

**789 BUSINESS MEETING BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS
(PUBLIC SESSION) - - - SEPTEMBER 7, 2005**

The Board Minutes of September 7, 2005, have not been formally approved and are subject to change or modification by the Public Body at its next meeting of October 5, 2005. All requirements of the "Open Public Meetings Act" have been complied with according to N.J.S.A. 10:4-6.

The notice of the meeting has been mailed to the Newark Star Ledger, Camden Courier Post, and the Trenton Times, and also notice has been posted on the Bulletin Board at the office of the Secretary of State, Trenton, New Jersey.

Meeting of September 7, 2005, was called to order at 9:00 A.M. The following members were present.

Mr. Joseph P. Schooley, Chairman
Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo
Mr. Robert A. McCullough
Mr. Richard T. Aicher, Jr.
Mrs. Pushpavati Amin

Mrs. Gail Best; Mrs. Connie F. Calisti; Mr. Mitchell R. Malec and Mr. James H. Flaherty were absent.

Barbara A. Cook, Executive Director, was present from 9:00 A.M. until the close of the meeting.

Alok Jain, Personal Assistant for the Executive Director, was present from 9:00 A.M. until the close of the meeting.

Marian Fiore, Sr. Management Assistant, was present from 9:00 A.M. until the close of the meeting.

Kathleen Moran, Secretarial Assistant, III, was present from 9:00 A.M. until the close of the meeting.

Susan Carboni, Deputy Attorney General, Division of Law, was present from 9:00 A.M. until the close of the meeting.

Also in attendance were Mr. James Bibbo, Central Jersey Electrical League; Mr. Scott Shauger, New Jersey Electrical Contractors Association; Mr. William Hartz and Mr. Tim Guerre, Thompson Prometric.

The Board saluted the flag.

Mr. Schooley requested a moment of silence for the people who have been affected by Hurricane Katrina. Motion made by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo and seconded by Mr. Robert A. McCullough, and unanimously passed, to approve the Minutes of the Special Meeting held July 20, 2005.

Motion made by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo and seconded by Mr. Robert A. McCullough, and unanimously passed, to approve the Minutes of the 788 Meeting held August 3, 2005.

Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo, and unanimously passed, to approve (23) Initial Licenses effective September 7, 2005 to March 31, 2006.

Motion made by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo and seconded by Mr. Robert A. McCullough, and unanimously passed, to approve (24) Initial Business Permits effective September 7, 2005 to March 31, 2006.

Motion made by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo and seconded by Mr. Robert A. McCullough, and unanimously passed, to approve (5) Initial Business Permits Previously Expired effective September 7, 2005 to March 31, 2006.

Motion made by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo and seconded by Mr. Robert A. McCullough, and unanimously passed, to approve (7) Changes in Business Permits effective September 7, 2005 to March 31, 2006.

Postal Money Order in the amount of \$300.00 received from John J. Helmstetter, License #7192, as the fifteenth installment of a civil penalty in the amount of \$7,500.00 for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:5A-9 and N.J.S.A. 56:8.1 et seq. Payments started June 7, 2004 and the balance due is \$3,000.00.

The Board accepted the payment.

Check in the amount of \$25.00 received from Frank D'Arpa, License #8778, as the thirty-first installment of a civil penalty in the amount of \$2,500.00 for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:5A-9 and N.J.S.A. 56:8-1 et seq. Payments started September 25, 2002 and the balance due is \$1,725.00.

The Board accepted the payment.

Mr. William Hartz and Mr. Tim Guerre appeared before the Board.

Mrs. Cook stated that Mr. Guerre has advised that there are many applicants taking the electrical contractor's examination and would like to know if the Board would allow a Saturday test date in addition to the regularly scheduled examination dates.

Mr. Schooley asked whether or not two different testing sites could be utilized as in the past?

Mr. Guerre stated that is a problem as there are not enough proctors during the week; wherein more proctors are available on a Saturday. The test would be a Tuesday and then the next Saturday of that week.

DAG Carboni asked whether or not different questions would be utilized for the Saturday date?

Mr. Guerre stated that 40% to 60% of the same questions are on all examinations; the rest are a combination of questions so that all applicants do not get the same questions.

Mr. Schooley stated that he attended a continuing education seminar and was approached by approximately 15 individuals who complained about the integrity of the examination. Mr. Schooley stated that he was advised that there were no code books; applicants had palm pilots; lap tops; phones and beepers at their desk.

Mr. Guerre stated that he would look into this for the Board.

Mr. Hartz asked the Board if they have made a decision concerning the computerized examination?

