MINUTES OF THE 98th MEETING OF THE HERITAGE CONSERVATION COMMITTEE (HCC) HELD ON MONDAY, APRIL 5, 2021.

A. Proposals:

Item No.1: Plans in respect of Common Central Secretariat (Building-1,2,3), 137, Dr. Rajendra Prasad Road.

- 1. The proposal forwarded by the CPWD (online) was scrutinized by the HCC and a detailed discussion held with the project proponent and representative of the consultant architect who provided clarifications to the queries of the Members of the Committee on various aspects.
- 2. The concerned local body, Chief Architect (Region Delhi) & Chairman (BPAC) CPWD vide their letter no: 23(01)(24)/CA(RD)/BPAC/2021/107 dated 18.03.2021 has indicated the following:
 - "......it is placed on record that the proposal for Plot no: 137 is adjoining the Central Vista precinct (Grade-I Heritage) boundary and proposed drawings and documents are in compliance of applicable building bye-laws under UBBL-2016, Zonal plan and MPD-2021. It is requested that HCC may take up the proposal accordingly..."
- 3. It is to further observed that:
 - a) The proposal Common Central Secretariat (Building-1,2,3) is proposed to be constructed on a plot no-137 at Dr. Rajendra Prasad Road, New Delhi which does not fall in any of the listed heritage building and its precincts.
 - b) No heritage structure exists on plot no-137, Dr. Rajindra Prasad Road, New Delhi.
 - c) The concerned local body, as have indicated above at para 2, that Plot no: 137 is adjoining the Central Vista precinct (Grade-I Heritage) boundary which is listed as Heritage Grade-I.
- 4. The HCC observed that the development on plot no-137 is not making any impact/disturbing the adjoining Central Vista precinct (*Grade-I Heritage*).
- 5. In view of the above observations, the proposal was found acceptable by the Heritage Conservation Committee in terms of clause 1.10 of Annexure-II of Unified Building Bye Laws 2016 for Delhi.

Sd/- sd/-

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