## FLORIDA CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY LICENSING BOARD

Hyatt Regency Jacksonville Riverfront 225 Coastline Dr Jacksonville, FL 32202 904.588.1234

February 8-10, 2012

MEETING MINUTES Approved March 16<sup>th</sup>, 2012

# **Board Members Present**

Jerry Hussey, Chair Robert Moody, Vice Chair Michelle Kane William Sheehan Elbert Batton James Evetts Richard Kane Mark Pietanza Doris "Peggy" Bailey Carl Engelmeier Albert Korelishn Roy Lenois Jacqueline Watts

## **Board Members Absent**

William "Brian" Cathey Paul Del Vecchio Kristin Beall Ed Weller

# **Others Present**

Drew Winters, Executive Director, DBPR Amanda Wynn, Government Analyst, DBPR David Spingler, Government Analyst, DBPR Daniel Biggins, Legal Advisor, AGO Paul Waters, Chief Prosecuting Attorney, DBPR Susan Mazuchowski, Prosecuting Attorney, DBPR

# ADDITIONAL BUSINESS ENTITIES REVIEW

Division I board members met for Additional Business Entities Review on February 8, 2012 from 2:01 pm to 2:36 pm. Mr. Evetts led the meeting. Of the 14 applications scheduled for review, 8 were approved, 1 was approved contingent, 4 were denied, and 1 was continued.

# APPROVED (8)

Albu, Jason Flint, Russell Mountrakis, George Smith, Gary Wamock, Harvey White, Kevin Wilt, Leonard Wyka, Gregory

# **CONTINGENT APPROVALS (1)**

Serna, Jorge – Contingent upon submitting copy of W2 showing proof of employment

### DENIED (4)

Coban, Unal Comar, Bret Goldbold, Scott Nolan, Edward

# **CONTINUED (1)**

Rodriguez, Davian – 60 days

Division II Board members met for Additional Business Entities Review on February 9, 2012 from 3:30 pm to 3:52 pm. Mr. Pietanza led the meeting. Of the 5 applications scheduled for review, 2 were approved, 2 were denied, and 1 was pulled.

## APPROVED (2)

Flint, Russell Gordon, Harry

# DENIED (2)

Corredor, Mauricio Malkiel, Warren

## PULLED (1)

Poyastro, Lior

### APPLICATION REVIEW

Division I Board members met for Application Review on February 8, 2012, from 3:16 pm to 4:28 pm. Mr. Sheehan led the meeting. Of the 16 applications

# scheduled for review, 3 were approved, 2 were continued, 1 was approved conditionally, 6 were denied, and 4 were withdrawn.

# APPROVED (3)

Bazzano, Robert

Eden, James

Myers, Jonathan – approved as a downgrade to a CRC license

# CONTINUED (2)

Martelli, Goffredo – 60 days Worrell, Gregory – 90 days

# **CONDITIONAL APPROVALS (1)**

O'Brien, Matthew – 4 years probation or until proof of having obtained a credit score of 660 is provided

# DENIED (6)

Falciani, Frank Graham, Joel Leonardo, Joseph Miller, Charles Sims, Gene

Wise, James

### WITHDRAWN (4)

Bustos, Armando Magner, Shawn Muilenburg, Chad Rogers, Wilbur

Division II Board members met for Application Review on February 9, 2012, from 4:04 pm to 4:17 pm. Ms. Watts led the meeting. Of the 6 applications scheduled for review, 1 was approved, 1 was withdrawn, 1 was denied, and 3 were pulled.

#### APPROVED (1)

Brown, Gregory

## WITHDRAWN (1)

McRae, Mark

### DENIED (1)

Snider, Tim

#### PULLED (3)

Barnes, Michael Hernandez, Rafael Wilson, Jeffrey Division I voted unanimously to ratify the list of financially responsible officer applications.

Division II voted unanimously to ratify the list of financially responsible officer applications.

# **PROBATION**

The Division I Probation Committee met on February 9, 2012, from 2:00 pm to 2:20 pm. The Committee was chaired by Richard Kane.

