872nd BUSINESS MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS (PUBLIC SESSION) DECEMBER 5, 2012

The Board Minutes of December 5, 2012, have not been formally approved and are subject to change or modification by the Public Body at its next meeting of January 9, 2013, 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.

Board meeting of December 5, 2012, was called to order at 9:00 A.M. The following members were present:

Mr. Joseph P. Schooley, Chairman

Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo

Mr. Constantinos Papademas

Mr. Richard T. Aicher, Jr.

Mr. Mitchell R. Malec

Mr. Arthur W. Jacobs, Sr.

Mr. James H. Flaherty

Ms. Susan C. Michielli was absent.

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

Kathleen Moran, Administrative Assistant 3, 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.

Also in attendance was Robert Spellman and Joseph McMullen, Electrical Contractors Association of New Jersey.

Motion made by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, to approve (33) Initial Licenses effective December 5, 2012 to March 31, 2015.

Motion made by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, to approve (29) Initial Business Permits effective December 5, 2012 to March 31, 2015.

Motion made by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, to approve (7) Initial Business Permits Previously Expired effective December 5, 2012 to March 31, 2015.

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The Board reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Sarah Wood, Infinite Solar, requesting approval of previously approved courses and new courses.

Motion made by Mr. Mitchell R. Malec and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, that a letter be sent to Ms. Wood advising her that the course entitled "Electrician Exam Preparation" is not approved as it does not meet the criteria of Continuing Education for already licensed electrical contractors. The courses entitled "Residential Code Inspection" and "Commercial Code Inspection" are not approved as the courses are specific for inspectors and not licensed electrical contractors. Ms. Wood will also be advised that the courses entitled "National Fire Protection Agency 70E Electrical Arc Flash Safety" and "Grounding, Bonding and NEC 2011 Code Changes" are being held in abeyance pending receipt of a more detailed course outline as the Board does not allow a quiz/exam to be part of the instructional hours and should not be a requirement in order for the licensee to receive a certificate

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The Board reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Roseanna C. Reese requesting approval of new courses.

Motion made by Mr. Mitchell R. Malec and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, to approve four (4) new courses and instructors.

The Board reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Joe Bello, Technical Educational Services, LLC, requesting approval of previously approved courses and new courses.

Motion made by Mr. Mitchell R. Malec and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, to approve six (6) new courses and instructors and previously approved courses. Mr. Bello will be advised that New Jersey licensed electrical contractors attending the course entitled "2014 NEC Update 11 Hours" must be provided with the certificate by the Board for the nine hours of code changes and the one hour of Laws, Rules and Regulations. Mr. Bello will also be advised that New Jersey Licensed electrical contracting attending the course entitled "OSHA Safety Training" must attend all 30 hours in order to receive a certificate. The Board does not approve Mr. Bello's request that this course be approved as four (4) 7.5 hour sessions.

The Board reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Arnold Olender, A&A NEC Education, requesting approval of previously approved courses under A & A Electrical Educational Services, LP (ECSP 144) and new courses.

Motion made by Mr. Mitchell R. Malec and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, to approve fourteen (14) new courses and instructors. Mr. Olender will be requested to submit a new Continuing Education application for his request to teach previously approved courses under sponsorship #144.

The Board reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Thomas McNulty, Penn-Del-Jersey Chapter, NECA, requesting approval of new courses.

Motion made by Mr. Mitchell R. Malec and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, to approve nine (9) new courses and instructors and previously approved courses and instructors.

The Board reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Sean J. Smyth, Emerald Electrical Contracting, requesting approval of new courses.

Motion made by Mr. Mitchell R. Malec and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, that a letter be sent to Mr. Smyth advising him that his courses are not approved as submitted as they do not meet the criteria of Continuing Education. The Board does not allow a quiz/exam to be part of the instructional hours and should not be a requirement in order for the licensee to receive a certificate. Mr. Smyth will also be advised that he may resubmit these courses without the quiz/exam hours and a more detailed course outline.

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At its October 3, 2012, the Board reviewed the application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Kenneth Cerullo, Esq, The Commercial Agency, Inc. The Board held Mr. Cerullo's request in abeyance pending clarification of the differences between the one hour, two hour, and three hour courses.

Motion made by Mr. Mitchell R. Malec and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, to approve twelve (12) new courses and instructors and previously approved courses and instructors.

E-Mail received from Tom Valeo, Electrical Sub-code Official, City of Union City, asking for a formal interpretation of who can sign an Electrical Subcode Technical Section application for companies like Verizon.

