

In due order
November 29, 1945
J.H. Generosa

Dated October 29, 1945.
Received November 21, 1945
Granted January 15, 1946



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

RECORD OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INSTITUTE

- A Name of applicant . . . Samuel S. Eisenberg Chapter Boston
- B Address of applicant . . . 69 Summer Street, Boston 10, Massachusetts
- C Applicant proposed by . . . Joseph D. Leland, F. and Richard Shaw, F.
- D* Application received with check for \$ 10.00 on November 21, 1945.
- E Application returned for correction 19 .
- F Application in due order on November 29, 1945.
- Record of registration, Form S39, Sent (Mass.) Nov. 23 1945. Received. January 8, 1946.
- G Notices sent to chapter executive committee:
 - (a) Form S11, reasonable time ending on 19 19 .
 - (b) Form S12, 30 day extension ending on 19 19 .
- H Acknowledgments to applicant, proposers, and chapter on November 29, 1945.
- I Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission
~~or that application be denied~~ received on November 21, 1945.
- J No report from chapter executive committee on 19 .
- K Application sent to The Board of Examiners on January 8, 1946.
- L The Board of Examiners reported on application on January 8, 1946.
- M Applicant was admitted on January 15, 1946.
- N Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter and letter
to proposers on January 15, 1946.
- O 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
Samuel S. Eisenberg

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

Date January 15, 1946.

Alexander C. Robinson III
Secretary

THE AMERICAN
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

NOV 21 AM 9:28

WASHINGTON, D. C.



ORIGINAL

File this original with The Secretary of The American Institute of Architects.

File the duplicate, on gray paper, with the secretary of the local chapter of The Institute.

The American Institute of Architects

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

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

1. My full name is *Samuel S. Eisenberg*

2. State whether a natural or a naturalized citizen.

2. I am a *naturalized* citizen of *the United States*

3. My legal residence is in the *Town* *Brookline* City of

County of *Norfolk* State of *Massachusetts*

4. State whether residence or office address.

4. My address in The Institute records will be

Number *69* Street *Summer St*

City *Boston 10* State *MASS*

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

5. I am engaged in the profession of architecture as *Principal*

6. I desire to be a member of the *Boston* Chapter.

7. I declare that I have read the by-laws and the Principles of Professional Practice of The American Institute of Architects, and that I understand the duties, responsibilities and obligations thereunder of a member of The Institute, and I do hereby agree and declare that, if admitted to membership, I will to the best of my ability abide by and comply with such by-laws and Principles of Professional Practice.

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 chapters or state association members.

9. I enclose my check for \$ *10*, for admission fee and the first year's annual dues. It is my understanding that if for any reason I am not admitted to membership all of said amount will be returned to me, except five dollars which The Institute will retain as an examination fee.

Date *Oct 29 19 45*

S. S. Eisenberg
Applicant sign full name in ink

PAID
DATE *11/21/45*

STATISTICS

10. Date of birth Dec. 29-1892 Place of birth Pinsk Russia

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

(State or States) By Examination

(State or States) By Exemption

Massachusetts

(a) I hold a Certificate No. of the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards.

EDUCATION

12. I attended the following named schools (high school, private school, college or university); have held the following named scholarships; have travelled in the following named countries:

Chelsea High School - Chelsea Mass
Mass Inst. of Technology (scholarship)
Boston Arch. Club (special courses)

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:

G.W. + F. Smith Iron Co (designer)
Fine Col. + Iron Co (designer)
A.L. Smith Iron Co (designer & Engr)
Market Forge Co (" " "

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

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

I have practiced, largely in Massachusetts since 1916 - continuously.

I have done work in all the New England States and also in New York Pennsylvania and Virginia.

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PRESENT OR PREVIOUS MEMBERSHIPS IN ARCHITECTURAL ORGANIZATIONS

- 15. Member of Institute from _____ to _____
- 16. Junior of Institute from _____ to _____
- 17. Associate of _____ Chapter from _____ to _____
- 18. Junior Associate of _____ Chapter from _____ to _____
- 19. Member of State Association in *Massachusetts* from *its inception* to _____

ENDORSEMENT BY PROPOSERS

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

I have known the applicant for *54* years.

I have known the applicant for *51* years.

Signed _____

Signed _____

Proposer
Geo. W. Leland 3.

Proposer
Richard Shaw 7

Note: The two proposers must be corporate members of The Institute in good standing.

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I have known the applicant for *5+* years.

