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His Worship Mayor M. Brown and
Members of Municipal Council

Re: Motion of Which Notice is Given - Request to Illuminate City of London Buildings and Amenities –
September 21, 2017 – International Day of Peace

A member of the public has reached out to seek approval from Municipal Council to direct the City Clerk to illuminate City of London buildings in blue and white on September 21, 2017 to recognize International Day of Peace. I understand the 2017 theme is “Together for Peace: Respect, Safety and Dignity for All” which “promotes respect, safety and dignity for everyone forced to flee their homes in search of a better life”.

The Council Policy indicates that outside organizations requesting the illumination of City of London buildings and amenities must be charitable or non-profit organizations. The individual requesting the illumination has indicated that they were unable to secure a charitable or non-profit organization to submit the request and has reached out to the undersigned to bring the matter to Municipal Council’s attention.

In response to the request and given that this event is to occur on September 21, 2017, I am seeking support of the following motion:

“That notwithstanding Council Policy – “Illumination of City of London Buildings and Amenities” the City Clerk BE DIRECTED to make the necessary arrangements to have City of London buildings and amenities illuminated blue and white on September 21, 2017 to recognize International Day of Peace.”

I understand that in order to bring forward the above-noted motion I will need to be given leave. As a result, I am requesting support of the following motion:

“That pursuant to section 11.3 of the Council Procedure By-law, leave BE GIVEN to bring forward a motion having to do with a request to have City of London buildings and amenities illuminated blue and white on September 21, 2017 to recognize International Day of Peace.”

Respectfully submitted,

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