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CHARLES LUCKMAN is being nominated to Fellowship in The American Institute of Architects in Achievement in Public Service

(state the category or categories)

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B.

Character

Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the *character* of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- The nominee is a person of integrity.
- The nominee has a good reputation.
- The nominee's character is satisfactory.
- _____

I have known the nominee for _____ years in the relationship of _____

Signed _____

John Alden Root, F.A.I.A.

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Mr. Luckman's service on the State Board of College Trustees has been very important to the success of that Board.

B.

Most important, his dedication to professional procedure and personal effort have greatly enhanced the image of the architect in the eyes of public officials.

Character

Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- The nominee is a person of integrity.
- The nominee has a good reputation.
- The nominee's character is satisfactory.
- I have no knowledge but my direct impression has always been good.

I have known the nominee for 5 years in the relationship of Fellow Member

Signed

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Activity

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B. While I am aware of Mr. Luckman's public service, particularly in the State of California, I cannot speak of it from personal first-hand observation. I do know, however, that he has been generous of his time in AIA affairs. I have many times shared the platform with him at regional meetings. His last service, ably rendered at my request, was the preparation of a study on cost control for the architectural profession. This was handled with exceptional ability and in time will prove a major contribution to professional practice. I believe that he is now thoroughly dedicated to the profession he serves.

- Character
The nominee is a person of integrity.
The nominee has a good reputation.
The nominee's character is satisfactory.

I have known the nominee for _____ years in the relationship of _____

Signed

Philip Will, Jr.

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[] The nominee has a good reputation.
[] The nominee's character is satisfactory.
[]

I have known the nominee for 5 years in the relationship of Professional Acquaintance, Project Associate

Signed Joseph L. Weinberg, F.A.I.A.

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B. In fact I know of few professionals with the talent of Mr. Luckman, in cementing the delicate relationships of the public with the architect. It gives me the greatest pleasure to recommend him for fellowship in our Institute, an honor which he as deserved long ago!

Signature of Raphael Soriano

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- 11 [X] The nominee is a person of integrity.
[] The nominee has a good reputation.
[] The nominee's character is satisfactory.
[]

I have known the nominee for 15 years in the relationship of Public Service & Architecture

Signed

Raphael Soriano, F.A.I.A.

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Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- Checked boxes for: The nominee is a person of integrity. The nominee has a good reputation. The nominee's character is satisfactory.

I have known the nominee for 8 years in the relationship of colleague

Signed [Signature]

Louis Rossetti, F. A. I. A.

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Charles Luckman is an internationally respected Architect. He has done much to advance the arts, responsibilities and the ethics of his profession. He is an excellent speaker in fact, one of the best in the AIA. - and he is a gentleman.

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- [x] The nominee is a person of integrity.
[x] The nominee has a good reputation.
[x] The nominee's character is satisfactory.

Am pleased to see Charles Luckman AIA for advancement Fellowship in the AIA.

I have known the nominee for 8 years in the relationship of AIA Contact.

Signed John Noble Richards, F.A.I.A.

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I watched Luckman's appearance before a Legislative Committee - concerned with architects in private practice having an opportunity to provide services on their buildings. My personal opinion is that his statements alone constituted a real achievement.

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- The nominee is a person of integrity.
- The nominee has a good reputation.
- The nominee's character is satisfactory.
- _____

I have known the nominee for 7 years in the relationship of professional activities

Signed *Malcolm Reynolds*

Malcolm Reynolds, F.A.I.A.

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Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- 11 [X] The nominee is a person of integrity. [] The nominee has a good reputation. [] The nominee's character is satisfactory. []

I have known the nominee for 12 years in the relationship of Colleague

Signed John Lyon Reid, F.A.I.A.

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B.



Character

Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- Three checked boxes: The nominee is a person of integrity. The nominee has a good reputation. The nominee's character is satisfactory.

Empty checkbox for a fourth statement

I have known the nominee for 10 years in the relationship of Architect & Client

Signed Nathaniel Owings, F.A.I.A.

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CHARLES LUCKMAN IS ONE OF THE MOST OUTSTANDING ARCHITECTS IN THE COUNTRY. HIS LIST OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS ARE TOO NUMEROUS TO TABULATE. HIS ARCHITECTURE IS EXCELLENT AND WELL STUDIED, WITH COORDINATED INTERIORS AND LANDSCAPING. I WHOLEHEARTEDLY RECOMMEND HIS ADVANCEMENT TO FELLOWSHIP FOR PUBLIC SERVICE.

