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## RE: RE-INSPECTION FIRE CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY WITH DEFICIENCIES 295 AURORA AVE

Ref. # 105549

Dear Property Representative:

Your building was re-inspected for the Fire Certificate of Occupancy on October 30, 2014. Approval for occupancy will be granted upon compliance with the following deficiency list. The items on the list must be corrected immediately. **A reinspection will be made on January 5, 2015 at 10:00am.** 

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

## DEFICIENCY LIST

1. 295 Aurora - MSFC 1003.3.1.8 - Remove unapproved locks from the exit doors. The door must be open able from the inside without the use of keys or special knowledge or effort. -Remove the hook and loop lock from the attic door.

2. 295 Aurora - SPLC 34.10 (7), 34.34 (6) - Repair and maintain the walls in an approved manner. -Paint the walls.

3. 295 Aurora - MSMC 504.6 - Provide, repair or replace the dryer exhaust duct. Exhaust ducts for domestic clothes dryers shall be constructed of metal and shall have a smooth interior finish. The exhaust duct shall be a minimum nominal size of four inches (102 mm) in diameter and installed in accordance with the mechanical code. This work may require a permit(s). Call DSI at (651) 266-8989.

4. 297 Aurora - SPLC 34.23, MSFC 110.1 - This occupancy is condemned as unfit for human habitation. This occupancy must not be used until re-inspected and approved by this office.-297 has been condemned by DSI and was emergency boarded by SPPD due to multiple code violations and gross unsanitary conditions. Unit must be fully rehabbed under permit and cannot be occupied until inspected and approved. Contact DSI at 651-266-8989.

5. 297 Aurora - SPLC 34.10 (5), 34.33 (4), 34.16 - Provide and maintain interior in a clean and sanitary condition.

6. EXTERIOR - SPLC 34.09 (1) b,c, 34.33 (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.

7. EXTERIOR - SPLC 34.08 (1), 34.31 (1) - All exterior property areas shall be maintained free from any accumulation of refuse, garbage or feces.

8. EXTERIOR - SPLC 34.09 (2), 34.32(2) - Repair or replace the unsafe stairways, porch, decks or railings in an approved manner. This work will require a permit(s). Call DSI at (651) 266-9090. -Front and rear stairs.

9. EXTERIOR - SPLC 34.09 (3), 34.32 (3) - Repair and maintain the window in good condition. -Broken windows.

10. EXTERIOR - SPLC 34.09 (3), 34.33 (3) -Provide or repair and maintain the window screen. -Broken screens.

11. SPLC 34.11 (6), 34.34 (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.

12. SPLC 39.02(c) - Complete and sign the smoke detector affidavit and return it to this office.

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 the original orders.

If you have any questions, email me at adrian.neis@ci.stpaul.mn.us or call me at 651-266-8992 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,

A.J. Neis Fire Inspector Ref. # 105549