# Dean Blankenship, CBC1257096

Result: Satisfactory

Request for early termination of probation was approved

# Douglas Calo, CBC060206

Result: Satisfactory

## Phillip Englett, CGC055197

Result: Satisfactory

## Kyle Green, CBC1257095

Result: Satisfactory

Request for early termination of probation was approved

## David Hall, CGC1519452

Result: Satisfactory

# Paul Hansen, CRC056902

Result: Satisfactory

Request for early termination of probation was approved contingent upon payment of

fines/costs

## Kenneth Johnston, CGC1518392

Result: Stay of Suspension Lifted

# Louis Maniero, CGC1506516

Result: Satisfactory

## Clinton Moore, CGC1511982

Result: Satisfactory

# **Terrence Moore, CGC1105819**

Result: Satisfactory

# Martha Munoz, CGC1519186

Result: Continuance granted

## Angel Roman, CGC1508595

Result: Satisfactory

**Christopher Staggs, CBC060480** 

Result: Satisfactory

Kenneth Tumlin, CBC028108

Result: Satisfactory

Tammy Yzaguirre, CGC1505393

Result: Continuance granted

The Division II Probation Committee met on February 9, 2012, from 2:48pm to 3:21 pm. Mr. Korelishn chaired the Committee.

Ilias Antoniou, CAC1815492

Result: Continuance granted

Anthony Atkins, CCC1329527

Result: Satisfactory

Laurence Borello, CCC042792

Result: Satisfactory

Brian Citrano, CFC1425927

Result: Stay of Suspension reinstated with a \$200 assessment

David Hall, CUC1224913

Result: Satisfactory

Edward Hobel, CCC029553

Result: Satisfactory

Jeffrey Leh, CCC1329672

Result: Continuance granted

Delia Martinez, CCC1329437

Result: Unsatisfactory

Chad Pannell, CFC1426680

Result: Continuance granted

Andy Preiss, CPC049399

Result: Satisfactory

Steven Vickery, CCC1328890

Result: Stay of Suspension lifted

**Gregory Wallace, CAC054715** 

Result: Satisfactory

## **GENERAL SESSION**

The meeting was called to order by Chair Jerry Hussey at 8:30 am. Mr. Lenois gave the Invocation. Mr. Batton led the Pledge of Allegiance.

#### **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT – DREW WINTERS**

Mr. Winters gave the following report:

Mr. Winters asked the board to excuse the absences of the following board members:

Mr. Cathey

Mr. Del Vecchio

Mr. Weller

Ms. Beall

The board voted unanimously to excuse these absences.

Mr. Winters also informed the board that the Recovery Fund had received an additional \$700,000 in appropriation for fiscal year 2011-2012 and that a conference call would take place in the next couple of months or so to review additional claims.

With nothing further to report the board voted unanimously to approve this report.

## CHAIRMAN'S REPORT - JERRY D. HUSSEY

Mr. Hussey had nothing to report.

#### PROSECUTING ATTORNEY'S REPORT - PAUL WATERS

Mr. Waters gave the following report:

For the month of January 2012, the overall case load was 313, down from 363 in December of 2011, and down from 762 in January of 2011.

There were 50 cases currently in Legal to be reviewed, 28 cases set for probable cause, and 62 cases where probable cause had been found/administrative complaints filed. 1 settlement stipulation had been approved, 1 formal hearing had been requested, and 9 cases were awaiting outside action. 5 cases were ready for default, 5 had requested formal hearings, and 2 cases were referred to DOAH. 9 cases were in settlement negotiations, 5 cases were pending board dates, and 77 cases were set for board presentation. 59 cases were awaiting final orders. 0 cases were under appeal and 0 cases had been reopened.

For the month of January 2012, 127 cases were closed.

With nothing further to report the board voted unanimously to approve this report.

## ATTORNEY GENERAL'S REPORT - DANIEL BIGGINS

# POOLE & KENT COMPANY OF FLORIDA, INC – PETITION FOR DECLARATORY STATEMENT

The petition for declaratory statement was withdrawn.

