

Ocean County Health Department

Complaint Memorandum

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No. C16-1032

Food Comp.
Complaint Type

08/08/2016
Date Received

Lynn England
Received By

PUBLIC
Complaint Origin

08/08/2016
Date Assigned

Larry Newman
Assigned Inspector

BRICK TWP.
Establishment Municipality

08/16/2016
Date Finalized

Location	Owner, Agent of Responsible Person
	
Complainant	Address
	Phone

Occupation	Employer
Smoke from AC unit	

Nature of Complaint

Complaint Investigation Narratives

<u>08/16/2016</u> Narrative Date	8-7-16 16:48 hours received call from answering service. Brick Police Dept. requested Health Department respond to a fire.
<u>Larry Newman</u> Narrative Author	17:10 hours Arrived at location. Spoke with the Brick Fire Official, and the Regional manager for McDonalds. A refrigeration unit had malfunctioned, causing large amounts of smoke to enter through the HVAC system. The smoke was concentrated at the counter area. No residual deposition was found on the flat surfaces of equipment, single service items etc.. Requested the manager discard all open food items in the kitchen and counter areas. Requested the vents be cleaned to prevent additional contaminants from entering the restaurant upon reopening. Requested all surfaces, equipment , utensils, etc., be washed/sanitized prior to reopening. The facility never lost power-all refrigeration was to code. Informed the manager that I would revisit the site post clean-up to reopen the facility. He requested I return later that evening, as he estimated the clean-up would take approximately 4 hours. Received authorization from John Protonentis, Department Head, to return later today for follow-up. 22:15 hours Returned to location. All of the open foods on the main line had been discarded. The milkshake machine, ice machine, and fryers had been emptied, cleaned and sanitized. All of the equipment and surfaces had been wiped down. No evidence of residue or odor from the smoke was observed. Facility allowed to reopen at this time. Departed site 23:00 hours No further action NO CAUSE FOR FURTHER ACTION AT THIS TIME.

☒ Final Entry: NO CAUSE FOR FURTHER ACTION AT THIS TIME.



Investigator's Signature

Larry Newman