

# Board of Variance Appeal Application Form

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Name of Applicant	HAY RAFFAEUR FURNARO
Mailing Address	2642 E HASTINGS ST
City/Town	VANCOUVER. Postal Code V5K 176.
Phone Number(s)	(H) 604 251-4610 (C)
Email	office.raffaele@gmail.com.
Preferred method of	contact:
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Name of Owner	VIVER & ANJU SONI
Civic Address of Prop	erty 4688 ALPHA DRIVE.
	information submitted in support of this application is, to the
	ue and correct in all aspects, and further that my plans have no /laws other than those applied for with in this application.
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Date	Applicant Signature
	Office Use Only
Appeal Date 2016	TUNE 02, Appeal Number BV# 6227
Required Documents:	
	rdship Letter from Applicant
	e Plan of Subject Property ilding Department Referral Letter

Any documents submitted in support of this Board of Variance Appeal will be made available to the Public

## Raffaele & Associates Design and Planning Consultants

2642 East Hastings Street, Vancouver, BC V5K 1Z6 p. 604-251-4610 e. office.raffaele@gmail.com

Attn: Burnaby Board of Variance

Re: 4688 Alpha Drive

Dear Honourable Board Members,

We are writing this letter to request a variance at 4688 Alpha Drive. The variance we are requesting is to allow for the maximum building height to be raised from 24.9 feet to 25.86 feet.

- -As built, our current elevation for the top of the roof is 232.41 feet.
- -The maximum elevation for the top of roof finish is 231.45 feet.
- -Our proposal is 0.96 feet higher than the calculated allowance for an R10 zone.

This 0.96 feet height difference occurred at the framing stage and passed inspection at that time. We have already completed the electrical, the plumbing, the drywall, and the roof construction. To lower the house, all of the trades will need to return to rework what they have done. At this stage of construction, a major design change to lower the house will have massive, monetary consequences that will fall outside of the planned budget.

We respectfully request a variance for the maximum building height to be raised 0.96 feet allowance in order to finalize the construction within our budget.

We hope that you understand our situation and we thank you for your consideration.

Regards,

Raffaele & Associates

Anju & Vivek Soni 3435 Worthington Drive Vancouver, BC V5M3Y1

Attn: Burnaby Board of Variance

Re: 4688 Alpha Drive, Burnaby

Dear Honourable Board Members,

We, Anju & Vivek Soni, as homeowners understand that the zoning bylaws are enacted for the purpose of regulating construction in the best interest of the residents. Height restrictions are enforced to protect and maintain the consistency of the <u>neighbourhood</u>, as well as to ensure unobstructed views.

At present, our home is unintentionally 0.96 feet above the maximum allowable height at its peak. This has most impact on our 4 nearest neighbours. However, these neighbours have all signed a letter of support stating that they do not object to our structure height. Furthermore, our house is on the low side of the street and the main floor elevation is significantly below street level. Therefore, we feel by approving the structure as it is will not cause any hardship to the neighbours who have so far supported us during the last 6 months of construction.

In order to rectify this grave error, we would have to re-do a considerable amount of construction work on our home which would not only cause our family time, money, and hardship but will also leave a large ecological footprint of materials that cannot be reused or repurposed:

- Asphalt roofing: has an expecting lifespan of 45 years

- Trusses: Good for the life of the building

Electrical/HVAC: wiring, venting and pot lights

- Built in Vacuum System: PVC Pipes

Also, by approving the structure this will allow us to stay within our budget to complete the construction. Lastly, and *most* importantly to us we will stay within our timeline as our children begin school in Burnaby in September 2016.

We acknowledge that our tradesmen/builder have made an error. We hope that you will humbly accept our apology for this oversight. We are open to any alternative recommendations that the Board would have for us; however we respect the decision regardless of the outcome.

Sincerely, Vivek & Anju Soni Attn: Burnaby Board of Variance

Re: 4688 Alpha Drive, Burnaby

Our corporation was hired to frame the residential dwelling at 4688 Alpha Drive by the project coordinators. Due to our negligence the height of the building has gone 0.96 feet over the allowed height. We request that the members of the BOV relax the height and not penalize the owner of the project for a mistake that was made by us. We sincerely regret our error and wish that the homeowners are not harmed.

Sincerely, G&D Framing Ltd.

Jagdip Rupal 604-379-6798 Gurwinder Sandhu 604-764-8090

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### Letter of Support for Board of Variance Application

Apr, 2016
To: Board of Variance Burnaby City Hall
Re: #4688 Alpha Drive (old address #4684)
Dear Honourable Board Members,
We, the residents at 4690 Alpha Dr., are writing this letter in support of our
neighbours at #4688 Alpha Drive and their Board of Variance Application for the height of the principal building.
Thank you for your time.
Signed,

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#### **BOARD OF VARIANCE REFERRAL LETTER**

DATE: Ma	y 3, 2016	DEADLINE: M June 2, 2016 he	ay 10, 2016 for th aring	application.
NAME OF APPLICANT: Mayumi Hasegawa			Please take letter to Board of Variance.	
ADDRESS OF APPLICANT: 2642 E. Hastings St., Vancouver, B.C. V5K 1Z6			(Clerk's office -	
TELEPHO	NE: 604-251-4	610		Ground Floor)
PROJECT				
DESCRIPT	ΓΙΟΝ: New Sing	e Family Dwelling		
ADDRESS	: 4688 Alpha Di	ive		
LEGAL:	LOT: 25	DL: 1	22 & 123 & 124	PLAN: 16792

The above mentioned application, which includes the attached plan of the proposal, has been refused by the Building Department on the basis of contravention of:

# Zone/Section(s) R10 [110.6(2)(a)] of the Burnaby Zoning Bylaw No. 4742

#### **COMMENTS:**

The applicant is proposing to build a new single family dwelling (currently under construction). The following relaxation is being requested.