# DANNY BOROMEI, CLOSE CONSTRUCTION, LLC. – PETITION FOR DECLARATORY STATEMENT

Neither Mr. Boromei nor a representative from Close Construction, LLC were present.

Mr. Biggins presented this case stating Danny Boromei and Close Construction, LLC filed a petition for a declaratory statement on January 3, 2012. The petition was noticed in the Florida Administrative Weekly on January 20, 2012. Mr. Biggins noted the petition requests the Board interpret Section 489.113, Florida Statutes, and whether the petitioner is required to obtain a plumber's license for construction on a municipal public works water distribution system. Mr. Biggins asked the board to consider whether or not the petition meets the criteria for a declaratory statement, and to dismiss or answer as appropriate.

After discussion the board voted that the petitioner had standing. After further discussion the board that that a general contractor can, under the scope of his license, run water piping in a water treatment plant and associated distribution systems, and that a general contractor can install pre-manufactured blowers in plants.

#### JUAN CARLOS CACCIAMANI – RECOMMENDED ORDER

Mr. Cacciamani was not present but Executive Director Drew Winters read into the record a statement by Mr. Cacciamani's counsel, Tim Atkinson.

Mr. Biggins presented this case stating Mr. Cacciamani's application to reinstate his Null & Void certified general contractor's license was denied at the February 2011 meeting of the board for failure to present evidence of a good faith effort to comply with the license renewal statutes and rules and failure to present evidence that rises to the level of illness or unusual hardship. The Notice of Intent to Deny was filed in March of 2011. Mr. Cacciamani timely requested a formal hearing with the Division of Administrative Hearings. That hearing was concluded on January 13<sup>th</sup>, 2012 and in the Recommended Order the Administrative Law Judge recommended the Construction Industry Licensing Board enter a final order approving Mr. Cacciamani's application for reinstatement of his certified general contractor's license.

After discussion the board voted to adopt the finding of fact and conclusions of law. The board then voted to uphold the denial of the application.

## ISTA NORTH AMERICA, INC. – PETITION FOR DECLARATORY STATEMENT

Mr. Biggins informed the Board that the petitioner had requested a continuance.

The board voted to grant a 30 day continuance.

#### BENJAMIN KING - REQUEST FOR INFORMAL HEARING

Mr. King was present with Counsel Fred Dudley.

Mr. Biggins presented this case stating Mr. King's application for initial issuance of a certified general contractor's license was denied at the November 2011 meeting for failure to demonstrate the required experience and because the application appeared to contain false information as testimony differed from the application. The Notice of Intent to Deny was filed in December of 2011. Mr. King timely requested board reconsideration.

After discussion the board voted to approve the application as a downgrade to a certified residential contractor's license.

## MIKE LEFEBURE - PETITION FOR A DECLARATORY STATEMENT

Mr. Lefebvre was not present.

Mr. Biggins presented this case stating Mike Lefebvre filed a petition for a declaratory statement on January 9, 2012. The petition was noticed in the Florida Administrative weekly on January 20, 2012. Mr. Biggins noted the petition appears to be requesting an interpretation of Section 489.105, Florida Statutes, and whether a Division I contractor is required to have a Glass & Glazing License, in addition to a Division I contractor's license, in order to install windows or do glazing on a building that falls within the scope of their license. Mr. Biggins asked the board to consider whether or not the petition meets the criteria for a declaratory statement, and to dismiss or answer as appropriate.

After discussion the board voted that the petitioner did not have standing and the petition was not further considered.

#### ALDRIA WHITE – PETITION FOR A DECLARATORY STATEMENT

Ms. White was not present.

Mr. Biggins presented this case as a petition for a variance and waiver of Rule 61G4-16.005, Florida Administrative Code, to extend the duration of validity of her certified building contractor's exam scores. The petition was filed January 20, 2012. The petition was noticed in the Florida Administrative Weekly on February 3, 2012.

After discussion the board voted to deny the petition.

With nothing further to report the board voted to approve this report.

