RESCINDED BY BUILDINGS BULLETIN 2023-020

THE CITY OF NEW YORK DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS

DEPARTMENTAL MEMORANDUM

DATE: July 14, 1930

10: Borough Superintendents

FROM: Irwin Fruchtman, P.E., Commissioner

SUBJECT Controlled Inspection of certain Alterations

This office has found that inadequate supervision exists at many rehabilitation projects; and, the problem is particularly dangerous in the taller, wall-bearing buildings where virtually free-standing walls with minimal bracing has been observed.

Accordingly, hereafter, no Alteration application shall be approved for mehabilitation of any Class 3 or construction group II building exceeding 5 stories or 60 feet in height unless the plans specify that all masonry work and shoring, bracing, and anchorages relating to said walls are subject to controlled inspection, as set forth in section C26-108.3.

Invin Fruchtman, P.E.

cc: Dep. Comm. Minkin Asst. Comm. Dennis Exec. Staff BIAC Prof. Assoc.