Portland, Maine



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October 6, 2015

HAUGHEY PHILIP C TRUSTEE

1660 SOLDIERS FIELD RD

BOSTON, MA 02135

CBL: 369 A005001

Located at 1392 RIVERSIDE ST

NOTICE OF INTENT TO PROSECUTE

Dear Owner/Manager/Occupant,

An inspection of the property located at the address referenced above revealed that the structure and premises fail to comply with NFPA 2009 Fire Code and/or NFPA Life Safety Codes. Attached is a list of those violations.

The above-referenced property is in violation of the Chapter 10, Fire Prevention and Protection, Article 1 of the Portland City Code (the "Code") and National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 101 Life Safety Code. Please note that the Code is available online at www.portlandmaine.gov.

This is a notice of intent to prosecute. As such, the matter is being referred to the City of Portland Corporation Council for legal action and possible civil penalties as provided for in Chapter 10, Fire Prevention and Protection, 10-25 of the Code and in Title 30- A.M.R.S.A. 4452.

Please be advised that you will need to contact the Fire Prevention Bureau at 207-874-8400 before the court date on the attached Reference to Court letter to either schedule a re-inspection or to submit a plan of action to correct these violations.

Sincerely,

Portland Fire Department

Fire Prevention Bureau

CITY OF PORTLAND PORTLAND FIRE DEPARTMENT

380 Congress Street Portland, Maine 04101

Inspection Violations

Owner/Manager		Inspector I	Inspection Date
HAUGHEY PHILIP C TRUSTEE		Chris Pirone	10/5/2015
Location	CBL	Status	Inspection Type
1392 RIVERSIDE ST	369 A005001	Failed	Fire Company-FP Routine Inspec

2) 80.32

Violation:

NFPA 101-7.10.9 TESTING AND MAINTENANCE EXIT SIGNS REQUIRE MAINTENANCE; 7.10.9.1 Inspections. Exit signs shall be visually inspected for operation of the illumination sources at intervals not to exceed 30 days.

- 7.10.9.2 Testing. Exit signs connected to, or powered with, a battery-operated emergency illumination source shall be tested and maintained in accordance with 7.9.3.
- 7.9.3 Periodic Testing of Emergency Equipment
- 7.9.3.1 Required emergency lighting systems shall be tested in accordance with one of the three options offered by 7.9.3.1.1, 7.9.3.1.2, or 7.9.3.1.3.
- 7.9.3.1.1 Testing of required emergency lighting systems shall be permitted to be conducted as follows:
- (1) Functional testing shall be conducted monthly with a minimum of 3 weeks and a maximum of 5 weeks between tests, for not less than 30 seconds, except as otherwise permitted by 7.9.3.1.1(2).
- (2) The test interval shall be permitted to be extended beyond 30 days with the approval of the authority having jurisdiction.
- (3) Functional testing shall be conducted annually for a minimum 1-1/2 hours if the emergency lighting system is battery powered.
- (4) The emergency lighting equipment shall be fully operational for the duration of the test required by 7.9.3.1.1(1) and (3).
- (5) Written records of visual inspections and tests shall be kept by the owner for inspection by the authority having jurisdiction.

Notes:

EXIT SIGN BY OFFICE NOT WORKING. NEEDS TO BE ILLUMINATED.

3) 81.70

Violation:

NFPA 13-8.1.2 SPRINKLER SYSTEM REQUIRES SERVICE; SYSTEM VALVES AND GAUGES SHALL BE ACCESSIBLE FOR OPERATION, INSPECTION, TESTS, AND MAINTENANCE.

Notes:

ANNUAL SERVICE REQUIRED.

4) 82.15

Interior

Violation:

CITY OF PORTLAND 10-21.5 HAZARD IDENTIFICATION SIGNS REQUIRED; Buildings required to comply with tier 2 shall provide hazard identification signs complying with NFPA 704, which shall also comply with Section 10-21.5 of the City of Portland Code. See www.portlandmaine.gov/citycode.htm.

Notes:

NEED SIGNAGE FOR ACETYLENE, ARGON, #2 HEAT FUEL, OXYGEN.

Comments:

CITY OF PORTLAND PORTLAND FIRE DEPARTMENT

380 Congress Street Portland, Maine 04101

Inspection Violations

Owner/Manager HAUGHEY PHILIP C TRUSTEE			Inspector Chris Pirone		Inspection Date 10/5/2015					
Location 1392 RIVERSIDE ST		CBL 369 A005001		Status Failed		Inspection Type Fire Company-FP Routine Inspec				
Code	ln	t/Ext	Floor	Unit No.	Area	Compliance Date				
1) 80.16 Violation:	NFPA 101-7.9.3 EMERGENCY LIGHTS REQUIRE MAINTENANCE; 7.9.3 Periodic Testing of Emergency Equipment									
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EMERGENCY LIGHTS NOT WORKING. NEEDS REPLACEMENT.

Notes:

DISTRICT COURT Location: Portland Docket No.

CITY OF PORTLAND and body politic and Corporate, located in the County of Cumberland and State of Maine,

Plantiff,

FIRE PREVENTION AND PROTECTION CODE VIOLATION

(M.R. CIV. P. 80H AND 80k)

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Philip Haughey Defendant

SUMMONS NUMBER: 3

353607

This matter has been referred to the Corporation Counsel's Office for immediate legal action with respect to the code violations detailed in the attached letter. It has been assigned the above summons number and will be filed with the Portland District Court and will be assigned for an initial appearance at the Portland District Court 205 Newbury Street Portland, Maine 04101 at 8:30 A.M. on 11/09/2015. Please contact Victoria Meserve at Fire Prevention at (207)-874-8400 or via e-mail at meserve@portlandmaine.gov to set up an in-person meeting to meet with somebody in the Fire Prevention Bureau to resolve these issues or make alternative arrangements to relieve you of the requirement to appear in Court on 11/09/2015.

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207-874-8480