

Dated (Undated) 19 .
Received October 5, 1953.
Granted January 15, 1954

MEMBERSHIP NO 9582



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

RECORD OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INSTITUTE

*In due order
December 7, 1953
JH Services*

- A Name of applicant Howard Schroder Chapter San Joaquin
- B Address of applicant 701 Carmen Avenue, Fresno, California
- C Applicant proposed by James A. Daley and Walter Wagner
- D Application received with check for \$20.00 on October 5, 1953
- E Application returned for correction 19 .
- F Application in due order on December 7, 1953
Record of registration, Form S39, Sent Calif. Oct. 6, 1953 Received October 19, 1953.
- G Notices sent to chapter executive committee:
 - (a) Form S11, reasonable time ending on November 7, 1953 on October 7, 1953
 - (b) Form S12, 30-day extension ending on December 7, 1953 on November 7, 1953
- H Acknowledgments to applicant, ~~proposers~~, and chapter on October 7, 1953
- I Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission or that application be denied received on 19 .
- J No report from chapter executive committee on December 7, 1953
- K Application sent to The Board of Examiners on January 5, 1954
- L The Board of Examiners reported on application on January 5, 1954
- M Applicant was admitted on January 15, 1954
- N Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter ~~and to~~ ~~proposers~~ on January 15, 1954
- O Notice of denial of application to chapter and applicant and \$ 19 .
returned to applicant on 19 .

CERTIFICATION OF ELECTION AND ASSIGNMENT

I, Secretary of The American Institute of Architects, hereby certify that, under authority vested in me by The Board of Directors, I have this day duly elected

Howard Schroder

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

Date January 15, 19 54

Joseph Bain Cummings
Secretary

APPLICATION NO

INSTRUCTIONS

Type in all information carefully and sign with ink.

Mail this original and check for \$20.00 to The Secretary, The American Institute of Architects, 1741 New York Avenue, N. W., Washington 6, D. C.

File the duplicate, on yellow paper, with the secretary of the local Chapter of The Institute.



The American Institute of Architects

APPLICATION FOR CORPORATE MEMBERSHIP

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

1. My full name is Howard Schroder

2. I am a citizen of the United States. Yes

3. My legal residence is in the City of Fresno, California

County of Fresno State of California

4. My address in The Institute records will be 701 Carmen Avenue, Fresno, California

Number 701 Street Carmen City Fresno Zone State California

5. I am engaged in the profession of architecture as a Practicing Architect

6. I desire to be a member of the San Joaquin Chapter.

7. I declare that I will comply with the By-laws; and the Standards of Professional Practice of The American Institute of Architects, which are attached hereto; and the Rules and Regulations supplementary thereto; and that I understand the duties, responsibilities, and obligations of a member of The Institute; and that I have read and understand all the information contained in this form and its attachments.

8. I have filed the duplicate of this application with the secretary of the Chapter above named. I am not indebted to The Institute or to any of its component organizations.

9. I enclose my check for \$20.00, for admission fee and the first year's annual dues, of which \$1.00 is for a year's subscription to the Bulletin of The American Institute of Architects. It is my understanding that if I am not admitted to membership \$10.00 will be returned to me, and \$10.00 retained by The Institute as an examination fee.

Date PAID 20-1976/53

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Howard Schroder Applicant sign full name in ink

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State whether natural or a naturalized citizen.

State whether residence or office address.

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

STATISTICS

10. Date of birth July 14, 1891 Place of birth San Francisco, California

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

California

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

California

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

EDUCATION

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

Name of School, College, University	Location	No. of Years	Year of Graduation	Degree
Wilmerding High	San Francisco	4	1907	
University of California	Berkeley	2		

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

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

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

	From	To
Bakewell & Brown, San Francisco	1901	1917
Bliss Faville, " "	1917	1919
C. W. Dickey, Oakland	1919	1923
Architect for Board of Education of Oakland, California	1923	1925
In business as Architect - Oakland	1925	1930
Samuel Lunden - Chief Draftsman, L.A.	1934	1935
Walker & Eisen - Chief Draftsman, L.A.	1935	1936
Capital Co. " " , L.A.	1936	1939
In business as Architect - Los Angeles	1939	1942
Wurdeman & Becket - Office Mgr. and Spec. Writer, Los Angeles	1945	1952
Walter Wagner, Spec Writer, Fresno	1952	-----

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
 ARCHIVES
 WASHINGTON, D.C.
 1958 001-5510-28

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

14. I list below, in chronological order, the periods during which and the states in which I have practiced architecture as an individual or as a member of a firm or corporation or as a public official or have taught architecture or the arts and sciences allied therewith. (State names of firms or corporations or public office and of schools or colleges).