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Character

Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- 11 [X] The nominee is a person of integrity.
[] The nominee has a good reputation.
[] The nominee's character is satisfactory.
[]

I have known the nominee for 18 years in the relationship of Friend and associate

Signed Frederick J. MacKie, Jr.
Frederick J. MacKie, Jr., F.A.I.A.

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During the many years that I have known Charles Luckman, both here in Chicago and on the West Coast, I have watched him take active part in many major charity and community activities. Living part of the year on the West Coast, I have seen from time to time his activities in connection with the work for the California State Colleges. The Governor of California and other high officials have told me personally what an outstanding contribution Luckman has made in the benefit of the public in advice and consultation that he has given public officials. These contributions have been so outstanding that I believe the profession should award him Fellowship for Achievement in Public Service.

Character Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- The nominee is a person of integrity.
The nominee has a good reputation.
The nominee's character is satisfactory.

I have known the nominee for 30 years in the relationship of fellow Architect

Signed Jerrold Loeb

Jerrold Loeb, F.A.I.A.

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B. Mr. Luckman, while operating a large office and many diversified projects has maintained a high standard of professional performance. He has demonstrated great interest and leadership in community and professional problems. His unselfish participation in the California college program is outstanding. His advice on Public Relations programs was very valuable to the Institute in 1956-58.

Character

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- [X] The nominee is a person of integrity.
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[]

I have known the nominee for 11 years in the relationship of AIA affairs

Signed Donald Beach Kirby

Donald Beach Kirby, F.A.I.A.

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Another significant item is the fact that Mr. Luckman, when he was President of Lever Bros. commissioned the firm of Skidmore, Owings & Merrill to design Lever House in New York City and it was his stamp of approval that started the first decent piece of office building architecture in the post war era in New York City.

Character

Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- The nominee is a person of integrity.
The nominee has a good reputation.
The nominee's character is satisfactory.

I would say that Mr. Luckman incorporates all the three above mentioned characteristics to the fullest degree.

I have known the nominee for 6 years in the relationship of friend and colleague.

Signed Robert A. Jacobs

Robert A. Jacobs, F.A.I.A.

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B. I met Mr. Luckman only once many years ago when he was director of Lever Brothers Company so that I do not feel entitled to appraise his personality. His activities to strengthen the profession are so impressive that I favor his nomination to Fellowship in the American Institute of Architects.

Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- The nominee is a person of integrity.
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Signed [Signature]
Walter Gropius, F.A.I.A.

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I have known the nominee for SIX years in the relationship of fellow architect

Signed Leon Chatelain, Jr.
Leon Chatelain, Jr., F.A.I.A.

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(state the category or categories)

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Although I have never served on the above commissions or committees with him, - I am sufficiently familiar with his contributions to know to urge that he be made a Fellow of the Institute.

Character

Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- The nominee is a person of integrity.
- The nominee has a good reputation.
- The nominee's character is satisfactory.
- _____

I have known the nominee for 1 years in the relationship of by reputation for many years and personally for 2 or 3 fellow-architects.

Signed J. Roy Carroll, Jr.
J. Roy Carroll, Jr., F.A.I.A.

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Important P.S.: It would seem to me he should be nominated also for the category of "Design."

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B. See Attachment

Character

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- The nominee is a person of integrity.
The nominee has a good reputation.
The nominee's character is satisfactory.
[X] The nominee is a public spirited citizen of the highest integrity.

I have known the nominee for five years in the relationship of fellow architect.

Signed [Signature] William S. Allen, F.A.I.A.

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ATTACHMENT

Nomination of Charles Luckman for Fellowship

As President of the California Council, American Institute of Architects, I am particularly aware of the significance of Mr. Luckman's efforts as a Trustee of the California State Colleges. He has educated this newly created Board of Trustees as to the most effective procedures for selecting and using private architects in their large building program. He has been the leader of this Board in its battle before the State Legislature to achieve and retain its recent power of engaging private architects, and in establishing the highest standards for architectural services for the State Colleges compared with the previous mediocre work of the State Division of Architecture. In so doing Mr. Luckman has performed a great service to his profession and his state, and in my opinion is most deserving of Fellowship for Achievement in Public Service.

