## SERVICE REPORT

## COLUMBIA CHIMNEY SERVICES

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## Customer Information:

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Technician_Robert Waid		
Service Date _12/17/2024	Time _10:11 AM	

Fireplace:	☐ Masonry	■ Prefab	□ FP0	☐ Model #_Heatile	ator EL 36	
Appliance:	☐ F-S Stove	☐ Insert	☐ Furnace	B.T.U	Collar	CR
Type of Fuel:	Wood	☐ Pellet	□ Oil	☐ Gas	☐ Other:	
Chimney:	☐ Masonry	☑ Prefab	□ Other	Flue Height _⁴	Approximately 25'	
Liner:	■ Stainless	☐ Tile	□ Cast	☐ Unlined	Serial # AL 958759	
Flue Size:	□ 8x8	□ 6*R	□ 8x13	□ 13x13	□ I.D	
HE:	□ HEH	■ 8*R	□ 10*R	□ 11*R	Other:	

#### COMMENTS

12/17/24...PREFAB FACTORY BUILT WOOD BURNING FIREPLACE; Laid out flooring protection, swept up deposits in firebox and performed a level 1 inspection. Chimey flue system does not require sweeping at this time. Smoke stains above fireplace opening indicate spillage of heated gases during operation. Cause may be due to user error / failure to open damper prior to operating. The unattached 3 panel mesh spark screen located in front of fireplace opening may be a contributing factor, is potentially restrictive and not approved for use by the fireplace manufacturer. Operation with 3 panel mesh spark screen is a potential health hazard. The log grate is warped with loss of material, condition may adversely affect intended operation and will likely contribute to further deterioration of hearth and rear refractory panels. Damper is now closed. We will acquire and review fireplace install manual to verify if any venting grills are concealed or resticted.

Recommend replacement of manufacturers log grate, discontinued use of 3 panel mesh spark screen prior to use for safety. Recommend providing (tenants / fireplace operator) with manufacturer's operation manual prior to use for safety.

# FIREBRICK

# ANNUAL INSPECTION

The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) recommends annual inspection of all fireplaces, chimneys, and vents. The next inspection of your system is scheduled for:

#### CUSTOMER VERIFICATION

This report is the result of a visual inspection done at the time of cleaning. It is intended as a convenience to our customer, not as certification of fire worthiness or safety. Since conditions of use and hidden construction defects are beyond our control, no warranty is made for the safety or function of any appliance and none is to be implied.

I have read this form and understand the apparent condition of my fireplace, appliance, chimney, and/or vent system. Furthermore I understand the limitations of this report as given in the paragraph above.

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Date 12/17/2024

INVOICE / RECEIPT Description Level 1 Inspection		Price 		
Credit fee \$ 10.47				
Paid \$359,47				
Invoices upaid after 30 days	Subtotal	\$359.47		
will be charged 1.5% interest per month (18% APR).	Total	\$359.47	_	