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

Registration No. 10.

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[The signatures of three Institute members are here required unless the applicant has the unanimous endorsement of hist hapter, 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 are no negative votes. No other form of unanimous endorsement will be accepted.]

## UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

DEPARTMENT OF ARCHITECTURE WARREN POWERS LAIRD, SC. D. PROFESSOR-IN-CHARGE

French 1 Elementary Phys. Education 1st Year

2nd Year

3rd Year

THE SCHOOL OF FINE ARTS

PHILADELPHIA

August 17<sup>th</sup>, 1920

## TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Mr. Lancelot W. Suckert, of Detroit, Michigan, pursued a course of study in the Architectural Department of the University of Pennsylvania through three years, 1914-15 to 1916-17 inclusive, withdrawing in good standing at the end of the scholastic year 1916-17.

Mr. Suckert pursued a "partial" course save for the final year when he had regular status as a candidate for the degree. He was permitted in the two first years to do partial work because his maturity and previous Architectural training admitted him to advanced standing in much of the technical work of the highest grades.

In his last year, Mr. Suckert held a graduate fellowship in Design, awarded only to men of proved special capacity in that subject.

Mr. Suckert's work was of high character, and most of his work in the last year was in graduate grades. In his last year he completed all the technical work required for the Master's degree, which will be granted upon the completion of undergraduate academic subjects.

A statement of the individual courses taken by Mr. Suckert In the undergraduate and graduate work, with the marks received therein, Is appended.

Warren P. Laird Professor of Architecture

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DEPARTMENT OF ARCHITECTURE WARREN POWERS LAIRD SO D PROFESSOR IN CHARGE

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October 13, 1925.

Dear Mr. Sukert:-

Permit me to acknowledge with gratification, and on behalf of the Secretary, your application for membership in the American Institute of Architects.

This is complete in every respect except for your Registration Number to practice in the State of Michigan. We therefore hope it will be possible for you to send this data by return mail in order that action on the application may not be delayed.

With regard to your check of \$5.00 to cover the Preliminary Fee, the same is returned herewith for your endorsement. We will look forward to its return in due course.

Very truly yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Lancelot Sukert, Architects Building, 415 Brainard Street, Detroit, Michigan.

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## LANCELOT SUKERT

**ARCHITECT** 

ARCHITECTS' BUILDING 415 BRAINARD, AT CASS DETROIT

GLENDALE 8333

October 16, 1925.

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

Att. E. C. Kemper

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

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Dear Mr. Kemper:

Replying to your letter of October 13th, in which you acknowledge receipt of my application for membership in the American Institute of Architects, permit me to reply that my Registration Number to practice in the State of Michigan is ten (10).

I am also enclosing my check for Five Dollars,

properly signed.

Yours very tru

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December 5, 1925.

Dear Mr. Sukert:-

Acting for the Secretary, I am pleased to advise you of your election to membership in the American Institute of Architects, effective December 5, 1925.

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

As of interest, we are sending to you herewith a copy each of the current Annuary and the Proceedings of the Convention held in New York last April.

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 cooperation.

Very truly yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Lancelot W. Sukert, 415 Brainard Street, Detroit, Michigan.

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January 12, 1926.

Dear Mr. Sukert:-

After returning from the Pacific Coast meetings and digging part of the way down in the accumulated correspondence I find your card.

I am sorry to have missed you and I hope that when you are in Washington again you will come in to see us and perhaps go to luncheon with me.

I also hope that you will be one of those to represent your Chapter at the Convention in Washington in May.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Lancelot Sukert, 415 Brainard Street, Detroit, Michigan.

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American Drot of brokts Octagen House, Washington

A friendly discontinuance of partnership is announced by the members of the firm of

SUKERT & CORDNER, ARCHITECTS.

formerly located at 415 Brainard St., Detroit. Their new addresses are as follows:

LANCELOT SUKERT, A.I.A.
79 Westminster Ave., Detroit, Mich.