Respectfully,



Wm. Stephen Allen, FAIA

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B. Mr. Luckman's most significant public service was to convince the California State Legislature of the value of private enterprise in the matter of architectural services. Almost single-handed he was responsible for legislation that permitted architects in private practice to do state colleges in California. He also accepted an appointment as trustee of our large state college system - lending his*

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- [X] The nominee is a person of integrity.
[] The nominee has a good reputation.
[] The nominee's character is satisfactory.
[]

I have known the nominee for 10 years in the relationship of Fellow Architect

Signed

Henry Lyman Wright, F.A.I.A.

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*knowledge and experience as an architect to the improvement of higher education in California

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(state the category or categories)

The nomination lists the following activity as a basis for advancement: 1). Advancement of architectural profession in State of California through efforts in accomplishing breakthrough for private practice in State work. 2). Many services for educational advancement. 3). Improvement of architects image throughout the United States. 4). Important Presidential assignments for many years.

Activity

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B.

Character

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- The nominee is a person of integrity.
- The nominee has a good reputation.
- The nominee's character is satisfactory.
- excellent

I have known the nominee for 10 years in the relationship of Chapter member

(over attached)

Signed Henry F. Wittey, F.A.I.A.
Santher City Chapter

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For his services to the Institute and in the field of School education
(state the category or categories)

The nomination lists the following activity as a basis for advancement:

He has for twenty five years contributed much time and efforts in advancing the services of the architectural profession in and for the Government and Universities throughout the country. He has been and is most active in many government philanthropic and trade activities

Activity

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B.

Character

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- The nominee is a person of integrity.
- The nominee has a good reputation.
- The nominee's character is satisfactory.
- _____

I have known the nominee for 15 years in the relationship of Chapter Membership.

Signed

Southern California Chapter

November 7, 1962

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B. As an architect currently associated with Mr. Luckman on a project, I have personal knowledge that he is a gentleman and has a fine appreciation for design. His activities have strengthened the image of the architect so consistently that I strongly believe him deserving of the honor.
Character

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- The nominee is a person of integrity.
- The nominee has a good reputation.
- The nominee's character is satisfactory.
- _____

I have known the nominee for seven years in the relationship of Joint Venture

Signed Kenneth S. Wing
Kenneth S. Wing, F.A.I.A.

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- 11 [x] The nominee is a person of integrity.
[] The nominee has a good reputation.
[] The nominee's character is satisfactory.
[]

I have known the nominee for 10 years in the relationship of his public activities

Signed Eugene Weston Jr. Eugene Weston, F.A.I.A.

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The nomination lists the following activity as a basis for advancement:

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B. Has identified successful architectural practice with successful big business.

Character

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Rare forcefulness

I have known the nominee for 5 years in the relationship of friend and committeeman.

Signed [Signature]

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B. As a fellow Los Angeles citizen and colleague I feel that Mr. Luckman's efficacy in the many undertakings listed above has been of an extremely high order. I highly commend him for recognition by the College of Fellows.

Stewart

Character

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- The nominee is a person of integrity.
- The nominee has a good reputation.
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- _____

I have known the nominee for 12 years in the relationship of COLLEAGUE & FRIEND

Signed George Vernon Russell
George Vernon Russell, F.A.I.A.

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FROM FIRST HAND EXPERIENCE WITH THE CALIFORNIA STATE LEGISLATURE I KNOW THAT CHARLES LUCKMAN WAS SINGLE-HANDEDLY RESPONSIBLE FOR PERSUADING THE LEGISLATURE TO APPROVE USE OF PRIVATE ARCHITECTS BY THE STATE COLLEGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Character

Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- The nominee is a person of integrity.
The nominee has a good reputation.
The nominee's character is satisfactory.
[]

I have known the nominee for 8 years in the relationship of COLLEAGUE
Ulysses Floyd Rible, F.A.I.A.

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B. SEE ATTACHED

Character

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- [X] The nominee is a person of integrity.
[] The nominee has a good reputation.
[] The nominee's character is satisfactory.
[]

I have known the nominee for 13 years in the relationship of architect

Signed John Leon Rex
John Leon Rex, F.A.I.A.

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B. Mr. Charles Luckman has distinguished himself as an architect and a civic leader not only in California but throughout the United States. His particular contribution in my opinion is his ability to communicate, direct and lead forcefully and effectively in every activity in which he participates.

I have personally served on boards and committees with him and his record of accomplishment has been outstanding in each instance. His activity in public service and his extremely capable leadership has brought the architect's position as a leader into focus as never before in this community.