	From	To
California		
California	1925	1930
California	1939	1942

15. Is architecture your principal vocation?

Yes

BUSINESS AFFILIATIONS

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

None

PRESENT OR PREVIOUS MEMBERSHIPS IN ARCHITECTURAL ORGANIZATIONS

17. Member of Institute from	None	to	
18. Junior of Institute from	None	to	
19. Associate of	None	Chapter from	to
20. Junior Associate of	None	Chapter from	to
21. Student Associate of	None	Chapter from	to
22. Member of State Organization in	None	from	to

ENDORSEMENT BY PROPOSERS

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

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I have read the statements made hereinabove by the applicant and believe them to be correct. I vouch for his honorable standing in this community and in his profession, and I believe he is fully qualified for membership and I propose him therefor.

I have known the applicant for _____ years. I have known the applicant for _____ years.

Signed Alan Daley
Proposer

212 W. Vassar Ave
Address

Fresno, Calif

James H. Daley

Signed Walter Wagner
Proposer

1830 Van Ness Ave
Address

Fresno, Calif

Walter Wagner



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Office of The Secretary

RECORD OF REGISTRATION

OF

Howard Schroder - Fresno, California

(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,

BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS,

Los Angeles, California

Address

Dear Sir:

The above named applicant for membership in The American Institute of Architects is an architect practicing in your state.

To qualify for such membership, an applicant, must be registered or licensed by the state to practice architecture therein.

Will you please answer the following questions relating to the applicant's registration, to assist The Institute in determining his eligibility for membership? A duplicate of the form is enclosed for your files.

Date October 6, 1953

George Bain Cummings
Secretary

1. Is the applicant registered or licensed to practice architecture in your state? Yes
2. Was his registration or licensing by examination? yes or by exemption?
3. What was the scope of the examination? written and oral
4. What was the period of the examination? 4 days. Written examination 36 hours; Oral examination 1 hours.
5. When examined, did applicant have a certificate from the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards? no. If so, give Certificate No.
6. Date of first registration Nov. 28 1922 Registration No. C B-1162 Is it current? yes

Robert K Kelley
(Signature of Secretary of Board)

Date Oct. 13, 1953 California State Board of Architectural Examiners
(Name of Board)

January 15, 1954

**Mr. Howard Schreder, A.I.A.
701 Carmen Avenue
Fresno, California**

Dear Sir:

I am pleased to inform you that your application for membership in The Institute was acted on favorably by The Board of Directors and that you were admitted to corporate membership in The Institute and assigned as indicated below.

You will be a member of the listed organizations, unless you later transfer therefrom, until your membership in The Institute terminates.

Your certificate of membership, duly executed by the Officers of The Institute, will be sent in due course.

The Board of Directors welcomes you to membership in The Institute, and my office is at your service to the extent of its powers.

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

I bespeak your active cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary

ASSIGNMENTS:

Chapter: **San Joaquin Chapter, A.I.A.**
State Organization: **California Council of Architects, A.I.A.**
Effective Date: **January 15, 1954**

GBC/fhg
Enclosures:

HOWARD SCHRODER A.I.A.
ARCHITECT

TELEPHONE
8-3404

MASON BLDG.
1044 FULTON ST.
FRESNO 21, CALIFORNIA

January 7, 1955

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

Mr. George Bain Cummings

On December 17, 1954, I received a notice from you stating that I was subject to suspension for non-payment of dues for 1954. At the time I was flabergasted and sent you a check #1332 dated 12-17-54. Since that time I find that you issued me a card stating that my dues were paid for the year ending December 31, 1954.

In return for the above check you sent me another card stating that dues are paid for the year ending 12-31-54. But made out to a:

HOWARD EDWARD SCHROEDER

I am not Howard Edward Schroeder and inasmuch as your office has been confused and my 1954 dues were paid I request that you send me a 1955 card for the money I mailed you on December 17, 1954.

