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**NOTICE OF VIOLATION AND ORDER TO CORRECT**

April 28, 2017

<b>Responsible Party 1:</b> 192 Washington Ave LLC PO Box 1398 Portland, ME 04104		
<b>Location</b> 192 WASHINGTON AVE	<b>CBL</b> 010 A030001	<b>Inspection Date</b> 4/13/2017
<b>Inspector</b> Paul Halverson	<b>Inspection Type</b> FP Routine Inspection	<b>Status</b> Failed

The City of Portland Fire Department inspected this property, and found the fire and life safety code violations listed below, which you are hereby ordered to correct. You must propose a date of completion to remedy each violation, a final date of completion, and a date of re-inspection.

**You must send this form to the Fire Prevention Bureau no later than 5/15/2017.**

Your failure to submit a plan of action by the date provided, or to correct any violation within the applicable time frame, may result in legal action against you, the imposition of civil penalties, and the pursuit of other legal remedies.

<b>Violation</b>	<b>Proposed Date of Completion</b>
<b>NFPA 1- 18.2.2.1 FIRE DEPARTMENT KNOX BOX REQ;</b> The AHJ shall have the authority to require an access box(es) to be installed in an accessible location where access to or within a structure or area is difficult because of security. The access box(es) shall be of an approved type listed in accordance with UL 1037. Properties with fire alarm systems and fire suppression systems require Knox access.	___/___/___
<b>NFPA 1- 1.12.5.13 FIRE ALARM INSPECTION STICKER REQUIRED;</b> Permits shall be issued by the AHJ and shall bear the name and signature of the AHJ or that of the AHJ's designated representative. In addition, the permit shall indicate the following: (1) Operation or activities for which the permit is issued (2) Address or location where the operation or activity is to be conducted (3) Name and address of the permittee (4) Permit number and date of issuance (5) Period of validity of the permit (6) Inspection requirements and other permit conditions	___/___/___
<b>NFPA 101- 9.7.5. PROVIDE TEST &amp; COMPLIANCE DOCUMENTATION;</b> All automatic sprinkler and standpipe systems required by this Code shall be inspected, tested, and maintained in accordance with NFPA 25, Standard for the Inspection, Testing, and Maintenance of Water-Based Fire Protection Systems.	___/___/___

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<b>NFPA 1- 4.5.8.1 FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEM OUT OF SERV.;</b> Whenever or wherever any device, equipment, system, condition, arrangement, level of protection, fire-resistive construction, or any other feature is required for compliance with the provisions of this code, such device, equipment, system, condition, arrangement, level of protection, fire-resistive construction, or other feature shall thereafter be continuously maintained. Maintenance shall be provided in accordance with applicable NFPA requirements or requirements developed as part of a performance-based design, or as directed by the AHJ.	___/___/___
<b>NFPA 101- 7.10.1.1 EXITS CLEARLY VISIBLE OR CONSPICUOUSLY INDICATED;</b> Where Required: Means of egress shall be marked in accordance with section 7.10 where required in Chapters 11 through 43.	___/___/___
<b>NFPA 101- 7.5.1.1 AND 7.5.1.1.1 OBSTRUCTED EGRESS;</b> Exits shall be located and exit access shall be arranged so that exits are readily accessible at all times (7.5.1.1). Where exits are not immediately accessible from an open floor area, continuous passageways, aisles, or corridors leading directly to every exit shall be maintained and shall be arranged to provide access for each occupant to not less than two exits by separate ways of travel, unless otherwise provided in 7.5.1.1.3 and 7.5.1.1.4 (7.5.1.1.1).	
<b>NFPA 101- 7.9.1.1 EMERGENCY LIGHTING REQUIRED;</b> Emergency lighting facilities for means of egress shall be provided in accordance with Section 7.9 for the following: (1) Buildings or structures where required in Chapters 11 through 43 (2) Underground and limited access structures as addressed in Section 11.7 (3) High-rise buildings as required by other sections of this code (4) Doors equipped with delayed-egress locks (5) Stair shaft and vestibule of smokeproof enclosures, for which of the following also apply: (a) The stair shaft and vestibule shall be permitted to include a standby generator that is installed for the smokeproof enclosure mechanical ventilation equipment (b) The standby generator shall be permitted to be used for the stair shaft and vestibule emergency lighting power supply (6) New access-controlled egress doors in accordance with 7.2.1.6.2	___/___/___
<b>1-4.5.8 MAINTENANCE, INSPECTION, AND TESTING; WHENEVER OR WHEREVER ANY DEVICE, EQUIPMENT, SYSTEM, CONDITION, ARRANGEMENT, LEVEL OF PROTECTION, FIRE-RESISTIVE CONSTRUCTION, OR ANY OTHER FEATURE IS REQUIRED FOR COMPLIANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS CODE, SUCH DEVICE, EQUIPMENT, SYSTEM, CONDITION, ARRANGEMENT, LEVEL OF PROTECTION, FIRE-RESISTIVE CONSTRUCTION, OR OTHER FEATURE SHALL THEREAFTER BE CONTINUOUSLY MAINTAINED.</b>	
<b>NFPA 101- 4.5.3.4 MEANS OF EGRESS SHALL BE ILLUMINATED;</b> Lighting: Where artificial illumination is needed in a building or structure, egress facilities shall be included in the lighting design.	
<b>NFPA 101- 9.1.2 CERTIFY ELECTRICAL SYSTEM;</b> Electrical wiring and equipment shall be in accordance with NFPA 70, unless such installations are approved existing installations, which shall be permitted to be continued in service.	___/___/___
<b>NFPA 54- 9.6.4 UTILITY DISCONNECTS BLOCKED;</b> Each appliance connected to a piping system shall have an accessible, approved manual shutoff valve with a nondisplaceable valve member, or a listed gas convenience outlet. Appliance shutoff valves and convenience outlets shall serve a single appliance only and shall be installed in accordance with 9.6.4.1.	___/___/___
<b>NFPA 70- ARTICLE 314.28 OPEN ELECTRICAL JUNCTION BOX;</b> Boxes and conduit bodies used as pull or junction boxes shall comply with 314.28 (A) through (D).	___/___/___

