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COUNTY _____ BLOCK _____ 103
CITY QUAD LOT _____ 6-7

NAME: Burge House COUNTY: Harris
ADDRESS: 1801 Heights Blvd. CITY: Houston

ARCHITECT/BUILDER: _____ DATE: c.1910 PERIOD: _____
OWNER: Protestant Episcopal Church (cont) STYLE: _____

P.O. Box 7417 Houston, TX 77008 THEME: _____

DESCRIPTION: Square, frame, 2-story house, hip roof with small, central dormers, gable projections on sides, attached porch wraps to one side supported by battered 1/2-columns on brick piers, brick steps, upper facade is shingled, gable over entrance is ornamented, doorway has sidelights and transom.

BUILDING MATERIAL: wall: _____ roof: _____
PHYSICAL CONDITION: good-qual. signif. SITE: original or moved _____ date: _____

ALTERATIONS: _____

SIGNIFICANCE: House is good example of type in transition from Victorian to 20th-century styles. Original owner purchased property in 1910 for \$2000. He was Robert Burge, president of Burge Manufacturing Co.

AREA OF SIGNIFICANCE: _____ LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE: _____

DESIGNATION: NR NHL RTHL HABS HAER HESI HSI OTHER: _____

ORIGINAL USE: residence PRESENT USE: residence-parsonage (cont)

RELATIONSHIP TO SURROUNDINGS: corner lot, large yard

ACREAGE/BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION: _____

BIBLIOGRAPHIC DATA: _____

SEE INFO/CORRESPONDENCE FILES: _____

RECORDED BY: KLL INFORMANT: _____

DATE: 4/2/80 PHOTO DATA: 1 - 35mm
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Site No. 4

NAME <u>Burge House</u>	COUNTY <u>Harris</u>	BLOCK <u>103</u>
ADDRESS <u>1801 Heights Blvd.</u>	CITY <u>Houston</u>	LOT <u>6-7</u>
ARCHITECT/BUILDER <u>unknown</u>	DATE <u>ca. 1910</u>	PERIOD <u>1900--</u>
OWNER <u>Edward Gillette, 1821 Harvard Houston, Texas 77008</u>	STYLE <u>Colonial Revival/Bungaloid influences</u>	THEME

DESCRIPTION square, frame, two-story house; hip roof with small, central dormers; projecting gables on sides; attached porch wraps to one side, supported by battered half-columns on brick piers, rails and balusters between piers; brick front steps; upper facade with two pairs of double windows, one-over-one lights, shingled second-story walls; ornamented gable end over entrance; doorway with sidelights and transom.

Building material: wall <u>clapboard</u>	roof <u>composition</u>
Physical condition <u>good-significant</u>	site: original <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> or moved <input type="checkbox"/> date <input type="text"/>
Alterations <u>none</u>	

SIGNIFICANCE good example of transitional type between Victorian-period styles and 20th-century buildings. Original owner purchased property in 1910 for \$2000; he was Robert Burge, president of Burge Manufacturing Company.

Area of significance <u>architecture</u>	Level of significance <u>local</u>
DESIGNATION: NR NHL RTHL HABS HAER HESI HSI OTHER	
ORIGINAL USE <u>residence</u>	PRESENT USE <u>residence</u>
RELATIONSHIP TO SURROUNDINGS <u>corner lot; large, well-kept yard in residential setting.</u>	

ACREAGE/BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION less than one acre

BIBLIOGRAPHY	INFORMANT
RECORDED BY <u>K. L. London</u>	PHOTO DATA <u>1 - 35 mm., Tex. Hist. Commission</u>
DATE <u>April 2, 1980</u>	