At its November 7, 2012 meeting, the Committee recommended that an employee of the exempted company, showing employee identification, may sign the permit. The employee must be able to provide to the inspector the telecommunications wiring exemption number issued to that company.

Mr. Flaherty stated that the person to whom the telecommunications wiring exemption is issued to should sign the permit application and a copy of the exemption certificate should be provided at the time of signature.

Mr. Schooley stated that because the Board is of the opinion that the person to whom the telecommunications wiring exemption is issued to should sign the permit application he would like to form a subcommittee to bring recommendations to revise the telecommunications regulations the full Board.

Mr. Schooley requested that Mr. Flaherty be the chairman of the committee and Mr. Aicher and Mr. Jacobs be part of the committee.

Motion made by Mr. Mitchell R. Malec and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, that a letter be sent to Mr. Valeo advising him that it is the current position of the Board that an employee of the exempted company, showing proper identification, may sign the permit application. The employee must also be able to provide to the inspector the telecommunications wiring exemption number issued to that company. Mr. Valeo will also be advised that a Committee of the Board has been formed to recommend language for potential revision of the current telecommunication's wiring exemption regulations.

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The Board reviewed an E-mail dated October 19, 2012, received from Mr. Shapiro requesting clarification as to whether or not a Telecommunications Wiring Exemption certificate holder is allowed to run audio visual cabling and connect same to powered control equipment.

Motion made by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, that a letter be sent to Mr. Shapiro advising him that it appears that the work as described in his letter is more than ten volts; therefore, this work must be performed by a licensed electrical contractor pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:5A-18(j) any work with a potential of less than ten (10) volts is considered exempt from licensure and does not require the securing of a business permit.

Postal Money Order in the amount of \$400.00 received from Anthony J. Catalano, Jr., License #7623, as the second and final installment of a civil penalty in the amount of \$500.00 for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:5A-9. Payments started October 13, 2011.

The Board accepted the payment.

Check in the amount of \$100.00 received from Christopher Rupp, License #8149, t/a C R Electrical Contracting, as the first installment of a civil penalty in the amount of \$2,700.00 for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:5A-9 and N.J.S.A. 56:8-1 et seq.

The Board accepted the payment.

Check in the amount of \$25.00 received from Frank D'Arpa, License #8778 (Inactive), as the sixty-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 \$975.00.

The Board accepted the payment.

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Postal Money Order in the amount of \$400.00 received from Robert T. Brown, License #10584, t/a R T Brown Electrical Contracting, Inc., as the first and second installment of a civil penalty in the amount of \$2,500.00 for violation of $\underline{N.J.S.A}$. 45:5A-13.1 et seq.; $\underline{N.J.S.A}$. 45:1-21(h); $\underline{N.J.A.C}$. 13:31-1.7(b & c). The balance due is \$2,100.00.

The Board accepted the payment.

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Letter dated November 13, 2012, received from Corey M. Coleman requesting reinstatement of License #10961 which he failed to renew for the triennial renewal periods of April 1, 2006 to March 31, 2009; April 1, 2009 to March 31, 2012 and April 1, 2012 to March 31, 2015.

Mr. Coleman provided medical documentation concerning his illness.

Motion made by Mr. Richard T. Aicher, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, that a letter be sent to Mr. Coleman advising him that in order to regain his license he must take and pass the electrical contractor's examination pursuant to the Uniform Enforcement Act which requires that five years after a license has expired a licensee is not permitted to renew his/her license without first taking the qualifying examination.

The Board reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Bernard Corrigan, IBEW Local 102 JATC, requesting approval of previously approved courses and new instructors to teach previously approved courses.

Motion made by Mr. Mitchell R. Malec and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, to approve Mr. Corrigan's request to add instructors to previously approved courses.

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The Board reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Joseph E. Rossi, requesting approval of previously approved courses and new courses.

Mr. Rossi was advised that the course entitled "Safety-NEC-UCC" needed clarification as it was previously approved as an eight hour course. The Board requested that Mr. Rossi advise whether or not he was teaching eight one hour segments or one eight hour course.

Motion made by Mr. Mitchell R. Malec and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, to approve two (2) new courses and instructors and previously approved courses and instructors.

The Board reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval Received from Allyse Denny, Harger Lightning & Grounding, requesting approval of new courses.

Motion made by Mr. Mitchell R. Malec and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, that a letter be sent to Ms. Denny advising her that the course entitled "Lightning Protection Installation Training" is being held in abeyance pending receipt of a more detailed outline and course description. Ms. Denny will also be advised that the Board does not allow a quiz/exam to be part of the instructional hours and should not be a requirement in order for the licensee to receive a certificate.

