

THE CITY OF NEW YORK  
DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS

DEPARTMENTAL MEMORANDUM

DATE: November 29, 1977

TO: Borough Superintendents


FROM: Director of Operations Irving E. Minkin, P.E.

SUBJECT: TESTS OF PLUMBING AND GAS PIPING

Section C26-1606.3(b) of the Administrative Code stipulates that any required test of plumbing or gas piping systems be witnessed by an authorized plumbing inspector of this department.

This is noted in Modification #1 to Directive 14/75, dated February 27, 1976, as an exception to item numbers 5 and 6 in the directive, which otherwise permits a registered architect or licensed professional engineer to sign off all other completed work that can appropriately be filed in a Building Notice application.

In view of the misunderstanding that has arisen in at least one of the boroughs, advise all inspectorial and administrative personnel of the above-mentioned requirements.

  
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Director of Operations

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