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<b>NFPA 1- 19.1.2 INSIDE STORAGE NOT ORDERLY;</b> Persons owning or having control of any property shall not allow any combustible waste material to accumulate in any area or in any manner that creates a fire hazard to life or property.	___ / ___ / ___
<b>NFPA 101-7.10.5.1 NORMAL ILLUMINATION FOR EXITS;</b> Every sign required by 7.10.1.2, 7.10.1.5, or 7.10.8.1, other than where operations or processes require low lighting levels, shall be suitably illuminated by a reliable light source. Externally and internally illuminated signs shall be legible in both the normal and emergency lighting mode. light bulb need replacing. 3rd floor hallway. Front side of building.	___ / ___ / ___
<b>NFPA 101- 31.3.4.5.1 SMOKE ALARMS REQUIRED;</b> In buildings other than those equipped through out with an existing, complete automatic smoke detection system, smoke alarms shall be installed in accordance with 9.6.2.10, as modified by 31.3.4.5.2, outside every sleeping area in the immediate vicinity of the bedrooms and on all levels of the dwelling unit, including basements. detector needed in 3rd floor apt. Detector missing above fridge in kitchen.	IMMEDIATELY install temporary alarms where required. Your signature below indicates that temporary alarms have already been installed.
<b>NFPA 101- 8.3.4.2 60 MINUTE FIRE DOOR REQUIRED;</b> Refer to NFPA 101- Table 8.3.4.2 that states fire door assemblies for vertical shafts (including stairways, exits, and refuse chutes) are rated and required for 1 hour. Top of basement stairs.	___ / ___ / ___
<b>FINAL DATE OF COMPLETED VIOLATION(S)</b>	___ / ___ / ___
<b>FIRE PREVENTION BUREAU RE-INSPECTION OF COMPLETED VIOLATION(S)</b>	___ / ___ / ___

The Bureau reserves the right to reject or modify any proposed plan of action, and may require evidence of sufficient financial and technical capacity to complete the proposed plan. Please contact the Bureau with any questions.

### **VIOLATOR CERTIFICATION**

*I agree to remedy the violations listed within the timeframes provided. If I require additional time to comply, I understand that I must contact the Fire Prevention Bureau prior to the deadline to request an extension, which is entirely within the Bureau's discretion to grant or deny.*

*I further understand that it is my responsibility to schedule a reinspection of my property once the violations have been remedied to do so. My failure to schedule a reinspection shall be deemed an admission that the violations have not been remedied.*

*If I fail to comply with this agreement, I understand that I am liable for penalties pursuant to the City of Portland Code of Ordinances §§ 1-15 and 10-25, and 30-A M.R.S. § 4452 and may be subject to further legal action.*

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Date

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Responsible Party

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### **SEEN AND AGREED**

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Date

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