Mr. Constantinos Papademas abstained from the following discussion and the motion as he is listed as one of the instructors.

The Board reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Kennie Marie Fried, Warshauer Electric, requesting approval of new courses.

Motion made by Mr. Mitchell R. Malec and seconded by Mr. Richard T. Aicher, Jr., and passed, to approve two (2) new courses and instructors.

The Board reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Stuart L. Reiter, requesting approval of new courses.

Motion made by Mr. Mitchell R. Malec and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, to approve one (1) new course and instructor and previously approved courses and instructors.

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Letters were received from the following individuals requesting an extension to take the continuing education course required for the renewal of their qualified journeyman electrician registration. These individuals were scheduled to take the Continuing Education Course in order to renew their journeyman registration, but were unable to do so due to Hurricane Sandy.

Thomas LeCompte, Christian Kriebel, Kevin G. Abrams, Michael Brennan, Martin Dougherty, William Kimble, Martin Kropp, Salvatore Palma, William Apuzzo, Joseph Kish, Anthony C. Vett, James O'Neill, and Joseph Dominick.

The Board directed that qualified journeyman electricians, who were affected by Hurricane Sandy, are granted an extension to take their ten hours of continuing education required to renew their Qualified Journeyman Electricians Registration. The extension will expire on April 30, 2013.

Deputy Attorney General Joseph Donofrio stated that the Board filed an Administrative Complaint against Joseph C. Chickachop, License #4847 (Suspended), seeking revocation of his electrical contracting license as well as penalties and restitution based on multiple consumer complaints. DAG Donofrio also stated that Mr. Chickachop failed to attend a telephone conference and as a result the Attorney General filed a Motion for Default. Mr. Chickachop appeared in an effort to contest the motion; however, the Board did not have a quorum.

This matter is being held in abeyance and will be discussed at the Board's next meeting to be held on January 9, 2013.

The Board reviewed the proposed new rules and amendments for the Fire Alarm, Burglar Alarm and Locksmith Advisory Committee.

The Board requested that a copy of the proposed new rules and comments regarding same be provided to them.

The reviewed applications for the written examination to be administered by Thomson Prometric. Fourteen (14) applications were approved.

Motion made by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo and seconded by Mr. Constantinos Papademas, and unanimously passed, 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, January 9, 2013, at 9:00 A.M.

Respectfully submitted,

David Freed Acting Executive Director

EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 5, 2012 TO MARCH 31, 2015

- 1. Colin R Boyle
- 2. William H. Crane
- 3. John A Norkevich, Jr.
- 4. John W Farrell
- 5. Jeffrey A Bartelt
- 6. Robert T. Holmes
- 7. Bryan S Smith
- 8. Mark L Worthley, Jr.
- 9, Stephen B Young
- 10. Thomas Ward
- 11. Terrill U Rackley
- 12. John A Hawk, Jr.
- 13. Carlos Villamil
- 14. Alphonse C DeCaro
- 15. Jack Zito
- 16. Robert L Kidd
- 17. Denny Nemati
- 18. Nicholas Boucher
- 19. Robert Van Cleef
- 20 Eric Scanlon

- 21. Piotr Godek
- 22. Joseph DeLeonardis
- 23. Thomas M Gabriel, Jr.
- 24. Christopher W Chiglo
- 25. Edward J Gluck, Jr.
- 26. Wayne Wachter, Jr.
- 27. Alfonso W Barone
- 28. Justin I Shiffman
 - 29. Steven Taylor
- 30. Luis M. Abreu
- 31. Wayne Sherrill
- 32. Thomas A. Kavano, Jr.
- 33. Daniel Robaina