Yours very truly,


Howard Schroeder

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

1735 NEW YORK AVENUE, N. W.
WASHINGTON 6, D. C.

February 2, 1955

Mr. Howard Schroder, A.I.A.
Mason Building, 315
1044 Fulton Street
Fresno 21, California

Dear Mr. Schroder:

This is in response to your letter addressed to
Mr. Cummings regarding your membership dues.

You should not have received a suspension notice
or a statement, but your name was confused with
another member with a similar name.

Your dues for 1954 were paid at the time of your
admission. Your dues for 1955 are \$20.00 and we
have credited this amount to your account and
are enclosing the Institute's check for \$5.00-
the overpayment when your check for \$25.00 was
received in December.

We regret the inconvenience this confusion has
caused you.

Your membership card for 1955 is enclosed.

Sincerely yours,

Robert L. Eger
Treasurer's Office

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*member
Schroder, Howard*

HOWARD SCHRODER A.I.A.
ARCHITECT

TELEPHONE
8-3404

MASON BLDG.
1044 FULTON ST.
FRESNO 21, CALIFORNIA

February 2, 1955 **FILE COPY - PLEASE RETURN**

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

Mr. Geo. Bain Cummings:

In my letter to you dated Jan. 7, 1955, I stated that I had paid my dues for 1954, but being somewhat disturbed upon receipt of a notice from you that I was subject to suspension, I sent you another check for 1954 dues.

To review the past events, may I request that you refer to your files for your letter of Oct. 7, 1953, in which you state that you received my application and my check for \$20.00; I hold the canceled check #576 dated Sept. 28, 1953.

Subsequently, I received a letter dated Jan. 15, 1954, stating that I was elected to membership as of Jan. 15, 1954, and was assigned to the San Joaquin Chapter A.I.A. Enclosed with this letter was a NOTICE OF ELECTION TO MEMBERSHIP NO. AP 9582 and a membership card stating that I am a member for the year ending Dec. 31, 1954.

I cannot understand why I have not heard from you giving a reason for the obvious mistake and forwarding a 1955 membership card to Howard Schroder, rather than a 1954 card to HOWARD EDWARD SCHRODER.

Yours very truly,

Howard Schroder
Howard Schroder

HS:wc

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PHILIP S. BUCKINGHAM
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J A M E S J. N A R G I S
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A M E R I C A N I N S T I T U T E O F A R C H I T E C T S
S A N J O A Q U I N C H A P T E R O F C A L I F O R N I A

November 7, 1956

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

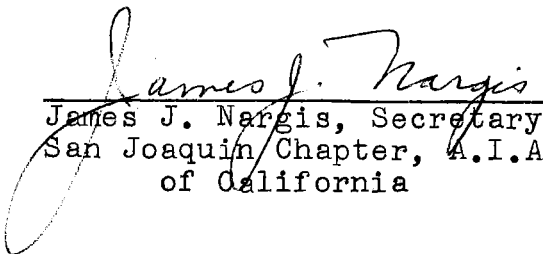
Re: Suspension
Mr. Howard Schroeder
Mason Building
Fresno 5, California

Gentlemen:

Mr. Howard Schroeder, a member of the San Joaquin Chapter of the A.I.A., has been delinquent in his local Chapter dues for several years and in addition, has not attended any Chapter meetings.

We, therefore, request that Mr. Schroeder's membership be suspended until the matter of the unpaid Chapter dues are straightened out in conformance with the National A.I.A. Bylaws, Article 2, Section 4 b-2 and Section 4-c.

Very truly yours,


James J. Nargis, Secretary
San Joaquin Chapter, A.I.A.
of California

JJN:ja

cc: Philip Buckingham

November 21, 1956

Mr. James J. Nargis, Secretary
San Joaquin Chapter, A.I.A.
627 Rowell Building
Fresno 21, California

Dear Mr. Nargis:

Your letter of November 7th is at hand, and herewith is copy of letter we are writing to Mr. Howard Schroeder, advising of the impending suspension of his corporate membership for non-payment of his chapter dues. His A.I.A. dues are paid for 1956.

Please be sure to let me know if Mr. Schroeder should pay his dues anytime between the present and the second week in January, when the Committee on Membership will hold its next meeting after the deadline of December 21st given to him.

Sincerely yours,

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

Enclosure

*Join
come on memberships*

November 21, 1956

Mr. Howard Schroeder
Mason Building
Fresno 5, California

Dear Mr. Schroeder:

As you know, every corporate member of The Institute must be assigned to a local chapter and pay dues to that Chapter.

