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### CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that I am the owner of record of the named property, or that the proposed work is authorized by the owner of record and that I have been authorized by the owner to make this application as his authorized agent and I agree to conform to all applicable laws of this jurisdiction. In addition, if a permit for work described in the application is issued, I certify that the code official's authorized representative shall have the authority to enter all areas covered **by** such permit at any reasonable hour to enforce the provision of the code(s) applicable to such permit.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT	ADDRESS	DATE	PHONE
RESPONSIBLE PERSON IN CHARGE OF WORK, TITLE		DATE	PHONE



#### **MEMO**

Date: January 20,2005

To: From:	Michael Nugent, City of Portland Inspection Services David S. Wittliff PE, Food Tech Structures, LLC
CC:	Jeff Shorey, Barber Foods
Via:	fax

Project:Milliken Warehouse RenovationReference:Plans review issuesNo. of Pages:cover

Mike,

Thank you for the review time you've spent and the questions contained in your fax of 1-18-05 and our conversation of 1-20-05. Revisions to our prior correspondence shown in italics. We prepared the plans under the following interpretation:

- 7. The building complies with section 302.2.1, non-separated mixed use group, as the building qualifies under section 507.2 as an unlimited area building, single story, sprinklered which includes use groups F, S and B. The area of the building is not limited and fire separation assemblies between use groups are not required except as required under Table 302.1.1 for incidental uses. After reviewing Ch. 9 we ore not aware of more restrictive applicable provisions that would apply to the non separated uses that arc already anticipate in the design.
- 2. Drawing A7.1, rev. A dated 12-02-04 addresses your questions. Two copies are being overnighted to you. It maybe you do not have that plan revision in your review set. That revised plans show 11" treads, 6.95 risers and 4'-0" tread width. Head room is 8'-9 under the landings.
- 3. We have been lobbying for a revision to the code and commentary on this very issue as it pertains to stairs that provide maintenance access to industrial areas supporting mechanical and electrical equipment. The section you cite 1009.3.2 requires solid risers and has an exception which allow open risers if the stairs are not required to comply with section 1007.3.
  - a. The existing roof has a hatch that qualifies under the exception to section 1009.12.1, therefore this stair provides maintenanceaccess to mechanical equipment only and section 1007.3 does not apply.
  - b. Since the stair qualifies for Section 1009.3.2 exception #1 the riser can be open provided it pertains to the 4" sphere rule. The commentary reviews the reasons for closed risers but allows for open risers in certain situations. We believe the Section 1009.3.2 exception and commentary will be modified in time to recognize the Section 1012.3 exception #2 pertaining to guards and the same modification

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of the 4" sphere rule contained in Section 1012.5. Applying the 4" sphere rule to stair risers that provide maintenance access to mechanical equipment is not consistent with *the* Section 1009.3.2 commentary and the exceptions to the sections of *the* code that govern guards.

- G. We feel that keeping the risers open on these outdoor stairs is an important consideration to allow the open grip strut treads to remain free of snow. Closing the risers may cause the accumulation of Snow and would certainly hinder snow removal.
- d. A variance request will be filed with your office shortly.
- 4. Table 1015.1 governs the exit access travel distance. the storage is S-1 and the building is sprinklered, travel distance is therefore 250'. Compliance with the 250' distance is subject to field review to determine the travel path: the drawing may not show that path clearly. Barber Foods proposes to renovate this area in the near future and plans on that renovation will be submitted for your review. As this area of the building is presently unoccupied we suggest setting this issue aside pending review of the plans for the proposed renovation in the future.
  - a. A copy of drawing PR1.7 is being sent to you via overnight so you may view the planned rack changes and the impact on travel distance.

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City of **Portland** Inspectional Services 389 **Congress Sit**. Portland, ME 04101

ATTN : Michael Nugent. Plans Review

RE: Barber Foods Milliken Warehouse Renovation Variance Request

Dear Michael:

We are writing to request a variance from section 1009.3.2 and the requirement that the exterior stair have solid risers.

