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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE

- The undersigned hereby applies to the Cambridge Historical Commission for a Certificate of (check one box): Appropriateness, Nonapplicability, or Hardship, in accordance with Chapter 40C of the Massachusetts General Laws and/or Chapter 2.78 of the Municipal Code.
- Address of property: 101 Rogers Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts
- Describe the proposed alteration(s), construction or demolition in the space provided below:
(An additional page can be attached, if necessary).

The Foundry Building is owned by the City of Cambridge and has been designated a protected landmark by the City in 2018. Since its construction in 1890, the property has undergone multiple renovations by various owners, including a commercial renovation in 1982 adding infill floors to the high bay of the existing structure as well as a new entrance vestibule addition built in 1988.

Today the City is proposing a comprehensive interior and exterior renovation into a multi-purpose community center that will house workshops, a STEAM classroom, art studio, performance space, and office rental. The building is to be operated by the Cambridge Redevelopment Authority and the Foundry Consortium.

Scope of the renovation is to include:

- Demolition of 1988 vestibule
- Demolition and replacement of all infill floors
- Demolition and replacement of an historic stucco-clad addition
- Restoration of the historic masonry envelope and fenestration pattern
- New entrances at Rogers Street, Bent Street, and east elevations
- New EPDM roof and skylights over existing historic tongue & groove decking

I certify that the information contained herein is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.
The undersigned also attests that he/she has read the statements printed on the reverse.

Name of Property Owner of Record: City of Cambridge

Mailing Address: City Hall, 795 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge MA 02139

Telephone/Fax: 617.349.4300

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⇒ Signature of Property Owner of Record: *foundry*

(Required field; the application will not be considered complete without the property owner's signature)

Name of proponent, if not record owner: Michael J. Black

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(for office use only):

Date Application Received: 11/12/19 Case Number: 4233 Hearing Date: 12/5/19

Type of Certificate Issued: _____ Date Issued: _____