Nominee has been in good standing in Institute from 1927 to 1943
- 9. Nominee's age 57 yrs. Birthplace Jacksonville, Florida
- 10. Nominators: Southern California Chapter

11. Achievement research and science of adobe construction

Exhibits Rec'd

NO NF 122

(Nominators leave blank)

JUN 16 1943

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS



CONFIDENTIAL

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

NOMINATION FOR FELLOWSHIP

BY
CHAPTER

THE JURY OF FELLOWS
The Octagon, 1741 New York Avenue,
Washington, D. C.

Date May 21, 1943

The Executive Committee of this Chapter, at a duly called meeting on March 23, 1943
nominated* CLARENCE CULLIMORE, *Type in full name.
member of this Chapter, for fellowship in The Institute. We enclose evidence of the qualifications of
the nominee for the fellowship on which the nomination was based and certify the resolution is as
follows:

"Whereas, this Executive Committee believes* CLARENCE CULLIMORE *Type in full name.
a member of this Chapter, has made so notable a contribution to the advancement of the pro-
fession because of his achievement in** research & science of adobe construction**Type in "De-
sign," "Science of Construction,"
that he is worthy of fellowship in The Institute; and "Literature,"
"Education,"
"Service to The Institute," or
"Public Service,"
as is appropriate.

"Whereas, said member has been in good standing in this Chapter for†
consecutive years immediately prior to this date; therefore be it †Type in number of years.

"Resolved, That‡ The Southern California Chapter, ‡Type in name of Chapter.
The American Institute of Architects, does hereby nominate* *Type in full name.

for fellowship in The Institute, and the President and the Secretary be and hereby are
authorized and directed to prepare the nomination papers and forward them to The Jury of
Fellows of The Institute and to do all things proper to forward said nomination."

Samuel E. Spender
Herbert Powell
Robert J. Alvarado
Walter Hurdman
William A. Harrison
Secretary.

THE NOMINATORS SHOULD SEE THAT LETTERS OR DATA ARE SENT
TO THE JURY OF FELLOWS IN SUPPORT OF THIS NOMINATION.

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Nominators should read "Principles Underlying the Bestowal of Fellowships", Institute Document No. 9, before completing this nomination. Additional sheets may be inserted to supplement any page, 3 to 7, inclusive. Use typewriting only.

NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENT IN ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN

1. Works

Type (a) Commercial (b) Monumental (c) Domestic (d) Special	Identification of Work	Location of Work (City)	Completed Construction Work (Year)	Photographs Drawings, or Sketches Submitted
As the claim for distinction is based upon adobe architecture, only such examples are cited here:				
C	Houghton House,	Porterville, Calif.	1939	3
C	Ames House	Bakersfield, Calif.	1932	2
C	Cullimore House	Bakersfield, Calif.	1932	8
C	Campbell House	Stockdale, Calif	1935	2
C	Dimon House	Bakersfield, Calif	1938	2
C	Darrence House	Bakersfield, Calif.	1942	2

Under column headed "Type", type in (a), (b), (c), or (d), as the case may be.

Type in last column to right the number submitted in each case.

2. Describe nominee's notable work in design, to bring out the particular achievements the nominators believe have notably contributed to the advancement of the profession.

The applicant in his more than one-hundred examples of adobe architectural design has discarded the "follideralls" of the so-called "Spanish" creations that have done much to damn that style and has expressed adobe design along the simple structural lines that are an integral part of the adobe structure itself. His work in adobe design is scattered throughout California and is admired for its forthright straightforward expression.

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

SYNOPSIS OF FINDINGS

In California, where the climate is suitable for out-of-door living, the patio has become part of a purposeful plan. Bricks made from the soil underfoot, while possessing historical precedent, have been improved through scientific processes that render them impervious to moisture, thus removing a long-standing stigma. The new-adobe architecture, while retaining the warmth and beauty of the past, is fused with a functionalism and scientific methods of manufacture that are truly modern. The result is expressed in structures that possess permanence and distinction.

The actual manufacture of stabilized adobe bricks and the fabrication of them into waterproof building has come as a result of years of research, extensive laboratory tests and the development of practical constructional processes. The achievement of imperviousness to moisture in a material that is already repellent to fire gives the new adobe two of the attributes most prized in building materials. In California, however, this is not enough. Here, a building material must be capable of resisting seismic disturbances, and so to the knowledge of the research worker and the laboratory technician and the skill of the building has been added the science of the structural engineer. This collaboration has resulted in the formulation of building codes that are applicable to the use of this new adobe which will withstand not only fire and flood but earthquakes as well.

NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENT IN SCIENCE OF CONSTRUCTION

1. CONSTRUCTION WORK

Type of Work Constructed	Identification of Work	Location of Work	Completed Construction Work (Year)	Photographs, Drawings, or Sketches Submitted
Selected from more than one-hundred works:				
Adobe	Stanfield	Bakersfield	1935	2
Adobe	Eeyrand	Bakersfield	1934	3
Adobe	Haggan	Bakersfield	1937	3
Adobe	Mc Cutcheon	Bakersfield	1938	2

Type in last column to right the number submitted in each case.

