AIR CONDITIONING/HEATING

--<u>TROUBLESHOOTING</u>—

Should you experience problems with your air conditioner/heating unit, please check the following items for correction prior to calling for service. Should A/C service tech find one of these items as the necessary correction you may be subject to a service charge:

- 1. Filter should be correctly in place and clean. A dirty filter is the most common cause of air conditioner malfunction. Monthly cleaning/replacement of this filter is necessary for optimum performance. Never operate your unit without a correct filter in place.
- 2. Check that shut off switch (located in the A/C room in close proximity to the A/C unit) is in the correct position.
- 3. Air intake, (louver in the A/C room door, and intake at the unit) is not blocked.
- 4. Check for correct positioning of the circuit breaker in the electrical service panel (located in the Laundry/Workroom).
- 5. Check to see that the thermostat is set correctly.

Located beneath your A/C unit is the emergency overflow pan. This pan will catch and drain condensation water should the primary drain become clogged. Located in this pan is a float switch designed to shut down operation of your A/C unit should water fail to drain from this pan, indicating a problem with the main drain <u>and</u> pan drain.

Maintaining correct operation of the main drain line by flushing with water and treating with an algaecide, according to the manufacturer's recommendations, should be performed semi-annually. You may explore the possibility of contracting with a licensed and insured A/C company to perform this service.

Recommended settings for the thermostat are 77-78 degrees (cooling) and 70-72 degrees (heating).

In your absence, your tenant, or your home sitting representative MUST ensure that the A/C unit is operating correctly at all times.

Door at A/C room has an air grille permanently installed. This grille is to allow air flow back into your air conditioning unit.

DO NOT BLOCK THE AIR FLOW OF THIS GRILLE!!