CITY OF NORWICH CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICE

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GEN	VERAL:	
GE	CEIC/IE.	
Y	N	Are all appliances working properly?
Y	N	Are all clothes dryers, which are vented indoors, filtered to capture lint?
Y	N	Are all walls & ceilings in good condition, including closets?
Y	N	Are there any unsanitary conditions/health hazards: improperly stored trash, foul odors, etc?
Y	N	Do all plumbing fixtures work properly?
Y	N	Do all hot water & drain pipes work properly?
Y	N	Do all hot water heater relief valves extend downward?
Y	N	Is all repair work painted over?
Y	N	Is an adequate, permanent, fixed form of heat provided to all habitable space? Portable heaters are prohibited.
Y	N	Is an easy accessible shut-off valve provided in the gas piping in close proximity to, & ahead of, gas appliance & outlet for a gas connection?
Y	N	Are sturdy receptacles with tight fitting covers available for trash?
Y	N	Does there appear to be an infestation of rodents or bugs?
ALL STAIRCASES:		
₂ Y	N	Are handrails & railings secure?
Ŷ	N	Are stairs, landings& fire escapes clear of stored items & tripping hazards?
Ŷ	N	Do railings have missing spindles?
Ÿ	N	Have handrails?
DOORS:		
Y	N	Do all doors open & close easily?
Y	N	Are doors & doorways in good condition: doors, jambs, saddles, molding, hardware, etc.?
Y	N	Are there hasp type locks & hardware on any door?
SMOKE DETECTORS/CO2 DETECTORS:		
Y	N	Are all smoke detectors & CO2 Detectors located in proper areas and operate properly?
FIRE SAFETY:		
Y	N	Are all flammables on site stored in UL approved storage unit or fire enclosure?
Y	N	Are all openings in ceilings & walls around duct pipes & wires sealed with fire resistive material?
Y	N	Are all unused chimney flue pipe openings sealed?
Y	N	Is there an excessive amount of combustibles stored anywhere?
ELECTRICAL:		
Y	N	Are all electrical receptacles, lights & switches work properly?
Y	N	Are all stairs provided with electrical lights to allow safe ascent or descent?
Y	N	Are any electrical receptacle covers or switch plate covers missing or damaged?
Y	N	Are electrical extension cords in use?
Y	N	Are there any exposed electrical wires or open junction boxes?
Y	N	Is there clear access to electrical panel boxes?
EXTERIOR:		
Y	N	Are all gutters maintained?
Y	N	Are there any cracked, missing or broken windows?
Y	N	Are there any deteriorated areas in foundation or parging?
Y	N	Are there any soffits or fascia missing, damaged or deteriorated?
Y	N	Does the chimney need pointing?
Y	N	Is all exposed wood, which is not inherently resistant to deterioration, painted or otherwise protected?
· ·	N	Is all interior furniture removed from all exterior areas?

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