2. BOOKS, TREATISES, OR ARTICLES WRITTEN

Subject Title	Where Published	Date Published	
Old Adobes of Forgotten Fort Tejon,	Kern Co. Historical So.,	Bakersfield 1940	(book)
Patios and Gardens of Old Spain	Arts and Decoration,	N. Y.	
Adobe Houses in California	Calif. Monthly - Berkeley	June 1936	(article)
School Houses	Arch. & Engineer, S. F.	Aug 1929	"
Adobe Houses	Calif. Arts and Arch., L. A.	Sept 1936	"
Adobe Goes Modern	" " " " "	Aug 1939	"
Contemporary Adobe Houses	" " " " "	Feh 1938	"
Patios of Andalusia	" " " " "	June 1931	"
Historic Adobes of the L. A. Area	On manuscript form in Doheney Library.		(treatise)
Adobe Domestic Architecture	In Doheney Library, Los Angeles		"
Adobe Construction	" " " " "		"

3. Describe nominee's notable work in the science of construction and any recognition thereof by other societies, to bring out the particular achievements the nominators believe have notably contributed to the advancement of the profession.

Of foremost import is the applicant's contribution to the field of architecture in the science of adobe construction. This is particularly true in California where seismic considerations are most important.

Mr Cullimore's adobe houses are given a thorough seismic analysis, upon which the constructional design elements are based. Mr Cullimore's findings, recommendations and construction details are now available to all architects through his material in the University of Southern California Library.

NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENT IN EDUCATION AND LITERATURE

1. EDUCATION WORK

(List the degrees and the educational positions held by the nominee, and bring out clearly the nominee's signal work and its particular force and influence which the nominators believe to be a notable contribution to the advancement of the profession, and state evidences of recognition of such work by pupils, the profession, other societies, or the public.)

For ten years Mr Cullimore has been a teacher of Architecture in Bakersfield Junior College. (The applicant, although highly successful in the field of education, does not claim unusual distinction in this field).

He holds the degree of B. S. in Architecture - University of California at Berkeley and Master of Architecture, University of So. California at Los Angeles.

He is a Certificated Architect in California and holds an Administrative credential in the Schools of California.

2. LITERARY WORK

(List the original written works of the nominee and state clearly the particular force and influence of that work which the nominators believe to be a notable contribution to the advancement of the profession, and state evidences of recognition of such work by other societies, the profession, educational institutions or the public.)

<i>Book, Treatise or Article</i>	<i>Subject</i>	<i>Name of Book or Periodical Containing Work</i>	<i>Year Work Published</i>
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Listed under Item 2 - Page 4.

NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENTS IN SERVICE TO THE INSTITUTE

1. State fully the nominee's signal service to The Institute, his chapter, or his state association, or to the profession, which the nominators believe has notably contributed to the advancement of the profession, and list the offices in architectural organizations occupied by the nominee and the period of each.

Mr Cullimore has, by his pioneering in the field of adobe construction and adobe architectural design, contributed immeasurably to the scientific knowledge and appropriate employment of this simple, homely material. By seismic analysis and the modern methods of waterproofing adobe, he has placed modern adobe structures on a scientific rather than a sentimental basis.

By a first hand study of the old adobes in Spain, Mexico, Southwestern United States and California, Mr Cullimore has pointed out in his works the historical advances in the use of adobe.

By the actual design, construction, and test of time, Mr Cullimore has proven the worth of this adobe material.

All of Mr Cullimore's research findings are now available to architects, through the Bohoney Library at the University of Southern California in Los Angeles.

NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENT IN PUBLIC SERVICE

1. List the public offices held by the nominee and the positions of trust held by him in recognition of civic leadership, and state clearly his notable work in public service and the particular influence of that work which the nominators believe to be a notable contribution to the advancement of the profession.

1. President of University of California Alumnae, Kern County, two terms
2. President of Kern County Musical Association
3. Permanent Member of City Planning Commission, Bakersfield, Calif.
4. President of Schoolmaster's Club, Kern County
5. President of Bakersfield Kiwanis Club
6. The applicant made an exhaustive research and survey of the ruins of Old Fort Tejon for the Kern County Historical Society, thereby accumulating and preserving for the State of California (who has recently acquired title to this property) a wealth of valuable architectural data that will serve well those architects who, at a more propitious time, may be entrusted with the Old Fort's restoration, in part or in full.
7. The applicant has made a survey of some sixty old adobe houses of early California in the Santa Barbara area. His findings in this field are a prized volume in the Santa Barbara Library.
8. The applicant has made a survey of some fifty historic old adobe houses of the Los Angeles area. This volume is in the Doheney Library at the University of Southern California.

(Copy)

Stockton, California
July 18, 1942

To the Jury of Fellows of the American
Institute of Architects, Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Allow me to recommend Clarence Cullimore, a
corporate member of the Southern California
Chapter of the American Institute of Architects
for advancement to a Fellowship.