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Multiple Resource Area
Thematic Group

dnr-11

Name Houston Heights Multiple Resource Area
State Texas

Nomination/Type of Review

Date/Signature

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|-----|----------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|--|
| 1. | All Saints Roman Catholic Church | Entered in the
National Register | for Keeper | <u>Melona Byers 6/22/83</u> |
| | | | Attest | _____ |
| 2. | Allbach House | Substantive Review | Keeper | <u>Accept Beth Grovona 6/22/83</u> |
| | | | Attest | _____ |
| 3. | Banta House | Entered in the
National Register | for Keeper | <u>Melona Byers 6/22/83</u> |
| | | | Attest | _____ |
| 4. | Borgstrom House | Entered in the
National Register | for Keeper | <u>Melona Byers 5/14/84</u> |
| | | | Attest | _____ |
| 5. | Building at 430 Harvard Street | Entered in the
National Register | for Keeper | <u>Melona Byers 6/22/83</u> |
| | | | Attest | _____ |
| 6. | Burge House | Entered in the
National Register | for Keeper | <u>Melona Byers 6/22/83</u> |
| | | | Attest | _____ |
| 7. | Burnett House | Substantive Review
DOE/OWNER OBJECTION | Determined Eligible
Keeper | <u>Eligible - Beth Grovona 6/22/83</u> |
| | | | Attest | _____ |
| 8. | Cole, Judge Robert L., House | Substantive Review
DOE/OWNER OBJECTION | Determined Eligible
Keeper | <u>Eligible - Beth Grovona 6/22/83</u> |
| | | | Attest | _____ |
| 9. | Coop, Dr. B. F., House | Entered in the
National Register | Keeper | <u>Melona Byers 5/14/84</u> |
| | | | Attest | _____ |
| 10. | Countryman House | Entered in the
National Register | for Keeper | <u>Melona Byers 6/22/83</u> |
| | | | Attest | _____ |

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Burge House (Houston Heights MRA)
Harris County
TEXAS

MAY 9 1983

Working No. _____

Fed. Reg. Date: 12-7-84

Date Due: 6/9/83 - 6/23/83

Action: ACCEPT 6/22/83

Entered in the RETURN _____

National Register REJECT _____

Federal Agency: _____

- resubmission
- nomination by person or local government
- owner objection
- appeal

Substantive Review: sample request appeal NR decision

Reviewer's comments:

Recom./Criteria _____

Reviewer _____

Discipline _____

Date _____

___ see continuation sheet

Nomination returned for: technical corrections cited below
 substantive reasons discussed below

1. Name

2. Location

3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
	Public Acquisition	Accessible	

4. Owner of Property

5. Location of Legal Description

6. Representation in Existing Surveys

has this property been determined eligible? yes no

7. Description

Condition:		Check one	Check one
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> unaltered	<input type="checkbox"/> original site
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> altered	<input type="checkbox"/> moved date _____
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed		

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

- summary paragraph
- completeness
- clarity
- alterations/integrity
- dates
- boundary selection

8. Significance

Period _____ Area of Significance—Check and justify below

Specific dates _____ Builder/Architect _____

Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

- _____ summary paragraph
_____ completeness
_____ clarity
_____ applicable criteria
_____ justification of areas checked
_____ relating significance to the resource -
_____ context
_____ relationship of integrity to significance
_____ justification of exception
_____ other

9. Major Bibliographical References

10. Geographical Data

Acres of nominated property _____

Quadrangle name _____

UMT References _____

Verbal boundary description and justification _____

11. Form Prepared By

12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

_____ national _____ state _____ local

State Historic Preservation Officer signature _____

Title _____ Date _____

13. Other

- _____ Maps
_____ Photographs
_____ Other

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to _____

Signed _____ Date _____ Phone: 202 272-3504

Comments for any item may be continued on an attached sheet



1801 Heights Blvd.

Houston Heights

Site No. 4, Burge House, 1801 Heights
Boulevard

Houston, Texas 77008

Photo: K.L. London, April 2, 1980

On file, Texas Historical Commission

Front facade. looking west

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Please refer to the map in the
Multiple Property Cover Sheet
for this property

Multiple Property Cover Sheet Reference Number: 64000847