G. FRANK CORDNER, A.I.A.
5063 Spokene Ave., Detroit, Mich.

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ARCHITECTS' BUILDING DETROIT, MICHIGAN

Officers and Directors of The American Institute of Architects, The Octagon House, Washington, D. C.

#### Gentlemen:

While the writer was able, by dint of great sacrifice, to keep up his dues during the leaner years of the depression, others, equally and more able, failed to remit their dues. The Board saw fit to remit those dues which were not paid, upon certain conditions which appear most unfair to those who had paid their dues in full, and who are now unable to meet their obligations.

The writer is loathe to contract any obligations which he cannot see his way clear to meet. He can, therefore, take but one course, namely, to assume whatever he now owes as an obligation to be met in the future when conditions permit, and to resign from the American Institute of Architects as of even date.

In taking this action, the writer wishes to express his individual appreciation to those officers, directors and members who have sacrificed so nobly of their time, their efforts and their practices to carry on the work and the ideals of the profession and the Institute, and sincerely regrets that conditions entirely beyond his control have made mandatory this severing of his connections from a group whose company he so thoroughly enjoyed and whose efforts he so deeply appreciates.

Regretfully,

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

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October 26, 1933.

Dear Mr. Sukert:

On behalf of the Secretary, I write to acknowledge your letter, tendering your resignation as a member of the Institute.

As a matter of routine, we have written to the Secretary of the Detroit Chapter for the necessary approval.

If I may add a personal word, it is that the Board of Directors will not accept your resignation and that the Institute at this critical point in its history cannot afford to lose your affiliation and support.

Further acknowledgment in this matter will be made in due course.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Searctary.

Mr. Lancelot Sukert, A. I. A., 79 Westminster Avenue, Detroit, Michigan.

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PRESIDENT

SECRETARY

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THE DETROIT CHAPTER

of the

AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

T.C. Hughes, Secretary 120 Madison Ave. THE CONTROL

Nov. 13 1933

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

Dear MR. Kemper;

Your letter addressed to Mr. Arthur K. Hyde, former secretary of The Detroit Chapter, relative to the Resignation of MR. kansakish Lancelot Sukert has been turned over to me.

At a meeting of the Board of the Dettorit Chapter on Nov. 10th it was decided to lay the matter on the table, and the secretary was instructed to notify you of this action.

Yours very truly.

Talmage C. Hughes / Secretary

January 17, 1934

My dear Mr. Sukert:

At the November meeting of the Executive Committee of the Institute, your resignation was reported, but was not acted upon.

The members of the Committee did not want to lose your support of the Institute and the Detroit Chapter at this critical time for the architectural prefession.

In view of the recommendation of the Committee, to be made to the Convention, that the dues be reduced and that eld accounts be readjusted, it is hoped that you can find it possible to continue your membership.

Herewith is copy of President Russell's letter of January lst, which is self-explanatory.

If the new plan is approved, your indebtedness of \$25.00 for 1933 will be remitted; you will be entitled to a credit of \$5.00 a year on the books of the Institute for the mext five years; and your net annual dues for 1934 will be \$10.00.

There will be a meeting of the Board in early May, in advance of the Convention. It is specially requested that you advise as to your wishes in this matter - that is, shall your resignation stand, or will you continue with the Institute and the Chapter under the conditions indicated above?

But we hope very much that you will follow the latter course.

Sincerely yours,

Mr. Lancelet Sukert, 79 Westminster Avenue, Detroit, Michigan. Executive Secretary.

K/G Enc. Copy to the President, Detroit Chapter Memo. for the Record and Files:

Under date of January 22, 1934, Mr. Lancelot Sukert, of Detroit signed and returned the postcard making a gift to the Institute of any credits allowable to him under the proposed amendments to the By-laws.

On this card Mr. Sukert has written in long-hand "I'll stay!"

evidently referring to his resignation, and in effect withdrawing the same.

F. H. Gervais

January 27, 1934

Dear Mr. Sukert:

We are indeed gratified that you have decided to retain your membership in the Institute and the Detroit Chapter.

We also acknowledge your gift to the Institute of any credits to which you might become entitled by proposed Convention action, and will report the same to the Board at the May meeting.

