Case ZA-38

OFFICIAL DECISION ZONING ADMINISTRATOR CARROLL COUNTY, MD.

APPLICANT:

Harish and Priti Vakil 1698 King Richard Road Sykesville, MD 21784

REQUEST:

A variance reducing the minimum required rear yard from 26.25 feet to about 22 feet for an open deck.

LOCATION:

1698 King Richard Road in Election District 5, Lot 226 in Section 3B of Carrolltowne, a subdivision

recorded at 30/52.

APPLICABLE REGULATIONS: Arti

Article 14, Dev. VIII, Section 14.8(j); Article 15, Section 15.3, 15.5.

HEARING HELD: June 2, 1993

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSION

Based on the testimony and evidence presented at the hearing, the variance is granted.

Facts which support the request for relief from the strict terms of the ordinance, in this case a 26.25 ft. rear yard requirement for an open deck, are as follows:

- a) Usable space in the back yard is severely limited by the grade.
- b) The back yard is bisected by a retaining wall which corresponds to a substantial drainage and utilities easement across the rear of the property.
- c) The proposed deck will afford needed outdoor living space.

DATE: June 10, 1993

Solveig L./Smith, Zoning Administrator

CC: Zoning Enforcement

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