CERTIFICATE OFFICIAL PLAN OF THE TOWN OF PELHAM AMENDMENT NO. 15

The attached Schedule and text constituting Amendment No. 15 to the Official Plan of the Town of Pelham, was prepared by the Pelham Planning and Development Committee and was adopted by the Corporation of the Town of Pelham by By-Law #1303 (1989) in accordance with Section 17 of the Planning Act, 1983, on the 6th day of November, 1989.

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MAYOR	CLERK

This Amendment to the Official Plan of the Town of Pelham which has been adopted by the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Pelham, is hereby approved in accordance with Section 17 of the Planning Act, 1983 as Amendment No. 15 to the Official Plan for the Town of Pelham.

Date Approval Authority







Ontario Municipal Board

Commission des affaires municipales de l'Ontario

IN THE MATTER OF Section 17(11) of the <u>Planning Act</u>, 1983

AND IN THE MATTER OF a referral to this Board by the Honourable John Sweeney, Minister of Municipal Affairs, on a request by the Preservation of Agricultural Lands Society for consideration of Proposed Amendment No. 15 to the Official Plan for the Town of Pelham Minister's File No. 26-OP-3875-015 OMB File No. 0 900097

IN THE MATTER OF Section 17(11) of the Planning Act, 1983

AND IN THE MATTER OF a referral to this Board by the Honourable John Sweeney, Minister of Municipal Affairs, on a request by the Preservation of Agricultural Lands Society for consideration of Proposed Amendment No. 36 to the Regional Niagara Policy Plan Minister's File No. 26-OP-0034-036 OMB File No. 0 900098

IN THE MATTER OF Section 34(18) of the Planning Act, 1983

AND IN THE MATTER of appeals by Fonthill Mini-Farms Incorporated and the Preservation of Agricultural Lands Society against Zoning By-law 1304 (1989) of the Corporation of the Town of Pelham OMB File No. R 900102

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MEMORANDUM OF ORAL DECISION delivered by M. A. ROSENBERG on March 14, 1991 AND ORDER OF THE BOARD

The Fonthill Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses wish to build a church on 1.33 acres of land located on the east side of Rice Road,

The Board finds that the intent and purpose of both the Town of Pelham's Official Plan and the Region of Niagara's Official Plan have been maintained. The application is both appropriate, suitable and desirable. Under these unique and unusual circumstances the application represents good planning.

In the result:

- 1) Official Plan Amendment 15 for the Town of Pelham is approved.
- 2) Official Plan Amendment 36 to the Regional Niagara Policy Plan is approved.
- 3) The appeal by the Preservation of Agricultural Land Society against Zoning By-law 1304 (1989) of the Corporation of the Town of Pelham is dismissed.

The Board so orders.

"M. A. Rosenberg"

M. A. ROSENBERG MEMBER