

**BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS  
AGENDA**

782 BUSINESS MEETING (PUBLIC SESSION) - - - FEBRUARY 2, 2005

MEETING TO BE CALLED TO ORDER AT 9:00 A.M.

MEETING TO BE HELD IN THE HUDSON CONFERENCE ROOM LOCATED ON THE SIXTH FLOOR  
APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE 779 MEETING HELD NOVEMBER 3, 2004; THE MINUTES OF  
THE 780 MEETING

HELD DECEMBER 1, 2004; AND THE MINUTES OF THE 781 MEETING HELD JANUARY 5, 2005

APPROVAL OF INITIAL LICENSES

APPROVAL OF INITIAL BUSINESS PERMITS

APPROVAL OF INITIAL BUSINESS PERMITS PREVIOUSLY EXPIRED

APPROVAL OF CHANGES IN BUSINESS PERMITS

1. Board to review applications for the written examination to be administered by Experior Assessments, LLC.

**PENALTIES**

GEORGE JOHNSON, LICENSE #6651 (EXPIRED) 2. Postal Money Order in the amount of \$300.00 received from Mr. Johnson, License #6651 (Expired), as the thirteenth and final installment of a civil penalty in the amount of \$1,500.00 for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:5A-9. Payments started April 19, 2002.

FRANK D'ARPA, LICENSE #8778 3. Check in the amount of \$25.00 received from Mr. D'Arpa, License #8778, as the twenty-fifth 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 \$1,875.00.

JOSEPH REGAN, LICENSE #9191 4. Check in the amount of \$1,000.00 received from Mr. Regan, License #9191, as the second installment of a civil penalty, and costs, in the amount of \$31,110.78 for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:5A-9 and N.J.S.A. 56:8-1 et seq. Payments started November 17, 2004 and the balance due is \$25,110.78.

JOHN J. HELMSTETTER, LICENSE #7192 5. Two Money Orders in the amount of \$300.00 each received from Mr. Helmstetter, License #7192, as the seventh and eighth 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 \$5,100.00.

DEEM A. MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL, LLC, BUSINESS PERMIT #15274 6. Check in the amount of \$500.00 received from Deem A. Mechanical and Electrical, LLC., as the first and final installment of a civil penalty in the amount of \$500.00 for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:5A-9 and N.J.S.A. 56:8-1 et seq.

FEN ZHU CHEN, UNLICENSED 7. Two Postal Money Orders in the amount of \$1,000.00 and \$500.00 received from Mr. Chen, Unlicensed, t/a Hua Xia Construction, Inc., as the first and final installment of a civil penalty in the amount of \$1,500.00 for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:5A-9 and N.J.S.A. 56:8-1 et seq.

PABLO ALICEA, UNLICENSED 8. Check in the amount of \$500.00 received from Mr. Alicea, Unlicensed, as the first and final installment of a civil penalty in the amount of \$500.00 for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:5A-9 and N.J.S.A. 56:8-1 et seq.

**REINSTATEMENT**

JOSEPH SERVIDIO, LICENSE #8317 (EXPIRED) 9. Board to review application for reinstatement received from Mr. Servidio as he failed to renew his License #8317 for the 1997 to 2000; 2000 to 2003 and 2003 to 2006

triennial renewal period.

Mr. Servidio's request was held in abeyance pending receipt of additional information.

EDMUND P. STIBITZ, JR., LICENSE #10510 (EXPIRED) 10. Board to review application for reinstatement received from Mr. Stibitz as he failed to renew his License #10510 for the 1997 to 2000; 2000 to 2003 and 2003 to 2006 triennial renewal period.

NICKOLAOS A. STAMATIOU, LICENSE #11047 (EXPIRED) 11. Board to review application for reinstatement received from Nickolaos A. Stamatiou as he failed to renew his License #11047 for the 1997 to 2000; 2000 to 2003; and 2003 to 2006 triennial renewal periods.

Mr. Stamatiou's request was held in abeyance pending receipt of a Work Classification and print out from the union.

#### SIX-MONTH EXTENSION

JAMES J. GRANATO, LICENSE #429 12. Letter received January 10, 2005, from James R. Granato requesting a second six-month continuance of business under permit #429 according to N.J.S.A. 45:5A-14. The licensee, James J. Granato, died on May 1, 2004.

#### CONTINUING EDUCATION

LUTRON ELECTRONICS 13. Sub-committee to review application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar received from Rhett Thomas, Lutron Electronics, requesting approval of new courses.

AMERICAN TRAINCO, INC. 14. Sub-committee to review application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar received from Joe Green, American Trainco, Inc., requesting approval of new courses.