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

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

The San Joaquin Chapter, to which you are assigned, has requested that your membership in The Institute and the Chapter be suspended for non-payment of chapter dues.

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

Your response to the above will be greatly appreciated not later than December 21, 1956, for we must proceed to act on the Chapter's recommendation that your membership be suspended at the next meeting of The Committee on Membership held thereafter, if the past dues are not paid by that date.

The Secretary of the San Joaquin Chapter is Mr. James J. Nargis, 627 Rowell Building, Fresno 21, California, should you wish to communicate with him in this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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

Copy to Mr. Nargis

HOWARD SCHRODER A.I.A.
ARCHITECT

TELEPHONE
AMB-3404

MASON BLDG.
1044 FULTON ST.
FRESNO 21, CALIFORNIA

23 November 1956

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

Attn: Miss Florence H. Gervais

Dear Miss Gervais:

I was not aware that I was subject to suspension from the San Joaquin Chapter as you mentioned in your letter of November 21.

I made a payment to the California Council on June 19, past and have not received any further notice from the secretary of the Chapter since.

It might be well if the secretary would notify the various members of the amount of annual dues as determined by the Executive Committee so that all concerned may have the privilege of paying their assessment on time.

The secretaries of various other organizations I belong to send out notices of dues to all members stating amount and due date, why not the local Chapters?

Yours very truly,



Howard Schroder
ARCHITECT

HS/vq

cc: James Nargis

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on membership*

December 5, 1956

Mr. Howard Schroder
Mason Building
1044 Fulton Street
Fresno 21, California

Dear Mr. Schroder:

Thank you for your letter of November 28th, with regard to your dues to the San Joaquin Chapter.

It is noted that you have sent a copy of that letter to the Secretary, Mr. James Nargis, and no doubt he will look into the matter of your June payment and communicate further with you and with us.

We sincerely hope the situation can be cleared up to the satisfaction of all concerned by December 21st, unless the Chapter should request further action on the recommendation to suspend your membership be postponed until further notice.

A copy of this letter is being sent to Mr. Nargis for his information.

Sincerely yours,

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

Copy to Mr. Nargis

Please let us know if any further action in this case is to be postponed pending investigation of Mr. Schroder's claim.

HOWARD SCHRODER A.I.A.
ARCHITECT

TELEPHONE
AM 8-3404

MASON BLDG.
1044 FULTON ST.
FRESNO 21, CALIFORNIA

11 December 1956

San Joaquin Chapter A.I.A.
James J. Nargis, Secretary
c/o Swartz & Hyberg
Rowell Bldg.
Fresno, California

Dear Mr. Nargis:

May I again ask you to send me a statement
indicating what dues I owe to the Chapter.

Thanking you for your courtesy, I remain

Very truly yours,



Howard Schroder
ARCHITECT

HS/vq

cc: Florence H. Gervais

*Com M. Nargis
Jan. 2*

December 20, 1956

Mr. James J. Nargis, Secretary
San Joaquin Chapter, A.I.A.
627 Howell Building
Fresno 21, California

Dear Mr. Nargis:

You have received a letter from Mr. Howard Schroder, A.I.A., of Fresno, California, under date of December 11 (copy of which he sent to me) as well as copy of his letter to me of November 28 - in both of which he indicated his interest in taking care of his chapter dues if a statement is sent to him.

We hope you will find it possible to do this at an early date, if you have not already done so, in order that Mr. Schroder might preserve his corporate membership in good standing.

We are sure you will keep us advised when such action is taken.

Sincerely yours,

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

Copy to Mr. Schroder



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

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

January 8, 1957

REPORT ON RECOMMENDATION OF SUSPENSION OF MEMBERSHIP

To The Secretary
The American Institute of Architects

Name of Member: Howard Schroder, Fresno, California

Chapter: San Joaquin

Corporate Membership Record:

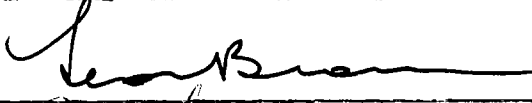
<u>Elected:</u>	1954
<u>A.I.A. Dues:</u>	Paid to December 31, 1956
<u>Chapter Dues:</u>	Owes for "several years"

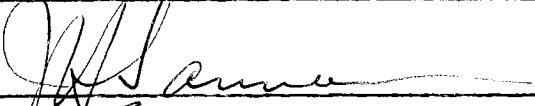
The recommendation of the San Joaquin Chapter that the corporate membership of Mr. Howard Schroder be suspended for non-payment of chapter dues is attached.

