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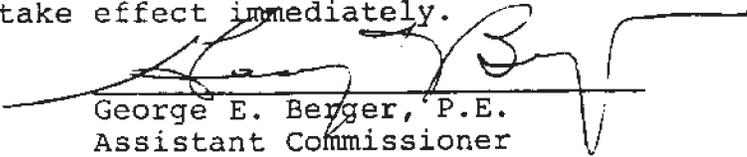
DATE: July 9, 1987

SUBJECT: Application for Non-Water Fire Suppression Systems
(Halon, Ansul, Etc.)

Based upon meetings of Buildings Department and Fire Department, present acceptance procedure of Directive 14 of 1975 (modification #4, 3/20/80), and the need for compliance with Fire Department Directive 3 of 1974, all applications for Halon, Ansul, or any other non-water Fire Suppression System will be forwarded to the Fire Department for examination and approval. Such systems shall be filed as Miscellaneous applications.

As is the case with Miscellaneous applications for Fire Alarm Systems, the applicant shall be responsible for transmitting a complete copy of the application to the Fire Department. After Fire Department approval of the application, Department of Buildings shall accept under Directive 14/75 with no further examination. Upon completion of the work, the applicant, owner or a representative of either shall arrange for an inspection by the Fire Department. When the Fire Department notifies the Borough Superintendent by letter that the system is complete and satisfactory, the Department of Buildings shall sign off the application and issue a letter of completion.

This procedure shall take effect immediately.


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