Mrs. Cook stated that Mr. Hartz was not able to provide a visual presentation when he appeared to discuss the electronic examination.

Mr. Guerre stated that there are six locations, West Orange, Fairlawn, Hamilton, Deptford, Toms River, and Clark, New Jersey

Mr. Hartz stated that there are approximately 15 to 20 computers at each site.

Mr. Schooley stated that he does not want the applicant to be able to choose to take only one portion of the examination at a time; the applicant must take all three parts of the examination.

Mr. Hartz stated that he will provide the Board with a listing of all of the examination sites; how many computers are at each site; whether or not calculators and code books will be provided; and the number of applicants that can be tested at each site.

Letter dated August 22, 2005, received from John J. Murphy, President, S.M. Electric Company, Inc., requesting a six-month continuance of business under permit #191 according to N.J.S.A. 45:5A-14. The licensee, Peter V.

Cheche, Sr., died on August 11, 2005.

Mr. Murphy stated that Peter V. Cheche, Jr., License #5225, will supervise the work being performed.

Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo, and unanimously passed, that a letter be sent to Mr. Cheche advising him that the Board has granted the firm of S.M. Electric Company, Inc., a six-month continuance of business permit #191 according to N.J.S.A. 45:5A-14.

Letter dated August 24, 2005, received from Dominick M. Yannetta, Yannetta Electric Company, Inc., requesting a fourth six-month continuance of business under Permit #1109 according to N.J.S.A. 45:5A-14. The licensee, Angelo Yannetta, died on August 7, 2003.

Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mrs. Pushpavati Amin, and unanimously passed, that the firm of Yannetta Electric Company, Inc. be granted an additional one month extension to complete any unfinished jobs. At the end of the one month extension, Mr. Yannetta will be required to return the pressure seal issued to Yannetta Electric Company, Inc.

The sub-committee reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar approval received from Richard Van Wert requesting approval of new courses.

Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo, and unanimously passed, that the following courses, and instructor, are approved as submitted.

"Electrical Calculations I"
"Electrical Calculations II"
"Swimming Pool, Fountains, and Similar Electrical Installations"
"Motors I"
"Motors II"
"Grounding and Bonding I"
"Grounding and Bonding II"
"Residential Electric I"
"Residential Electric II"
"Commercial Electric I"
"Commercial Electric II"
"Transformers"

Mr. Van Wert will be advised that the following course is disapproved pending a more detailed breakdown and course description.

"NEC Code Book"

The sub-committee reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar approval received from Mark Crowley requesting approval of new courses.

Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo, and unanimously passed, that the following courses, and instructors, are approved as submitted.

"Arc Flash Safety Seminar"
"Do You Encourage Fraud and Embezzlement"
"National Electrical Code (NEC) Update"
"What It Takes to Provide Professional Service"
"Design/Build Introduction & Tools"
"Project Management Using Webb-Based Software"
"Success in the Service Business"

Mr. Crowley will be advised that the Board does not approve half hour increments. Therefore, any courses that are one and one half hours in length will be considered a one hour course. Should Mr. Crowley wish the courses to be two hours in length, he must resubmit his request.

The sub-committee reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar approval received from John P. Judge requesting approval of new courses.

Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo, and unanimously passed, that a letter be sent to Mr. Judge advising him that his request to teach continuing education courses is disapproved. The courses submitted by Mr. Judge did not provide enough of a detailed breakdown and course description. Additionally, Mr. Judge did not indicate which instructors are teaching the courses submitted. Mr. Judge will be further advised that he may resubmit his request.

The sub-committee reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar approval received from Andre Cartal requesting approval of new courses.

Mr. McCullough abstained from the discussion and the motion as he is listed as one of the instructors.

Motion made by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo and seconded by Mrs. Pushpavati Amin, and passed, that the following course, and instructors, are approved as submitted.

Mr. Malec, sub-committee member, also approved the following course, and instructors, via the telephone.

DAG Carboni stated that she agrees with this decision because she is aware that the full Board would approve this course, and the fact that another Board member, Mr. Malec, approved this course. Any conflict that exists is more technical than actual.

"Standard for Safety in the Workplace"

The sub-committee reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar approval received from John A. Kwiecinski requesting approval of new courses.

Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo, and unanimously passed, that the following courses, and instructors, are approved as submitted.

"NEC Hazardous and Adverse Areas"

"Combating Corrosion in Harsh & Hazardous Locations"

"IEC "Zones"

"Intrinsic Safety"

"Hazardous and Adverse Area Lighting"

"Plugs & Receptacles in Harsh & Hazardous Locations"

The sub-committee reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar approval received from David Schnaper requesting approval of new courses.

Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo, and unanimously passed, that the following courses, and instructors, are approved as submitted.

"Switchboards vs. Switchgear"

"Variable Frequency Drives"

"Motor Control Centers"

"Loadcenters, Panelboards, and Metering"

"Electrical Safety Guide"

"Digital Multimeter Electrical Measurements Safety"

"Motor and Drive Troubleshooting"

"Outdoor power Distribution-Sustainable Power"
"Indoor Power Distribution-Sustainable Power"
"Lightning and TVSS Protection"
"Office Lighting"
"Issues and Initiatives in Outdoor Lighting"
"Lighting for Education Facilities"
"Interrupting Rating of Overcurrent Protective Devices"
"Electrical Component Protection"
"Current Limitation"
"Understanding Series Rated Systems"
"UL Requirements for Fuses and Circuit Breakers"
"Selectivity & Coordination of Overcurrent Protective Devices"
"Electrical Safety Basics - NFPA 70E"
"Protection of Motor Starters and Motors"
"Short Circuit Calculations"
"Understanding New Elevator Circuit Requirements"
"Electrical Distribution Systems Analysis"
"Ground Fault Circuit Interrupter"
"AFC Cable Systems"
"Elements of Induction Lighting"
"Understanding Lighting"
"Light Sources"

"NEC Code Update" (9 hours of code changes and 1 hour of laws, rules, and regulations)

Mr. Schnaper will be requested to forward to the Board a more detailed resume for Phil Acone.

Maryann Sheehan, Regulatory Analyst, Director's Office, appeared before the Board to discuss a draft of N.J.A.C. 13:31-1.9 Business Name Change which states that a business permit holder who seeks to change the legal name of his or her electrical contracting business shall submit a written application to the Board requesting such change and shall disclose any legal judgement or decree that has been entered against the electrical contracting business by any court or by the regulatory authority in any state.

Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mrs. Pushpavati Amin, and unanimously passed, to approve the language as drafted regarding N.J.A.C. 13:31-1.9.

The Board also discussed proposing a rule that would require the qualifying licensee to notify the Board when he/she will no longer endorse the business permit to a company.

DAG Carboni stated that the regulations should stipulate that once a licensee no longer endorses his business permit to a company, that licensee must immediately advise the Board of same.

Mr. Schooley stated that the licensee, and the owner of the company, should advise the Board within five business days that the licensee is no longer endorsing his business permit to the company. The licensee should also be required to inform the townships that he is no longer the contractor of record concerning any outstanding permits on file.

The Board held this matter in abeyance for further discussion as it was undecided as to whether or not a company would be allowed to utilize the pressure seal of the licensee who is leaving the company as reflected in N.J.A.C. 13:31-3.3 Pressure Seal and Signature Requirements.

The Board reviewed, for adoption, N.J.A.C. 13:31A-2.7 Locksmith Employees which states that any person employed by a licensee to perform unsupervised locksmithing services shall have successfully completed a total of four hours of training in the Barrier Free Subcode, N.J.A.C. 5:23-7, the New Jersey Uniform Construction Code, N.J.A.C. 5:23, exclusive of the Barrier Free Subcode, and the Americans with Disabilities Act Code, 36 C.F. R. §

1191; four hours of training in basic electronics; and four hours of training in trade related subjects, or have successfully passed a competency examination administered by the Committee, or have obtained a Certified Registered Locksmith rating by the Associated Locksmiths of America (ALOA), or have obtained a Certified Institutional Locksmith rating by the Institutional Locksmiths' Association (ILA). (Addition in bold)

Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo, and unanimously passed, to adopt N.J.A.C. 13:31A2.7 Locksmith Employees.

The Board reviewed the redesigned Telecommunications Wiring Exemption Card which would make clear that the card is issued for the installation of telecommunications wiring only.

Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo, and unanimously passed, that the word "Limited" be included on the front of the card under the wording Telecommunications which would read "Limited Wiring Exemption". The Board requested that the card produced by Mrs. Cook be utilized as soon as possible.

The Board reviewed applications for the written examination to be administered by Experior Assessments, LLC. Twenty-three (23) applications were approved

Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mrs. Pushpavati Amin, and unanimously passed, that the Board go into Executive Closed Session to consider and to review consumer complaints, investigative reports and other information received pursuant to the Board's investigative authority in order to determine whether violations of the law, including Board regulations have occurred. The results of the deliberations will be made known when and if the Board determines to initiate disciplinary action or other law enforcement action.

Meeting adjourned at 2:00 P.M.

