

# TENANTS DISPLACED BY HIGHWAY WILL BE HOUSED TOZZI SAYS

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In a radio address over Station WBNX Wednesday night, March 20, Thomas V. Tozzi, vicepresident of the Board of Trade declared that there was little need for "apprehension concerning the dislocation of people directly with in the area" in connection with the building of the Cross Bronx Expressway.

He said the Board of Trade had taken the question up with borough and State authorities and that "there is little ground for the opposition which has resulted in the last few weeks."

"As has been set forth in the official statement prepared by the representatives of the State, the city and the borough and released by Borough President Lyons,

residents can be assured that they will not be required to move 'if, after reasonable effort and cooperation with the Relocation Bureau, they are unable to find appropriate accommodations.'" he said.

"There is no intention to evict anyone or to subject any to unwarranted inconvenience; nor is there any justification for fear that people will be expected to accept living conditions any less suitable than those presently enjoyed.

"It is believed that practically every dwelling with in the right of way of the first section of the Cross Bronx Expressway to be built can be moved and relocated with little inconvenience to occupants," he stated.