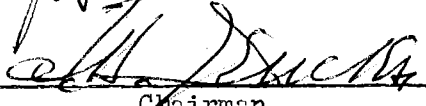
Recommendation:

On the record above submitted, The Committee on Membership recommends that the corporate membership of Mr. Howard Schroder in The Institute and the San Joaquin Chapter be suspended, effective January 1, 1957, for non-payment of chapter dues.

THE COMMITTEE ON MEMBERSHIP







 Chairman

January 22, 1957

Mr. James J. Nargis, Secretary
San Joaquin Chapter, A.I.A.
627 Rowell Building
Fresno 21, California

NOTICE OF SUSPENSION OF CORPORATE
MEMBERSHIP

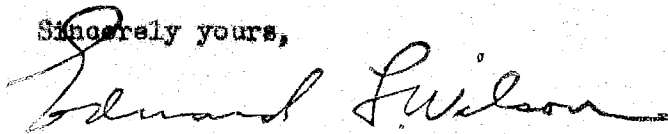
Dear Mr. Nargis:

In accordance with the request of the San Joaquin Chapter, dated November 7, 1956, to suspend the corporate membership of Mr. Howard Schroder for default in payment of chapter dues, The Board of Directors has suspended his membership for the period of one year effective January 1, 1957, and has notified him to that effect as per enclosed copy of letter.

Within the year of suspension Mr. Schroder may restore his membership to good standing by payment of his outstanding indebtedness, in which case please be sure to notify The Secretary of The Institute for the record.

At the end of the period of suspension, if he has not restored his membership to good standing in the interim, the Chapter has the privilege of recommending the termination of his membership.

Sincerely yours,



EDWARD L. WILSON, Secretary

ELW/g

Enclosure

Copy to the California Council, The American Institute of Architects

FILE COPY - PLEASE RETURN

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Members
Schroeder Howard

7/21/57
B
AIA

January 22, 1957

Mr. Howard Schroeder
Mason Building
Fresno 21, California

Dear Mr. Schroeder:

In accordance with the request of the San Joaquin Chapter that your corporate membership in The American Institute of Architects be suspended for your indebtedness to it for chapter dues, The Board of Directors, as required by the provisions of Chapter I, Article 2, Section 4, paragraph (b-2) of The Institute By-laws, has suspended your membership in The Institute and the San Joaquin Chapter, of which you are a member, effective January 1, 1957.

In this connection, your attention is called to the provision of the By-laws of The Institute which reads:

"A corporate member is not in good standing in The Institute or in any of its component organizations if he is under suspension. Immediately upon the suspension of a corporate member, his rights in The Institute and in any of its chapters or state organizations shall be withdrawn until he is restored to good standing."

In addition, The Board of Directors has adopted the following rules with respect to corporate members under suspension:

1. They shall not use the initials "A.I.A."
2. They shall not hold themselves out to the public as members of The Institute.
3. They shall not be classified as members of The Institute by the A.I.A.
4. They shall be removed from the mailing list of The Institute for the period of their suspensions.
5. They will be required to pay dues.
6. They shall not be allowed to attend meetings or participate in any way in Institute activities.

The purpose of The Institute in permitting a membership to be suspended for default of dues rather than terminated forthwith is to enable the member in default to restore his membership within the period of one year from the date of suspension, without paying a re-admission fee and without applying therefor. The period of grace in your case terminates on December 31, 1957, unless your indebtedness for chapter dues is taken care of in the interim.

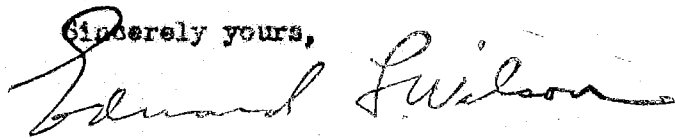
At any time during the period of suspension you may restore your membership to good standing by payment of such defaulted dues.

The Institute values and needs your active support. The other Officers join with

Mr. Howard Schroder - Page #2

me in the hope that your membership may soon be restored to good standing.

Sincerely yours,



EDWARD L. WILSON, Secretary

ELW/g

Copy to the Secretary, San Joaquin Chapter, A.I.A.

