#### NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION

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December 13, 2023

SPG Boerum LLC Attn: David Schwartz 440 Park Avenue South, Floor 3 New York, NY 10016

LB II Associates LLC Attn: Abe Schnay c/o AMS Realty Company LLC 98 Cutter Mill Road, Suite 240-S Great Neck, NY 11021

> Re: Certificate of Completion 159 Boerum Street Brooklyn, Kings County C224291

Dear David Schwartz and Abe Schnay,

Congratulations on having satisfactorily completed the remedial program at the 159 Boerum Street site. Enclosed please find an original, signed Certificate of Completion (COC). The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) is pleased to inform you that the Final Engineering Report is hereby approved, allowing the COC to be issued for the above-referenced site.

Please note that you are required to perform the following tasks:

- If you are the site owner, you must record the Notice of Certificate of Completion in the recording office for the county (or counties) where any portion of the site is located within 30 days of issuance of the COC; or if you are a prospective purchaser of the site, you must record the Notice within 30 days of the date that you acquire the site. If you are a non-owner, you must work with the owner to assure the Notice is recorded within the time frame specified. A standard Notice of Certificate of Completion form is attached to this letter.
- Provide electronic copies of the recorded Notice and proof of recording to NYSDEC's project manager. Please return the hard copy of the proof of recording to:



Rafi Alam, Bureau B New York State Department of Environmental Conservation Division of Environmental Remediation 625 Broadway Albany, NY 12233

 Provide the Notice of Certificate of Completion to the Document Repositories within 10 days of issuance of the COC. NYSDEC will develop a fact sheet announcing the issuance of the COC and describing the institutional and engineering controls (IC/ECs), if any, that are required at the site and distribute it to the County Listserv within 10 days;

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Rafi Alam, NYSDEC's project manager, at 518-402-8606.

Sincerely,

Andrew Guglielmi Division Director

Andrew Guglielmi

Division of Environmental Remediation

#### Enclosure

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## NYSDEC BROWNFIELD CLEANUP PROGRAM (BCP) CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION

#### **CERTIFICATE HOLDER(S):**

Name Address

SPG BOERUM LLC 440 Park Avenue South, Floor 3, New York, NY 10016

**BROWNFIELD CLEANUP AGREEMENT:** 

**Application Approval:** 7/3/19 **Agreement Execution:** 7/30/19

Agreement Index No.:C224291-07-19

Application Amendment Approval: 10/30/23 Agreement Amendment Execution: 10/30/23

SITE INFORMATION:

Site No.: C224291 Site Name: 159 Boerum Street

Site Owner: LB II Associates LLC Street Address: 159 Boerum Street

Municipality: Brooklyn County: Kings DEC Region: 2

Site Size: 0.257 Acres

Tax Map Identification Number(s): 3071-40 Percentage of site located in an EnZone: 100 %

A description of the property subject to this Certificate is attached as Exhibit A and a site survey is attached as Exhibit B.

#### **CERTIFICATE ISSUANCE**

This Certificate of Completion, hereinafter referred to as the "Certificate," is issued pursuant to Article 27, Title 14 of the New York State Environmental Conservation Law ("ECL").

This Certificate has been issued upon satisfaction of the Commissioner, following review by the Department of the Final Engineering Report and data submitted pursuant to the Brownfield Site Cleanup Agreement, as well as any other relevant information regarding the site, that the applicable remediation requirements set forth in the ECL have been or will be achieved in accordance with the time frames, if any, established in the remedial work plan.

The remedial program for the site has achieved a cleanup level that would be consistent with the following categories of uses (actual site use is subject to local zoning requirements):

Allowable Uses under the BCP: Unrestricted, Residential, Restricted-Residential, Commercial, and Industrial

Cleanup Track: Track 1: Unrestricted use

**Tax Credit Provisions:** 

Site Preparation and On-Site Groundwater Remediation Credit Component Rate is 50 %.

Eligibility for Tangible Property Credit is available through: EnZone.

Tangible Property Credit Component Rate is 20%. Comprised of 10% Base, 5 % EnZone, 5% Track 1.

Dependent upon the project being developed in a manner consistent with the approved Brownfield Cleanup Program application, additional rate increases may be available if the site is developed as affordable housing (5%), if the Certificate Holder receives a separate Determination of Conformance with the BOA from the Secretary of State (5%), if the site is located in a disadvantaged community and not located in an EnZone (5%), if the site is developed as a renewable energy facility site (5%), or if the site is used primarily for manufacturing activities (5%) not to exceed a maximum 24 %.

No Environmental Easement has been granted pursuant to ECL Article 71, Title 36 as there are no use restrictions and there is no reliance on the long-term employment of institutional controls.