One of the most outstanding contributions Mr. Luckman has made to the architectural profession and the people of California is his participation on the Board of Trustees of the California State Colleges. His dynamic leadership as the only architect on the Board has been an inspiration to the architects of California. The immense amount of State College architectural work, formerly accomplished by a State Architectural Bureau, which eliminated private architects from participating, has been returned to the private architects of the state.

As the only architect on the Board of Trustees of this important, state-wide group, Mr. Luckman has provided active understanding and competent leadership. The status of the architectural profession in California has been immeasurably increased as a result of Mr. Luckman's efforts as a Board Member.

The California Council of Architects at their recent convention in Monterey, California, awarded Mr. Luckman the Distinguished Service Award for his leadership in this and other contributions to the architectural profession. In my opinion no other architect in California has created the image of the architect as a civic and community leader to the extent Mr. Luckman has.

In the field of education he has acted on the boards or councils of seven colleges throughout the United States; he has participated actively in the affairs of the Institute both locally and nationally.

As a Board member and president of the Southern California Symphony, Hollywood Bowl Association and the Los Angeles Orchestra Society, member of the board of "A.I.O." United Givers", and presently a member of seven important State and National Commissions. Mr. Luckman has provided distinguished leadership representing the architectural profession.

In the field of general welfare he has served as Chairman of the Brotherhood Week, is a member of the Board of Directors of National Conference of Christians and Jews, a member of the Council of the International Chamber of Commerce, Committee for Support of Public Schools, a Board member of the United Nations Association, a member of the Committee for Economic Development and numerous other organizations.

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B. (cont'd)

The architectural profession, in its new and expanding role, now as never before needs members of the caliber and leadership abilities of Mr. Charles Luckman.

It gives me great pleasure as a California Architect to recommend Mr. Charles Luckman to the Jury of Fellows for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

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Charles Luckman's contribution in testimony and personal effort before the California legislature was of major importance in breaking the strangle hold on all state work that was held by the division of Architecture of the state. As a result many of California's architectural firms have a chance to design buildings for the state of California.

Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- The nominee is a person of integrity.
- The nominee has a good reputation.
- The nominee's character is satisfactory.
- _____

I have known the nominee for 10 years in the relationship of fellow architect

Signed Herbert J. Powell
Herbert J. Powell, F.A.I.A.

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(state the category or categories)

The nomination lists the following activity as a basis for advancement:

1. Work in California State College program to enable private architects to get contracts. 2. Contribution to both organized education and in the training of many architects within his organization. 3. Pioneer work in developing system whereby architects could develop projects within the client's budget.

In the space below, please list any further details about this activity which you can provide on the basis of direct personal experience, and explain why you would consider it a significant accomplishment in the advancement of the profession of Architecture. Additional information may be submitted on an attached sheet, but the Jury prefers the material to be brief and pertinent.

B. I was an employee and vice president of Mr. Luckman's organization for 9 years. During this time, I was able to observe his dedication toward the activities mentioned above as well as many others not mentioned, but important to our profession. The personal training and guidance I received from Mr. Luckman has contributed highly to any success I have had in my present practice.

Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- [X] The nominee is a person of integrity.
[] The nominee has a good reputation.
[] The nominee's character is satisfactory.
[]

I have known the nominee for 11 years in the relationship of employee and friend.

Signed James S. Moore So. Cal.

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Mr. Luckman is the only man who has ever been able to break the grip of the State architect on state work and bring the private architect into play. This architect today has a position of influence and dignity

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- The nominee is a person of integrity.
- The nominee has a good reputation.
- The nominee's character is satisfactory.
- _____

I have known the nominee for 15 years in the relationship of competitor and associate or one

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Signed *Albert C. Martin*

A. C. Martin, F.A.I.A.

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A. Charles Luckman's tremendous efforts on behalf of the Profession have assisted in increasing its prestige in the opinion of Government Officials **Activity** as well as the public.

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I have had the pleasure of working with Mr. Luckman as Committeeman on
B. some of his activities.

