

Department of Urban Development Joseph E. Gray, Jr. Director

CITY OF PORTLAND

May 20, 1999

Mr. William H. Childs Esq. 257 Deering Ave Portland ME 04101

RE: 13 Mayo St CBL: 022-J-012

Dear Sir:

On May 18, 1999 Lt. McDougall of the Portland Fire Department and myself inspected 13 Mayo St in regards to public safety. Our inspection revealed that this structure would be considered a dangerous building as stated in Maine State Statue 17 sec. 2851.

This structure sustained heavy structural damage during a fire on February 26, 1999 and has been unoccupied since that date. At the time of our inspection, we found the building open with easy access. I am now requesting that either you take immediate action to bring the building into a habitable living space or have the building razed.

If I do not hear from you by June 4, 1999 I will be placing this building on the City's demolition list.

Please feel free to contact me at 874-8704 on this very important matter.

Sincerely,

P. Samuel Hoffses Building Inspector

cc: M. Adelson, Director of Housing and Neighborhood Services

R Bondeson, Housing Coordinator