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Lee Urban - Director of Planning and Development Jeanie Bourke - Inspection Division Services Director

July 2, 2007

PRESTON JONATHAN S P.O.BOX 1516 CHARLESTOWN, RI 02813 Close Out Building Demolished COPY

CBL: 020 D008001 Located at 52 FEDERAL ST Certified Mail 70070710000249761047

#### **Dear Jonathan Preston:**

A re-evaluation of the above-referenced property on 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July, 2007 shows that the structure fails to comply with Chapter 6.Article V. of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Portland, The Housing Code.

On the 20<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2007 I left a voice mail message with Mark from your property management requiring submission of a building permit application to our office within ten (10) days. Our office has no record of an attempt to obtain a building permit to repair the un-safe porch, and the upper-level balconies, front the property.

Attached is a list of violations.

You are required to come into our office by the 12th day of June, 2007 to submit the proper permit application.

This is a notice of violation pursuant to § 6-118 of the Code. A building permit application and all required submissions and appropriate fees must be submitted to this office within (ten) 10 days of the date of this notice.

Please be advised that the Portland City Council has amended the Building regulations to include a \$75.00 re inspection fee. This violation will automatically cause a re-inspection at no charge. If there are any subsequent inspections, however, the \$75.00 fee will be assessed for each inspection.

Failure to comply will result in this office referring the matter to the City of Portland Corporation Counsel for legal action and possible civil penalties, as provided for in § 6-1 of the Code.

This constitutes an appealable decision pursuant to Section 6-127 of the Code. Please feel free to contact me @ 874-8702 if you wish to discuss the matter or have any questions.

Jon Rioux.

Sincere

**Building Inspector** 

389 Congress Street Portland, Maine 04101

## Inspection Violations

Owner/Manager		Inspector	Inspection Date	
Preston Jonathan S			7/12/2007	
Locatation	CBL	Status	Inspection Type	
52 FEDERAL ST	020 D008001	Re-Inspect 10 Days	Complaint-Inspection	

Code Int/Ext Floor Unit No. Area Compliance Date

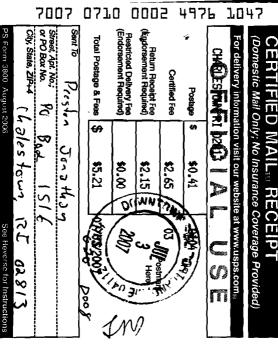
1) 6-108.4

Violation: Stairways, stairwells, stairs, porches.

Notes: Stairways, stairwells, stairs and porches. Every inside and outside stairway, stairwell, stairs, and porch

and any appurtenances thereto shall be structurally sound, in good repair, and safe to use.

Comments:



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Lee Urban- Director of Planning and Development Jeanie Bourke - Inspections Division Director

August 2, 2007

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PRESTON JONATHAN S P.O.BOX 1516 CHARLESTOWN, RI 02813

CBL: 020 D008001 Located at 52 FEDERAL ST **Hand Delivery** 

Dear PRESTON JONATHAN S,

#### STOP WORK ORDER

An evaluation of the above-referenced property on 08/02/2007 revealed that building construction was being conducted without benefit of a valid building permit as required by Section 105.1 of the 2003 International Building Code and the 2003 International Residential Code of the City of Portland.

Appropriate permitting has not been issued for the property listed above, therefore all construction activity at that property must STOP immediately. This is a STOP WORK ORDER pursuant to Section 114. of 2003 International Building Code and the 2003 International Residential Code of the City of Portland.

You may resume construction activity only after issuance of the appropriate building permit and the subsequent lifting of this order. Building Permit Applications are available in this office, Room 315 at Portland City Hall, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. weekdays except holidays.

Failure to comply will result in this office referring the matter to the City of Portland Corporation Counsel for legal action and possible civil penalties, as provided for in Section 1-15 of the Code and in Title 30-A of M.R.S.A. Section 4452. This constitutes an appealable decision pursuant to Section 112 of the City of Portland Building Code.

If you wish to discuss this matter, or you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Jop Rioux @ (207) 874-8702

Building Inspector

389 Congress Street Portland, Maine 04101

## **Inspection Violations**

Owner/Manager		Inspector	Inspection Date	
PRESTON JONATHAN S		Jon Rioux	8/2/2007	
Locatation	CBL	Status	Inspection Type	
52 FEDERAL ST	020 D008001	Stop Work Order	Complaint-Inspection	

	Code	Int/Ext	Floor	Unit No.	Area	Compliance Date
1)	105.1	Exterior			Porch	
	Violation:	Building w/o Permit				
	Notes:	Building/ Demolition without benefit of a permit.				