An Appointment Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, September 21, 2005, at 9:00 A.M.
An Business Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 5, 2005, at 9:00 A.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara A. Cook
Executive Director

**INITIAL LICENSES APPROVED BY THE BOARD SEPTEMBER 7, 2005
EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 7, 2005 TO MARCH 31, 2006**

1. Timothy Andro, Jr - 417 Franklin Turnpike Apt 15 - Mahwah , NJ 07430
2. Ronald Blaczjewski - 116 Sequidia Drive - Newtown, PA 18940
3. Kevin Breen - 176 16th Street - Brooklyn, NY 11215
4. Shane Campbell -70 Woodland Avenue - Thorofare, NJ 08086
5. Frank D'Arcio -138 Mc Farlane Road - Colonia, NJ 07067-3615
6. Jason Deutsch - 7 Lawrence Avenue - Howell, NJ 07731
7. Joseph Falcone - 307 Birch Street - Bayville, NJ 08721
8. Frederick Fox - 7210 Wissmoming Street - Philadelphia, PA 19153
9. Timothy Friendak -114 Musconeteong River Road - Washington, NJ 07882

10. Marc Gingerelli - 314 Grant Avenue - Nutley, NJ 07110
11. James Haws - 413 Wills Avenue - Stanhope, NJ 07874
12. Christopher Heil - 8 Brewster Place - Flanders, NJ 07836
13. Richard Hussey - 23 Rochelle Drive - Kendall Park, NJ 08824
14. Robert Izzo - 116 Stilwater Road - Barnegat, NJ 08005
15. Norman Link - 13 Butler Road - Edison, NJ 08820
16. William Marsden - 9 Eldredge Avenue - Del Haven, NJ 08251
17. Lee Perella - 32 Deborah Lane - Aberdeen, NJ 07747
18. Anthony Rivera - 115 Eldorado Drive - Effort, PA 18330
19. Nicholas Sedeyn - 391 Trenton Avenue North - Bayville, NJ 08721
20. Kevin Simone - 69 Grand Place - Kearny, NJ 07032
21. Scott Smolen - 87 Greendell Road - Newton, NJ 07860
22. Hameshwia Wazid - 270 West 39th Street 2nd Floor - New York, NY 10018
23. Kevin Southward - 103 Copperfield Drive - Deptford, NJ 08096

**INITIAL BUSINESS PERMITS FOR THE FOLLOWING LICENSEES
APPROVED BY THE BOARD SEPTEMBER 7, 2005
EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 7, 2005 TO MARCH 31, 2006**

1. All-Phase Electrical LLC - (Timothy J. Andro, Jr.) - (Limited Liability Company) - 417 Franklin Turnpike, Apt 15, Mahwah, NJ 07430
2. Breen Electrical Contractors Inc (Kevin J. Breen) - Corporation - 176 16th Street, Brooklyn NY 11215
3. Shane Campbell t/a SGC Electric-(Individual) 70 Woodland Avenue - Thorofare, NJ 08086
4. Benchmark Electrical LLC - (Scott H. Carroll) (Limited Liability Company) - 1401 Silver Run Road- Millville, NJ 08332 - License #15129
5. Frank D'Arcio Electrical Contractor - Individual - 138 Mcfarlane Road- Colonia, NJ 07067-3615 - License #7698
6. Advance Tec Electric LLC- (Jason Deutsch) - (Limited Liability Company) 7 Lawrence Avenue- Howell, NJ 07731
7. Power Source Electric, LLC- (Joseph Falcone) - (Limited Liability Company) 307 Birch Street Bayville, NJ 08721
8. Nucero Electrical Construction Co, Inc - (Frederick C Fox) - (Corporation) 7210 Wissinoming Street- Philadelphia, PA 19153
9. Miklab Advanced Solutions LLC - (Michael G. Glab) - (Limited Liability Company) - 5094 Arnold Avenue- Wall, NJ 07719 - License # 13592

