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CORRECTION NOTICE - COMPLAINT INSPECTION

RE: 1221 RICE ST Ref. # 103070

Dear Property Representative:

An inspection was made of your building on October 20, 2011 in response to a referral. You are hereby notified that the following deficiency list must be corrected immediately. A reinspection will be made on October 21, 2011 at 11am.

Failure to comply may result in a criminal citation or revocation of the Certificate of Occupancy. The Saint Paul Legislative Code requires that no building shall be occupied without a Certificate of Occupancy. The code also provides for the assessment of additional reinspection fees.

DEFICIENCY LIST

1. 2nd floor - Bathroom - SPLC 34.10 (7), 34.33 (6) - Repair and maintain the ceiling in an approved manner.-Holes around vent stack.

3. 2nd floor - Bathroom - MSFC 605.1- All light fixtures shall be maintained with protective globes if originally equipped.-Secure the mirror to the wall. Mirror is currently resting on sink ledge.

4. 2nd floor - Bathroom tub - SPC 4715.2110 - Replace the inadequate backflow preventer. This work may require a permit. Call Regional Water Services at (651) 266-8989.-Hose on tub faucet

5. 2nd floor - SPLC 34.10 (4), 34.33 (3) - Provide a bathroom floor impervious to water.

6. 2nd floor - MSFC1026.1 - Provide and maintain an approved escape window from each sleeping room. The minimum size must be 5 square feet of glazed area with a minimum of 24 inches of openable height and 20 inches of openable width. With a finished sill height not more than 48 inches. This work may require permit(s). Call DSI at (651)- 266-9090. Refer to the Escape Windows for Residential Occupanices handout for more information.-Both upper floor bedroom windows are screwed shut from the outside per the owner.

7. Main floor - room off of kitchen - SPLC 34.09 (3), 34.32 (3) - Repair and maintain the window in good condition.-Window is covered in black platic. Leaking excessive amounts of cold air. Maintain the window to be reasonably weather tight.

8. Main floor bathroom - SPLC 34.12 (2), 34.35 (1) - Repair and maintain all required and supplied equipment in an operative and safe condition.-Toilet seat lid broken off

9. No sleeping room egress - SPLC 34.23, MSFC 110.1 - This occupancy is condemned as unsafe or dangerous. This occupancy must not be used until re-inspected and approved by this office.

10. SPLC 40.04 (5) On or after April 30, 2009, The owner of a building used for residential occupancy who is applying for their FIRST Fire Certificate of Occupancy, must complete the Minnesota Crime Free Multi Housing training program or other landlord training program approved by the Fire Marshal. The training must have occurred within the last two years and the owner must submit a certificate of attendance or provide verification of enrollment in the next scheduled class to the Fire Inspection Division-DSI. This requirement shall not apply to an owner who has held a Fire Certificate of Occupancy on another residential property in Saint Paul prior to April 30, 2009.

11. SPLC 34.08 (7) - All parking spaces shall be paved with asphalt, concrete, or durable dustless surfacing. Before any existing spaces may be paved, site plan approval must be obtained as specified in the St. Paul Zoning Code. Contact DSI Zoning at 651-266-9090.

12. SPLC 34.09 (1) b,c, 34.32 (1) b,c - Provide and maintain all exterior walls free from holes and deterioration. All wood exterior unprotected surfaces must be painted or protected from the elements and maintained in a professional manner free from chipped or peeling paint.

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: (651-266-8688) and must be filed within 10 days of the date of the original orders.

If you have any questions, email me at: leanna.shaff@ci.stpaul.mn.us or call me at 651-266-8980 between 7:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Please help to make Saint Paul a safer place in which to live and work.

Sincerely,

Leanna Shaff Fire Inspector

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