

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION FORM B - BUILDING

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MASSACHUSETTS ARCHIVES BUILDING
220 MORRISSEY BLVD
BOSTON, MA 02125

Photograph

(3"x3" or 3-1/2"x5" black and white only) Label photo on back with town and property address. Record film roll and negative numbers here on the form. Staple photo to left side of form over this space. Attach additional photos to continuation sheets.

Roll	Negative(s)



Sketch Map

Draw a map showing the building's location in relation to the nearest cross streets and/or major natural features. Show all buildings between inventoried building and nearest intersection or natural feature. Label streets including route numbers, if any. Circle and number the inventoried building. Indicate

Town Provincetown
Place (neighborhood or village)
Address 291 COMMERCIAL ST
Building ID 886
Parcel No. (PID) 11-3-016-0
Mapbase # 11-3-016
Building Area 5252.298
Historic Name
Present Use Commercial
Original Use Unknown
Date of Construction 1900
Source Tax assessment
Style/Form
Architect/Builder
Exterior Material wood shingle, wood siding
Foundation obscured
Wall/Trim wood
Roof Front Gable
Outbuildings/Secondary Structures

Front gable 2-story addition attached to rear.

Major Alterations (with dates)

Major 1-story side addition (1960)

Condition Good
Moved no yes **Date**
Acreage 0.163
Setting

Recorded by Vanessa Zeoli
Organization Kise Straw & Kolodner
Date (month/year) November 2003
Form Status new update

Assessor's Number USGS Quad Area(s) Form Number

Follow Massachusetts Historical Commission Survey Manual instructions for completing this form.

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ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

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Describe architectural features. Evaluate the characteristics of this building in terms of other buildings in the community.

291 Commercial St. is a 2-story, 3-bay commercial building; gable-front roof is sheathed in asphalt shingles; exterior is clad in German beaded siding on the 2nd story with shaped wood shingles in the gable end; building sits on an obscured foundation; fenestration includes 6/6 wood DHS with inoperable wood plank shutters, storefront windows are single-pane plate glass with wood frame; angled storefront with 2nd-story overhang, broad frieze and square wood supports; primary entrance is accessed by a modern metal and glass door; 1-story addition with a flat roof, wood cornice, modern plate glass windows with a wood frame, modern doors and modern overhead garage door on front; 2-story, front-gable addition attached to the south side.

HISTORICAL NARRATIVE

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Discuss the history of the building. Explain its associations with local (or state) history. Include uses of the building, and the role(s) the owners/occupants played within the community.

Currently "Alibi's" (2003).

BIBLIOGRAPHY and/or REFERENCES

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Recommended for listing in the National Register of Historic Places. *If checked, you must attach a completed National Register Criteria Statement form.*