

**ORDER OF AN EXECUTIVE OFFICER  
UNFIT FOR HUMAN HABITATION  
ORDER TO VACATE**

**To:** 1707588 AB Ltd.

**And To:** All Occupants of the following Housing premises:

**RE:** Those housing premises located in Lethbridge, Alberta and municipally described as:  
537 13 Street S.

**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. There are numerous broken windows and doors.
- b. There is extensive garbage and drug paraphernalia in and around the home.
- c. There are broken electrical fixtures throughout the home.
- d. Plumbing fixtures are in poor condition (eg. the toilet was smashed to pieces).
- e. Extensive finishing issues throughout the home. This includes, but is not limited to: holes in walls, holes in doors and severely damaged flooring.
- f. There are no working smoke detectors.
- g. There are no useable kitchen appliances.
- h. There is a pile of human excrement on the floor of the basement and a bucket of human excrement in one of the bedrooms.

**AND WHEREAS** such inspection disclosed that the following breaches of the Public Health Act and the the Nuisance and General Sanitation Regulation AR243/2003 exist in and about the above noted premises, namely:

- a. There are numerous broken windows and doors which is in contravention of Section 2(1) and Section 2(2)(a) of the Nuisance and General Sanitation Regulation AR243/2003 which reads: *"No person shall create, commit or maintain a nuisance"*.
- b. There is extensive garbage and drug paraphernalia in and around the home which is in contravention of Section 2(1) and Section 2(2)(a) of the Nuisance and General Sanitation Regulation AR243/2003 which reads: *"No person shall create, commit or maintain a nuisance"*.

- c. There are broken electrical fixtures throughout the home which is in contravention of Section 2(1) and Section 2(2)(a) of the Nuisance and General Sanitation Regulation AR243/2003 which reads: *“No person shall create, commit or maintain a nuisance”*.
- d. Plumbing fixtures are in poor condition (eg. the toilet was smashed to pieces) which is in contravention of Section 2(1) and Section 2(2)(a) of the Nuisance and General Sanitation Regulation AR243/2003 which reads: *“No person shall create, commit or maintain a nuisance”*.
- e. Extensive finishing issues throughout the home which is in contravention of Section 2(1) and Section 2(2)(a) of the Nuisance and General Sanitation Regulation AR243/2003 which reads: *“No person shall create, commit or maintain a nuisance”*.
- f. There are no working smoke detectors which is in contravention of Section 2(1) and Section 2(2)(a) of the Nuisance and General Sanitation Regulation AR243/2003 which reads: *“No person shall create, commit or maintain a nuisance”*.
- g. There are no useable kitchen appliances which is in contravention of Section 2(1) and Section 2(2)(a) of the Nuisance and General Sanitation Regulation AR243/2003 which reads: *“No person shall create, commit or maintain a nuisance”*.
- h. There is a pile of human excrement on the floor of the basement and a bucket of human excrement in one of the bedrooms which is in contravention of Section 2(1) and Section 2(2)(a) of the Nuisance and General Sanitation Regulation AR243/2003 which reads: *“No person shall create, commit or maintain a nuisance”*.

**AND WHEREAS**, by virtue of the foregoing, the above noted premises are hereby declared to be **Unfit for Human Habitation**.

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

- 1. That the occupants vacate the above noted premises on or before June 28, 2021.
- 2. That the Owner immediately undertake and diligently pursue the completion of the following work in and about the above noted premises, namely:
  - a. Address the above issues to the satisfaction of an Environmental Public Health Officer or, alternatively, demolish the home.
- 3. 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 vacant and secure from unauthorized entry.

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 Lethbridge, Alberta, June 28, 2021.

Executive Officer  
Alberta Health Services

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](mailto:HealthAppealBoard@gov.ab.ca)  
Website: <https://www.alberta.ca/public-health-appeal-board.aspx>

A Notice of Appeal form may be obtained by contacting Alberta Health Services at 780-342-0122 or by contacting the Public Health Appeal Board.

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Copies of standards are available by contacting the Health Protection Branch of Alberta Health at 780-427-4518 or by visiting: [www.health.alberta.ca/about/health-legislation.html](http://www.health.alberta.ca/about/health-legislation.html)

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