(Signed) Howard G. Bissell

Architect

(Copy)

Howard G. Bissell

Architect

Stockton, Cal.
July 18, 1942

To the Jury of the Fellows
American Institute of Architects
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

I take great pleasure in recommending Mr. Clarence Cullimore, Architect and a corporate member of the Southern California Chapter of the American Institute of Architects, for advancement to a fellowship.

I have known Mr. Cullimore and his work for more than thirty years during which time I have watched his progress in architecture with great interest. His practice in the city of Bakersfield, California, and vicinity has produced many worth-while results architecturally. During this time he has made an exhaustive research and produced many original designs in the field of adobe domestic architecture and in the science of the construction of adobe buildings. I have seen his volumes of drawings and photographs on this subject, and feel that in producing them Mr. Cullimore has made a very distinct and special contribution to the profession of architecture.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) Howard G. Bissell

Howard G. Bissell

Architect and City Planning
Consultant

(Copy)

LEFFLER B. MILLER, ARCHITECT
804 Santa Barbara Road
Berkeley, California

July 20, 1942

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Gentlemen:

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a corporate member of the Southern California Chapter
of the American Institute of Architects for advance-
ment to a fellowship.

(Signed) Leffler B. Miller
Architect, A. I. A.

(Copy)

July 21, 1942

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Institute of Architects, Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Allow me to recommend Clarence Cullimore,
a corporate member of the Southern California Chapter
of the American Institute of Architects for advancement
to a fellowship.

(Signed) Allastair Simpson

Architect

(Copy)

ROBERT STANTON, A. I. A.
Architect
Del Monte

July 10, 1942

To the Jury of Fellows of
The American Institute of Architects,
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Allow me to recommend Clarence Cullimore,
a corporate member of the Southern California Chapter
of the American Institute of Architects, for advance-
ment to a Fellowship.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) Robert Stanton

ROBERT STANTON, A. I. A.

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HARRY A. BRUNO -- ARCHITECT

4875 Harbord Drive, Oakland -- Humbolt 7752

July 21, 1942

To the Jury of Fellows of the
American Institute of Architects
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

I am very happy to have the opportunity of recommending to you Mr. Clarence Cullimore, a corporate member of the Southern California Chapter of the American Institute of Architects, for advancement to a Fellowship.

Mr. Cullimore is very deserving of such a fellowship as his research and original designs in the field of adobe domestic architecture and in the science of construction of adobe buildings has been a great contribution to the architectural profession.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) Harry A. Bruno

Harry A. Bruno

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COUNTY OF KERN
State of California

LEO B. HART
Superintendent of Schools
Rooms 117-119
Court House Bakersfield

July 21, 1942

To The Jury of Fellows of The
American Institute of Architects
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Allow me to recommend Clarence Cullimore, a corporate member of the Southern California Chapter of the American Institute of Architects for advancement to a fellowship.

I have known Mr. Cullimore for a number of years as a teacher and a student of Architecture. He has done a great number of adobe buildings in this community and has made an exhaustive study of the adobe ruins of Fort Tejon.

I am glad to consider Mr. Cullimore as one of my friends and make this recommendation with a great deal of pleasure.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) J. Warren Wright
J. Warren Wright, Architect

F R A N K L I N & K U M P & A S S O C I A T E S
A R C H I T E C T S E N G I N E E R S B U I L D E R S

251 Kearny Street
San Francisco, California
July 27, 1942

Mr. Clarence Cullimore
912 Olive Street
Santa Barbara, California


Dear Mr. Cullimore:

Enclosed is an original and one copy of a letter to the A.I.A. that you requested and which I wrote with a clear conscience, in fact, there are so many other things on my conscience, this was the clearest one to date.

I sincerely hope that you will secure the advancement, as I do not think there is any question of your ability in this field.

With lots of luck and kindest regards, I remain

Sincerely yours,



Ernest J. Kump

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FRANKLIN & KUMP & ASSOCIATES
Architects Engineers Builders

251 Kearny Street
San Francisco, California
July 27, 1942

To the Jury of Fellows of the
American Institute of Architects
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Allow me to recommend Clarence Cullimore, a corporate member of the Southern California Chapter of the American Institute of Architects, for advancement to a fellowship.

The work and efforts of Clarence Cullimore have been outstanding in the advancement of the profession of architecture in California. He has conducted exhaustive research in original design in the field of architecture, employing adobe materials of construction. Mr. Cullimore has had a wide and varied experience in the application of adobe construction to various types of buildings, involving present day problems, the results of which he has carefully compiled.

This work, containing numerous illustrations, drawings, and photographs exhibiting the design and construction of modern building as developed through his efforts, is outstanding. The material in four volumes in typescript form is available for circulation to architects through the Doheney Library at The University of Southern California, and has done a great deal to influence and develop the trend of architecture of adobe structures throughout California.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) Ernest J. Kump

Ernest J. Kump, Architect
FRANKLIN & KUMP & ASSOCIATES

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WM. CLEMENT AMBROSE

Architect
244 Kearny Street
San Francisco, California
Telephone Garfield 5046

August 8, 1942

Mr. Clarence Cullimore,
101 Oleander Avenue,
Bakersfield, California

Dear Cully:-

I am enclosing the second to your recommendation for advancement to the rank of Fellow in the American Institute of Architects

I was much interested in the account of your work on the old adobe construction. I have seen your book mentioned in the magazines several times, and most favorably. It must have been a lot of fun digging out the data, as well as a good deal of work.