INITIAL BUSINESS PERMITS APPROVED BY THE BOARD DECEMBER 5, 2012

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- 1. BTK Electrical Contractors LLC (Terrill U Rackley) (Limited Liability Company) 57 Claremont Avenue Verona, NJ 07044-2805
- 2. Hawk Electric LLC (John A Hawk, Jr.) (Limited Liability Company) 1 North Stone Edge Road Bedminster, NJ 07921
- 3. C A V Electric Inc (Carlos Villamil) (Corporation) 204 Reichelt Road New Milford, NJ 07646
- 4. ACD Electrical Contractors (Alphonse C De Caro) (Limited Liability Company) 96 old Brookside Rid Randolph, NJ 07869
- 5. Jadck Electric LLC (Jack L. Zito) (Limited Liability Company) 54 Metedeconk Road Brick, NJ 08723
- 6. Brogan Electrical Service Technology (Robert L. Kidd) (Limited Liability Company) 65 Glen Road Woodcliff Lake, NJ 07677
- 7. Reliance Electric Inc (Denny Nemati) (Corporation) 38 Blue Hills Drive Holmdel, NJ 07733
- 8. Northeast Electrical Construction LLC (Nicholas Boucher) (Limited Liability Company) 17 Wynnewood Drive- Voorhees, NJ 08043
- 9. Electric World LLC (Piotr Godek) (Limited Liability Company) 823 Darlington Drive - Old Bridge, NJ - 08857
- 10. Home Run Electrical Contracting LLC (Robert T Van Cleef) 569 Covington Place Franklin Lakes, NJ 07417
- 11. Power Secure Inc- (Eric M Scanlon) (Corporation) 1609 Heritage Commerce Court Wake Forest NC 27587
- 12. United Electric Co of New Jersey Inc (Edward J Gluck, Jr.) 35 Urban Avenue Westbury, NY 11590
- 13. Custom Electric and Security LLC (Anthony W Silva) (Limited Liability Company) 29 Rozbern Drive Eatontown, NJ 07724 License #16837
- 14. Ted Poecker Electric LLC (Ted Poecker) (Limited Liability Company) 264 Grant Avenue - Totowa, NJ 07512 - License #17355

- 15. J Dalton Electric LLC (James M Dalton) (Limited Liability Company) 6 Lydia Place - Port Monmouth, NJ 07758 - License #17267
- 16 Telcom Construction Services Inc (Christopher Stenger) (Corporation) 5067 Paramount Blvd. Medina, OH 44256 License #17191
- 17. Hectic Electric LLC (Wayne Wachter, Jr.) (Limited Liability Company) 4 Rose Street - Sayreville, NJ 08872
- 18. Mount Kemble Electric LLC (Alfonso W Barone) (Limited Liability Company)400 Mount Kemble Avenue Morris Township, NJ 07960
- 19. Shiffman Electric LLC (Justin I Shiffman) (Limited Liability Company) 9 Hackberry Place Flemington, NJ 08822
- 20. Kenneth Affinito t/a Affinito Electric Co (Individual) 3 Hearth Stone Court Wayne, NJ 07470 License #13343
- 21. Light It Up Electric LLC -(Rashawn A Woods)-(Limited Liability Company) 2102 Elberta Lane Marlton, NJ 08053
- 22. Raceway Electrical Contracting LLC (Steven Taylor) (Limited Liability Company) 110 Lexington Road Freehold, NJ 07728
- 23. Luis M Abreu -t/a LMA Electric Services (Individual) 7107 Grand Avenue North Bergen, NJ 07047
- 24. S&C Electric Inc (Wayne Sherrill) (Corporation) 6601 N. Ridge Blvd. Chicago, IL 60626
- 25. Protocol Electric and Security LLC -(Chad Harrison) Limited Liability Company) 308 Brakeley Avenue Phillipsbury, NJ 08865 License #17230
- 26. Kavano Electric LLC (Thomas A Kavano, Jr.) Limited Liability Company) 18 Amherst Road Voorhees, NJ 08043
- 27. Roberts Electric and Property Services LLC (William J. Roberts) (Limited Liability Company) 107 Bluebird Drive; unit 1-C -Hillsborough, NJ 08844 License #9952
- 28. Cid Electric LLC (Daniel Robaina) Limited Liability Company) 21 Winding Brook Way Holmdel, NJ 07730

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- 1. Thomas Edward Gan Electric LLC (Thomas Edward Gan) (Limited (Liability Company) 403 Covert Court Hillsborough, NJ 08844 License #10832B
- Patriot Energy LLC dba Patriot Energy Mechanical & Electrical Contractors LLC

 (Eric A Widlund) (Limited Liability Company) 321 Fairfield Road Fairfield,
 NJ 07004 License #15044A
- 3. Oujo Electric LLC (Robert Oujo) (Limited Liability Company) 90 Tinton Falls Road Farmingdale, NJ 07727 License #11406A
- 4. Thomas M Larkin t/a -Larkin Electrical Contractors 121 Malmy Drive- Brick, NJ 08724 License #12783A
- 5. DJH Electric Inc (Gregg M Hunt) (Corporation) 11 Owl Court Marlton, NJ 08053 License #7800B
- 6. John Slimm t/a Semper FI General Contracting (Individual) 13 Eddy Lane Cherry Hill, NJ 08002 License #7596A
- 7. John W Manhardt t/a JWM Electric Company (Individual) 151 Longfield Court E. Brunswick, NJ 08816 License #14325A