Character

Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the *character* of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- The nominee is a person of integrity.
- The nominee has a good reputation.
- The nominee's character is satisfactory.
- _____

I have known the nominee for 10 years in the relationship of Architect, Friend and Co-Committeeman

Signed

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HERMAN CHARLES LIGHT

ARCHITECT
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DLVF 12056

November 14, 1962

JURY OF FELLOWS
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed find endorsements of:

- (1) Wallace C. Bonsall
- (2) John J. Landon
- (3) Charles Luckman
- (4) I. Lloyd Roark, Jr.
- (5) C. Day Woodford

May I further reiterate my complete concurrence in the elevation of all of these Gentlemen to Fellowship in the American Institute of Architects.

Very truly yours,


Herman Charles Light

HCL:aa

Enclosures: 5 applications

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CONFIDENTIAL

CHARLES LUCKMAN is being nominated to Fellowship in The American Institute of Architects in Achievement in Public Service

(state the category or categories)

The nomination lists the following activity as a basis for advancement: 1. Meritorious service as member or chairman of eight U.S. Presidential Commissions and Governors' Commissions. 2. Twenty years of dedicated service to 28 major Community and Charitable causes in Chicago, Boston, N.Y. and L.A. 3. As member of Governing Boards of Northwestern U.; Calif. Inst. of Tech.; Loyola U. at L.A.; George Pepperdine College; and 18 Calif. State Colleges has advocated and secured active participation of architects in educational councils throughout the country.

Activity
In the space below, please list any further details about this activity which you can provide on the basis of direct personal experience, and explain why you would consider it a significant accomplishment in the advancement of the profession of Architecture. Additional information may be submitted on an attached sheet, but the Jury prefers the material to be brief and pertinent. 1. AS A SUB-COMM MEMBER, I OBSERVED THE EFFECTIVE PARTICIPATION OF MR. LUCKMAN ON THE GOVERNOR'S METROPOLITAN AFFAIRS COMMISSION FOR THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA. HIS EFFORTS CAUSED AN AWARENESS BY STATE AUTHORITIES OF THE IMPORTANCE OF STATE-WIDE PLANNING WITH THE PARTICIPATION OF THE ARCHITECT.

2. HE EFFECTIVELY PREPARED THE WAY FOR THE PRIVATE PRACTITIONER TO DO HIS SHARE OF THE STATE WORK, AND LATER AS A TRUSTEE FOR THE STATE COLLEGES, WAS ABLE TO SHOW HOW THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE WOULD BENEFIT FROM THE EFFORTS AND ABILITY OF THE ARCHITECTURAL PROFESSION

Character
Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- // The nominee is a person of integrity.
- The nominee has a good reputation.
- The nominee's character is satisfactory.
- _____

I have known the nominee for 11 years in the relationship of PRACTICING ARCHITECT

Signed A. Quincy Jones, Jr.
A. Quincy Jones, Jr., F.A.I.A.

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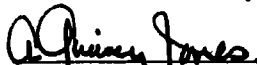
GENTLEMEN

ENCLOSED IS AIA FORM H-504 CONCERNING THE NOMINATION OF MR.
CHARLES LUCKMAN FOR FELLOWSHIP IN THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE
OF ARCHITECTS.

MR. LUCKMAN'S ACHIEVEMENTS, AS INDICATED ON THE ENCLOSED
FORM, IN BEHALF OF THE PROFESSION IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
ARE EVEN MORE SIGNIFICANT WHEN ONE REVIEWS THE HISTORY OF
THE STATE PUBLIC WORK. HE HAS BEEN RESPONSIBLE FOR THE RE-
VERSAL OF ATTITUDE BY THE STATE AUTHORITIES CONCERNING THE
USE OF THE ARCHITECT IN PRIVATE PRACTICE FOR THEIR PUBLIC
WORK. THE PROFESSION AS A GROUP HAS NOT BEEN ABLE TO ACCOM-
PLISH THE SAME RESULTS DURING THE TWENTY YEARS I HAVE PRAC-
TICED IN THE STATE. THE REAL RESULTS ARE INDICATED BY THE
FACT THAT SOME FOURTEEN OF THE EIGHTEEN CALIFORNIA STATE
COLLEGES ARE NOW BEING PLANNED AND DESIGNED BY THE PRIVATE
PRACTITIONER IN LIEU OF THE STATE ARCHITECT'S OFFICE.

I CANNOT RECOMMEND TOO STRONGLY THAT THE JURY ACT FAVORABLY
ON THE NOMINATION OF MR. CHARLES LUCKMAN.

SINCERELY YOURS,



A QUINCY JONES F.A.I.A.

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13 AUGUST 1962

JURY OF FELLOWS
AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
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WASHINGTON 6, D.C.