The war has put a stop to all of the work in my office--I just finished the last job this week, and it was quite a struggle to get it completed. Just now I am writing specifications for some war work in Marin County and in Nevada, but my hopes are all for getting in to the Army if I can convince them that I am not too decrepit.

With kindest regards, and drop in to see us when you are up this way again. Best of luck on the Institute matter.

Sincerely,

(Signed) Clement

Wm. Clement Ambrose

(Copy)

WM. CLEMENT AMBROSE

Architect
244 Kearny Street
San Francisco, California
Telephone Garfield 5046

August 8, 1942

To The Jury of Fellows,
American Institute of Architects,
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:--

Allow me to second the recommendation that
Clarence Cullimore, a member of the Southern
California Chapter of the American Institute of
Architects be advanced to a Fellowship.

Very Sincerely,

(Signed) Wm. Clement Ambrose

Wm. Clement Ambrose.

(Copy)

THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA
University Park
Los Angeles

May 12, 1942

Dear Mr. Cullimore:

I thought that you would like to know that your committee has approved your thesis without question. I read it again with real satisfaction, for I think that it is the best work of the type ever done in architecture in this university. It has also been entirely approved by Professors Annis and Coy. I will send it on today.

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Sincerely yours,

(Signed) A. C. Weatherhead

A. C. WEATHERHEAD, Dean
College of Architecture and Fine Arts

(Copy)

California POLLED
HEREFORD Ranch

Woodlake, Calif.

February 10, 1943

Governing Board
American Institute of Architects
Los Angeles, Calif.

Gentlemen:

Mr. Clarence Cullimore was architect for
the construction of our adobe home.

We liked his work very much and are well
satisfied with the results attained, in
all respects, appreciating him both
personally and professionally.

Very truly yours,

FNV/A

FRED E. VANDERHOOF

February 15, 1943.

Governing Board of America Institute of Architects,
Los Angeles, California.

Gentlemen:

Six years ago Mr. Clarence Cullimore of Bakersfield, California, assisted us in the planning and building of an adobe residence in Visalia, California. Through the advice and guidance of Mr. Cullimore we obtained a home which has been a source of great satisfaction and pleasure.

Mr. Cullimore was able to keep the building entirely within proper architectural designs and at the same time gave us a home which fulfilled all of our expectations and desires. We have recommenced Mr. Cullimore to several of our friends and they in turn have expressed satisfaction and praise of his results in adobe construction.

Very truly yours,

Irvin H. Betts, M. D.

IHB:J

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FRANKLIN & KUMP -- WILLIAM WILSON WURSTER
Architects Associated
for
Vallejo -- Cal. 4211

July 21, 1942

Mr. Clarence Cullimore,
912 Olive Street,
Santa Barbara, California

Dear Mr. Cullimore:

It gives me a great deal of pleasure . . .
to recommend your advancement in the A.I.A.

Enclosed please find the signed recommendation,
.

You will note that I am temporarily located in
Vallejo at the present time, in charge of three thousand
dwelling houses, which development almost constitutes
an entire new city. Should you take a trip, in the near
future, in this neighborhood, I would like to have you
drop in so that I can show you around this large develop-
ment.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) A. Simpson

A. Simpson,
Project Engineer.
CAL 4211

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Enc.

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LEFFLER B. MILLER, ARCHITECT
804 Santa Barbara Road
Berkeley, California

July 20, 1942

To the Jury of Fellows of the American
Institute of Architects, Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Allow me to recommend Clarence Cullimore,
a corporate member of the Southern California Chapter
of the American Institute of Architects for advance-
ment to a fellowship.

(Signed) Leffler B. Miller
Architect, A. I. A.

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Cedars of Lebanon Hospital
4833 Fountain Ave.
Los Angeles, Calif.

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

June 13, 1943

Jury on Fellowships
American Institute of Architects
Octagon House, Washington D.C.
Gentlemen:

My husband, Mr. Clarence
Cullinane, who is at present
suffering ^{from} injuries at Cedars
of Lebanon Hospital in Los
Angeles, has been notified
by the Southern California
Chapter A. I. A. of his nomination
by that chapter for promotion
to a Fellowship, and has been
requested to send on to you
photographs and other material
relative to his work.

As it may be several months before Mr. Cullimore would be able to select and arrange such material, I am sending on for your consideration the pictures, drawings, books etc. which were in the hands of the Directors of the Southern California Chapter of A. I. A. when they placed Mr. Cullimore's name in nomination. I trust that from this rather heterogeneous offering you may select for your consideration those items that pertain to Adobe Design - and Construction, which is the basis upon which the

Southern California Chapter
has placed Mr. Cullimore's
name in nomination.

When you finish with
the material, kindly return
it to Mr. Cullimore's office

2329 Truxtun Ave.

Bakersfield, Calif.

