Matter of Village of Pomona v Planning Bd. of the Town of Ramapo
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Decided on November 8, 2017 SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK Appellate Division, Second Judicial Department JOHN M. LEVENTHAL, J.P. LEONARD B. AUSTIN JEFFREY A. COHEN COLLEEN D. DUFFY, JJ.

2012-10582 (Index No. 156/12)

[\*1]In the Matter of Village of Pomona, appellant,

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Planning Board of the Town of Ramapo, et al., respondents-respondents, et al., respondents.

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## **DECISION & ORDER**

In a proceeding pursuant to CPLR article 78 to review three determinations of the Planning Board of the Town of Ramapo, all dated December 27, 2011, which granted the applications of the respondent Scenic Development, LLC, for subdivision and site plan approval of the subject property, the petitioner appeals from a judgment of the Supreme Court, Rockland County (Walsh II, J.), dated September 10, 2012, which denied the petition and dismissed the proceeding.

ORDERED that the appeal is dismissed as academic, without costs or disbursements.

This appeal has been rendered academic by the determinations of the respondent
Planning Board of the Town of Ramapo dated March 22, 2013, granting the applications of
the respondent Scenic Development, LLC, for final subdivision and site plan approval of the
subject property. Since the issues raised herein have been addressed on the appeals in Matter
of Bodin v Planning Board of Town of Ramapo ( AD3d [Appellate Division
Docket No. 2014-07003, decided herewith]) and Matter of Shapiro v Planning Board of Town
of Ramapo ( AD3d [Appellate Division Docket No. 2014-07005; decided
herewith]), the exception to the mootness doctrine does not apply (see City of New York v
<u>Maul. 14 NY3d 499</u> , 507; Matter of Hearst Corp. v Clyne, 50 NY2d 707, 714; <u>see also Matter</u>
of Veronica P. v Radcliff A., 24 NY3d 668, 671; Matter of Aloya v Planning Bd. of Town of
Stony Point, 93 NY2d 334).
LEVENTHAL, J.P., AUSTIN, COHEN and DUFFY, JJ., concur.
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