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Mr. Dave Bloomer, P. Eng.
 Infrastructure & Transportation Services Commissioner
 Town of Oakville
 1225 Trafalgar Road
 Oakville, ON
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Dear Mr. Bloomer:

Re: New Street Name Request from Siemens Canada Limited

Siemens Canada Limited will be moving its headquarters to a new building in the Town of Oakville later this year. Proudly celebrating its 100th year anniversary in Canada this year, Siemens Canada will be bringing more than 800 jobs to Oakville. We would like to request that approval be granted for a new street name close to our new site. This request entails renaming the portion of the road currently named Joshua Creek Road, from Upper Middle Road to the North Service Road, to be renamed Siemens Boulevard (or Drive).

The reasons for our request are several fold. One is to recognize the long-standing contribution to the local employee base of over 2,500 (in the GTA) with 800-plus people coming to Oakville early in 2013. Another is our commitment to innovation which will likely attract other similar companies. Lastly, our sustainability commitment which is validated through the Dow Jones Sustainability Index where we have been rated #1 for the last several years.

We believe that the road naming will support attracting key talent who identify with the values of the Town of Oakville and Siemens. This name change request will recognize Oakville's position as an innovation leader and support further investment in town.

If this request is contrary to current Town policies or procedures then we would ask that you forward this to Town Council, on our behalf, to request a waiver to the recently revised policy for naming streets. We appreciate your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,



Robert Hardt
 President & Chief Executive Officer



Manfred Doenz
 Executive Vice President & Chief Financial Officer