- a. The section cited 1009.3.2 requires solid risers and has an exception which allows open risers if the stairs are not required to comply with section 1007.3.
- **b. m e** existing roof has a hatch that qualifies under the exception to section 1009.12.1, therefore this **stair** provides maintenance access to mechanical **equipment only** and section 1007.3 does not **apply**.
- c. Since the stair qualifies for Section 1009.3.2 exception #1 the riser can be open provided it pertains to the 4 sphere rule. The commentary reviews the reasons for closed risers but allows for open risers in certain situations. We believe the Section 1009.3.2 exception and commentary will be modified in time to recognize the Section 1012.3 exception #2 pertaining to guards and the same modification of the 4" sphere rule contained in Section 1012.5. Applying the 4" sphere rule to stair risers that provide maintenance access to mechanical equipment is not consistent with the Section 1009.3.2 commentary and the exceptions to the sections of the code that govern guards.
- d. We feel that keeping the risers open on these outdoor stairs is an important consideration to allow the open grip strut treads to remain **Tite** of Snow. Closing the risers may cause the accumulation of snow and would certainly hinder snow removal.

Thank you for your consideration of this request. Please call with any questions.

Regards: Food Tech Structures, LLC

David S. Wittliff. P.E. Senior Vice President

Cc Jeff Shorey, Barber Foods

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# APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM SITE PLAN REVIEW

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CITY OFPORTLAND BUILDING CODE CERTIFICATE 389 Congress St., Room 315 Portland, Maine 04101

- TO: Inspector of Buildings City **of** Portland, Maine Department of Planning & Urban Development Division of Housing & Community Service
- FROM: Janet Hansen

RE: <u>Certificate of Design</u>

DATE: <u>AUAUST 25,2004</u>

These plans and / or specifications covering construction work on:

Interior renovations of office space at BarberFoods,

## 56 Milliken Street

Have been designed and drawn up by the undersigned, a Maine registered Architect / Engineer according to the <u>BOCA National Building Code / 1999 (Fourteenth Edition)</u> and local amendments.



\$50,000.00 or more in new construction, repair expansion, addition, or modification for Building or Structures, shall be prepared by a registered design Professional.

Signature: Ganet & Manson

Title: Architect, Principal

Firm: <u>SMRT</u>

Address: 144 Fore Street Portland, Maine 04101



CITY OF PORTLAND BUILDING CODE CERTIFICATE 389 Congress St., Room 315 Portland, Maine 04101

TO: Inspector of Buildings City of Portland, Maine Department of Planning & Urban Development Division of Housing & Community Service

FROM DESIGNER: Janet Hansen /SMRT August 25, 2004 DATE: Barber Foods Job Name: Address of Construction: 56 Milliken Street THE BOCA NATIONAL BUILDING CODE / 1999 (FOURTEENTH EDITION) Construction project was designed according to the building code criteria listed below: Building Code and Year BOCA 1999 Use Group Classification(s) PUSINESS (Phasel) Bldg. Height Varies Bldg. Sq. Footage (Area to be renovated Type of Construction, 2.C. Seismic Performance Category NA ~ 15,000 S.F.) Seismic Hazard Exposure Group NA Roof Snow Load Per Sq. Ft. NA Dead Load Per Sq. Ft. 🛛 😰 🕺 🗛 Basic Wind Speed (mph) NA Effective Velocity Pressure Per Sq. Ft. NA Floor Live Load Per Sq. Ft. NA (Slabon grade) Structure has full sprinkler system? Yes 🗙 No × Alarm System? Yes No Sprinkler & Alarm systems must be installed according to BOCA and NFPA Standards with approval from the Portland Fire Department. Is Structure being considered unlimited area building: Yes 🔀 No M Phase 2 If mixed use, what subsection of 313 is being considered: BUSINESS ach room or space, designed into this project. List Occ 1661# Jane & Nause HANSER **Designers Stamp & Signature** 

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August 24,2004

Mr. Michael Nugent Inspection Program Manager Building Inspections City of Portland 389 Congress Street Portland, ME 04101

Dear Mr. Nugent:

Barber Foods is ready to start the process *o*f reconditioning current office space in the former Super Valu distribution center located at 56 Milliken Street, Portland, Maine. Our building permit application for this project will accompany this letter.

Our intent is to use existing office space with no change of use of any warehouse space. The term used when I requested my building permit was tenant fit up.

Expected date of occupancy for the Corporate Office of Barber Foods is November 1, 2004. We appreciate anything you can do to help us with the permitting process.

All Show Sincerely,

Jeff Shorey Barber Foods Plant Engineer

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All Purpose Building Permit Application If you or the property owner owes real estate or personal property taxes or user charges on any property within the City, payment arrangements must be made before permits of any kind are accepted.

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## ACCESSIBILITY CERTIFICATE

Designer:	Jar	net.	Hanse	<u>2n</u>			
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The technical submissions covering the proposed construction work as described above have been designed in compliance with applicable referenced standards found in the Maine Human Rights Law and Federal Americans with Disability Act.

	Signature: Janet & Nansen - SMRT
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