HOWARD SCHRODER A.I.A.
ARCHITECT

TELEPHONE
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MASON BLDG.
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FRESNO 21, CALIFORNIA

13 February 1957

American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Ave. N.W.
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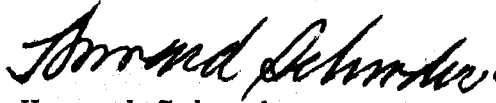
Attn: Mr. Edw L. Wilson

Dear Mr. Wilson:

In response to your letter of Jan. 27, 1957
I mailed to the Secretary of the San Joaquin
Chapter a check in the amount of \$24.00 with
note stating if the amount was not correct
to please notify me.

This whole affair could have been avoided
had the secretary answered my request for
a statement as to my account several months
ago.

Sincerely yours,



Howard Schroder
ARCHITECT

HS/vq

February 28, 1957

Mr. Howard Schroder
Mason Building
Fresno 21, California

Dear Mr. Schroder:

We are gratified to learn from your letter of February 13th that you have forwarded payment for your chapter dues to the Secretary of the San Joaquin Chapter, which will restore your membership to good standing therein and in The Institute.

Just as soon as notice to this effect is received from the Chapter the records at The Institute can be corrected accordingly.

Sincerely yours,



Edward L. Wilson
Secretary

ELW/g

Copy to the Secretary, San Joaquin Chapter, A.I.A.

Please notify us, for the record, that Mr. Schroder has restored his membership in the Chapter to good standing by payment of his 1956 dues. When this advice is received, formal notification of restoration of good standing will be sent.

Copy to Secretary, California Council, The American Institute of Architects

Suspense

May 2, 1957

Mr. Paul H. Harris, Secretary
San Joaquin Chapter, A.I.A.
1830 Van Ness
Fresno 21, California

Dear Mr. Harris:

Under date of February 28, 1957, we sent to you copy of our letter addressed to Mr. Howard Schroder, A.I.A., of Fresno, with regard to his advice that he had paid up his delinquent chapter dues, thus restoring his membership to good standing.

We asked that you verify this statement in order that formal restoration might be made.

We shall appreciate hearing from you in this matter at your early convenience, inasmuch as Mr. ^{Schroder} Harris remains as a suspended member on The Institute's records, until actual restoration of good standing can be properly made.

Sincerely yours,

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

Edwin S Darden Fresno
~~2447 Bagdad~~
627 Powell Bldg
Fresno 21

Suspense

August 8, 1957

Mr. Edwin S. Darden, Treasurer
San Joaquin Chapter, A.I.A.
627 Rowell Building
Fresno 21, California

Dear Mr. Darden:

As you will recall, the corporate membership of Mr. Howard Schroder, A.I.A., was suspended for non-payment of chapter dues as of January 1, 1957, and is still carried on the roster of A.I.A. members as suspended.

On February 13 Mr. Schroder advised us that he had sent his check to the Chapter for his dues in default. However, before restoring his membership to good standing on our records, we need advice from the Chapter confirming this payment.

Under dates of February 28th and May 3rd we asked your Chapter Secretary to notify us that Mr. Schroder was in good standing in the Chapter, but have not received any response.

Obviously, it is unfair to Mr. Schroder to carry him as a suspended member if he has taken care of his dues and made the effort to restore his good standing.

We shall be indebted to you if you will advise us, at your early convenience, in this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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

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August 14, 1957

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

Attention: Miss Florence H. Gervais
Secretary of Memberships and Records

Gentlemen:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter dated August 8, 1957
inquiring as to the status of Mr. Howard Schroeder, suspended.

Our records indicate Mr. Schroeder paid only his San Joaquin
Chapter Dues in 1955. He then paid only his California
Council Assessment in 1956, which we credited back to his
unpaid 1955 California Council Assessment. I have no record
of any further payment being made.

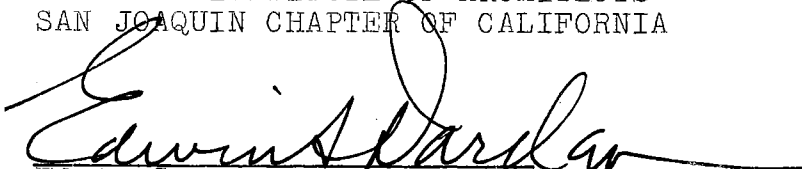
Mr. Schroeder was advised of his delinquency for 1956 and of
the required procedures for reinstatement. They would include,
among other things, his personal appearance before the Chapter
membership. We have not seen Mr. Schroeder at a Chapter
meeting since 1954.

