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STATE OF Massachusetts
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QUESTIONNAIRE FOR ARCHITECTS' ROSTER AND/OR REGISTER OF ARCHITECTS QUALIFIED FOR FEDERAL PUBLIC WORKS

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- 1. (a) FIRM (individual or partnership) Michael R. D'Orsi
- (b) FORMER FIRM, if any _____
- 2. BUSINESS ADDRESS 184 Boylston St., Boston, Mass.
- 3. YEAR ESTABLISHED 1935

4. PERSONAL HISTORIES OF PRINCIPALS	Name of Principal	Name of Principal
	<u>Michael R. D'Orsi</u>	

Furnish data complete, but keep to essentials. Describe each member of firm individually; if more than two, append extra sheets.

- (a) Date of Birth Jan. 8, 1910
- (b) Education Mass. Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass.
Beacon Hill School of Design, Boston, Mass.
Lowell Institute, Cambridge, Mass.
Tufts College, Medford, Mass.

- (c) Experience Prior to Own Practice
(Give architect or architectural firm affiliations, positions held, and approximate dates of employment.)
Worked with Edward T. P. Graham--off and on--(after school hours, during vacation and evenings) from 1926 to 1935.
Positions held: from Junior Draftsman to Designer.

- (d) Commenced Practice 1935
- (e) Number of Years a Principal 11

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(f) **Architectural Licenses**

(Give State, Number and Year Issued.)

Massachusetts, 146, 1943

(g) **Professional Societies and Offices Held**

Massachusetts State Association of Architects.
Member of Post War Planning Committee
Member of Educational Committee

(h) **Service in World Wars I and II.** (Append data if desired.)

Architectural Engineer for the U. S. War Department
1941-1946

(i) **Civic Activities**

Member of Medford Civic organizations.

5. CONSULTANTS USUALLY EMPLOYED:

(If a member of your staff, so state)

(a) **STRUCTURAL ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual Leon E. Ambrose
Business Address 49 School St., Arlington, Mass.

(b) **HEATING & VENTILATING ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual John Bonner
Business Address 27 Park Circle, Arlington, Mass.

(c) **ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual William Baron
Business Address Holbrook, Mass.

(d) **PLUMBING OR SANITARY ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual John Bonner
Business Address 27 Park Circle, Arlington, Mass.

(e) **LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS**

Name of Firm or Individual Frank H. Wilson
Business Address 543 Dedham St., Newton, Mass.

6. OTHER REMARKS RE QUALIFICATIONS:.....

(Append extra sheet if necessary).....

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7. SUMMARY OF PROJECT COSTS:

	Largest Single Job	All Jobs Valuation	Annual Average
Work Completed 1930 ⁵ -1940	\$30,000.00	\$250,000.00	\$50,000.00
Work Completed 1941-1946	24,000.00	90,000.00	18,000.00
Current Work under construction or working drawings authorized	500,000.00	570,000.00	570,000.00

(Architect for Textile Mill for the firm of D'Orsi & Murdock, Inc.
 Owners: Yassin Diab, Sens Rabbat Dessouki

8. REPRESENTATIVE WORK FOR WHICH YOU WERE ARCHITECT OR WERE ASSOCIATED WITH OTHERS:

(a) Three Projects Not Exceeding Cost of \$300,000:

Name of Project	Cost	Location	Owner
Residence	\$30,000.00	Newton, Mass.	A. Amore
Residence	24,000.00	Somerville, Mass.-	V. Libertini
Residence	18,000.00	Arlington, Mass.-	M. Maruzzo

(b) Three Projects Costing From \$300,000 to \$1,000,000:

Name of Project	Cost	Location	Owner
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(c) Three Projects Costing Over \$1,000,000:

Name of Project	Cost	Location	Owner
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9. PHOTOGRAPHS/PHOTOSTATS:

The author submits herewith photographs or photostats (size 8" x 10") of several buildings for which he has been the Architect, as follows: (N.C.A.R.B. presentation acceptable.)

Residence-- Newton, Mass.

(Since practice has been mostly residences, photograph representative of work in that field is enclosed.)

10. COLLABORATION WITH JUNIOR ARCHITECTS:

- (a) If an established individual or firm, are you willing to collaborate with other firms or individuals which would permit junior architects to qualify and help further their professional careers?

Yes.

- (b) If in private practice at this time, name associates (if additional architects are to be added to your organization) for the purpose of qualifying:

John D'Orsi, 184 Boylston St., Boston, Mass.

Earl Murdock, 184 Boylston St., Boston, Mass.

- (c) If not in private practice at this time, name established architect or firm with whom you have agreed to collaborate, for the purpose of qualifying:

11.(a) I/We wish to be [X] do not wish to be [] included in the Architects' Roster

(b) I/We would like to be [X] do not wish to be [] considered for the Register of Architects Qualified for Federal Public Works

I/We hereby certify that the above is a true statement of facts.

Name of Firm or Individual Michael R. D'Orsi

Signed by all Principals: Michael R. D'Orsi