Signed _____

Signed _____

Proposer

Proposer

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS AP No 3843
JAN 10 AM 8:40
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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

RECORD OF REGISTRATION
OF
Samuel S. Eisenberg, Boston, Mass.
(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS,
* Boston, Mass.
Address

Dear Sir:

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

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

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

Date November 23, 1945

Alexander C. Robinson III
Secretary

1. Is the applicant registered or licensed to practice architecture in your state? Yes
2. Was his registration or licensing by examination? --- or by exemption? Yes - Certified
3. What was the scope of the examination? --- April 7, 1942 under Sec. 3(a) under the grandfather clause having been engaged as principal for a period of five years.
4. What was the period of the examination? --- days. Written examination --- hours; Oral examination --- 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 last registration August 14, 1945. Registration No. 103. Is it current? Yes

H. Island Chardley
(Signature of Secretary of Board) *H. I. C.*

Date January 4, 1946

Mass. Board of Registration of Archts.
(Name of Board)

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

COPY

January 15, 1946

Dear Mr. Eisenberg:

The Secretary is happy 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 to membership in the Boston Chapter, effective January 15, 1946. 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.

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 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,

Alexander C. Robinson III

Secretary

Mr. Samuel S. Eisenberg, A.I.A.
69 Summer Street
Boston 10, Massachusetts

ACR:iny
Enc.

cc to: Proposers: Mr. Joseph D. Leland
Mr. Richard Shaw

COPY TO

FILES PRESIDENT SECRETARY TREASURER

*Member
Eisenberg, Samuel S.*

file

FILE COPY - PLEASE RETURN

December 4, 1956

Mr. Samuel S. Eisenberg, A.I.A.
739 Boylston Street
Boston, Massachusetts

*Registration
Laws
New York*

Dear Sam:

It was good to talk with you over the telephone today.

Herewith is a copy of the New York law. I am sorry we do not have an extra copy of the Pennsylvania Law, but I have asked Ed Green's office by telephone to airmail a copy of that law to you today.

I am sorry to learn about the trouble you are having in Massachusetts and surely hope that it works out to your satisfaction.

With my best to you,

Sincerely yours,

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

Prmsd
Airmail

cc: Mr. Green

S. S. EISENBERG
ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS
739 BOYLSTON STREET
BOSTON 16
TEL. CO 7-5840-1

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S. S. EISENBERG-A. I. A.

A. M. McKINNA-R. A.

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The Octagon
Washington D. C.
att - Executive Director

11/2/62

Dear Sir

On Dec. 27-1962 I shall reach
my 70th birthday. I am still in
very active practice. My friends
of the B.S.A. chapter tell me
I shall be entitled to Emeritus
status. What is the procedure?

Sincerely yours

S. S. Eisenberg AIA

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November 8, 1962

Mr. S. S. Eisenberg, AIA
739 Boylston Street
Boston 16, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Eisenberg:

We are in receipt of your letter dated November 2nd, regarding
* the possibility of your election as a Member Emeritus, which
upon election, would permit you to retain all rights and
privileges of active corporate membership while being exempted
from further dues payments to The Institute and Chapter.

Enclosed, herewith, is a form, in duplicate, requesting this
change in membership status and it would be appreciated if
you would fill it in, sign and return it to this office,
along with payment for 1962 Institute dues (and supplemental
dues if applicable) to bring your membership to good standing,
whereupon further action will be taken promptly.

Sincerely yours,



(Miss) Florence H. Gervais
Head, Membership Department

FHG:mm

cc: Exec.-Secty., Boston Society of Architects, AIA ✓

// Please let us know of Mr. Eisenberg's
standing in the chapter. |



Mr. Eisenberg is eligible for Emeritus status, according
to our Treasurer's records.

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I. H.

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

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP EMERITUS

TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS,
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS:

Strike out the
inappropriate
reason, a, b,
or c, as the
case may be.

I wish to apply for Membership Emeritus in The Institute for the following reasons:

- a. I am more than 70 years of age. *- after Dec. 27, 1962*
- ~~b. I am 65 years of age, retired, and not engaged in the practice of architecture.~~
- ~~c. I am unable to engage in any gainful vocation.~~

Write in
name of
chapter.

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

Respectfully,

Date *NOV. 15 1962*

[Handwritten Signature]
Signature

The applicant may supplement the above reasons in writing below or on sheets which he shall attach to this application. Under exceptional conditions and circumstances, The Board of Directors may lessen the period of good standing but not the requirements of a, b, or c.

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Eisenberg, S. S.