Under the above conditions, your letters of Feb. 28 and May 3
were referred to our Membership Committee for further inves-
tigation and clarification. Apparently they have had little
success.

The San Joaquin Chapter does not meet during the months of
June, July and August. I will again bring this matter before
the Chapter at our September meeting and advise you immediately
if there is any change in Mr. Schroeder's status.

Very truly yours,

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Edwin S. Darden, Treasurer

ESD:ja

cc: Allen Lew, President
Paul Harris, Secretary

August 21, 1957

Mr. Edwin S. Darden, Treasurer
San Joaquin Chapter of California, A.I.A.
627 Rowell Building
Fresno 21, California

Dear Mr. Darden:

Your letter of August 14th is received, reporting with regard to the standing of Mr. Howard Schroder in the Chapter, and your prompt response to my letter is greatly appreciated.

In view of the fact that Mr. Schroder owes for his 1956 chapter dues, then it would not be in order to restore his membership to good standing and it will be continued as suspended on the roster of the A.I.A. until advice is received from the Chapter that he has paid his dues in default.

Sincerely yours,

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

Copies to: Mr. Allen Lew, President
Mr. Paul Harris, Secretary

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December 24, 1957

Mr. Edwin S. Darden, Treasurer
San Joaquin Chapter of California, A.I.A.
627 Rowell Building
Fresno 21, California

Dear Mr. Darden:

This is with further reference to our correspondence in August with regard to the indebtedness for chapter dues owed by Mr. Howard Schroder, for which he was suspended as of January 1, 1957.

If Mr. Schroder has not paid those dues, then the Chapter has the privilege of considering whether or not it should recommend that his membership be terminated therefor.

His Institute dues are paid to December 31, 1957.

Sincerely yours,

Florence H. Gervais
Secretary of Membership and Records

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S A N J O A Q U I N C H A P T E R O F C A L I F O R N I A

January 14, 1958

American Institute of Architects
1735 N. Y. Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Attention: Florence H. Gervais
Secretary of Membership and Records

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your letter of December 24, 1957,
relative to the status of Mr. Howard Schroder.

Mr. Schroder was suspended, effective January 1, 1957,
for non-payment of Chapter dues. Such dues are still unpaid
as of this date.

Please be advised that on January 10, 1958 at a regular
meeting of the San Joaquin Chapter, the membership voted
unanimously to recommend that Mr. Schroder's membership be
terminated therefor.

Very truly yours,

American Institute of Architects
San Joaquin Chapter of California

Edwin S. Darden
Treasurer

ESD:ja

cc: Albert B. Thomas, Treasurer, C.C.A.
Robert C. Kaestner, President, S.J.C.
Lawrence B. Alexander, Secretary, S.J.C.

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February 6, 1958

Mr. Howard Schroder
316 Mason Building
Fresno 21, California

Dear Mr. Schroder:

We are sorry to have to report that in view of your continuing indebtedness for dues to the San Joaquin Chapter, that Chapter has requested that your corporate membership in The Institute and the Chapter be terminated.

It is hoped that you will settle your account with the Chapter at an early date, in order that this action will not be necessary.

Please let us hear from you by March 8, 1958; otherwise, we shall be required to submit the Chapter's recommendation to terminate your membership to The Committee on Membership at the first meeting held after that date, unless the indebtedness is paid by that time.

For your ready reference, the Treasurer of the Chapter is Mr. Edwin S. Darden, 627 Howell Building, Fresno, and we hope you will get in touch with him to straighten out this matter in the near future.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary of Membership and Records

Copy to Mr. Edwin S. Darden, Treasurer
Mr. Lawrence B. Alexander, Secretary
San Joaquin Chapter, A.I.A.

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March 3, 1958

Mr. Lawrence B. Alexander
128 E. 8th Street
Hanford, California

Dear Mr. Alexander:

Mr. Howard Schroder has placed the file regarding his membership difficulties with the San Joaquin Chapter A.I.A. in the hands of this office for immediate attention.

We observe that some kind of deadline for March 8, 1958 has been set after which there is a possibility that an effort will be made to terminate his membership in the A.I.A.