With best regards.

Sincorely yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Lancelot Sukert, 79 Westminster Avenue, Detroit, Mich.

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Copy to the President,
Detroit Chapter

## FEDERAL HOUSING ADMINISTRATION INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS WASHINGTON, D. C.

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1940 JAN -6 AM 9:41

January 5, 1940

WASHINGTON, D. C.

American Institute of Architects The Octagon House 1741 New York Avenue N. W. Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Because I have changed my residence from Detroit, Michigan to Washington, D. C. for an indeterminate period, I would appreciate your assigning me to the Washington, D. C. chapter.

Lancelot Sukert

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January 8, 1940

Dear Mr. Sukert:

This will acknowledge your letter of January 5, 1940, requesting that your membership in The Institute be transferred from the Detroit Chapter to the Washington D. C. Chapter, inasmuch as your legal address is now Washington, D. C.

We are today writing to the Secretary of the Detroit Chapter to ascertain your standing therein, and as soon as we have received his reply, your transfer will be completed.

Sincerely yours,

Chas, Ingham Secretary.

Mr. Lancelot Sukert, A.I.A. 4000 Cathedral Avenue, n.w. Washington, D. C.

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OFFICERS ARTHUR K. HYDE, President ROBERT B. FRANTZ, Vice-President MALCOLM R. STIRTON, Treasurer TALMAGE C. HUGHES, Secretary



THE AMERICAN DIRECTORS INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS RALPH R. CALDER 1940 JAN 12 AM 10: 11 WIRT C. ROWLAND WASHINGTON, D. C.

## DETROIT CHAPTER THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

TELEPHONE CHerry 7660

Talmage C. Hughes, Secretary 120 Madison Avenue DETROIT, MICH.

January 10, 1940

Mr. Charles T. Ingham Secretary American Institute of Architects The Octagon Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Ingham:

I am in receipt of your letter of January 9, 1940, requesting information as to the standing of Mr. Lancelot Sukert in the Detroit Chapter. I am pleased to say that Mr. Sukert is in good standing with our Chapter.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary

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



January 12, 1940

Dear Mr. Sukerti

In accordance with a letter of January 10 from Mr. Talmage C. Hughes, Secretary of the Detroit Chapter, we beg to advise that you have been formally transferred as an Institute member in good standing, from the Detroit Chapter to the Washington D. C. Chapter, effective January 5, 1940.

Both Chapters have been advised.

The Secretary of the Washington D. C. Chapter is Mr. Alfred Kastner, 2 dupont Circle, Washington, D. C., and we suggest that you get in touch with him concerning the next meeting and other matters of interest.

Sincerely yours,

Chas, I, Ingham Secretary.

Mr. Lancelot Sukert, A.I.A., 4000 Cathedral Avenue, n.w., Washington, D. C.

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LANCELOT SUKERT

4000 CATHEDRAL AVENUE, N. WINSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
WASHINGTON 16, D. C.

1945 JAN 18 AM 9: 25

WASHINGTON, D. C.

January 17, 1945

Secretary and Board of Directors American Institute of Architects 1741 New York Avenue, N. W. Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

After having seriously considered the benefits derived from membership in the American Institute of Architects, I have decided to present my resignation, effective immediately.

ry truly yours,

Lancelot Sukert

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January 19, 1945

Dear Mr. Sukert:

We have received with regret your letter of January 17 resigning as a member of The Institute.

Further precedure will be completed here and full acceptance of your resignation will come forward in due course.

By direction of The Secretary.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary

Mr. Lancelot Sukert, A.I.A. 4000 Cathedral Avenue, M.W. Washington 16, D.C.

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WASHINGTON, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CHAPTER OF THE A.I.A.

January 25, 1945

Mr. E. C. Kemper, Executive Secretary The American Institute of Architects 1741 New York Avenue Washington 6, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper:

Mr. James C. Hemphill and Mr. Lancelot Sukert are both in good standing in the Washington, D. C. Chapter.