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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

NOTICE OF ELECTION—MEMBER EMERITUS

(A)

TO **Mr. S. S. Eisenberg, AIA**
739 Boylston Street
Boston 16, Massachusetts

It is my privilege to advise you that The Board of Directors has conferred upon you
the title

MEMBER EMERITUS

of The American Institute of Architects and of its component organizations of which you are
a member, exempting you from the payment of annual dues to The Institute and such
organizations, effective **December 31, 1962**

Date **Nov. 30** 19 **62**

Clinton Gauske
Secretary

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Member
Eisenberg, Samuel S

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May 1, 1964

Mrs. Ruth E. Werman, Exec.-Secty.
Boston Society of Architects, AIA
711 Boylston St.
Boston, Mass.

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Dear Mrs. Werman:

We were sorry to learn of the death of **Samuel S. Eisenberg**
on **March 11, 1964** a corporate member of The
Institute since **1946**.

We would appreciate it very much if you would have two
copies of the enclosed Baldwin Memorial Archive Forms
filled in and returned to The Institute for its files.
The third copy should be retained in the Chapter files.

Sincerely yours,

William H. Scheick, A.I.A.
Executive Director

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EISENBERG,
SAMUEL S.

BALDWIN MEMORIAL ARCHIVE
of American Architects

NO. _____

Name: Samuel S. Eisenberg of (address) 11 Edgefield Road, Waban, Mass.

Born: Dec. 27, 1892 at Pinsk, Russia Died: March 10, 1964 at Boston, Mass.

Parents: Annie and Julius Eisenberg and -

Married: Ida Levine of Chelsea on Dec. 24, 1916

Children: Eugene Eisenberg, Herbert W. Eisenberg and Helene Peters

Education: M.I.T. Class of 1915

Training; and practice as Principal: (Firm Names, Places, Dates, Specialization)

In practice since 1921 in Boston, specializing in Commercial, Institutional and Municipal work

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Professional Memberships and Service: (Institute and Chapter Activities; Teaching)

President A.I.A. - Mass. 1957
Editor - Bay State Architect
Co-Chairman - Boston Zoning Board
Architectural Editor - N.E. Real Estate Journal

Member of
Am. Institute of Architects
Boston Society of Architects
Mass. State Assoc. of "
Nat'l Assoc. Housing Officials
New Century Club
The Hundred Club of Mass. Inc

Other Affiliations: (Religious, Fraternal, Political, Social)

Member: Stein Club - M.I.T. Alumni Assoc.
Boston Building Code Committee
Parker Medal Commission

Public Service: (Civil and Military; Community, State, National)

Published Material: (Articles and Addresses; Executed Work; Biographical Data)

Editorials for N.E. Real Estate Journal
Building Laws Needed March 7, 1963
Zoning
Buses not the answer to School Segregation Jan. 31, 1964
Integration
Our Senior Citizens Feb. 12, 1964
Editorials for Bay State Architect during his editorship 1949 - 1960.

(OVER)

12/20/63

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General Background: (Personal Characteristics and Accomplishments; Interests, Digressions, Travels, Friendships, Side-lights, Honors, and Awards.)

Mr. Eisenberg was always interested in writing, from the time he was Editor of his High School paper, and in later years Editor of the Bay State Architect and the Architectural Editor of the N.E. Real Estate Journal. He wrote many articles for publication on civic matters as well as on architecture. He was an intellectual, a deep reader and thinker. He had hosts of friends in all walks of life.

His hobbies were gardening and fishing. He loved flowers and spent many happy hours poring over gardening catalogs.

His charities were many, and he never passed up an appeal for assistance. His secretary once asked him if she could "file them in the circular file" instead of wasting his time with all the appeals that came in the mail. His response was that he must see them all - the one he passed up might be the very one that was most needed.

Some of the Principal Commissions

First Federal Savings & Loan Association - Attleboro, Mass.

" " " " " " - New Bedford, Mass.

Kingston-Bedford Garage (High rise) - Boston, Mass.

Food Technology Building, UMass. - Amherst

Cold Storage Building " "

Chelsea High School and Stadium - Chelsea, Mass.

Civil Defense Emergency Communications Center - Framingham, Mass.

General Hospital - Paul A. Dever State School- Taunton, Mass.

Housing for Elderly - Ashmont (Dorchester) Mass.

" " " " - Attleboro, Mass.

Numerous theaters, apartment houses and commercial properties.

Principal Commissions: (Classified, with locations and Reference Data) (Above)

Compiled by: Anne E. Hall, Sec'y to Mr. Eisenberg Date: December 14, 1965
and Clerk of the Corporation

Acknowledgements: