



An agency of the Government of Ontario



Un organisme du gouvernement de l'Ontario

This document was retrieved from the Ontario Heritage Act e-Register, which is accessible through the website of the Ontario Heritage Trust at **www.heritagetrust.on.ca**.

Ce document est tiré du registre électronique, tenu aux fins de la *Loi sur le patrimoine de l'Ontario*, accessible à partir du site Web de la Fiducie du patrimoine ontarien sur **www.heritagetrust.on.ca**.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT,
1974, S.O. CHAPTER 122

AND IN THE MATTER OF THE LANDS AND PREMISES
KNOWN MUNICIPALLY AS THE DAVID GIBSON HOUSE,
5172 YONGE STREET IN THE BOROUGH OF NORTH
YORK, IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

N O T I C E O F I N T E N T I O N
T O D E S I G N A T E

Borough of North York,
5000 Yonge Street,
Willowdale, Ontario

Mr. A.B.R. Lawrence, Q.C.,
Chairman,
Ontario Heritage Foundation,
77 Bloor Street West,
7th Floor,
Toronto, Ontario.

Take notice that the Council of the Corporation of the Borough of North York on the 29th day of August, 1977 decided to designate the lands and buildings, known municipally as 5172 Yonge Street as a property of historic and architectural value or interest under The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974, S.O. Chapter 122.

Short Statement of the Reasons for the Proposed Designation:

David Gibson House, 1851, designed by David Gibson. The building is recommended for designation on architectural grounds because it is a finely restored example of a Georgian dwelling. The well balanced, symmetrical front facade consisting of nine equally spaced windows is highlighted by the doorway with its semi-elliptical fan transom and two side lights. David Gibson was an early farmer and surveyor and as a politician he was an ardent supporter of William Lyon Mackenzie. For his part in the unsuccessful rebellion Gibson's house was burned and it was not until he returned from the United States in 1849 that the present house was begun.

Notice of objection to the designation may be served on the Clerk within thirty days of November 30th, 1977.

Dated at Willowdale this 30th day of
November, 1977.



E. ROBERTS,
Clerk.