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State Board of Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors

Minutes of October 19, 2017

Public Session Minutes

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting of the State Board of Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors was called to order by Vice President Michael Kelly at 9:00 a.m. at 124 Halsey Street, 3rd Floor, Union Conference Room, Newark, New Jersey. All parties were duly notified of the time, date and place, with all pertinent materials being provided.

SUNSHINE LAW ANNOUNCEMENT

Vice President Kelly read the statement required by Chapter 231, Laws of 1975 known as the Open Public Meetings Act, and announced that notice of this meeting was prepared in the office of the Board and mailed to the Secretary of State, the Newark Star-Ledger, Trenton Times, the Camden Courier Post, Bergen Record, and the Atlantic City Press.

ROLL CALL

Present: James Cleary, PE/PLS Richard Smith, Jr., PLS
 Barry Jones, PLS Edward Vernick, PE
 Michael Kelly, PE

Absent: James Purcell, PE
 James Valenti, PE

Others present: Michelle Albertson and Roman Guzik, Deputy Attorneys General, Joanne Leone, Executive Director, Joseph Grabowy, Senior Mgt. Assistant, and staff members Yolanda Winston and Peggy Hinkley.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

No announcements were made.

APPEARANCES

10:15 am – Marvin Chacon – Applicant #2126199

ACTION: Subsequent to the interview with Mr. Chacon, and after some discussion, the Board, on a motion by BM Vernick, seconded by BM Smith, voted to waive the FE exam and allow Mr. Chacon to take the Principles and Practice (PE) exam.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

September 21, 2017 for review

ACTION: After reviewing the minutes of September 21, 2017, the Board, on a motion by BM Jones, seconded by BM Smith, voted to approve the minutes as amended. BM Vernick abstained. Motion carried.

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

A. General Report

1. Decoupling PE exam

ACTION: After some discussion, the Board, on a motion by BM Vernick, seconded by BM Cleary, voted to decouple PE exams as they transition to computer-based testing. The first PE exam to be offered online will be the PE Chemical Exam in January 2018.

2. Change to Meeting dates

ACTION: After some discussion, the Board voted unanimously to cancel the November 16, 2017 meeting and re-schedule the December 21, 2017 meeting to December 7, 2017.

3. Meetings with Deans of Engineering Programs – Meetings are scheduled with the Deans of Rowan University, Stevens Institute of Technology, NJIT, and the College of New Jersey. Board President Valenti, Vice President Kelly, and Executive Director Leone will attend.

ACTION: *Duly noted.*

B. Incoming Correspondence

1. New Jersey Society of Municipal Engineers Annual Luncheon Wednesday, November 15, 2017, at the Atlantic City Convention Center 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

ACTION: *Duly noted.*

C. Outgoing Correspondence

None

COMMITTEE REPORTS

A. Standing Committees:

- I. Legislation Committee
 - i. Legislation Chart

ACTION: Duly noted.

II. Regulations / Sunset Committee

ACTION: A draft of the regulations for sunset is anticipated for review at the December 7th meeting.

III. NCEES Committee

ACTION: Duly noted.

IV. Joint Committee

ACTION: Duly noted.

REVIEW OF APPLICATIONS AND CPC COURSES

A. Routine Licensure

ACTION: On a motion by BM Jones, seconded by BM Smith, the Board unanimously voted to approve the following applications as indicated:

<u>Name</u>	<u>App'l #</u>	<u>Comity/Exam.</u>	<u>Decision</u>
Abdullah, Affan	2142140	Comity	Grant PE License
Aielli, Eric	2141579	Comity	Grant PE License
Allen, Jeffrey	2145587	Comity	Grant PE License
Antoni, Christopher	2147865	Comity	Grant PE License
Barker, Tyler	2141327	Comity	Grant PE License
Becker, Timothy	2145633	Comity	Grant PE License
Boyer, Eric	2119947	Comity	Grant PE License
Boynton, Joshua	2112698	Comity	Grant PE License
Brontoli, Mario	2112461	Comity	Grant PE License
Brown, Dwayne	2071443	Comity	Grant PE License
Chacon, Marvin	2126199	Exam.	Take PE and Waive the FE
Clark, Anthony	2136824	Comity	Grant PE License
Coby, John	2076780	Comity	Grant PE License
Cokeley, Jesse	2093528	Comity	Grant PE License
Coyer, William	2128671	Comity	Grant PE License
DiPaolo, Allyson	2142067	Comity	Grant PE License