10. JNH Electrical Contractor Corp - (James Haws) - (Corporation) - 413 Wills Avenue Stanhope, NJ 07874
11. Black River General Contractors Inc - dba Black River Electrical Contracting - (Christopher Heil) - (Corporation) 8 Brewster Place - Flanders, NJ 07836
12. Heller Electrical Contracting LLC- (Scott A Heller) - (Limited Liability Company) 589 N Bridge Street- Bridgewater, NJ 08807 License # 15465
13. Greater Princeton Electric LLC - (Richard Hussey) - (Limited Liability Company) 23 Rochelle Drive - Kendall Park, NJ - 08824
14. Walter P Hynes t/a Hynes Electric - Individual - 2026 Asbury Avenue - Ocean City, NJ 08226 License #15485
15. Lee Perella Electrical Contractor - Individual - 32 Deborah Lane - Aberdeen, NJ 07747
16. David Moss t/a JCM Electric - Individual - 251 Sprucewood Drive - Brick, NJ 08723 License #15158
17. SMR Electric LLC - (Stephen Murphy)- (Limited Liability Company) - 269 Kingbird Court Three Bridges, NJ 08887- License #1534
18. Lexmar Electric Inc - (Michael Ratsmimor) - (Corporation) - 12 Highview Street- Califon, NJ 07803 - License #12322
19. Competitive Electrical Design Inc - (Timothy Sambucci) - Corporation) - 27 Euston Road - Marlton, NJ 08053 - License #14253
20. Nicholas Sedeyn t/a Storm Electrical Services - Individual - 391 Trenton Avenue North - Bayville, NJ 08721
21. Scott M Smolen t/a - Lackawanna Electric - Individual - 87 Greendell Road - Newton, NJ 07860
22. Scott R Ulrich t/a - Sur Electrical Contractor - Individual - 279 Kingsland Avenue, Lyndhurst, NJ 07071 - License # 15345
23. Brittashan Electrical & Contracting (NJ) Inc - Thomas V Wassman) - (Corporation)- 7 Park Drive - Franklin, NJ 07416 - License #15384
24. L E A Electric Corp - (Hameshwai Wazid) - (Corporation) - 270 West 39th Street 2nd Floor- New York, New York 10018

**INITIAL BUSINESS PERMITS PREVIOUSLY EXPIRED APPROVED
BY THE BOARD SEPTEMBER 7, 2005
EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 7, 2005 TO MARCH 31, 2006**

1. I C R Power and Light Electric, LLC - (Peter A German) - (Limited Liability Company) - 16-15 Romaine Street - Fairlawn, NJ 07410 - License #7744B
2. Amcor Electrical Contracting Corp - (Marc Stepper) Corporation - 18 Chesapeake Road - Manalapan, NJ 07726 - License # 14077A
3. Institutional Systems Services Corp - (Keith R Schuck) - (Corporation) - 160 Hopper Avenue- Waldwick, NJ 07463 - License # 7848B
4. North Jersey Electric Mechanical LLC - (Michael Squillace) - (Limited Liability Company) - 180 Central Avenue - Hackensack, NJ 07601 - License #8042B
5. Christopher D Szabo t/a C D Szabo Electrical Contractor - Individual - 20 Leshner Lane - Burlington, NJ 08016

- License # 12105A

**CHANGES IN BUSINESS PERMITS
APPROVED BY THE BOARD SEPTEMBER 7, 2005
EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 7, 2005 TO MARCH 31, 2006**

1. Greg Electric, LLC (Grzegorz S Blinowski) - (Limited Liability Company) - Formerly - Greg Electric Individual - 79 Princeton Road - Parlin, NJ 08859 - Licensee Grzegorz Blinowski #15070A
2. Stephen Cowan Electric, Inc - (Stephen Cowan) -(Corporation) Formerly - Cowan Electric - Individual - 1348 Route 83 - Cape May Court House, NJ 08210 - Licensee Stephen Cowan #14688A
3. La Rosa Electric LLC - (Michael J La Rosa) - (Limited Liability Company) - Formerly - FMI Electric Inc - (Corporation) - 422 Sheffield Road - Cherry Hill, NJ 08034 - Licensee Michael J La Rosa #11275B
4. Pro-Tek Electric, LLC - (Paul Rinaldi) - (Limited Liability Company) - Formerly - Pro-Tek Electric Co - Individual - 23 Mac Arthur Avenue - Hasbrouck Hts., NJ 07604 - Licensee Paul Rinaldi #9881A
5. Carr & Duff, Inc - (Richard J Saunders) - (Corporation) - Formerly - Scott Testing, Inc - (Corporation) - 2100 Byberry Road - Huntington Valley, PA 19006 - Licensee Richard J Saunders #9142B
6. D Smith Electric LLC - (David M Smith) - (Limited Liability Company) - Formerly - David M Smith Electrical Contractor - (Individual) - 11 Arbor Lane - Bordentown, NJ 08505 - Licensee David M Smith #12736A
7. Current Electric of Colts Neck, LLC (Ralph Soman) - (Limited Liability Company) - Formerly - P & R Electrical Corporation - (Corporation) - 32 Stoney Creek Lane - Colts Neck, NJ 07722 - Licensee - Ralph Soman #11364A