GENTLEMEN:

THIS LETTER IS WRITTEN AND INTENDED TO BE ATTACHED TO THE FORM "NOMINATION FOR FELLOWSHIP BY INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS" SUBMITTED CONCERNING THE FELLOWSHIP NOMINATION OF CHARLES LUCKMAN. IT IS NECESSARY FOR ME TO BE OUT OF THE COUNTRY AT THE TIME OF SUBMISSION FOR THE ABOVE MENTIONED FORM AND I WANT TO SUBMIT MY WHOLE HEARTED SUPPORT OF THIS ACTION.

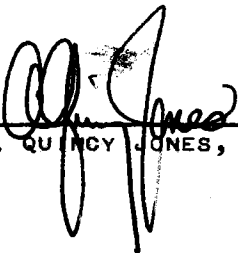
For review

MR. LUCKMAN HAS WORKED HARD AND HAS BEEN MOST SUCCESSFUL IN RECENT LEGISLATIVE ACTION IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA ON MATTERS CONCERNING THE WELFARE OF THE ARCHITECTURAL PROFESSION IN THE STATE. HE, ALMOST SINGLE HANDED, WAS ABLE TO CONVINCE THE STATE AUTHORITIES TO COMMISSION ARCHITECTS IN PRIVATE PRACTICE TO DO THE WORK FOR SOME FOURTEEN OF THE STATE COLLEGES. THIS NEW POLICY INVOLVES THE SITE AND MASTER PLANNING AS WELL AS THE ARCHITECTURAL COMMISSIONS FOR INDIVIDUAL BUILDINGS. THIS THE FIRST TIME IN THE TWENTY YEARS OF MY PRACTICE IN CALIFORNIA THAT THE PRIVATE PRACTITIONER HAS BROKEN THE COMPLETE CONTROL HELD BY THE STATE ARCHITECT ON THIS COLLEGE WORK.

IN ADDITION, MR. LUCKMAN, AS A MEMBER OF THE GOVERNOR'S COMMISSION ON METROPOLITAN AFFAIRS, INITIATED RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE GOVERNOR THAT ELEVATED THE STATUS OF OUR PROFESSION IN THE EYES OF THE LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITIES IN THE STATE CAPITOL.

IT IS MY SINCERE HOPE THAT YOU AS THE JURY OF FELLOWS OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS WILL ACT FAVORABLY ON THE NOMINATION OF MR. LUCKMAN.

RESPECTFULLY YOURS,


A. QUINCY JONES, FAIA

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(state the category or categories)

The nomination lists the following activity as a basis for advancement: 1). Advancement of architectural profession in State of California through efforts in accomplishing breakthrough for private practice in state work. 2). Many services for educational advancement. 3). Improvement of architects image throughout the United States. 4). Important Presidential assignments for many years.

Activity

In the space below, please list any further details about this activity which you can provide on the basis of direct personal experience, and explain why you would consider it a significant accomplishment in the advancement of the profession of Architecture. Additional information may be submitted on an attached sheet, but the Jury prefers the material to be brief and pertinent.

B.

Character

Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- The nominee is a person of integrity.
- The nominee has a good reputation.
- The nominee's character is satisfactory.
- _____

I have known the nominee for 5 years in the relationship of Social friends

Signed Paul W. Dineen Hunter

So

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In the space below, please list any further details about this activity which you can provide on the basis of direct personal experience, and explain why you would consider it a significant accomplishment in the advancement of the profession of Architecture. Additional information may be submitted on an attached sheet, but the Jury prefers the material to be brief and pertinent.

B. He is outstanding in the field of public service which with its resultant public relations has set a new standard shared by all of the architects in the country. His energy is boundless and his dedication to the profession is sincere. He has raised the public's image of an architect to a new high.

Character

Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- 11 [x] The nominee is a person of integrity.
[] The nominee has a good reputation.
[] The nominee's character is satisfactory.
[]

I have known the nominee for 10 years in the relationship of sincere competitor.

Signed [Signature] Earl T. Heitschmidt, F.A.I.A.

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Activity

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B. See Attachment

Character

Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- Three checked boxes: The nominee is a person of integrity. The nominee has a good reputation. The nominee's character is satisfactory. One unchecked box with a line for a fourth statement.

a member of: So. Calif. Chapter A. I. A., C. C. A. I. A. and A. I. A.