Yours truly,

(S) JOSEPH H. ABEL

Treasurer, Washington D. C. Chapter

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

## NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OF MEMBERSHIP

To Wr. Lancelot Sukert 4000 Cathodrel Avenue, N. W. Washington 16, D. C.

The Board regrets your decision to withdraw from The Institute, and hopes that you will return to it soon.

Date Politicary 9, 1945. Alexander C. Robinson III.

which

December 15, 1948

#### Dear Horace:

I have not forgotten the promise to let you know about the case of Lancelot Sukert.

According to the record here, his resignation became effective on January 18, 1945. He was in good standing in both The Institute and the Washington, D. C. Shapter - to which he was assigned.

I recall at the time that I tried to get him to reconsider and that he felt otherwise.

Some months ago I met him on the street and hinted broadly that it was hoped that he would some day come back into The Institute.

I thought I had written to him to this effect, but apparently did not.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

Mr. Horace W. Peaslee, F.A.I.A. 1234 19th Street, N. W. Washington 6, D. C.

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December 22, 1948 VASHINGTON, D. C.

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

Gentlemen:

I respectfully request reinstatement to membership in the Institute, and reassignment to the District of Columbia Chapter, as of January 1st, 1949.

Resegned in good standing (Work A. C. Warfield)

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

December 28, 1948

Dear Mr. Sukert:

It is indeed gratifying to receive your letter of December 22nd, requesting readmission to membership in The Institute and the Washington-Metropolitan Chapter.

Enclosed is a current application form which we chould appreclate having filled in with up-to-date date for the records, here. However, as a former member, it will not be necessary to secure the signatures of two endorsers.

Then returning the application it should be autospenied by check for \$30.00 - \$5.00 of which is for the readmission fee, and \$25.00 is for one year's Institute dues in advance.

As soon as those are received, your application could be put forward promptly.

With best regards.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

Mr. Lancelot Sukert 4000 Cathedral Avenue, N.W. Washington 16, D. C.

K/a Enclosure

Copy to the Secretary, Washington-Metropolitan Chapter, A.I.A. James of der 1949



Dated Undated Received December 30 1948. Granted February 18, 1949 MEMBERSHIP NO 6643

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

## READMISSION to APPLICATION FOR/MEMBERSHIP

## RECORD OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INSTITUTE

A	Name of applicant. Lancelot Sukert	
В	Address of applicant. 4000Cathedral Avenue, N., W., Washington 16, D.C.	
С	Applicant proposed by and	
D	Application received with check for \$30.00on	1948.
E	Application returned for correction	<i>19</i> .
F	Application in due order on	<i>19</i> 49.
	Record of registration, Form 839, Sent (D.C.) Jan.71949. Received. January 15, (Not registered)	<i>19</i> 49.
G	Notices sent to chapter executive committee:	
	(a) Form 811, reasonable time ending on February. 1119.49 on January 11	19 49.
	(b) Form S12, 30 day extension ending on	<i>19</i> .
H	Acknowledgments to applicant, proposers, and chapter onJanuary 11	19 49.
I	Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission by that application be denied received on	<i>19</i> 49.
J	No report from chapter executive committee on	<i>19</i> .
K	Application sent to The Board of Examiners on February 9,	<i>19</i> 49.
${f L}$	The Board of Examiners reported on application on	
M	Applicant was admitted on February 18,	<i>19</i> 49.
N	Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter and letter to proposers on	<i>19</i> 49.
0	Notice of denial of application to chapter and applicant and \$ 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

Lancelot Sukert to memoership in The Institute, and hereby declare him to be a corporate member of The Institute and assign him to membership in the Washington-Metropolitan Chapter.

Date February 18, 19 49.



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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

1848 DEC 30 AM 9:16

WASHINGTON, D. C.



#### INSTRUCTIONS

Type in all information carefully and sign with ink.

Mail this original and check for \$10.00 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 LANGELOT SUKERT

2. I am a natural

citizen of the UNITED STATES

3. My legal residence is in the City of

WASHINGTON,

County of

State of DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

4. My address in The Institute records will be

Number 4000 State

O Street CATHEDRAL AVENUE. N. W.

City WASHINGTON

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- 5. I am engaged in the profession of architecture as A PUBLIC OFFICIAL
- 6. I desire to be a member of the WASHINGTON-METROPOLITELEMENT.
- 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.
- 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 \$10.00, 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 \$5.00 will be returned to me, and \$5.00 retained by The Institute as an examination fee.

Date

19

Applicant sign full name in ink

## STATISTICS

10. Date of birth	Place of birth			
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(c) I hold Certificate No for having passed their Sta		ouncil of Arc	chitectural Re	gistration Boards
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12.(a) I attended high schools, p	orivate schools, colleges, a	universities, a	as follows: Year of Graduation	Degree
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(b) I have held the following the following-named coun	g-named scholarships or ntries:	other honor	awards, and	have traveled in
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		From		To

## 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
Private practice, Detroit, Mich.	1920	1934
Public Official, FHA, Detroit Office,	1934	1939
Public Official, FHA, Washington Haqutrs,	1939	present

### **BUSINESS AFFILIATIONS**

15. 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

16. Member of Institute from *	to Jan. 18, 19	45
17. Junior of Institute from	to	
18. Associate of	Chapter fro	om to
19. Junior Associate of	Chapter fro	om to
20. Student Associate of	Chapter fro	om to
<ul> <li>21. Member of State Organization in Michigan</li> <li>* I must depend upon your regords for date of joining AIA, Detroit Chapter</li> </ul>	·	om <sup>(a)</sup> 1922 to presen a) Date supplied from memory.

## **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		Signed	
Proposer		Рторозев	
Address		Address	



## THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C. Office of The Secretary

#### RECORD OF REGISTRATION

OF

Lancelot Sukert, Washington, D. C.
(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,

Board of Architectural Examiners, Washington, D.C.

Address

January 11

Date Jan. 14, 19 49

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Dear Sir:

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

To qualify for such membership, an applicant, if resident in a state having registration or licensing laws for architects, must be registered or licensed by the state to practice architecture therein.

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

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Date	Jan College
	Secretary
1. Is the applicant registered or licensed to practice a	architecture in your state? No.
2. Was his registration or licensing by examination?	or by exemption?
3. What was the scope of the examination?	
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t. What was the period of the examination?hours.	days. Written examinationhours; Oral examina
5. When examined, did applicant have a certificate :	from the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards
6. Date of first registration19	Registration No Is it current?
	Thomas Hornas
	(Signature of Secretary of Poard)

D. C. Board of Examiners and Registrars of Archs.

(Name of Board)

## THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS 1741 New York Avenue, N. W. WASHINGTON 6, D. C.

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Inter-Office Communication

Mr. Purves -

The note to Mr. Ditchy for your signature which Mr. Peaslee dictated is not exactly a verbatim transcription inasmuch as Mr. Peaslee did not give the whole story. In essence, however, it is the same.

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## THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS 1741 New York Avenue, N. W. WASHINGTON 6, D. C.

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Inter-Office Communication

Telephoned note to Mr. Purves from Mr. Horace W. Peaslee:

Dear Ned:

If you would let this go through, it might insure Lancelot's reinstatement. He does not seem to be altogether easy about the situation.

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

February 8, 1949

## Dear Clairs

Horace Peaslee has just telephoned about Lancelot Sukert, whom he has persuaded to come back into The Institute as a result of taking sukert to a meeting of the Washington-Metropolitan Chapter as his guest. Another meeting of the Chapter is being held on Thursday of this week, and Lancelot seems to be somewhat embarrassed about his not being able to go again as a regular member.

The Board of Examiners will consider his application tomorrow, Wednesday, the 9th. Reinstatement cannot follow until the action of the Board has your approval.

Under the circumstances, knowing Sukert as you do from long-time Detroit associations, would it be possible to shortout by receiving from you an approval of reinstatement by telegram, subject to the favorable action of the Board? In such case, your approvel, upon advice from this office concerning the action of The Board of Exeminers, would probably reach us Thursday morning, clearing the way for Sukert to attendithe meeting Thursday night as a member.

Sincerely yours.

Mr. Clair W. Ditchy, Secretary The American Institute of Architects 5 West Larned Street Detroit, Michigan

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RETO FEB 1 0 1949

I APPROVE REINSTATEMENT OF LANCELOT SUKERT SUBJECT FAVORABLE ACTION OF BOARD OF EXAMINERS= .CLAIR W DITCHY SECRETARY

THE COMPANY WILL APPRECIATE SUGGESTIONS FROM ITS PATRONS CONCERNING ITS SERVICE

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

## February 10, 1949

Dear Mr. Sukert:

The Secretary is happy to inform you that your application for readmission to membership in The Institute was acted on favorably by The Board of Directors and that you were readmitted to corporate membership in The Institute and assigned to the Washington-Metropolitan Chapter, effective February 10, 1949. You will be a member of that Chapter, or of some other chapter if you later transfer thereto, until your membership in The Institute terminates.

The Board of Directors welcomes you again to membership and The Secretary's office is at your service to the extent of its powers.

The policies and the activities of The Institute are developed largely from problems arising within the chapters. By taking an active part in your Chapter affairs, you will contribute to the advancement of the objects of The Institute and will increase the benefits to be derived from Institute membership.

We bespeak your active cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary

Mr. Lancelot Sukert, A.I.A. 4000 Cathedral Avenue, N. W. Washington 16, D. E.

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LANCELOT SUKERT 4000 CATHEDRAL AVENUE, N. W. WASHINGTON 16, D. C.

Jan. 26, 1952

Officers and Directors, American Institute of Architects, 1741 New York Ave., N. W. Washington 6, D. C.

Attention Clair W. Ditchy, Sec.

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Gentlemen:

I regret that circumstances beyond my control

impel me to present my resignation from the Institute.

Hery truly yours

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.



February 6, 1952

Dear Mr. Sukert:

On behalf of The Secretary this will acknowledge, with much regret, the receipt of your letter advising of your decision to resign your corporate membership in The Institute and the Washington-Metropolitan Chapter.

Just as soon as this has been cleared through the Chapter, formal notice of final action will be sent to you.

With every good wish, and the hope that you will return to membership in the near future,

Yours sincerely,

Administrative Secretary

Mr. Lancelot Sukert 4000 Cathedral Avenue, N.W. Washington 55, D. C.

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Copy to the Secretary, Washington-Metropolitan Chapter, A.I.A.

Please let us know if Mr. Sukert is in good standing in the Chapter, in order that his resignation may be acted upon. W



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

## NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OF MEMBERSHIP

To Mr. Lancelot Sukert
4000 Cathedral Avenue, N.W.
Washington 16, D. C.

Your resignation from The Institute, dated January 26, is effective both in The Institute and in your chapter, as of January 28, is

19 52 the date it was received by The Secretary.

The Board regrets your decision to withdraw from The Institute, and hopes that you will return to it soon.

Date February 21 , 19 52.



## Lancelot Sukert, 77, Retired As FHA's Chief Architect

Lancelot Sukert, 77, a retired chief architect with the Federal Housing Authority, died of a heart attack. Saturday at his home, 4000 Cathedral Ave. NW. Mr. Sukert was a native of

Detroit and received a bachelor of science degree from the University of California in 1913.

He did graduate work in architecture at Columbia University and received a graduate degree in architecture from University of Pennsylvania in

He served as a lieutenant in the Air Corps during World War

After the war, he practiced as an architect in Detroit for 20 years, specializing in the design of churches.

In 1928, Mr. Sukert was elected president of the Michigan Society of Architects and later cited for outstanding services for his two years in that office.

He joined the Federal Housing Authority in 1939 and served as chief architect for 15 years. He Eyalyn, of the home address. retired in 1954 and established Services will be at 1 p.m. and conducted free art classes



LANCELOT SUKERT

Mr. Sukert was a member of the Army and Navy Town Club and the Christ Episcopal Church.

He leaves his wife, Bertha

Wednesday at Christ Episcopal in numerous District Episcopal Church, 3116 O St. NW, with churches.