1) The principal building height of 25.74 feet where a maximum height of 24.90 feet is permitted.

Note: The applicant recognizes that should the project contain additional characteristics in contravention of the zoning by-law a future appeal(s) may be required.

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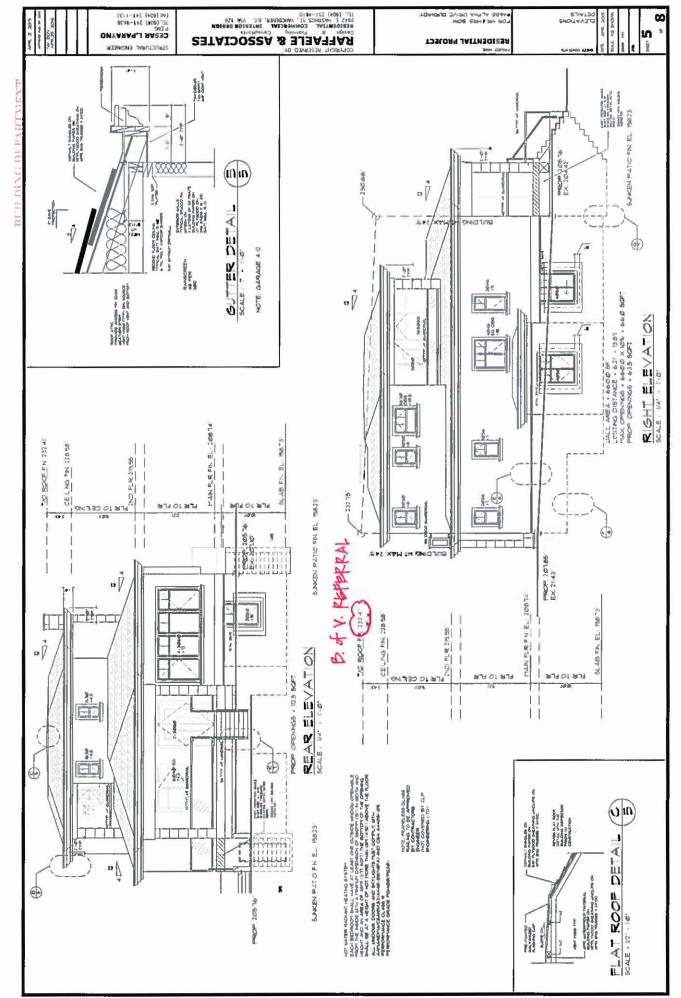
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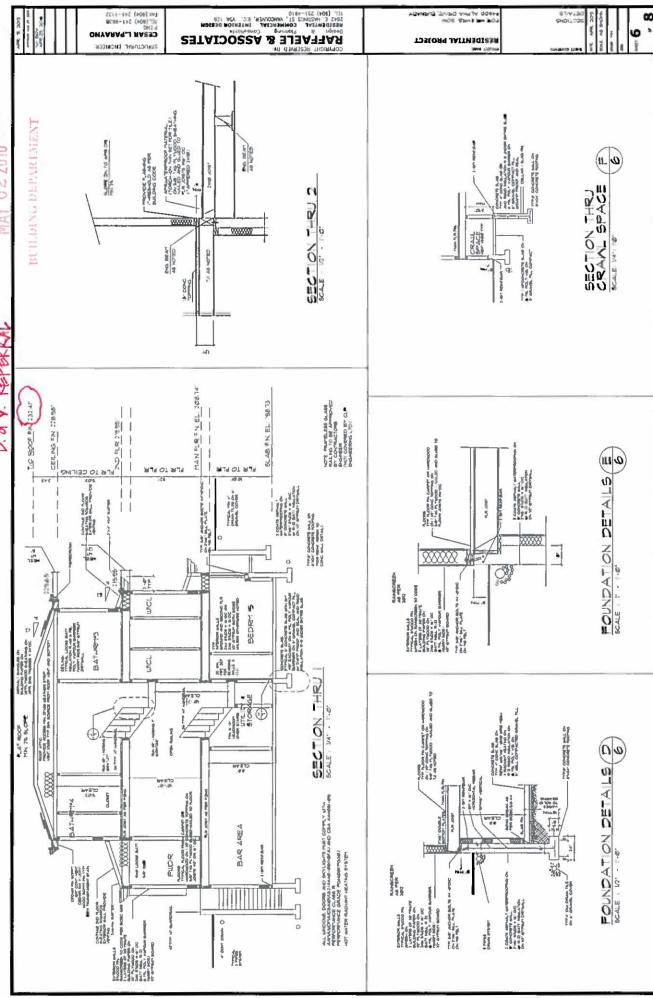
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