#### LIABILITY LIMITATION

Upon issuance of this Certificate of Completion, and subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein, the Certificate holder(s) shall be entitled to the liability limitation provided in ECL Section 27-1421. The liability limitation shall run with the land, extending to the Certificate holder's successors or assigns through acquisition of title to the site and to a person who develops or otherwise occupies the site, subject to certain limitations as set forth in ECL Section 27-1421. The liability limitation shall be subject to all rights reserved to the State by ECL Section 27-1421.2 and any other applicable provision of law.

#### CERTIFICATE TRANSFERABILITY

This Certificate may be transferred to the Certificate holder's successors or assigns upon transfer or sale of the site as provided by ECL Section 27-1419.5 and 6NYCRR Part 375-1.9.

#### CERTIFICATE MODIFICATION/REVOCATION

This Certificate of Completion may be modified or revoked by the Commissioner following notice and an opportunity for a hearing in accordance with ECL Section 27-1419 and 6NYCRR Part 375-1.9(e) upon finding any of the following:

- (1) either the Applicant or the Applicant's successors or assigns have failed to comply with the terms and conditions of the Brownfield Site Cleanup Agreement;
- (2) the Applicant made a misrepresentation of a material fact tending to demonstrate that it was qualified as a Volunteer;
- (3) either the Applicant or the Applicant's successors or assigns made a misrepresentation of a material fact tending to demonstrate that the cleanup levels identified in the Brownfield Site Cleanup Agreement were reached;
  - (4) there is good cause for such modification or revocation.

The Certificate holder(s) (including its successors or assigns) shall have thirty (30) days within which to cure any deficiency or to seek a hearing. If the deficiency is not cured or a request for a hearing is not received within such 30-day period, the Certificate shall be deemed modified or vacated on the 31st day after the Department's notice.

Basil Seggos Commissioner

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

By: Andrew Guglislmi

Date: 12/13/2023

Andrew O. Guglielmi, Director

Division of Environmental Remediation

# Exhibit A Site Description

#### METES AND BOUND DESCRIPTION

#### **BLOCK 3071 LOT 40**

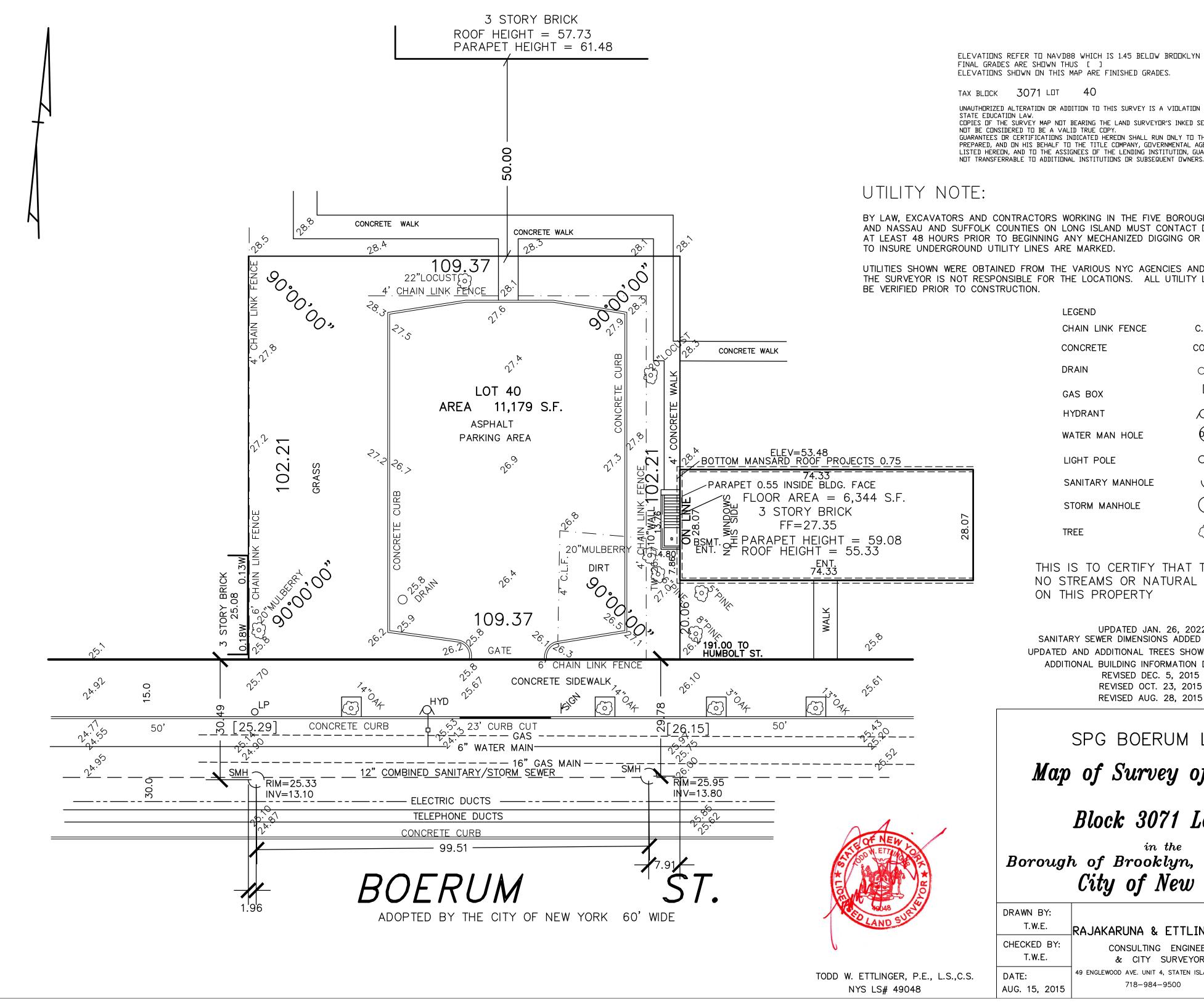
ALL THAT CERTAIN PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND SITUATE, LYING, AND BEING IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, COUNTY OF KINGS, CITY AND STATE OF NEW YORK, BOUNDED AND DESCRIED AS FOLLOWS:

- BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE NORTHERLY LINE OF BOERUM STREET (60 FEET WIDE), DISTANT 191.00 FEET WESTERLY OF THE CORNER FORMED BY THE NORTHERLY LINE OF BOERUM STREET AND THE WESTERLY LINE OF HUMBOLT STREET AS BOTH STREETS ARE LAID OUT TO A WIDTH OF 60 FEET.
- 2. RUNNING THENCE IN A WESTERLY DIRECTION ALONG THE NORTHERLY LINE OF BOERUM STREET, 109.37 FEET;
- 3. THENCE NORTHERLY, DEFLECTING TO THE RIGHT 90°00'00" FROM THE PREVIOUS COURSE, 102.21 FEET;
- 4. THENCE EASTERLY, DEFLECTING TO THE RIGHT 90°00'00" FROM THE PREVIOUS COURSE, 109.37 FEET;
- 5. THENCE SOUTHERLY, DEFLECTING TO THE RIGHT 90°00'00"FROM THE PREVIOUS COURSE, 102.21 FEET TO THE NORTHERLY LINE OF BOERUM STREET AND THE POINT OR PLACE OF BEGINNING.

CONTAINING 11, 179 SQUARE FEET OR 0.257 ACRES

### Exhibit B

Site Survey



ELEVATIONS REFER TO NAVD88 WHICH IS 1.45 BELOW BROOKLYN HIGHWAY DATUM.

UNAUTHORIZED ALTERATION OR ADDITION TO THIS SURVEY IS A VIOLATION OF SECTION 7209 OF THE NEW YORK COPIES OF THE SURVEY MAP NOT BEARING THE LAND SURVEYOR'S INKED SEAL OR EMBOSSED SEAL SHALL

GUARANTEES OR CERTIFICATIONS INDICATED HEREON SHALL RUN ONLY TO THE PERSON FOR WHOM THE SURVEYS PREPARED, AND ON HIS BEHALF TO THE TITLE COMPANY, GOVERNMENTAL AGENCY AND LENDING INSTITUTION LISTED HEREON, AND TO THE ASSIGNEES OF THE LENDING INSTITUTION, GUARANTEES ON CERTIFICATIONS ARE NOT TRANSFERRABLE TO ADDITIONAL INSTITUTIONS OR SUBSEQUENT OWNERS.

BY LAW, EXCAVATORS AND CONTRACTORS WORKING IN THE FIVE BOROUGHS OF NEW YORK CITY AND NASSAU AND SUFFOLK COUNTIES ON LONG ISLAND MUST CONTACT DIGNET, 1-800-272-4480 AT LEAST 48 HOURS PRIOR TO BEGINNING ANY MECHANIZED DIGGING OR EXCAVATION WORK

UTILITIES SHOWN WERE OBTAINED FROM THE VARIOUS NYC AGENCIES AND UTILITY COMPANIES THE SURVEYOR IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR THE LOCATIONS. ALL UTILITY LOCATIONS MUST

LEGEND	
CHAIN LINK FENCE	C.L.F. — - —
CONCRETE	CONC.
DRAIN	ODR
GAS BOX	G
HYDRANT	HYD
WATER MAN HOLE	(ew)
LIGHT POLE	OLP
SANITARY MANHOLE	SMH
STORM MANHOLE	STMH
TREE	(6)

