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To E. E. Edgecomb, Chief Inspector, Labor and Industry
Re: Inspection of Boilers in Schoolhouses

We have your memo of May 15, 1953, in which you ask two questions relative to Chapter 319 of the Public Laws of 1953.

Question #1. "Will the wording of the first sentence of Section 62 allow us to charge for the inspection and certificate of a hot water heating boiler?"

Answer. Chapter 319 amends section 59 of Chapter 25 to include all hot-water heating boilers located in schoolhouses among that class of boilers to be inspected. Provision with respect to the payment of the sum of \$2 for the certificate applies equally to all boilers in this section and therefore a charge may be made for inspecting such schoolhouse boilers.

Question #2. "Will the boiler that we class as a hot water supply boiler, which is a regular hot water boiler connected to a supply tank, be subject to inspection?"

We do not have sufficient facts to answer this question. Would you advise us what reasons you have for asking this question, what compels you to believe that such boilers are not within the intent of the law?

James Glynn Frost
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