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CURRENT RESIDENT 228 FRONT AVENUE APT. #2 SAINT PAUL MN 55117-5325

## **Revocation of Fire Certificate of Occupancy and Order to Vacate**

RE: 228 FRONT AVE Ref. # 13552

Dear Property Representative:

Your building was inspected on May 21, 2018, for the renewal of the Certificate of Occupancy. Since you have failed to comply with the applicable requirements, it has become necessary to revoke the Certificate of Occupancy in accordance with Section 40.06 of the Saint Paul Legislative Code.

## A reinspection will be made on June 19, 2018 at 10:00 AM or the property vacated.

The Saint Paul Legislative Code further provides that no building shall be occupied without a Certificate of Occupancy. Failure to immediately complete the following deficiency list or the building vacated may result in a criminal citation.

## DEFICIENCY LIST

- 1. Exterior Front Porch Area SPLC 34.08 (1), 34.34 (4), 34.16 Provide and maintain interior in a clean and sanitary condition. -Remove the pile of debris that is in the front porch area.
- 2. Exterior Stairs SPLC 34.09 (3), 34.33(2) Repair or replace the unsafe stairways, porch, decks or railings in an approved manner. This work may require a permit(s). Call DSI at (651) 266-8989.-There are cracked and damaged treads on the exterior stairs and the top of the landing is damaged and has broken pieces coming off.
- 3. Unit 2 Radiators SPLC 34.11 (6), 34.35 (3) Provide service of heating facility by a licensed contractor which must include a carbon monoxide test. Submit a completed copy of the Saint Paul Fire Marshal's Existing Fuel Burning Equipment Safety Test Report to this office. -There is a report stating that the radiators are not working and there are several radiators that are missing the valve for them.

- 4. SPLC 39.02(c) Complete and sign the smoke detector affidavit and return it to this office.
- 5. SPLC 40.06 Suspension, revocation and denial. (a) Ground for revocation. The fire code official may, in writing, issue a notice to the owner(s) and known interested parties of the city's suspension or revocation of a fire certificate of occupancy issued under the provisions of this code, or deny an application therefor; (3) If it is found upon inspection of the fire code official that the building or occupancy is in violation of provisions of this or other applicable safety codes, ordinances, rules and regulations:-The Fire Certificate of Occupancy has been revoked due to non-compliance and for not providing access for inspections.

Saint Paul Legislative Code authorizes this inspection and collection of inspection fees. For forms, fee schedule, inspection handouts, or information on some of the violations contained in this report, please visit our web page at: http://www.stpaul.gov/cofo

You have the right to appeal these orders to the Legislative Hearing Officer. Applications for appeals may be obtained at the Office of the City Clerk, 310 City Hall, City/County Courthouse, 15 W Kellogg Blvd, Saint Paul MN 55102 Phone: (651-266-8585) and must be filed within 10 days of the date of this order.

If you have any questions, email me at: Efrayn.Franquiz@ci.stpaul.mn.us or call me at 651-266-8955 between 7:30 - 9:30 a.m. Please help to make Saint Paul a safer place in which to live and work.

Sincerely,

Efrayn Franquiz Fire Inspector

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