

# ✕ Violation Notice and Order to Correct

**L&I File Number:** CF-2026-011246



**DISTRICT OFFICE**

Fire Safety Unit  
9359 Krewstown Rd  
Philadelphia, PA 19115  
215-685-3917  
FireSafetyUnit@phila.gov

**PROPERTY IN VIOLATION**

2050 BYBERRY RD, Philadelphia, PA 19116-3016

**DATE OF NOTICE**

02/11/2026

On 02/10/2026 the Department of Licenses and Inspections inspected/investigated the property in violation and found the following condition(s) or activity which violate the Philadelphia Code. Based on these the property is deemed:

## IN VIOLATION

The property will remain in this status until all the violations below are corrected and the Department of Licenses and Inspections has verified the corrective action. You are the person responsible for the correction of these violations.

Any permit or license obtained to comply a violation of working without or in excess of a permit or a license will result in an additional inspection fee equal to the cost of the permit or license. (Phila. Code § A-901.13)

**YOU ARE ORDERED TO MAKE THE NECESSARY REPAIRS AND/OR TAKE THE NECESSARY ACTION(S) TO CORRECT THE CITED CONDITIONS PRIOR TO 03/17/2026**

**VIOLATIONS**

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| <b>PHILA. CODE §</b><br>F-105.6.1.8                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>FINE AMOUNT</b><br>\$300.00 | <b>SCAN QR CODE FOR HOW TO RESOLVE</b><br> |
| <b>PHILA. CODE LANGUAGE</b><br>A hazardous materials license is required to store, transport on site, dispense, use or handle hazardous materials in excess of the amounts listed in Table F-105.6.1.8 and for extremely hazardous substances in accordance with Section F-105.6.8. |                                |                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>CONDITION IN VIOLATION</b><br>Business must obtain or renew the required hazardous material license code # 3335 license # 285026. License expired since 2009                                                                                                                     |                                |                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>LOCATION</b><br>ARDEX LABORATORIES INC, 2050 Byberry Rd.                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                |                                                                                                                                 |

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| <b>PHILA. CODE §</b><br>F-903.5                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>FINE AMOUNT</b><br>\$300.00 | <b>SCAN QR CODE FOR HOW TO RESOLVE</b><br> |
| <b>PHILA. CODE LANGUAGE</b><br>Sprinkler systems shall be tested and maintained in accordance with Section 901.                                                                                                                                          |                                |                                                                                                                               |
| <b>CONDITION IN VIOLATION</b><br>Provide license & inspection with a current sprinkler certification with no deficiencies on it also must be uploaded by the sprinkler contractor to the City of Philadelphia eclipse system in order for it to be valid |                                |                                                                                                                               |
| <b>LOCATION</b><br>ARDEX LABORATORIES INC, 2050 Byberry Rd.                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                |                                                                                                                               |

  

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| <b>PHILA. CODE §</b><br>F-906.2                                                                                                                     | <b>FINE AMOUNT</b><br>\$300.00 | <b>SCAN QR CODE FOR HOW TO RESOLVE</b><br> |
| <b>PHILA. CODE LANGUAGE</b><br>Portable fire extinguishers shall be selected, installed and maintained in accordance with this section and NFPA 10. |                                |                                                                                                                                |
| <b>CONDITION IN VIOLATION</b><br>Replace all expired inspection tags to all fire extinguishers throughout the office and storage areas              |                                |                                                                                                                                |
| <b>LOCATION</b><br>ARDEX LABORATORIES INC, 2050 Byberry Rd.                                                                                         |                                |                                                                                                                                |

  

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| <b>PHILA. CODE §</b><br>F-1104.3                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <b>FINE AMOUNT</b><br>\$300.00 | <b>SCAN QR CODE FOR HOW TO RESOLVE</b><br> |
| <b>PHILA. CODE LANGUAGE</b><br>Exit signs shall be internally or externally illuminated. The face of an exit sign illuminated from an external source shall have an intensity of not less than 5 foot-candles (54 lux). Internally illuminated signs shall provide equivalent luminance and be listed for the purpose. |                                |                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>CONDITION IN VIOLATION</b><br>Repair or replace all defective exit signs over all exit doors throughout the facility                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                |                                                                                                                                 |
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| F-901.6.4                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | \$300.00    |  |
| <b>PHILA. CODE LANGUAGE</b><br><p>The testing of fire protection systems shall be in accordance with Sections 901.6 and F-901.6.4 through F-901.6.4.8.1. Annually the owner of each building that contains fire protection systems shall have such systems certified as operating properly by a person certified or licensed by the Department of Licenses and Inspections to provide such certifications in accordance with this Section. Certification forms shall be maintained on the property and made available for inspection upon the request of a fire code official. The certification form shall be submitted to the Department of Licenses and Inspections which may, by regulation, establish a fee to be paid upon submission of the form.</p> |             |                                                                                     |
| <b>CONDITION IN VIOLATION</b><br><p>Provide license &amp; inspection with a current fire alarm certification also must be uploaded by the contractor to the city eclipse portal system in order for it to be valid</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |             |                                                                                     |
| <b>LOCATION</b><br><p>ARDEX LABORATORIES INC, 2050 Byberry Rd.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |             |                                                                                     |

