Stedman Fire Department

Incident # _____ Time _____ Date_____/_____/_____

Carbon Monoxide Detector Activation

Notice of Finding

Carbon Monoxide is an odorless, tasteless, colorless gas that is DEADLY. It is a by-product of a fuel burning process. It can cause symptoms that can mimic flu, cause unconsciousness and even death. Many appliances around the home are capable of producing carbon monoxide when faulty or unusual condition exists. Since the source may be transient in nature, the source may not always be detectable.

The Stedman Volunteer Fire Department responded to investigate a possible carbon monoxide problem at:

_____	_____	_____
(Number)	(Street)	(Apt.# if applic.)

CARBON MONOXIDE was ( ) , was not ( ) found by our instruments. This does not mean that this was a false alarm. Our instruments found the highest level of CO to be _____p.p.m. (parts per million).

What does this reading mean?

9 p.p.m.	Our instruments did not detect ELEVATED levels at this time. However, this does not mean that higher levels did not exist prior to our arrival or that higher levels will not accumulate after our departure. Check your carbon monoxide detector per manufacturer's recommendations. Replace or reset detector as directed by manufacturer's specification.
More than 9 p.p.m.	Our instruments have detected potentially dangerous levels of carbon monoxide. We recommend that you leave this building immediately. We feel that it is unsafe to re-occupy this building until repairs are made and your detector is replaced or reset according to manufacturer's specifications.
35 p.p.m.	Maximum allowable concentration for continuous exposure in the work place in any 8-hour period according to OSHA Law.
100 p.p.m. Or More	We have detected a potentially lethal level of carbon monoxide in your home. Our recommendation is that you leave your building IMMEDIATELY. It is not safe until repairs are made and your detector is replaced or reset according to manufacturer's specifications.

Carbon monoxide affects individuals differently on the size and medical history of the occupant(s). Therefore, families with young children, or members with medical conditions, or aged individuals should take extra precautions in the event that carbon monoxide is detected.

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Incident Commander_____Date_____

Owner/Occupant_____Date_____