900th BUSINESS MEETING OF A COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS (PUBLIC SESSION) SEPTEMBER 2, 2015

The Committee Minutes of September 2, 2015, have not been formally approved and are subject to change or modification by the Public Body at its next meeting of October 7, 2015, or soon thereafter as it may be considered. 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.

Committee meeting of September 2, 2015, was called to order at 9:00 A.M. The following members were present:

Mr. Joseph P. Schooley, Chairman

Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo

Mr. Gino Pasqualone

Mr. Constantinos Papademas, Mr. James H. Flaherty, Mr. Arthur W. Jacobs, Sr. and Ms. Susan C. Michielli were absent.

Francine Widrich, Acting Executive Director, was present from 9:00 A.M. until the close of the meeting.

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

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

Kerrie Shahan, Government Service Representative, was present from 9:00 A.M. until the close of the meeting.

The Committee saluted the Flag.

Note: A quorum was not present. All actions are to be ratified at the Board's next meeting to be held on October 7, 2015, or soon thereafter.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve (6) Initial Licenses effective September 2, 2015 to March 31, 2018.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve (7) Initial Business Permits effective September 2, 2015 to March 31, 2018.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve (9) Initial Business Permits Previously Expired effective September 2, 2015 to March 31, 2018.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve (2) Changes in Business Permits effective September 2, 2015 to March 31, 2018.

The Committee reviewed an Application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Eric DeGesero, New Jersey Independent Electrical Contractors Association, requesting approval of new courses.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve twenty-three (23) new courses and instructors.

The Committee reviewed an Application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Richard F. Van Wert, Electric Education Center, requesting approval of new courses and a new instructor to teach previously approved courses.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve thirteen (13) new courses and the previously approved nine hours of code changes and the one hour of Laws, Rules, and Regulations. The Committee also approved Mr. Van Wert's request to approve a new instructor to teach previously approved courses.

Letter dated August 3, 2015, received from Greg Chontow, New Jersey Chapter, International Association of Electrical Inspectors, requesting approval to teach courses previously approved under the sponsorship of the New Jersey Skyland Division.

Mr. Chontow also requested that the Board approve one hour of credit for courses to be taught at each regular meeting held by the New Jersey IAEI Chapter.

The committee unanimously recommended that the courses approved under the New Jersey Skyland Division's sponsorship can be taught under the New Jersey Chapter IAEI's sponsorship, upon receipt of a letter from the New Jersey Skylands Chapter permitting same. The Committee also approves Mr. Chontow's request to teach one hour continuing education courses to be held at regular meetings held by the IAEI - New Jersey Chapter.

The Committee reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Sarah Barton, Warshauer Electric Supply.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve one (1) new course and an instructor.

Let the record reflect Gino Pasqualone recused himself from the discussion and recommendation as he is a friend of Mr. Dominik.

Application for reinstatement received from Joseph Dominik, License #13990 (Inactive).

Office files reflect Mr. Dominik chose "Inactive" status on March 28, 2003. Business Permit #13990 expired on March 31, 2000.

The Committee unanimously recommended to reinstate Mr. Dominik's License #13990. Mr. Dominik has demonstrated to the Board's satisfaction that he meets the requirement for reinstatement as he had been actively involved in the electrical field prior to his illness and is a Subcode Official.

The Committee reviewed an e-mail dated July 23, 2015, received from Chip Purcell, t/a Electric Man, LLC, stating he is the holder of an area franchise license agreement for Current Safe which performs non-destructive electrical hazard detection testing in existing residential and small commercial facilities. Mr. Purcell also stated the testing is done with infra-red cameras, ultrasonic monitoring, circuit analyzers, resistence meters and like equipment that interacts with, but does not modify, the existing electrical distribution system. The tests are able to reveal potential hazards behind the walls and make recommendations on how to remediate the hazards.

Mr. Purcell asked whether or not an electrical contractor's license is required to perform such work.

The Committee unanimously recommended to go into Executive Closed Session to receive advice of council.

After a brief discussion in Executive Closed Session, the Board returned to Public Session.

The Committee unanimously recommended that Mr. Purcell be requested to appear before the Board to clarify the work that is performed. The Committee does not have enough information to determine if the work falls within the scope of practice.

Letter dated March 17, 2015, received from Derek E. DiRocco, License #15148, t/a Priority Power Company, Inc., requesting an extension to complete his Continuing Education Courses required for the 2015 triennial renewal period.

Mr. DiRocco stated he is the sole care giver for his wife who was diagnosed with cancer in August 2014. Mr. DiRocco also stated he would have been able to complete his continuing education; however, her surgery was scheduled in March 2015.

The Committee unanimously recommended that Mr. DiRocco's request be held in abeyance pending receipt of a note from his wife's physician indicating that she is in need of constant care. Upon receipt of same, Mr. DiRocco will have until September 30, 2015 to take his courses.

In response to the Board's request, a letter dated July 8, 2015, was received from Mr. DiRocco stating his wife has been scheduled for an additional surgery which will require four to six weeks recovery time. Therefore, Mr. DiRocco is requesting an additional extension until November 30, 2015, to take his continuing education courses.

Mr. DiRocco provided a note from his wife's physician stating he is the sole caregiver.

The Committee unanimously recommended that a letter be sent to Mr. DiRocco advising him that his request is granted and he has until November 30, 2015 in which to take his courses. Mr. DiRocco will be requested to send copies of his certificates to the Board office.

