Zoning Resolution

THE CITY OF NEW YORK
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CITY PLANNING COMMISSION
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143-14 - Non-residential Retention for Qualifying Buildings

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For #developments#, #enlargements#, and #conversions# on #zoning lots# with #qualifying buildings# existing on December 15, 2021, #residential uses# shall only be permitted upon certification by the Chairperson of the City Planning Commission to the Commissioner of the Department of Buildings that the #zoning lot#, as it existed on December 15, 2021, will contain at least the amount of non-#residential# #floor area# that existed within such #qualifying buildings# on the #zoning lot# on December 15, 2021, or where the #qualifying building# will be #converted# to #residences# that are exclusively #dwelling units# that either comply with the definition of "affordable housing unit" set forth in Section 27-111 (General definitions), or have a legally binding restriction limiting rents to households with incomes at or below 80 percent of the #income index#. For the purposes of this Section, non-#residential floor area# shall not include #residences#, including #dwelling units# that are registered Interim Multiple Dwellings or are covered by the New York City Loft Board pursuant to Article 7-C of the New York State Multiple Dwelling Law or that the Loft Board determines were occupied for #residential use# on September 1, 1980, #joint living-work quarters for artists#, #community facility uses# with sleeping accommodations or #transient hotels#, where permitted.

A restrictive declaration acceptable to the Department of City Planning shall be executed and recorded, binding the owners, successors and assigns to provide the amount of non-#residential floor area# that existed within #qualifying buildings# on December 15, 2021, on the #zoning lot#. Such restrictive declaration shall be recorded in the Office of the City Register.