JOSEPH P. DUNNE, INSTRUCTOR #16 15. Sub-committee to review Mr. Dunne's request to approve previously approved Continuing Education Course/Seminars.

JOINT APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING COMMITTEE 16. Sub-committee to review additional information for Continuing Education Course/Seminar received from John Biondi, Joint Apprenticeship Training Committee, requesting approval of new courses.

At its meeting held January 5, 2005, Mr. Biondi's request was again denied as he did not specify the exact hours to be taught. The courses entitled "Industrial Motor Controls"; "Code Calculations"; and "Blueprint Reading" did not indicate specific hours of instruction. The course entitled "Corning Training" did not specify the number of hours of instruction. Additionally, the Board felt that the courses for which Mr. Biondi seeks approval did not include enough of a description. Mr. Biondi was asked to provide the Board with a detailed description/breakdown of the course content and the exact hours of instruction.

ELECTRICAL TRAINING COURSE 17. The sub-committee held in abeyance Scott J. Cohen's request to teach "Analysis of Changes - 2005 NEC" pending clarification as to whether or not this course is the required nine hours of Code Changes required for licensees to renew their license for the 2006 to 2009 triennial renewal period.

Letter received January 18, 2005, received from Mr. Cohen stating that "Analysis of Changes - 2005 NEC" is the nine hour of code changes and the one hour of business and law for licensees to renew their license for the 2006 to 2009 triennial renewal period.

HONEYWELL FIRE SYSTEMS GROUP 18. The sub-committee to review additional information for Continuing Education Course/Seminar received from Jeff Behuniak, Honeywell Fire Systems Group.

Mr. Behuniak's request to teach "Addressable Fire Alarm Control Panels" was held in abeyance pending a more

detailed breakdown of the hours to be taught for each topic and description of the course content.

NJECA 19. The sub-committee to review additional information for Continuing Education Course/Seminar received from Kathleen L. Moskowitz, New Jersey Electrical Contractors Association.

Ms. Moskowitz's request to teach "Business and Marketing" was held in abeyance pending a course description.

## COMMUNICATIONS

FRANK R. DUDIS, LICENSE #7417 20. Letter dated January 10, 2005, received from Mr. Dudis stating that the cost to attend a course entitled "Defensive Driving" is much higher than a course offered by the Division of Motor Vehicles taught by a professional driving instructor. Mr. Dudis states that this is a blatant misuse of a well intended and mandatory requirement.

INSTALLATION OF EMPTY CONDUIT 21. Letter dated January 20, 2005, received from Thomas W. Hall, Associate Director, Pfizer, Inc., stating that Pfizer has contracted Vollers, who employs laborers from Local #472, for the excavation, installation and backfill of the trenches and empty conduit system. Mr. Hall also states that as a part of the empty conduit system installation, a grounding grip system is required. Vollers subcontracted the electrical work to Linear Electric who obtained a permit from Morris Plains Building Department.

Mr. Hall also states that Joseph Krawchuck, Business Agent for Local #102, challenged the subcontract arrangement, stating that work was being performed without the proper permits.

Mr. Hall further stated that the electrical inspector and building inspector of Morris Plains felt that the entire scope of work for the empty conduit system is covered by the existing general construction and electrical permits on file, and they have no objection to providing proper inspections nor any reason to stop the work being performed.

Letter dated January 21, 2005, was received from Joseph Krawchuck, Business Representative, IBEW, Local #102, stating that Turner Construction Company subcontracted the installation of a customer owned duct bank containing feeders and control wires to Vollers Construction. Vollers then subcontracted the conduit and grounding to Linear Electric. Mr. Krawchuck also states that Linear Electric obtained an electrical permit for the installation of the conduit and grounding. Mr. Krawchuck further states that Vollers installed the conduit with the laborers they employed utilizing Linear Electric's Business Permit #5560.

Mr. Krawchuck states that he does not feel that the Attorney General's Opinion, Number 91-0020, covers this installation as the conduits are after the meter and are not part of the site work as indicated in the AG's decision. (Drawings on file)

RENE J. MANTECON , LICENSE #8555 22. Mr. Mantecon, License #8555, has failed to respond to the Administrative Action Provisional Order of Discipline filed December 1, 2004, ordering that Mr. Mantecon be assessed a civil penalty in the amount of \$1,000.00 for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:45C-1.4.

The Order was mailed to Mr. Mantecon certified and regular mail. Certified mail was returned "Unclaimed", regular mail was not returned.

CEASE AND DESIST 23. Signed cease and desist agreement was received from Frank Ehrmantraut, Piscataway, New Jersey.