#### COMMITTEE REPORTS

# **EXAMS/CE/PUBLIC AWARENESS COMMITTEE - ROY LENOIS**

# Mr. Lenois gave the following report:

## **AAA Construction School, Inc.**

1<sup>st</sup> Course: Complete Online Continuing Education – approved

2<sup>nd</sup> Course: Contract Law Which Includes Chapter 489 – approved (1 hours Laws &

Rules, 6 hours General)

3<sup>rd</sup> Course: Maintaining Your License – approved

4<sup>th</sup> Course: The Mandatory Continuing Education Six Pack – approved

# **AE21 Incorporated**

1<sup>st</sup> Course: Blowing in the Wind: Engineering, Science, & Wind Load – **approved** (as General, no Laws & Rules)

2<sup>nd</sup> Course: Current Status in Wind and Flood Cade Update – **approved** (as General)

3<sup>rd</sup> Course: Gushers & Drips - Analyzing Water Loss - approved

4<sup>th</sup> Course: Matching Interior & Exterior Surfaces – **approved** 

# Air Design Concepts, Inc.

1<sup>st</sup> Course: Basic Fundamentals on Using ACA Manual J to Perform Load Calculations – **approved** 

# **Building Officials and Inspectors Educational Association**

1<sup>st</sup> Course: Business Practices and Florida Laws and Rules – approved

2<sup>nd</sup> Course: Existing Building and Residential Code Changes – approved

3<sup>rd</sup> Course: Florida Building Code, Building 2007 vs. 2010 Part #1 – approved

4<sup>th</sup> Course: Florida Building Code, Building 2007 vs. 2010 Part #2 – approved

5<sup>th</sup> Course: Introduction to Hazard Mitigation – approved

6<sup>th</sup> Course: Introduction to Residential Coastal Construction – approved

7<sup>th</sup> Course: Retrofitting Flood Prone Residential Structures – approved

# Compliance Date Services, Inc., d/b/a Calcs-Plus

1<sup>st</sup> Course: Air Pathways and Ventilation – approved

2<sup>nd</sup> Course: Combustion Safety – approved

3<sup>rd</sup> Course: HVAC Duct Safety System Design ACCA Manual D – approved

4<sup>th</sup> Course: HVAC Load Calculations ACCA Manual J – approved

5<sup>th</sup> Course: HVAC Quality Installation Verification Protocols – **approved** 

6<sup>th</sup> Course: MAD-Air – approved

7<sup>th</sup> Course: Providing Comfort in Humid Climates – Design for Dew Points – approved

# **Construction Services Enterprise, Inc.**

1<sup>st</sup> Course: Keys for Successful Construction Business – approved

2<sup>nd</sup> Course: Management of a Construction Business – approved

## **Contractors Continuing Education, Inc.**

1<sup>st</sup> Course: A/C Technical Review – continued 30 days

2<sup>nd</sup> Course: Backflow Prevention & Cross Connection Control – **continued 30 days** 

3<sup>rd</sup> Course: Building Envelope Analysis Review – **continued 30 days** 

4<sup>th</sup> Course: Construction Trade Technical Review – **continued 30 days** 

5<sup>th</sup> Course: Green Advantage – **continued 30 days** 

6<sup>th</sup> Course: Green Construction – continued 30 days

7<sup>th</sup> Course: Hurricane Shutter Designs – **continued 30 days** 

8<sup>th</sup> Course: Legislative Changes – **continued 30 days** 9<sup>th</sup> Course: Mold in Construction – **continued 30 days** 

10<sup>th</sup> Course: Plumbing Technical Training – continued 30 days

11<sup>th</sup> Course: Reinforcing Steel – **continued 30 days** 

12<sup>th</sup> Course: Tools for Successful Contractors – **continued 30 days** 13<sup>th</sup> Course: Wind Mitigation Inspection Training – **continued 30 days** 

14<sup>th</sup> Course: Workers Compensation – continued 30 days

15th Course: Workplace Safety - continued 30 days

## **Contractors School, Inc.**

1<sup>st</sup> Course: 2012 Quick Pack – **approved (**at General Session on February 10)

