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CITY OF PORTLAND
NOTICE OF VIOLATION

June 23, 1999

P. & J. Severino Inc.
Sportsman's Grill
909 Congress St.
Portland, ME 04102

Re Sportsman's Grill (065 E030)

Dear Licensee,

It's no secret that environmental tobacco use is a serious public health hazard, both to the user and those nearby. The City of Portland has led the State in the charge to limit this use in our restaurants by passing tobacco regulations. We challenge you, the restaurant owner to help us lead the way to a healthier Portland by disallowing cigar or cigarette smoking in your restaurant! Won't you help?

An evaluation of your restaurant on 5/26/99 revealed customers smoking cigarettes and 6/21/99 revealed ashtrays present in the bar area. This activity constitutes a violation of Chapter 17, Article VII of the Portland City Code; Regulation of Tobacco. Section 17.75 prohibits smoking in restaurants. Pursuant to 17-75.c., the Sportman's Grill at 909 Congress St. is a restaurant.

This Notice constitutes a written warning pursuant to Section 17-78(a). We will visit your establishment within the next 30 days. If future violations are found, the matter will be referred to the City's Corporation Counsel for further action pursuant Section 17.78(a)(b)(c).

If you have questions, please feel free to contact Karen O'Rourke (874-8633), Phyllis Wolfe (874-8634) or myself (874-8700). We need your help!

Sincerely,

Mike Nugent
Manager of Inspection Services