

# MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION FORM B - BUILDING

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MASSACHUSETTS ARCHIVES BUILDING  
220 MORRISSEY BLVD  
BOSTON, MA 02125

**Town** Provincetown  
**Place** *(neighborhood or village)*  
**Address** 353A COMMERCIAL ST  
**Building ID** 1098  
**Parcel No. (PID)** 12-1-005-0  
**Mapbase #** 12-1-005  
**Building Area** 552.524  
**Historic Name**  
**Present Use** Commercial  
**Original Use** Residential  
**Date of Construction** 1950  
**Source** Tax assessment  
**Style/Form** Colonial Revival, Vernacular  
**Architect/Builder**  
**Exterior Material** Clapboard  
**Foundation** poured concrete  
**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.*

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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*

## Major Alterations *(with dates)*

Commercial conversion

**Condition** Good  
**Moved**  no  yes **Date**  
**Acreage** 0.046  
**Setting**

**Recorded by** Johnette Davies  
**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

see continuation sheet

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

353A Commercial St. is a 1-1/2-story, vernacular Colonial Revival-style former cottage of irregular plan and roof shape; cross-gable roof is sheathed in asphalt shingles; exterior is clad in clapboard siding with wood trim; building sits on a poured concrete foundation; fenestration includes picture window, 2/2 wood DHS, Chicago-style and octagonal casement windows in dormer; building is accessed by paired and single modern large-pane doors; venting cupola on roof peak.

### HISTORICAL NARRATIVE

see continuation sheet

*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

see continuation sheet

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