| PHILA. CODE §                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | FINE AMOUNT | SCAN QR CODE FOR HOW TO RESOLVE                                                       |
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| F-5003.9.8                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | \$300.00    |  |
| <b>PHILA. CODE LANGUAGE</b><br><p>Incompatible materials in storage and storage of materials that are incompatible with materials in use shall be separated where the stored materials are in containers having a capacity of more than 5 pounds (2 kg), 0.5 gallon (2 L) or any amount of compressed gases. Separation shall be accomplished by: 1. Segregating incompatible materials in storage by a distance of not less than 20 feet (6096 mm). 2. Isolating incompatible materials in storage by a noncombustible partition extending not less than 18 inches (457 mm) above and to the sides of the stored material. 3. Storing liquid and solid materials in hazardous material storage cabinets. 4. Storing compressed gases in gas cabinets or exhausted enclosures in accordance with Sections 5003.8.5 and 5003.8.6. Materials that are incompatible shall not be stored within the same cabinet or exhausted enclosure.</p> |             |                                                                                       |
| <b>CONDITION IN VIOLATION</b><br><p>LP Gas Propane tanks must be separated from the flammable liquids.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |             |                                                                                       |
| <b>LOCATION</b><br><p>Chemicals</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |             |                                                                                       |

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Failure to timely correct the violations listed above by or before the correction date listed above will result in the stated fine amount being imposed against you. The fines will be imposed on a per day basis for each violation that remains uncorrected AFTER the stated correction date. Phila. Code § A-601. If you timely correct each violation by the stated correction date, no fines will be due.

In addition to the fines listed above, failure to timely correct the violations will result in you being charged:

- Labor and material costs for any work performed by the City, such as a demolition; sealing of windows or doors; clearing of weeds, trash or debris; relocation expenses for removing occupants, costs associated with cease operations orders. Such costs are subject to an additional administrative fee of 21% (Phila. Code § A-503);
- An additional \$100 fee for repeat abatement work (Phila. Code § A-503.2); and
- Reinspection fees as follows: \$100 for the third inspection, \$200 for the fourth inspection, and \$350 for any additional inspections (Phila. Code § A-901.12.2).



**YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO APPEAL THIS NOTICE. YOUR APPEAL MUST BE FILED BY 03/13/2026.**

IF YOU DO NOT TIMELY FILE AN APPEAL THEN YOU WAIVE YOUR RIGHT TO LATER CHALLENGE ANY PART OF THIS NOTICE. This includes waiving your right to argue: whether the violations existed, whether you were responsible to correct the violations, whether you had enough time to correct the violations, whether the City should have abated the violations, and whether the City can impose fines, fees, or costs against you.

For more information on filing an appeal and/or to obtain the approved form visit the appeals section of the Department of Licenses and Inspections website at [www.phila.gov/li](http://www.phila.gov/li) or the Boards Administration Unit, Concourse Municipal Services Building, 1401 J.F.K. Blvd., Philadelphia PA.

Appeals of the Technical Codes, such as the Zoning Code and/or Fire Code, need to be submitted to the appropriate Technical Appeal Board such as the Zoning Board of Adjustment and/or the Board of Safety and Fire Prevention. For additional information call 215-686-8686.

**IF YOU HAVE ANY LEGAL QUESTIONS YOU SHOULD CONSULT WITH AN ATTORNEY.**

If you do not have an attorney, you can contact the Philadelphia Bar Association Referral and Information Line at 215-238-6333 to have an attorney referred to you. You can also find a list of legal aid service providers at <http://palegalaid.net/legal-aid-providers-in-pa>.



The Philadelphia Code may be found online for free at [www.phila.gov](http://www.phila.gov) under "Open government."

If you have any questions regarding this notice or would like to schedule a re-inspection, please contact: EMERITO ALVARADO JR. [Emerito.Alvarado@phila.gov](mailto:Emerito.Alvarado@phila.gov) or the district office noted above.

**ATTENTION:** This is an important notice! For information in your language, call 215-686-8686

**ATENCIÓN:** ¡Este es un aviso Importante! Para recibir información en su idioma, llame al 215-686-8686

**注意:** 这是重要通知! 如果您需要以您的语言获得此信息, 请致电 215-686-8686

**CHÚ Ý:** Đây là thông báo quan trọng! Nếu bạn cần thư này bằng ngôn ngữ khác, vui lòng gọi 215-686-8686

**주의:** 중요 통지입니다! 이 서신을 귀하의 언어로 받고 싶으시면 215-686-8686번으로 전화하시기 바랍니다

**پر کال کریں 215-686-8686 ترجمے کی خدمات کے لیے! یہ ایک ضروری اطلاع نامہ ہے: توجہ فرمائیے**

**ATTENTION:** Cet avis est important ! Si vous avez besoin de cet avis dans une autre langue, appelez le 215-686-8686