

ORDER OF AN EXECUTIVE OFFICER CLOSED FOR TENANT ACCOMMODATION PURPOSES

To: 1439381 Alberta Ltd.
"the Owner"

Jagtar Deol
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"the Owner"

And To: All Occupant(s) of the following Housing premises:

RE: Those housing premises located in Edmonton, Alberta and municipally described as:
Suite 102 – 112 and 114 at Westgate Inn (Westgate Motor Inn) 21621 Stony Plain
Road

WHEREAS I, an **Executive Officer** of **Alberta Health Services**, have inspected the above noted premises pursuant to the provisions of the **Public Health Act**, RSA 2000, c. P-37, as amended;

AND WHEREAS such inspection disclosed that the following conditions exist in and about the above noted premises which are or may become injurious or dangerous to the public health or which might hinder in any manner the prevention or suppression of disease, namely:

- a. Occupational Health and Safety (OH&S) has reported asbestos concerns with the building.
- b. All suites are currently under renovations. All furnishings, plumbing fixtures, and finishings of the floors, walls, and ceilings have been removed or are being rebuilt.
- c. The building has an ongoing cockroach infestation.

AND WHEREAS such inspection disclosed that the following breaches of the Public Health Act and the Housing Regulation, Alberta Regulation 173/99, and the Minimum Housing and Health Standards exist in and about the above noted premises, namely:

- a. OH&S has reported asbestos concerns with the building. This is in contravention of Section 5(2) of the Housing Regulation, AR 173/99, which states that "No person shall cause or permit any condition in housing premises that is or may become injurious or dangerous to the public health, including any condition that may hinder in any way the prevention or suppression of disease."
- b. All suites are currently under renovations. All furnishings, plumbing fixtures, and finishings of the floors, walls, and ceilings have been removed or are being rebuilt. This is in contravention of Section 3(1) of the Housing Regulation, AR 173/99, which states that "Subject to subsection (3) and section 4, an owner shall ensure that (a) the housing premises are (i) structurally sound, (ii) in a safe condition, (iii) in good repair, and (iv) maintained in a waterproof, windproof and weatherproof condition; (b) the occupants of

the housing premises are supplied with adequate (i) sanitary facilities, including a sanitary drainage system or private sewage disposal system, (ii) heating facilities that are capable of maintaining a habitable indoor temperature, if the housing premises are used or intended for use during all or part of the period from September 1 in one year until May 1 in the following year, (iii) running hot and cold water that is safe for human consumption, and (iv) space for sleeping purposes; (c) the common areas of the housing premises, its fixtures and any furnishings provided by the owner are maintained in a clean and sanitary condition.”

- c. The building has an ongoing cockroach infestation. This is in contravention of Section 16(a) of the Minimum Housing and Health Standards, which states that “The owner shall ensure that the housing premises are free of insect and rodent infestations”

AND WHEREAS, by virtue of the foregoing, the above noted premises are hereby declared to be **Closed for Tenant Accommodation Purposes**.

NOW THEREFORE, I hereby **ORDER** and **DIRECT**:

1. That the Owner immediately undertake and diligently pursue the completion of the following work in and about the above noted premises, namely:
 - a. Work under OH&S’s guidance to remediate all asbestos containing materials. Submit a professional report following the remediation.
 - b. Renovate all suites to meet the requirements of the Minimum Housing and Health Standards.
 - c. Work with a certified pest control operator to eliminate all pest infestations onsite. Submit copies of the pest control operator’s report(s) following their visits.
2. That until such time as the work referred to above is completed to the satisfaction of an Executive Officer of Alberta Health Services; the above noted premises shall remain closed for tenant accommodation purposes.

The above conditions were noted at the time of inspection and may not necessarily reflect all deficiencies. You are advised that further work may be required to ensure full compliance with the Public Health Act and regulations, or to prevent a public health nuisance.

DATED at Edmonton, Alberta, March 14, 2024

Confirmation of a verbal order issued to Jagtar Deol on March 14, 2024.

Executive Officer
Environmental Health Officer

You have the right to appeal

A person who a) is directly affected by a decision of a Regional Health Authority, and
b) feels himself aggrieved by the decision

may appeal the decision by submitting a Notice of Appeal form within ten (10) days after receiving the order to:

Public Health Appeal Board
c/o Central Reception
Main Floor, ATB Place North Tower
10025 Jasper Avenue NW
Edmonton, Alberta, T5J 1S6
Phone: 780-222-5186
Fax: 780-422-0914
Email: HealthAppealBoard@gov.ab.ca
Website: <https://www.alberta.ca/public-health-appeal-board.aspx>

A Notice of Appeal form may be obtained by contacting the Public Health Appeal Board or visiting their website.

Health Legislation, Regulations and Standards

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<https://www.alberta.ca/alberta-kings-printer.aspx>.

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