I have known the nominee for Six years in the relationship of

Signed William H. Harrison I.A.A.

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AIA Form H-504
Attachment

B.

1) As Chairman of the California Council of Architects School Building Committee for two years, and its representative to the California Education Study Council, I have been in position to observe that Charles Luckman has done an outstanding job to implement the Plan for Higher Learning. He is advancing the profession of Architecture.

2) He has improved the outlook of Architects and the profession by his interpretation to the Architects of the needs and attitudes of American Industry and Business. His activities have created an image of Architects as able men.

3) In traveling with an Architectural Jury, observing some of the work of his firm, it is apparent that he has also great design appreciation and ability.



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Charles Luckman is being nominated to Fellowship in The American Institute of Architects in service to the public

(state the category or categories)

The nomination lists the following activity as a basis for advancement:

A. Board of Trustees, California State Colleges

Activity

In the space below, please list any further details about this activity which you can provide on the basis of direct personal experience, and explain why you would consider it a significant accomplishment in the advancement of the profession of Architecture. Additional information may be submitted on an attached sheet, but the Jury prefers the material to be brief and pertinent.

B. In his public service, Mr. Luckman contributes notably to the stature of the architect in the public eye.

Character

Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- The nominee is a person of integrity.
- // The nominee has a good reputation.
- The nominee's character is satisfactory.
- _____

I have known the nominee for 2 years in the relationship of chapter member.

Signed Robert E. Cox

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(state the category or categories)

The nomination lists the following activity as a basis for advancement:

A.

Activity

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B.

(over)

Character

Kindly check the one of the following statements which best describes the character of the nominee, or add a fourth in your own terms.

- The nominee is a person of integrity.
The nominee has a good reputation.
The nominee's character is satisfactory.
See over

I have known the nominee for 5 years in the relationship of joint venture associate

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Signed Theodore C. Chiley, Jr.

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So. Cal.

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Our firm (Criley and McDowell) was associated at client's request in a joint venture with Charles Luckman Associates for approximately two years. The drawings and specifications were produced by Mr. Luckman's office and we supervised construction and performed contract administration. This experience leads me to be unsympathetic to the proposed advancement of Mr. Luckman to Fellowship. I have never seen professional work of such poor quality as that produced by Charles Luckman Associates, and felt that Mr. Luckman showed neither a fair attitude toward the contractor nor reasonable responsibility toward his client's budget.

The fact that the proposed Fellowship is in recognition of Mr. Luckman's impressive record of public service will not be apparent to the layman, who should rightly feel that F.A.I.A. after a man's name indicated outstanding ability and high repute among his fellow Architects. As far as I am concerned, he has shown neither.

Thomas Criley

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CONFIDENTIAL

October 17, 1962

UNFAVORABLE

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

Re: Nomination of Charles Luckman for Fellowship

Gentlemen:

I have been notified by a form letter from the Secretary of the Southern California Chapter that the Executive Committee and the Fellowship Committee have completed their nominations for this year and did not include the name of Charles Luckman.

The Secretary's letter indicated that certain members have made the nomination.

It will probably be remembered that Charles Luckman and I were partners for eight years. The partnership was terminated at my request.

I have always known that one day he would be advocated for Fellowship in the Institute and I rather hoped that I would be out of the country or perhaps unaware of the nomination. Since neither circumstances exist, I am faced with the prospect of ignoring this nomination or opposing it, since I cannot in good conscience support it.

I have decided to oppose it for the same reasons that I opposed the continuance of any relationship whatsoever between Charles Luckman and myself. I could not continue a relationship with a man whom I found to be without integrity and without a basic respect for ethical behavior.

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The Jury of Fellows
October 17, 1962
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I write this negative letter deeply troubled. If the Jury elects Luckman for affirmative reasons advanced by others then I feel that at least I have done my duty as a Fellow of the College in opposing his nomination.

Sincerely yours,



William L. Pereira, F. A. I. A.

WLP/kb

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VICTOR GRUEN architect f.a.i.a.

architecture engineering planning

Victor Gruen
R. L. Baumfeld
Edgardo Contini
Karl Van Leuwen
Ben H. Southland
Herman Guttman

November 20, 1962

*UNfavorable
Significant*

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

Dear Mr. Chairman:

It has come to my attention that Mr. Charles Luckman has been nominated for Fellowship in The American Institute of Architects.