Mr. Schroder is anxious that this matter be resolved in a completely amicable fashion, and on a mutually satisfactory basis, if that be at all possible. To that end, an invitation is extended to a responsible official of your Chapter to contact this office so that we may settle Mr. Schroder's status without undesired difficulty. May we hear from you immediately, giving us a specific and definite statement regarding Mr. Schroder's account with the Chapter, and a proposed date for a meeting regarding his status, to be held here at my office or at Mr. Schroder's office, or at any other mutually convenient place in the city of Fresno.

Yours very truly,

John Gelegan

JG:r

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

NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF MEMBERSHIP

To **Howard Schroder**
316 Mason Building
Fresno, California

In accordance with the request of the **San Joaquin**
(Name of Chapter)

Chapter that your membership be terminated for your indebtedness to it, The Board, as required by the provisions of Chapter I, Article 2, Section 4, paragraph (d-2), of The Institute by-laws, terminated your membership in The Institute and in all its chapters of which you were a member, effective **December 31**, 19 **57**.

The Board regrets your withdrawal from membership and hopes that you will soon return to The Institute.

Date **March 31**, 19 **58**.

Edward L. Wilson
Secretary.

Copy to Acctg Dept

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July 29, 1958

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Mr. Robert C. Kaestner, AIA
210 N. Encina Avenue
Visalia, California

Dear Mr. Kaestner:

This office is counsel for Mr. Howard Schroder, architect, of 1014 1/2 Fulton Street, Fresno, California, and we are advised that you are Secretary of the San Joaquin Chapter of the American Institute of Architects.

From the records placed in our hands, it appears that a short time ago some difference of opinion arose regarding the membership dues of Mr. Schroder, as a result of which his membership in the Institute and the Chapter apparently was terminated.

Your attention is directed to the fact that on March 3, 1958, we wrote to your then Secretary, Mr. Lawrence B. Alexander at Hanford, California, suggesting that an early meeting should be arranged between Mr. Schroder and responsible officers of the Chapter, so as to determine what would be necessary to maintain Mr. Schroder's good standing as a member. That letter was completely ignored.

We believe that the real basis for the disciplinary action which was taken against Mr. Schroder was an alleged violation of a fee schedule, which, of course, we would like an opportunity to explain, while not overlooking the clear legal implications inherent in the facts.

As we stated in our letter to you of March 3, 1958, and again reiterate at this time, neither Mr. Schroder nor this office has any desire to institute legal action against the Chapter, the Institute, or any of its members individually or collectively.

Therefore, we once again respectfully request that a meeting be scheduled for Mr. Schroder with a responsible officer or officers of the Chapter and/or Institute, at any mutually

Mr. Robert C. Kaestner, AIA

July 29, 1958
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convenient time and place, at which time the whole matter of Mr. Schroder's status with you may be fairly discussed, to the end that, if possible, some amicable resolution of the matter may be made.

This letter is written in a spirit of conciliation, and we urge you to extend the courtesy of the requested meeting to Mr. Schroder.

Trusting that we may hear from you in the near future,

Yours very truly,

John Gelegan

JG:r

cc: American Institute of Architects
Washington 6, D. C.

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Mr. Wolverton

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Inter-Office Communication

Noted

August 13, 1958

To: Mabel Day

Mr. Howard Schroder was terminated effective 12-31-57 per request of San Joaquin Chapter. Notice was dated 3-31-58. His 1958 dues were \$50.00 and he had paid \$25.00 on 1-16-58.

Smith

*Members
Schroder, Howard
file*

August 20, 1958

Mr. Robert C. Kaestner, Jr.
President
San Joaquin Chapter, A.I.A.
210 North Encina Street
Visalia, California

COPY - PLEASE RETURN

Dear Mr. Kaestner:

I am in receipt of a copy of a letter from John Gelegan, attorney and counselor at law from Fresno, California, to you of July 29th.

According to our records, Mr. Howard Schroder's membership was terminated, effective December 31, 1957, at the request of the San Joaquin Chapter. Will you please advise me as to whether or not we should comment on Mr. Gelegan's letter.

If Mr. Schroder is no longer a member of The Institute, it seems doubtful to me that the meeting proposed by Mr. Gelegan would be productive.

With thanks for your help, I am

Sincerely yours,

Edmund R. Purves, F.A.I.A.
Executive Director