From:

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To:

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Date:

Thu, Nov 1, 2001 8:14 AM

Subject:

55 Irving St.

LT Mac, On 10-31-01 L-3 & E-6 were dispatched to 55 Irving St. for a problem with a kerosene heater. Upon arrival and investigation we found a two unit apartment with the first floor unit vacant and the second floor unit being occupied by the callers. The second floor occupants were complaining of a petroleum type odor in their apartment. Both units investigated and found nokerosene heater. Central heat was provided by an oil fired steam boiler in the basement which appeared to be operating normally. L-3's CO detector was brought in and each floor and basement area was checked. The detector did not pick up any CO anywhere in the bldg. The tenants did however complain of on going respiratory problems (coughs, colds, stuffy nose etc.). Tenants were advised to purchase CO detector for their aptment and to call city inspections to voice complaints. We told them that we did not have jurisdiction because it was a two unit bldg. Upon return to qters. I spoke w/ D/C Blaisdell and he advised I e-mail you to see if you cuold follow up w/ bldg inspections and have somebody from there take a look at the property. There also appeared to be numerous electrical code violations throughout the bldg that should be addressed. Thanks Lt Garland. (PS I won't be working Fri. 11-02 but if yopu have any questions feel free to give LT. Feeney a call at L-3.)

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