A few months ago, Mr. William Pereira, F.A.I.A., who was as you know in partnership with Mr. Luckman for many years, related to me certain facts about Mr. Luckman which, if true, would make it most definitely appear that the honor of Fellowship should not be bestowed on Mr. Luckman. Mr. Pereira knew at the time I talked to him about Mr. Luckman's efforts to be nominated to Fellowship. I asked him whether, in that case, he would be willing to repeat the statements which he had made to me and he answered that he would. I believe, therefore, that it would be indicated to invite Mr. William Pereira to testify in the matter of this nomination. Should my information concerning the nomination of Mr. Luckman for Fellowship be erroneous, I beg you of course to disregard this letter.

Very truly yours,

VICTOR GRUEN ARCHITECT F.A.I.A.

VG/hh

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One or more of the principals listed above are licensed architects or engineers in the following states: Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Florida, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Texas, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming; and in the District of Columbia.

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Re. Charles Luckman
Nomination

December 11, 1962

Mr. Victor Gruen, FAIA
2 West 13th Street
New York 11, New York

Dear Mr. Gruen:

On behalf of the Chairman of The Jury of Fellows permit me to acknowledge receipt of your letter of November 20th with reference to the nomination of Mr. Charles Luckman, AIA, for advancement to Fellowship in The Institute.

For your confidential information, Mr. William Pereira, FAIA, has written to the Jury in this same matter, and his letter is on file to be brought to the attention of the Jury at its meeting in 1963, when Mr. Luckman's nomination is under consideration.

Very truly yours,

(Miss) Florence H. Gervais
Secretary to The Jury of Fellows

Unfavorable

NOMINATION FOR ACHIEVEMENT IN "SERVICE TO THE PUBLIC"

NOMINEE'S FULL NAME - CHARLE LUCKMAN

NOMINEE'S FIRM NAME - CHARLES LUCKMAN AND ASSOCIATES.

"Service to the Public" Mr. Luckman was appointed by the Governor to the Board of Trustees, California State Colleges. He disqualified his firm from any possible participation, and then initiated a program of advancing the status of the architectural profession. As a result, today, private architectural firms are participating in the building assignments and as well have been appointed as consulting architects to the individual colleges. He is Chairman of the Campus Planning Committee and also a member of the Educational Policy Committee and a member of the Gifts and Public Affairs Committee.

During the past twenty-five years Mr. Luckman has been and is contributing time and effort in the field of education in addition to that mentioned above. Such activities include: Board of Associates, Northwestern University, Institute of Industrial Relations, University of California - Member Board of trustees, California State College System - Member Board of Associates California Institute of Technology - Member, University of Illinois Foundation, Urbana - Member, President's Council, George Pepperrdine College - Member, President's Council, Loyola University.

For the past ten years Mr. Luckman has been a vocal proponent of the need for architects to make every effort to keep their projects within the client's budget. He was appointed by the President of the AIA, Chairman of a special committee to develop material which might help advance the profession in this regard. After one year of research, time and effort, Mr. Luckman made his presentation before the Board of Directors of the AIA at the Dallas Convention. The Board felt the results could be very beneficial to the profession and have therefore made the material available to all the current regional seminars. Mr. Luckman has turned over the copyrights to the A.I.A. so that the material can be published.

Public Welfare: Mr. Luckman has been Vice-President, President and member of the Board of Directors of the Southern California Symphony Association - Hollywood Bowl Association and the Los Angeles Orchestral Society.

Charities: One of the founders of "AID - United Givers". This "one drive for all" campaign raised 80 million dollars for the various community charities. He is a member of the Board of Directors. He is also serving as a member of the Board and Chairman of various fund raising committees of the American Red Cross, the Y.M.C.A. the Children's Hospital, the Boy Scouts of America and the Community Chests of America. He has served as Chairman of Brotherhood Week and as a member of the Board of Directors of the National Conference of Christians and Jews; Member of the Council of the International Chamber of Commerce; Member of the International Committee for the Support of Public Schools, Washington, D. C.

Mr. Luckman has been or is currently serving the government as follows: President's Commission on Equality of Treatment and Opportunity in Armed Services - President's Commission on Civil Rights - President's Food Commission - President's Committee on International Trade Development - Governor's Commission on Metropolitan Area Problems - National Rivers and Harbors Congress-Advisory Committee - Citizen's Committee for International Development.

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Are we awarding following for being good politicians?

Not by me.

Allen L. McGill

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