Comments:

Mr. Preston was advised in a previous letter to come into our office for a building and demolition permit. He came in on the 2nd day of August, 2007, and notified our staff that he had workers there,

and they were going to start work regardless if he had a permit in hand...

389 Congress Street Portland, Maine 04101

### **INVOICE FOR FEES**

Owner:

PRESTON JONATHAN S

Location:

52 FEDERAL ST

CBL:

020 D008001

Invoice Date:

08/02/2007

Fee Description		Fee Charge
08/02/2007 BELATED PERMIT FEE		\$50.00
08/02/2007 RE-INSPECTION FEE		\$75.00
08/02/2007 STOP WORK REMOVAL FEE		\$100.00
	Amount Due Now:	\$225.00

Detach and remit with payment

**CBL** 020 D008001

**Invoice Date:** 08/02/2007

Invoice No: 508

Bill to: PRESTON JONATHAN S

P.O.BOX 1516

CHARLESTOWN, RI 02813

Total Amt Due: \$225.00

Payment Amount:

### City of Portland Inspection Services RETURN OF SERVICE

On the 2nd day of August, 2007 I made service of the stop work order no building permit By delivering a copy in hand. By leaving copies at the individual's dwelling house or usual place of abode with a person of suitable age or discretion who resides therein and whose name is By delivering a copy to an agent authorized to receive service of process, and whose name is \_\_\_\_\_\_. By (describe other manner of service) Signature of Person Making Service I have received the above referenced documents Person Receiving Service Refused to sign \_\_\_\_ Unable to sign



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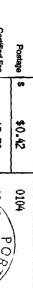
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Director of Planning and Urban Developmen Penny St. Louis Littel

> Inspection Services, Directo Jeanie Bourke

December 31, 2008

PRESTON JONATHAN S P.O.BOX 1516 CHARLESTOWN, RI 02813

CBL: 020 D008001 Located at 52 FEDERAL ST

Certified Mail 7003 31110 0002 6063 7117

Dear PRESTON JONATHAN S,

#### **POSTING NOTICE**

An evaluation of the above-referenced property on 12/31/2008 revealed that the structure fails to comply with Section 6-120.1 of the Housing Code of the City of Portland.

Attached is a list of the violations.

Based on that list, and pursuant to Section 6-120.3, this office declares the dwelling unit is unfit for human habitation. A re-inspection of the premises will oc 01/05/2008 , at which time the dwelling unit must be totally vacated and secured from variation.

Failure to comply will result in this office referring the matter to the City of Portland Corporation Counsel for legal action and possible civil penalties, as provided for in Section 1-15 of the Code in Title 30-A of M.R.S.A ss 4452.

This constitues an appealable decision pursuant to Section 6-127 of the Code. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or would like to discuss this matter further.

Sincerely,

Suzanne Hunt @ (207) 874-8707 Building Inspector Strengthening a Remarkable City, Building a Community for Life . www.portlandmaine.gov

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PRESTON JONATHAI	٧S	Suzanne Hunt	12/31/2008
Locatation	CBL	Status	Inspection Type
52 FEDERAL ST	020 D0080	01	Complaint-Inspection

Floor

1) 6-120.1 thru 5

Violation: Posted against occupancy.

Int/Ext

Notes:

Code

Sec. 6 120. Properties unfit for human habitation; and posted against occupancy.

Any dwelling, dwelling unit, rooming house, rooming unit, or any structure or portion thereof being used for human habitation which is in violation of the provisions of this article to the extent that it is unfit for human habitation according to the standards contained herein or other applicable standards may be condemned for habitation and posted against occupancy by the building authority. Property unfit for human habitation shall include but not be limited to:

Unit No.

Area

Compliance Date

- (a) Properties which are either damaged, decayed, dilapidated, unsanitary, unsafe, or vermin infested in such a manner as to create a serious hazard to the health, safety, and general welfare of the occupants or the public;
- (b)□Properties which lack plumbing, ventilating, lighting or heating facilities or equipment adequate to protect the health, safety and general welfare of the occupants or the public;

This property has no water, is unlocked and has at least one broken window Comments:



Occupancy of these premises is NOT permitted due to conditions dangerous or detrimental to life or health. Entrance into the premises without approval of the City of Portland Division of Inspection Services is PROHIBITED.

Violations of Article	_, Section $120$ of the City of Portla	and Code o	f Ordinances.
All persons acting contrary to t	his order or removing or mutilation of	this notice a	are liable to arrest
unless such action is authorize	d by the City of Portland Division of I	Inspection S	Services.
Code Enforcement Officer	Suzfen	Date	12/71/08

City of Portland 389 Congress Street Room 315 Portland, Maine 04101 (207)874-8703