Letter dated July 9, 2015, received from Donald A. Clare, Electrical Subcode Official, Township of Neptune, requesting clarification of the HVACR regulation under $\underline{\text{N.J.A.C}}$. 13:31A-1.3 (a) (1) and (2) "Electrical Work" which states:

- a) Except in replacement cases described in the definition of "heating, ventilating, air conditioning, and refrigeration," a master HVACR contractor shall not perform any electrical work:
- 1) With a potential of more than 10 volts, except as provided in (a)2 below; or
 - 2) With a potential of more than 30 volts, in class III structures, as defined by N.J.A.C. 5:23-1.4.

DAG Donofrio stated that the HVACR Board has addressed this issue and concluded that this work can be performed by an HVACR Contractor.

The Committee unanimously recommended that a letter be sent to Mr. Clare informing him that the Board is in agreement with the HVACR's recommendations and this work can be performed by an HVACR Contractor.

Letter dated July 24, 2015, received from Dennis DeAngelo, HVACR License #126, t/a Dennis DeAngelo Plumbing, Heating & Cooling, Inc., stating there is a gray area regarding work that HVACR contractors are allowed to perform in the installation of a new condenser unit and an existing unit.

This matter is being held in abeyance.

Assembly Bill A4333 was passed in the Senate on August 13, 2015. This bill exempts certain activities of alarm businesses from statutes governing the practice of locksmithing.

Ms. Widrich advised that she has nothing to report to the Board.

The Committee reviewed applications for the licensing examination to be administered by PSI Services, LLC. Seven (7) applications were approved.

The Committee unanimously recommended to 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 and Business Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 7, 2015, at 9:00 A.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Francine Widrich Acting Executive Director

INITIAL LICENSEE APPROVED BY THE BOARD ON SEPTEMBER 2, 2015 EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 2, 2015 TO MARCH 31, 2018

- 1. Daniel McDevitt
- 2. Joseph Wakie
- 3. Christopher P McKenna
- 4. Matthew P Simone, Jr.
- 5. Steven Fernandez
- 6. Fred T Williams

BUSINESS PERMITS APPROVED BY THE BOARD ON SEPTEMBER 2, 2015 EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 2, 2018

- 1. Daniel McDevitt t/a Daniel McDevitt Electric (Individual) 2 Morgan Court Marlton, New Jersey 08053
- 2. A M Electric 1 (Adrian Marulanda) (Limited Liability Company) 51 Marmora Road Parsippany, New Jersey 07054
- 3. Spotlight Solar LLC (Paul D. DiLolle) (Limited Liability Company) 310 Roberts Avenue Haddonfield, New Jersey 08033
- 4. Matthew Simone, Jr. t/a -MPS Electric (Individual) 677 Park Road Mays Landing, New Jersey 08330
- 5. Lyric Electric LLC (Rayvonn Mercado) (Limited Liability Company) 342 Greenbriar Drive Unit 7 - Union, New Jersey 07083 - License #17572
- 6. GRID Alternatives Tri-State, Inc (Steven Fernandez) 1360 Garrison Avenue, Bronx, New York 10474
- 7. Aeral Lighting & Electric Inc (Fred T Williams) (Corporation) 26 Hotchkiss Street Naugatuck, CT 06770

BUSINESS PERMITS PREVIOUSLY EXPIRED APPROVED BY THE BOARD ON SEPTEMBER 2, 2015 EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 2, 2015 TO MARCH 31, 2018

- 1. Unity Electric LLC (Brian Horan) (Limited Liability Company) One Madison Street Suite F1 East Rutherford, New Jersey 07073 License #6750A
- 2. Beta Electric ELP LLC (Tarnopoll Douglas) (Limited Liability Company) 228 Lackawanna Avenue Woodland Park, New Jersey 07424 License #10692A
- 3. Absolute Management & Electric LLC (Gregory Zillante) (Limited Liability Company) 21 Osprey Lane, Bayville, New Jersey 08721 License 7145A
- 4. Marascio Electric LLC (Neil Marascio) (Limited Liability Company) 73 Rumson Road -Little Silver, New Jersey 07739 - License #11719A
- 5. Emergency Marine Electrical LLC (Vern Jablonsky) (Limited Liability Company) 51 Sunderland Avenue Rutherford, New Jersey 07070 License #11454A
- 6. Melken Electrical Contractors Inc (Kenneth F Morici) (Corporation) 838 Alexander Road, Suite 2 Princeton, New Jersey 11158A
- 7. Sunnyhill Electrical Services LLC (Roger J O'Neil) (Limited Liability Company) 37 Sunnyhill Road Dover, New Jersey 07801 License #6540C
- 8. Star-Lo Communications Inc. (RJ Stark) (Corporation) 32 South Jefferson Road Suite B Whippany, New Jersey 07981 License # 4999A
- 9. MBR Construction Services Inc- (Victor Pajan) (Corporation) 307 June Avenue Blandon, Pennsylvania 19510 License #16127B

CHANGES IN BUSINESS PERMITS APPROVED BY THE BOARD ON SEPTEMBER 2, 2015 EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 2, 2015 TO MARCH 31, 2018

- AKKJ Electric LLC (Ronald Wedlock) (Limited Liability Company) Formerly

 AKKJ Electric Inc (Corporation) 825 Plantation Way Panama City, Florida
 32404 License #11914B
- 2. Gallini Electric LLC (Vinent C Gallini Jr.) (Limited Liability Company) Formerly Gallini Electric (Individual) 2809 Pierce Street Wall, New Jersey 07719 License #10597A