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NOTICE OF VIOLATION AND ORDER TO CORRECT

December 12, 2017

Location 70 NEWBURY ST	CBL 020 C005001	Inspection Date 9/22/2017
Inspector Christopher Corey	Inspection Type FP Re-Inspection	Status 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 12/30/2017.

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.

Violation	Proposed Date of Completion
NFPA 101- 7.2.1.8.1 FIRE DOOR(S) MUST SELF-CLOSE; A door leaf normally required to be kept closed shall not be secured in the open position at any time and shall be self-closing or automatic-closing in accordance with 7.2.1.8.2, unless otherwise permitted by 7.2.1.8.3. Furnace room in basement apartment requires fire door assembly	___ / ___ / ___
NFPA 101- 31.3.7 FLOOR/ CEILINGS ASSEMBLY NOT SMOKE-TIGHT; In buildings other than those meeting the requirements of 31.3.7.1, 31.3.7.2, 31.3.7.3, 31.3.7.4, or 31.3.7.5, in addition to the following criteria to be met. Hole in wall 2nd floor, D stairwell	___ / ___ / ___
NFPA 101- TABLE 8.3.4.2 UNRATED WINDOWS ARE NOT PERMITTED IN EXIT STAIRS; Fire window assemblies are not permitted in vertical shafts (including stairways, exits, and refuse chutes). Multiple transom type windows in both front stairwells	___ / ___ / ___
NFPA 101- 7.2.8.6.2 FIRE ESCAPE REQUIRES REPAIR; The authority having jurisdiction shall be permitted to approve any existing fire escape stair that has been shown by load test or other satisfactory evidence to have adequate strength. Rear fire escape/porches in serious disrepair	___ / ___ / ___
NFPA 101- 31.3.3.2 INTERIOR FINISH; Interior wall and ceiling finish materials complying with 10.2 shall be permitted as follows: (1) Exit enclosures- Class A or B (2) Lobbies and corridors- Class A or B (3) Other Spaces- Class A, B, or C. Panel finish in both front halls throughout	___ / ___ / ___
NFPA 101- 31.3.2.1.1 BOILER PROTECTION REQUIRED; The areas described in Table 31.3.2.1.1 shall be protected as indicated: Boiler and fuel-fired heater rooms serving more than a single dwelling unit (minimum separation/protection is 1 hour or sprinklers) Sprinkler head required over furnace	___ / ___ / ___

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<p>NFPA 101- 8.3.4.2 60 MINUTE FIRE DOOR REQUIRED; 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.</p> <p>Furnace room in basement apartment requires self-closing fire door</p>	<p>___ / ___ / ___</p>
<p>NFPA 101- 31.3.7 FLOOR/ CEILINGS ASSEMBLY NOT SMOKE-TIGHT; In buildings other than those meeting the requirements of 31.3.7.1, 31.3.7.2, 31.3.7.3, 31.3.7.4, or 31.3.7.5, in addition to the following criteria to be met.</p> <p>holes in stairway walls, ceilings</p>	<p>___ / ___ / ___</p>
<p>NFPA 101-31.3.2.1 AND 31.3.2.1.1 PROTECTION OF HAZARDOUS AREAS NOT PROVIDED; Any hazardous area shall be protected in accordance with Section 8.7. The areas described in Table 31.3.2.1.1 shall be protected as indicated.</p> <p>Hole cut into Boiler room wall for Air Conditioner</p>	<p>___ / ___ / ___</p>
<p>NFPA 101-7.10.5.1 NORMAL ILLUMINATION FOR EXITS; 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.</p> <p>Lights need repair in front stairways</p>	<p>___ / ___ / ___</p>
<p>NFPA 101- 31.3.4.5.1 SMOKE ALARMS REQUIRED; 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.</p> <p>Missing smoke detectors in apartments</p>	<p>IMMEDIATELY install temporary alarms where required. Your signature below indicates that temporary alarms have already been installed.</p>
<p>NFPA 1 EXCESSIVE/DISORDERLY STORAGE; Reference NFPA 1 for excessive fuel-load.</p> <p>Basment</p>	<p>___ / ___ / ___</p>
<p>NFPA 70- 4.10.8 BROKEN LIGHT FIXTURE; Luminaries shall be installed such that the connections between the luminaire conductors and circuit conductors can be inspected without requiring the disconnection of any part of the wiring unless the luminaries are connected by attachment plugs and receptacles.</p> <p>Apartments</p>	<p>___ / ___ / ___</p>
<p>NFPA 70- ARTICLE 110.12 B EXPOSED WIRING CONNECTIONS; Internal parts of electrical equipment, including busbars, wiring terminals, insulators, and other surfaces, shall not be damaged or contaminated by foreign materials such as paint, plaster, cleaners, abrasives, or corrosive residues. There shall be no damaged parts that may adversely affect safe operation or mechanical strength of the equipment such as parts that are broken; bent; cut; or deteriorated by corrosion, chemical reaction, or overheating.</p> <p>Front stair ceilings, Missing Apartment smokes</p>	<p>___ / ___ / ___</p>
<p>NFPA 70- 590.6 EXTENSION CORDS; Ground-fault protection for personnel for all temporary wiring installations shall be provided to comply with 590.6(A) and (B). This section shall apply only to temporary wiring installations used to supply temporary power to equipment used by personnel during construction, remodeling, maintenance, repair, or demolition of buildings, structures, equipment, or similar activities.</p> <p>Basement and deck</p>	<p>___ / ___ / ___</p>
<p>NFPA 70 MISSING BOX COVERS; Refer to NFPA 70, National Electrical Code, on standards for missing box covers.</p> <p>Through out apartments and front stairs</p>	<p>___ / ___ / ___</p>
<p>NFPA 70- 4.10.8 DEFECTIVE LIGHT FIXTURE; Luminaries shall be installed such that the connections between the luminaire conductors and the circuit conductors can be inspected without requiring the disconnection of any part of the wiring unless the luminaries are connected by attachment plugs and receptacles.</p> <p>Front stairs</p>	<p>___ / ___ / ___</p>

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NFPA 1, CHAPTER 10 - 10.11.6 HIBACHI OR GRILL ON BALCONY; NO HIBACHI, GAS-FIRED GRILL, CHARCOAL GRILL, OR OTHER SIMILAR DEVICES USED FOR COOKING, HEATING, OR OTHER PURPOSE, SHALL BE USED OR KINDLED ON ANY BALCONY OR UNDER ANY OVERHANG PORTION OR WITHIN 10 FT OF ANY STRUCTURE Grills under deck	___ / ___ / ___
FINAL DATE OF COMPLETED VIOLATION(S)	___ / ___ / ___
FIRE PREVENTION BUREAU RE-INSPECTION OF COMPLETED VIOLATION(S)	___ / ___ / ___

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.

Date

Responsible Party

Date

Responsible Party

SEEN AND AGREED

Date

Fire Prevention Bureau