

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION FORM B - BUILDING

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MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
MASSACHUSETTS ARCHIVES BUILDING
220 MORRISSEY BLVD
BOSTON, MA 02125

Town Provincetown
Place *(neighborhood or village)*
Address 337-345 COMMERCIAL ST
Building ID 997
Parcel No. (PID) 12-1-012-0
Mapbase # 12-1-012
Building Area 5962.852
Historic Name
Present Use Commercial
Original Use Commercial
Date of Construction 1858
Source maps and atlases
Style/Form Colonial Revival, Vernacular
Architect/Builder
Exterior Material asbestos, brick facing
Foundation obscured
Wall/Trim wood
Roof cross gable
Outbuildings/Secondary Structures

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

Major Alterations *(with dates)*

Condition Good
Moved no yes **Date**
Acreage 0.459
Setting

Recorded by Vanessa Zeoli
Organization Kise Straw & Kolodner
Date *(month/year)* October 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.

337-345 Commercial St. is a 2-1/2-story, 4-bay, vernacular Colonial Revival-style commercial building; cross-gable roof is sheathed in asphalt shingles, interior brick chimney with a terra cotta cap; exterior is clad in asbestos shingles with brick facing on 1st story of front façade and wood shingles on secondary façade; building sits on an obscured foundation; fenestration includes aluminum Chicago-style picture windows, 1st-story bay windows with hipped metal roof and single-pane vinyl windows; recessed main entrance contains clapboard siding within that appears to have filled a larger entrance; 2nd story slightly overhangs 1st story; the roof has cross gables at each end on the primary façade and a shed dormer between the gables containing modern paired French doors, modern paired multi-pane casement windows and an iron balustrade across porch; two buildings on lot now connected by new addition that is clad in vinyl and contains all vinyl windows.

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.

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.*