



**CITY OF PORTLAND**  
**STOP WORK NOTICE**

June 29, 2000

Andrzej Pospiech  
1352 Forest Ave.  
Portland, ME 04103

RE: 1352 Forest Ave.  
CBL: 294-D-003

**HAND DELIVER**

Dear Mr. Pospiech:

On June 9<sup>th</sup>., During an inspection of your property located at 1352 Forest Ave., the following violations of the National Electrical Code were found. These violations are also direct violations of Article III of the City of Portland's Building Ordinance.

This is a **STOP WORK ORDER** pursuant to Section 6-71 of the City Electrical Code. All construction activity must stop immediately.

The following issues must be corrected by a Maine licensed electrician and pass inspection within 72 hours of receipt of this letter. If work is found to be non-compliant power will be removed from the dwelling.

- NEC 230-70a: Main Distribution Panel to be located at the closest point of entry to the service conductors. A Main disconnect outside of building would also be acceptable.
- NEC 300-4: Proper installation of service entrance conductors to main breaker panel. (Box connector needed).
- ART.III, Div. I, Sec 6-34b, System must be grounded and bonded to the street side of water meter.
- Art. III, Div. I, Sec. 6-69, It is unlawful for any person to cover or conceal any wiring prior to being inspected. The walls with new wiring must be opened for inspection.
- Art. III, Div. I, Sec. 6-52, para. 3, Work done within the main electrical panel must be performed by or approved by a licensed electrician.

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 M.R.S.A. Ss 4452. This constitutes an appealable decision pursuant to Section 121.5 of the Code. Please feel free to contact me at 874-8715, if you wish to discuss the matter or have any questions.

Sincerely,

Jeanie Bourke  
Code Enforcement Officer

Cc: Central File  
Joseph Gray