# Florida Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Contractors

1<sup>st</sup> Course: Improving HVAC Designer/Contractor Coordination – approved

2<sup>nd</sup> Course: Spending Does Not Equal Security – **approved** 

# Inspection Depot, Inc.

1st Course: Sinkhole Assessments - approved

## John W. Higgins

1<sup>st</sup> Course: Isometric Drawing – approved

The above was an informal hearing for a course that was denied at the September 2011 meeting

#### Judith C. Benson

1<sup>st</sup> Course: Introduction to SMART Control (Irrigation) – **denied** 

# Koning Enterprises, Inc. d/b/a Contractor's Institute

1<sup>st</sup> Course: Digital Project Documentation – approved

2<sup>nd</sup> Course: Internet Basics for Contractors – approved

3<sup>rd</sup> Course: Intro to Common Federal/State Laws – approved

4th Course: Job Cost Bookkeeping Basics - approved

# Lorman Business Center, Inc., d/b/a Lorman Education Services

1<sup>st</sup> Course: What to do when Construction Projects Go Bad – approved

#### Miami Dade College

1<sup>st</sup> Course: Sustainable Building Design and Construction – approved

# Palm Construction School, Inc.

1<sup>st</sup> Course: The Good, The Bad, & The Ugly of Contracting – Case Studies – **approved** (at General Session on February 10)

# Shumaker, Loop, & Kendrick, LLP

1<sup>st</sup> Course: Alternative Dispute Resolution: Understanding Mediation and Arbitration – **approved** (without Laws & Rules)

2<sup>nd</sup> Course: Contractor Changes, Constructive Changes, & Defective Specifications – **approved** (without Laws & Rules)

Department of Business & Professional Regulation Construction Industry Licensing Board Meeting Minutes February 2012 Page 10 of 12 3<sup>rd</sup> Course: DBPR Complaints/Procedures – approved

4<sup>th</sup> Course: Differing Site Conditions – **approved** (without Laws & Rules)

5<sup>th</sup> Course: Flow Down Provisions & Subcontracting – **approved** (without Laws & Rules)

6<sup>th</sup> Course: Legal Issues with Green Building – **approved** (without Laws & Rules)

7<sup>th</sup> Course: Lien Law and Impact of Leasehold Interests – approved (without Laws &

Rules)

8<sup>th</sup> Course: Small Business Preference Programs & Participation Goals in State and

Federal Contracting – **approved** (without Laws & Rules)

9<sup>th</sup> Course: Surety Bonds for Federal Projects: The Miller Act – **approved** (without Laws & Rules)

With nothing further to report the board voted unanimously to approve this report.

#### RULES/PUBLIC/LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE - MARK PIETANZA

Mr. Biggins gave the following report:

The following Proposed Rules have been **Noticed:** 

61G4-15.001 Qualification for Certification

The following Rules were discussed:

61G4-15.032 Certification of Swimming Pool Specialty Contractors

61G4-16.0021 Written Exam for Swimming Pool Specialty

61G4-15.0024 Supervision of Business Entities (review new language and SERC worksheet) – The board voted to approve the 1<sup>st</sup> version of this Rule.

With nothing further to report the board voted unanimously to approve this report.

#### AD HOC COMMITTEE - MARK PIETANZA

The Ad Hoc Committee did not convene this month.

#### OLD BUSINESS

Removal of Board materials from lap tops.

# **NEW BUSINESS**

Ms. Watts proposed to the board that the Department institute some sort of requirement that when a Financially Responsible Officer leaves a company, he submit a change of status application so that the board can review the financial responsibility of the qualifying agent. Mr. Winters informed Ms. Watts that the Department will look into the issue.

Mr. Moody also stated that Rule 61G4-15.001, Florida Administrative Code, is currently missing the types of license that can verify the experience for a certified pollutant storage contractor. Mr. Moody suggested that the following contractors possibly be listed: general contractor, building contractor, plumbing contractor, and mechanical contractor. Mr. Biggins indicated that previous attempts to open that Rule up failed.

With no further business the meeting was adjourned at 9:42 am.