

# 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.

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### 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** 4 NICKERSON ST  
**Building ID** 1220  
**Parcel No. (PID)** 06-2-072-0  
**Mapbase #** 06-2-072  
**Building Area** 1204.979  
**Historic Name**  
**Present Use** Residential  
**Original Use** Residential  
**Date of Construction** 1850-1870  
**Source** NR Nomination  
**Style/Form** Italianate  
**Architect/Builder**  
**Exterior Material** clapboard  
**Foundation** brick  
**Wall/Trim** wood  
**Roof** Front gable  
**Outbuildings/Secondary Structures**  
 1 shed

### Major Alterations (with dates)

**Condition** Good  
**Moved**  no  yes **Date**  
**Acreage** 0.089  
**Setting**

**Recorded by** Johnette Davies  
**Organization** Kise Straw & Kolodner  
**Date** (month/year) April 2004  
**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.*

4 Nickerson Street is a 2-story, 3-bay sidehall cottage. The front gable roof has partial returns; brick chimney; 2 gable dormers on south slope and 1 on north slope. Shed roof dormer on north roof slope, rear section. Paired brackets line the eaves. A brick stoop leads to the main entry door, which consists of 2 arched panes and shaped panels; flat hood with paired brackets and pendant end brackets. A secondary entry is located on the south facade with a small hood and paired brackets; wood steps to door. Windows are 2/2 DHS with storms, except 1/1 DHS in gable end; paired 4-light casements in dormers; single-light awning basement windows. Paired brackets present at all window lintels. 1-story entry addition at the rear.

### 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.*