

The Planning & Environment Committee
City of London
Re: Zoning By-Law Amendment Application
Ref #: Z-8397

Dear Sir/Madam,

I wrote my opinion on the application for zoning by-law amendment to change my residential area to a holding restricted office special provisions to Mr. Eric Lalande, Planner II on Sept 8, 2014 through email. I expressed my strong objection to this amendment. Mr. Eric Lalande didn't confirm any feedback to me neither a confirmation of receiving my opinion.

Since emailed to Mr. Lalande without any reply, I have felt there is a black box inside the city planning & environment committee. Someone inside the black box is manipulating public inputs. I start to believe someone inside the planning & environment committee may have some benefit tying to the application.

The consequence of this amendment is obvious. Copia Development will get its business expanded if this amendment passes. However, my area houses will be devalued significantly. This is one win & one lose amendment. Let me ask one question to the owner of Copia Development here. Can I build a dental office next to your house or one block away from your house? Let me ask a question to the Committee. Why you consider this application. It is wasting government resources and taxpayers' money.

The only reason I can imagine is someone inside the committee may have benefit in connection with the Copia Development. By this letter I request the committee to spend some efforts to investigate if someone inside the committee had a beer or dinner with the owner of the developer. If so, this is a corruption.

Once again, I am strongly against the amendment.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Kaiyan Gu', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Kaiyan Gu