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From: Clerks@vaughan.ca
To: Jacquelyn Gillis

 Subject:
 FW: [External] Comments on OP.20.010 & Z.20.031

 Date:
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From: Real Estate Canada <Real_EstateCanada@cpr.ca>

Sent: Tuesday, November 29, 2022 11:19 AM

To: Clerks@vaughan.ca

Subject: [External] Comments on OP.20.010 & Z.20.031

Good Morning,

RE: Comments on OP.20.010 & Z.20.031, within 500m of CP Rail line

Thank you for the recent notice respecting the captioned development proposal in the vicinity of Canadian Pacific Railway Company. The safety and welfare of residents can be adversely affected by rail operations and CP is not in favour of residential uses that are not compatible with rail operations. CP freight trains operate 24/7 and schedules/volumes are subject to change. CP's approach to development in the vicinity of rail operations is encapsulated by the recommended guidelines developed through collaboration between the Railway Association of Canada and the Federation of Canadian Municipalities. The 2013 Proximity Guidelines can be found at the following website address: http://www.proximityissues.ca/.

CP recommends that the below condition be inserted in all property and tenancy agreements and offers of purchase and sale for all dwelling units in the proposed building(s):

"Canadian Pacific Railway and/or its assigns or successors in interest has or have a railway right-of-way and/or yard located adjacent to the subject land hereof with operations conducted 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, including the shunting of trains and the idling of locomotives. There may be alterations to, or expansions of, the railway facilities and/or operations in the future, which alterations or expansions may affect the living environment of the residents in the vicinity. Notwithstanding the inclusion of any noise and/or vibration attenuating measures in the design of the development and individual dwellings, Canadian Pacific Railway will not be responsible for complaints or claims arising from the use of its facilities and/or its operations on, over, or under the aforesaid right-of-way and/or yard."

Should the captioned development proposal receive approval, CP respectfully requests that the recommended guidelines be followed.

Thank you,

Real Estate Canada



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