Very truly yours,
Mrs. Clarence Cullimore

2329 Truxtun Ave.

Bakersfield, Calif.

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

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Cullimore*

June 21, 1943

My dear Mrs. Cullimore:

Thank you for your letter of June 13, at hand today and for sending to The Jury of Fellows at The Octagon the material which you describe - with reference to the proposal of Mr. Cullimore's name for advancement to Fellowship.

When the material comes in it will be placed in the record of The Jury of Fellows and will be considered by The Jury at its next annual meeting which will probably be shortly prior to the 1944 annual meeting of The Institute.

We trust that Mr. Cullimore will make a rapid recovery and ask that you advise him of the status of this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to
The Jury of Fellows, A.I.A.

Mrs. Clarence Cullimore
2329 Truxtun Avenue
Bakersfield, California

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FILES PRESIDENT SECRETARY TREASURER

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

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June 24, 1943

Dear Mrs. Cullimore:

This is to let you know that we have received the June, 1943 issue of "Sunset" magazine which contains an article on adobe construction and several photographs of Mr. Cullimore's adobe houses.

We are keeping the magazine on file - in support of Mr. Cullimore's nomination for advancement to fellowship.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to
The Jury of Fellows

Mrs. Clarence Cullimore
2329 Truxton
Bakersfield, California

K/g
Copy to the Chairman
The Jury of Fellows, A.I.A.

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Cullimore

June 25, 1943

Dear Mrs. Cullimore:

Today, we received by express two packages which we assume contains the material which you forwarded as exhibits of Mr. Cullimore's work in connection with his nomination for fellowship.

These exhibits will be held for submission to The Jury of Fellows, with the nomination, at the next meeting.

With appreciation of your cooperation in completing the nomination, and the hope that Mr. Cullimore is better,

Sincerely yours

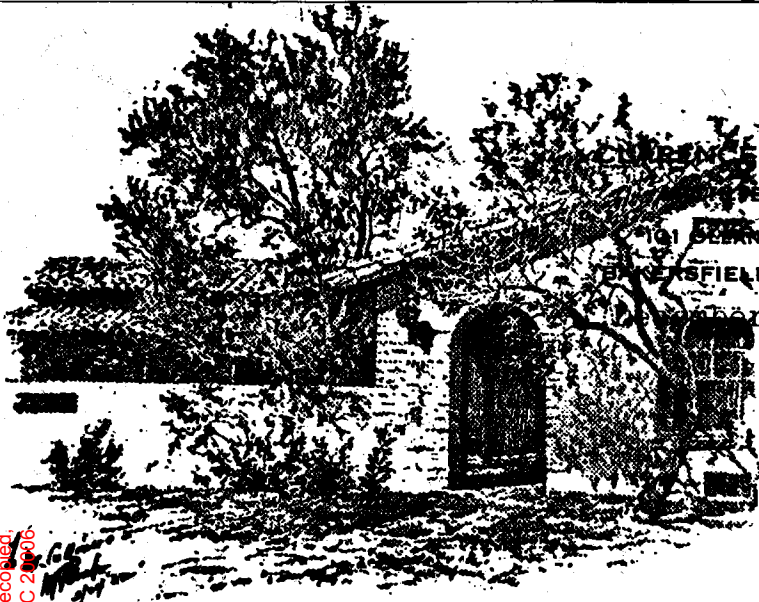
Secretary to
The Jury of Fellows

Mrs. Clarence Cullimore
2329 Truxton Avenue
Bakersfield, California

K/g
Co y to the Chairman, The Jury of Fellows
Secretary, Southern California Chapter

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CLARENCE CULLIMORE
FELLOW A. I. A.
191 SLENDER AVENUE
SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA
January 27 1943

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

The Jury of Fellows
American Institute of Architects
1741 New York Ave N.W.
Washington D.C.

Gentlemen:

Under separate cover I am forwarding some printed material which should have been placed with the other data relative to the nomination for Fellowship of Clarence Cullimore of the Southern California chapter.

Rec'd

I do not know that you also have copies of some of the supporting letters, so will send them also.

Very truly yours,

Rosemary Cullimore
Mrs Clarence Cullimore

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

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Cullimore

January 3, 1944

My dear Mr. Cullimore:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of December 27th, and, under separate cover, the printed material and data, and supporting letters which you have received - all with reference to the nomination of Mr. Cullimore for advancement to Fellowship in The Institute.

This material and the letters will be held for submission with the nomination to The Jury of Fellows in due course.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to
The Jury of Fellows

Mrs. Clarence Cullimore
101 Oleander Avenue
Bakersfield, California.

K/g

Copy to the Chairman,
The Jury of Fellows

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

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April 20, 1944

Dear Mr. Cullimore:

It is my privilege to advise you of your election as a Fellow of The American Institute of Architects by action of the Jury of Fellows at its meeting in Milwaukee on March 9, 1944.

Notice of your election is being sent to the Southern California Chapter.

A certificate of advancement to Fellowship will be sent to you or presented to you in due course - depending upon procedure to be determined by The Board of Directors at its annual meeting the latter part of the current month.

The Officers and Directors of The Institute join me in extending to you their congratulations.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary

Mr. Clarence Cullimore, F.A.I.A.
101 Orleander Avenue
Bakersfield, California

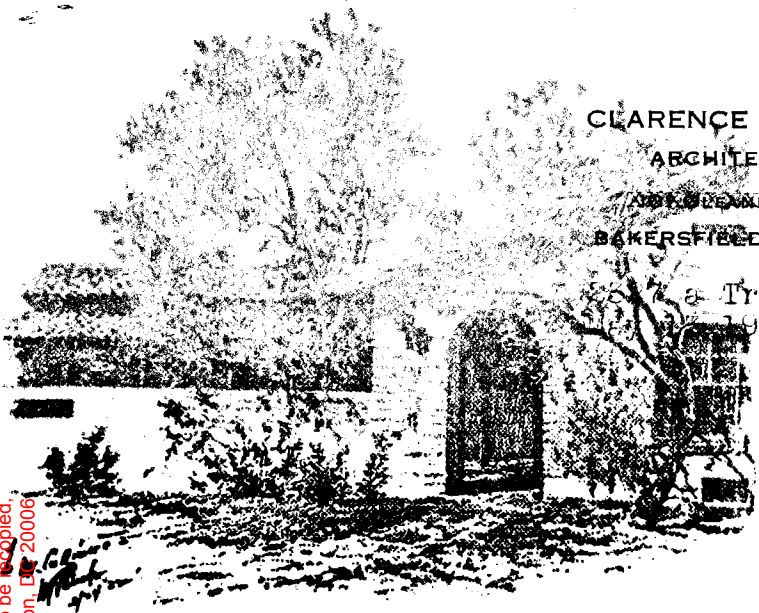
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CLARENCE CULLIMORE
ARCHITECT A. I. A.
1051 ALEXANDER AVENUE
BAKERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA

507 a Truxton Ave
BAKERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA
MAY 16 1944

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Cullimore
THE AMERICAN
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
1944 MAY 16 PM 2:08
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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Alexander C. Robinson 111
Secretary
American Institute of Architects
1741 New York Ave N.W.
Washington D.C.

Dear Mr. Robinson:

I am very much pleased over my election as a
Fellow, and shall be anticipating the certifi-
cate that you mention.

Will you please express to me the material
that was sent as an exhibit of my work?

Sincerely,

Clarence Cullimore
Clarence Cullimore

The exhibits have
been returned + he
has been advised
by letter B

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

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COPY

Cullimore

May 11, 1944

Dear Mr. Cullimore:

Under the established procedure of The Institute, the photographs which accompanied the proposal of your name for advancement to Fellowship are being returned by express, prepaid - in two packages.

Our experience has been that express shipments are slowed up considerably, but we trust the packages will reach you in due course and in good condition.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to
The Jury of Fellows

Mr. Clarence Cullimore, F.A.I.A.
101 Oleander Avenue
Bakersfield, California

K/g

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

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October 21, 1944

Dear Mr. Cullimore:

In reply to your letter of October 13:

We are holding your engrossed Fellowship Certificate - with others - for presentation at the 1945 annual meeting of The Institute.

This is the customary procedure and we presume that it will be followed as heretofore.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary

Mr. Clarence Cullimore, F.A.I.A.
10 Oleander Avenue
Bakersfield, California

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CLARENCE CULLIMORE
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER

Admitted to The Institute in 1927, Mr. Cullimore has made notable contributions to the profession in the field of domestic and industrial architecture, and particularly by his researches and writings and original designs in the field of adobe buildings. For these accomplishments and for his contributions to education as a teacher and a scholar, Mr. Cullimore has been advanced to Fellowship in The American Institute of Architects.

Secretary

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

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Callinore

March 26, 1945

Dear Mr. Derrah:

Customarily certificates of election to Fellowship in The Institute are presented with ceremony at an annual convention.

As no convention was held in 1944 all certificates were held for presentation in 1945.

Because of a recent governmental ruling, the 1945 convention will be a limited one. The annual dinner at which the ceremony of presenting Fellowship certificates usually occurs must be omitted.

Therefore, The Executive Committee is requesting the chapters of The Institute to receive and present the Fellowship certificates.

The recipients of the honor have been notified by The Institute, their citations have been published in the Journal, and the delivery of the certificates remains to be made.

In view of these conditions The Executive Committee of The Institute requests the President of each chapter to arrange for a presentation, at some appropriate meeting of the chapter - and with the suggestion that the Regional Director be invited to participate if that is feasible.

We send herewith the Fellowship certificates and citations by The Jury of Fellows, signed by The Secretary of The Institute for each of the followings:

Clarence Callinore
Eugene Weston, Jr.
Winchton Leamon Risley
Henry Carlton Newton
Harold Coulson Chambers

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CLARENCE CULLIMORE

ARCHITECT F. A. I. A.

30 OLEANDER AVE.

BAKERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA

October 17, 1950

Secretary - American Institute of Architects
The Octagon - 1741 New York Ave. N.W.
Washington D.C.

Gentlemen:

As I closed my office in December 1949 and am
in an inactive status with no prospect of re-engaging
in the practice of architecture I have petitioned
the Southern California Chapter to place me on their
inactive list, thereby reducing my dues.

I am not familiar with the proceedings in contem-
plation of your placing me in this category. I should
not like to loose my membership in the organization,
and I greatly prize the Journal which comes each month.

Very truly yours,

Clarence Cullimore
Clarence Cullimore

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Handwritten signature and initials

October 26, 1950

Dear Mr. Cullimore:

On behalf of The Secretary, I am responding to your letter of October 17th, concerning the placing of your name on an inactive list.

The Institute has a class of members, known as "Members Emeriti" which permit the member to retain all the rights and privileges of active, corporate membership, while exempting him from the payment of further dues to the A.I.A. and to the chapter and state organization of which he is an assigned member.

This class of membership is open to members who have been such for fifteen years or more and either have reached the age of seventy years or are incapacitated and unable to engage in any other vocation. An application form is enclosed for your information.

If you find that you are eligible to apply, we shall be glad to receive the executive application and give it our best attention.

Yours sincerely,

Assistant to
Administrative Secretary

Mr. Clarence Cullimore, F.A.I.A.
10 Oleander Avenue
Bakersfield, California

Enclosure

Copy to the Secretary,
Southern California Chapter, A.I.A.

Please advise if Mr. Cullimore is in good standing in the Southern California Chapter.

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Cullimore, Clarence

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March 15, 1955

Mr. Clarence Cullimore, F.A.I.A.
10 Oleander Avenue
Bakersfield, California

Dear Mr. Cullimore:

Thank you very much for your good letter of March 10th.

We are delighted to know that the letter of general introduction will be of some help to you. I am sure it will as members have found them extremely useful.

We would be most interested in receiving copies of your slides. George Pettengill, our Librarian, has charge of our slide collection so I am taking the liberty of making your letter available to him so that he can get in touch with you.

With our very best wishes to Mrs. Cullimore and you for a successful and enjoyable trip.

Yours sincerely,

Edmund R. Purves
Executive Director

ERP:hrs
cc: Mr. Pettengill (w/f)
bcc Mr Kirby

CLARENCE CULLIMORE
FELLOW OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
10 CLELAND AVENUE
SAKESFIELD, CALIFORNIA
April 25, 1955

Secretary - American Institute of Architects
1741 New York Ave N.W.
Washington 6 D.C.

Dear Sir:

In further reference to your letter of October 26, 1950 and the setablishment of my status as MEMBER EMERITU I am inclosing the form filled out as you have requested.

I am paid up, national dues and Southern California chapter dues for 1955.

As I am discontinuing my architectural practice and retiring and sailing for South America, I will not be here to present my application for MEMBER EMERITU on October 20 when I actually become 70 years of age, I am therefore transmitting it to you at this time, just before I sail.

Very truly yours

Clarence Cullimore
Clarence Cullimore

*Credited
10/20/55*

N° APR
Dated 19 .
Received 19 .
Granted 19 .



N° M
(Do not fill in above dates)

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 or b,
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.

~~XXXXXX I am unable to engage in any gainful vocation XXXX~~

Write in
name of
chapter.

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

June Dec 12 1927

Respectfully,

Clarence Cullimore
Clarence Cullimore
Signature

Date June 1, 1955 19 .

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 neither of requirements a or b.

In b which I have scratched out, I may also be eligible but (a) is the qualification that I would like to have you act upon.

As I am sailing for South America on June 8, 1955, I am sending you this at this time as I will not return until about February 1956. I am permanently closing my office and will reach the age of 70 on October 20, 1955. My dues are paid both to National headquarters and to Southern California Chapter until January 1956

cc. cc

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*B.S. E.
Member Meeting*

May 3, 1955

Mr. Clarence Cullimore, F.A.I.A.
10 Oleander Avenue
Bakersfield, California

Dear Mr. Cullimore:

On behalf of The Secretary of The Institute, permit me to acknowledge your letter of April 25th with which you have forwarded your request to be made a Member Emeritus of The Institute, for which you will become eligible on October 20 when you reach the age of 70 years.

As you request, we shall be glad to hold this in abeyance until after October 20 and then will submit it to The Board of Examiners for consideration and action.

We note that you are closing your office in June prior to embarking on a trip to South America and do not expect to return to the States until February, of 1956.

We shall appreciate it if you will let us have an address to which your mail should be sent after your office is closed, if the above address will not be a good one after June.

May you have a wonderful trip.

Sincerely yours,

(Miss) Florence H. Gervais
Secretary to The Board of Examiners

Copy to the Secretary, Southern California Chapter, A.I.A.

Director, California, Nevada, Hawaii District, A.I.A.

1300
1300
1300

CLARENCE CULLIMORE
FELLOW OF THE A.I.A.

10 Oleander Avenue
Bakersfield, California

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May 5, 1955

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

ATT: Miss Florence H. Gervais, Secretary to Board of Examiners

Dear Miss Gervais:

Thank you for your letter of May 3, 1955 relative to acquiring the status "Member Emeritus".

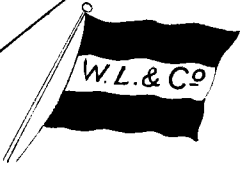
Please change my mailing address until further notice to that of my son, also A.I.A. Member, Northern California Chapter, which is 829 Oleander Avenue, Bakersfield, California. He can handle and forward to me necessary communications.

Sincerely yours,

(S) CLARENCE CULLIMORE

Clarence Cullimore

CC:ns



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M/S Falkanger 1955
October 23, 1955

Secretary
American Institute of Architects
Washington D. C.

Gentlemen:

Referring to my letter of
last May in which I requested
that you place me on the Institutes
Eminentus list, let me remind you
- that as of Oct 20th I have reached
my 70th birthday and am ready to
have you act upon my formal request
for retirement as of that date. If
- there are other details which I have
not taken care of I may be reached
before December 1st at:

C. B. Fentus and Company
Passenger M.S. Falkanger
P.O. Box 5025
Cristobal, Canal Zone

Sincerely
Clarence LeBlond Sr.
10 Oleander Ave. Bakersfield Calif.

*Member
Cullimore, Clarence*
[Signature]



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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

NOTICE OF ELECTION—MEMBER EMERITUS

TO Mr. Clarence Cullimore, A.I.A.
829 Oleander Avenue
Bakersfield, California

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, 1956**.

Date **November 15, 19 55**

[Signature]
Secretary

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Cullimore, Clarence Sr. #RS*

CLARENCE CULLIMORE, SR.
FELLOW OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
10 OLEANDER AVENUE
BAKERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA

February 14, 1960

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

Gentlemen:

My Fellow of the American Institute of Architects card
came to me in a circuitous manner due to the fact that
you addressed it to me:

Clarence Cullimore FAIA
829 Oleander Ave.
Bakersfield, California

this is my son's address

My address is:

Clarence Cullimore FAIA
10 Oleander Ave.
Bakersfield California

[Handwritten mark]

The 829 Oleander Ave address is that of my son,
Clarence Cullimore Jr. Architect.

I presume the above error in address may have carried
back to the distribution of our Roster which, to date,
I have not received.

Sincerely

Clarence Cullimore
Clarence Cullimore

*2/23/60
sent new
membership card
and changed address
Rick
noted
Mrs*

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*Members
Cullimore Clarence Sr.*

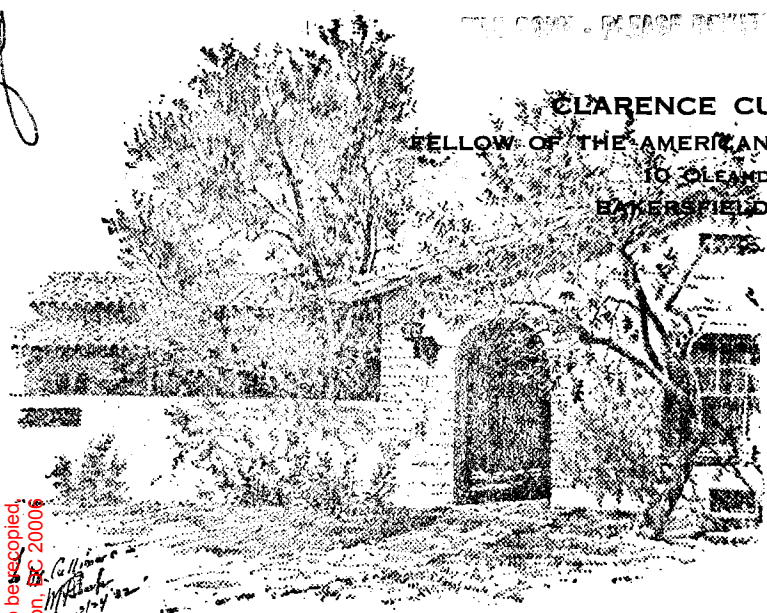
CLARENCE CULLIMORE, SR.

FELLOW OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

10 CLELAND AVENUE

HAYERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA

February 18, 1960



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

Gentlemen:

This is in further reference to my letter to you several days ago when I wrote you mentioning that my membership card had been sent by error to the address of my son. On several occasions in the past special literature, membership card, and Association roster has been sent to him instead of me. This is not a serious hardship to me as the material eventually reaches me, but I thought you would like to keep your address list straight.

I would like also to state to you the business relationship of my son to me, as pertains to my Institute status, of which I am a retired Fellow as of 1955 when I became 70 years of age and no longer derived income from the practice of architecture. Then as now, I do not engage in active architectural work or derive income from any architectural association with my son or others. However, the firm Cullimore and Cullimore -Architects bears my name and that of my son who operates and profits or loses in his business. I am always anxious and eager to offer my counsel and advice, especially on matters pertaining to ethics and public relations, when asked. The firm that bears the name of Cullimore always has my parental blessing.

Sincerely
Clarence Cullimore
Clarence Cullimore

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