

1 **BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL SURVEYORS & MAPPERS**
2
3 **APPLICATION REVIEW COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES**

4
5 **HOLIDAY INN HOTELS & SUITES**
6 **2725 GRAVES ROAD**
7 **TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA 32303**

8
9 **JANUARY 7, 2009**

10
11
12 The meeting was called to order by Dennis Blankenship, at 8:30 a.m.

13
14 **Members Present**

15 Louis Lebron
16 Dennis Blankenship

17
18 **Members Absent**

19 Lou Bush, Chair
20 Beverly Sutphin

21
22 **Others Present**

23 Diane Guillemette, Board Counsel
24 Eric Hurst, Prosecuting Attorney
25 Richard Morrison, Executive Director
26 Stacey Merchant, Government Analyst
27 Arthur Mastronicola
28 Frances Poppell
29 Mary Hanna Clodfelter
30 Nick Fusco
31 Robert Jackson, Jr.
32 Jeffrey Cooner, Board Chair
33 Harley Gilmore
34 Henry A. Echezabal, Sr.
35 W. Lamar Evers
36 Marilyn Evers
37 Ray Niles
38 Donolay Hutchins
39 Yasmin Hall
40 Randell Osteen
41 Johannes Schabort
42 Danny Wheeler
43 Douglas Timothy

44
45
46 **REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF THE OCTOBER 2008 APPLICATION REVIEW**
47 **COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES**

48
49 After discussion, the following motion was made:

50
51 **MOTION:** Mr. Lebron made a motion to approve the minutes with corrections.

52 SECOND: Mr. Blankenship seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

53 **REVIEW/CONSIDERATION OF APPLICATIONS**

54
55 **Endorsement**

56
57 **Joseph G. Bowman**

58
59 Mr. Bowman was not present for the review of his application.

60
61 The committee reviewed Mr. Bowman's application for licensure by endorsement and it
62 was the consensus of the committee that the application did not meet the requirements
63 for endorsement because the Laws and Rules from the Michigan were not similar to
64 those in Florida at the time of his licensure within 30 days.

65
66 After further discussion the following motion was made:

67
68 MOTION: Mr. Blankenship made a motion to approve Mr. Bowman's application by
69 examination if Mr. Bowman sends a request to convert his application to
70 licensure by endorsement. The motion also included accepting Mr.
71 Bowman's NCEES exam scores.

72 SECOND: Mr. Lebron seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

73
74 **Donaloy Hutchins**

75
76 Mr. Hutchins was present for the review of his application.

77
78 After discussion, the committee recommended Mr. Hutchins' application by endorsement
79 be approved.

80
81 **Daniel Merritts**

82
83 Mr. Merritts was not present for the review of his application.

84
85 The committee reviewed Mr. Merritt's application for licensure by endorsement and it
86 was the consensus of the committee that the application did not meet the requirements
87 for endorsement because the Laws and Rules from the New York were not similar to
88 those in Florida at the time of his licensure. Mr. Merritts also does not hold a degree in
89 Surveying and Mapping.

90
91 After discussion, the committee recommended Mr. Merritt's application by endorsement
92 be denied.

93
94 **Douglas Timothy**

95
96 Mr. Timothy was present for the review of his application.

97
98 After discussion, the committee recommended Mr. Timothy' application by endorsement
99 be approved.

103 **Examination**

104

105 **Rigoberto Fuentes**

106

107 Mr. Fuentes was not present for the review of his application.

108

109 The committee reviewed Mr. Fuentes' application and after discussion it was the
110 consensus of the committee that the requirements for examination were not met
111 because Mr. Fuentes' failed to show proof of the required experience.

112

113 After discussion, the committee recommended Mr. Fuentes; application by examination
114 be denied.

115

116 **Yasmin C. Hall**

117

118 Ms. Hall was present for the review of her application.

119

120 After discussion, the committee recommended Ms. Hall's application by examination be
121 approved.

122

123 **Corey Alan Hopkins**

124

125 Mr. Hopkins was not present for the review of his application.

126

127 After discussion, the committee recommended Mr. Hopkin's application by examination
128 be approved.

129

130 **Randall J. Osteen**

131

132 Mr. Osteen was present for the review of his application.

133

134 After discussion, the committee recommended Mr. Osteen's application by examination
135 be approved.

136

137 **Travis Dutton Park**

138

139 Mr. Park was not present for the review of his application.

140

141 After discussion, the committee recommended Mr. Park's application by examination be
142 approved.

143

144 **Brandon Michael Robbins**

145

146 Mr. Robbins was present for the review of his application.

147

148 Since Mr. Robbins' application was previously denied, the full board convened to rule on
149 this application.

150

151 After discussion, the following motion was made:

152

153

154 MOTION: Mr. Blankenship made a motion to approve Mr. Robbin's application by
155 examination and to accept his NCEES scores.

156 SECOND: Mr. Lebron seconded and the motion passed unanimously.
157

158 **Danny S. Wheeler**
159

160 Mr. Wheeler was present for the review of his application.
161

162 Since Mr. Wheeler's application was previously denied, the full board convened to rule
163 on this application.
164

165 After discussion, the following motion was made:
166

167 MOTION: Mr. Blankenship made a motion to approve Mr. Wheeler's application by
168 examination. .

169 SECOND: Mr. Lebron seconded and the motion passed unanimously.
170

171 **Surveyor In Training**
172

173 **Johannes C. Schabort**
174

175 Mr. Schabort was present for the review of his application.
176

177 After discussion, the following motion was made:
178

179 MOTION: Mr. Blankenship made a motion to deny Mr. Schabort's application for
180 surveyor in training because he is not in his final year or just graduated
181 from an accredited surveying and mapping program.

182 SECOND: Mr. Lebron seconded and the motion passed unanimously.
183

184 **Business**
185

186 **Pictometry International Corp**
187

188 Steve Schultz was present for the review of this application.
189

190 The full board was convened to rule on this application.
191

192 After discussion, the following motion was made:
193

194 MOTION: Mr. Mastronicola made a motion to approve this application upon
195 payment of a \$1,000 assessment from operating without a license in
196 Florida.

197 SECOND: Mr. Blankenship seconded and the motion passed unanimously.
198

199 **Retired Status**
200

201 **Richard C. Sullivan**
202

203 Mr. Sullivan was not present for the review of his application.
204

205 After discussion, the committee recommended approving Mr. Sullivan's application for
206 retired status.

207

208 With no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 9:55 a.m.

209

210

211