## CITY OF PORTLAND

#### FIRE PREVENTION BUREAU

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## NOTICE OF VIOLATION AND ORDER TO CORRECT

September 6, 2017

<b>Responsible Party 1:</b>		
SMITH JULIE E		
227 VALLEY ST		
PORTLAND, ME 04102		
Location	CBL	Inspection Date
227 VALLEY ST	064 E008001	8/7/2017
Inspector	Inspection Type	Status
Jonathan Hendricks	FP Routine Inspection	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 9/30/2017.

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
<b>NFPA 101- 7.5.1.1 EXIT OBSTRUCTED</b> ; 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. Second floor apartments- blocked exits.	IMMEDIATELY remove all obstructions from the exits. Your signature below indicates that all obstructions have been removed and will not be replaced.
<b>NFPA 101- 7.2.1.8.1 FIRE DOORS MUST BE SELF- OR AUTO-CLOSING</b> ; 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. Front Stairwell - All firedoors must be self closing	//
<b>NFPA 720- 5.5.6.1 CO ALARMS REQUIRED</b> ; The performance, location, and mounting of notification appliances used to initiate or direct action, evacuation or relocation of the occupants, or for providing information to occupants or staff, shall comply with the requirements of Chapter 6. 1st floor apartment	IMMEDIATELY install temporary alarms where required. Your signature below indicates that temporary alarms have already been installed.
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, OROTHER PURPOSE, SHALL BE USED OR KINDLED ON ANY BALCONY OR UNDER ANY OVERHANG PORTION OR WITHIN 10 FTOF ANY STRUCTURE Reemove BBQ Grill- Front porch	//

Violation	Proposed Date of Completion
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 <u>prior to the deadline</u> 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