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THERE ARE NO STREAMS OR NATURAL WATER COURSES

UPDATED JAN. 26, 2022 SANITARY SEWER DIMENSIONS ADDED FEB. 7, 2018 UPDATED AND ADDITIONAL TREES SHOWN SEPT 4, 2017 ADDITIONAL BUILDING INFORMATION DEC 27, 2015 REVISED DEC. 5, 2015 REVISED OCT. 23, 2015

SPG BOERUM LLC

## Map of Survey of Property

Block 3071 Lot 40

Borough of Brooklyn, Kings County City of New York

DRAWN BY:		SCALE
T.W.E.	RAJAKARUNA & ETTLINGER P.C.	1"= 15'
CHECKED BY: T.W.E.	CONSULTING ENGINEERS & CITY SURVEYORS	FB: PRINT
DATE: AUG. 15, 2015	49 ENGLEWOOD AVE. UNIT 4, STATEN ISLAND, NY 10309 718-984-9500	CB: FM:

#### NOTICE OF CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION Brownfield Cleanup Program 6 NYCRR Part 375-1.9(d)

159 Boerum Street, Site ID No. C224291 159 Boerum Street, Brooklyn, New York, 11206 Brooklyn, Kings County, Tax Map Identification Number: 3071-40

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE**, the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) has issued a Certificate of Completion (Certificate) pursuant to Article 27, Title 14 of the New York State Environmental Conservation Law (ECL) to SPG Boerum LLC for a parcel approximately 0.257 acres located at 159 Boerum Street in Brooklyn, Kings County.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE**, the Certificate was issued upon satisfaction of the Commissioner, following review by NYSDEC of the Final Engineering Report and data submitted pursuant to the Brownfield Site Cleanup Agreement, as well as any other relevant information regarding the site, that the remediation requirements set forth in ECL Article 27, Title 14 have been or will be achieved in accordance with the time frames, if any, established in the Remedial Work Plan.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE**, the remedial program for the site has achieved a cleanup level that would be consistent with the following categories of uses (actual site use is subject to local zoning requirements):

- ☐ Unrestricted Use, as set forth in 6 NYCRR 375-1.8(g)(1)i
- $\boxtimes$  Residential Use, as set forth in 6 NYCRR 375-1.8(g)(2)i.
- Restricted Residential Use, as set forth in 6 NYCRR 375-1.8(g)(2)ii.
- ☐ Commercial Use, as set forth in 6 NYCRR 375-1.8(g)(2)iii.
- ☐ Industrial Use, as set forth in 6 NYCRR 375-1.8(g)(2)iv.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, provided that the Certificate is complied with, the Certificate holder(s) shall be entitled to the liability limitation provided in ECL Section 27-1421. The liability limitation shall run with the land, extending to the Certificate holder's successors or assigns through acquisition of title to the site and to a person who develops or otherwise occupies the site, subject to certain limitations as set forth in ECL Section 27-1421. The liability limitation shall be subject to all rights reserved to the State by ECL Section 27-1421.2 and any other applicable provision of law.

Further, the use of groundwater is restricted and may not be used, unless treated in accordance with the requirements provided by the New York State Department of Health, or a local County Health Department with jurisdiction in such matters and such is approved by NYSDEC as not inconsistent with the remedy.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE**, the Certificate may entitle the Certificate holder(s) to tax credits in accordance with Tax Law Sections 21, 22 and 23.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE**, the Certificate may only be transferred to the Certificate holder's successors or assigns upon transfer or sale of the site as provided by ECL Section 27-1419.5 and 6 NYCRR Part 375-1.9. Failure to comply with the regulatory requirements for transfer **WILL** bar the successors and assigns from the benefits of the Certificate.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE**, the Certificate may be modified or revoked by the Commissioner as set forth in the applicable regulations.

#### 159 Boerum Street, C224291 159 Boerum Street, Brooklyn, New York, 11206

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE**, a copy of the Certificate can be reviewed at the NYSDEC's Region 2 Office located at 47-40 21st St, Long Island City, NY 11101, by contacting the Regional Environmental Remediation Engineer, or at <a href="https://www.dec.ny.gov/data/DecDocs/C224291">https://www.dec.ny.gov/data/DecDocs/C224291</a>.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned has signed this Notice of Certificate

		LB II Associates LLC
		By:
		Title:
		Date:
STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF	) SS: )	
personally appeared satisfactory evidence to be that acknowledged to me that he/	, po ne individual(s) she/they execut he instrument,	, in the year 20, before me, the undersigned, ersonally known to me or proved to me on the basis of whose name is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and ted the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the
Signature and Office of indivaking acknowledgment	ridual	Please record and return to: SPG Boerum LLC Attn: David Schwartz 440 Park Avenue South, Floor 3 New York, NY 10016