Dodson, Douglas	2129343	Comity	Grant PE License
Eliopoulos, Robert	1338761	Comity	Grant PE License
Esposito, Anthony	2123301	Comity	Grant PE License
Fan, Jinjie	2130954	Comity	Grant PE License
Faruqi, Asma	2115529	Exam.	Take PE
Fleming, Hannibal	2034479	Comity	Grant PE License
Fleming, Peter	2085304	Comity	Grant PE License
Foster, Peter	2146491	Comity	Grant PE License
Frosino, Adam	2087563	Comity	Grant PE License
Gamboa, Jorge	2155289	Exam.	Take PE
Giampietro, Joseph	2128119	Exam.	Take PE and Waive the FE
Good, Bryce	2111340	Comity	Grant PE License
Hinger, Kai	2141944	Comity	Grant PE License
Hollingshead, Michael	2139212	Comity	Grant PE License
Horwath, Andrew	2145144	Comity	Grant PE License
Hunt, James	2141541	Comity	Grant PE License
Jansen, William	2142160	Comity	Grant PE License
Jones, Christopher	2119849	Comity	Grant PE License
Kalmbacher, Jeremy	2111962	Comity	Grant PE License
Klein, Edward	2122538	Comity	Grant PE License
Kumar, Rajinder	2095560	Comity	Grant PE License
Lanier, Bryan	2141186	Comity	Grant PE License
Lawrence, Jacob	2129253	Comity	Grant PE License
Lawrence, Justin	2114884	Comity	Take NJ State Exam.
Le, Sara	2141212	Comity	Grant PE License
Linton, David	2137454	Comity	Grant PE License
Ludwig, Matthew	2107422	Comity	Grant PE License
Meadows, Richard	2092263	Comity	Grant PE License
Mendoza Blanco, Mario	2144772	Comity	Grant PE License
Momin, Rehan	2147530	Comity	Grant PE License
Moore, Christopher	2119992	Exam.	Take PE
Napoli, James	2089024	Comity	Grant PE License
Page, Anthony	2119328	Comity	Grant PE License
Patwardhan, Gautam	2140073	Comity	Grant PE License
Perkins, Wendell	2136271	Comity	Grant PE License
Porcello, Zachary	2132545	Comity	Grant PE License
Quigley, Scott	2109354	Comity	Grant PE License
Rarafa, Mohamed	2140291	Comity	Grant PE License
Ravipati, Abhiram Chowdary	2127836	Exam.	Grant E-I-T Certificate
Rentz, Anthony	2146367	Comity	Grant PE License
Rimsky, Christopher	2085337	Comity	Grant PE License
Rosa, Miguel	2146940	Comity	Grant PE License
Rowley, James	2108555	Comity	Grant PE License
Sankaran, Vignesh	2139806	Comity	Grant PE License
Santhosh, Kumar	1700064	Comity	Grant PE License
Shaw, Jr., Gregory	2119568	Comity	Grant PE License
Sommerman, Michelle	2149306	Comity	Grant PE License
Stecher, Ryan	2139914	Comity	Grant PE License
Tarantino, Anthony	2107783	Comity	Grant PE License
Todd, Christian	2128592	Comity	Grant PE License

Tone, Kevin	2101696	Comity	Grant PE License
Tooker, Joshua	2135777	Comity	Grant PE License
Trimarchi, Joseph	2128466	Comity	Grant PE License
Valero, Stephen	961942	Comity	Grant PE License
Vanderslice, John	2115642	Exam.	Take PE
Vecchio, Michael	2107660	Comity	Grant PE License
Vekic, Ana	2132813	Exam.	Grant E-I-T Certificate
Walker, Matthew	2079087	Comity	Grant PE License
Williams, David	2132762	Comity	Grant PE License
Yahner, David	2125149	Comity	Grant PE License
Zimbelman, Scott	2008115	Comity	Grant PE License

ACTION: On a motion by BM Jones, seconded by BM Smith, the Board unanimously voted to request additional information for the following applications as indicated:

<u>Name</u>	<u>App'l #</u>	<u>Comity/Exam.</u>
Bedair, Hatem	2130397	Comity
Byrd, Richard	2125854	Comity
Downey Ryan	2115891	Comity
Gabor, Matthew	2107687	Exam.
Ghose, Kamal	2108952	Comity
Hall, Joshua	2143079	Exam.
Houng, Kevin	2146756	Comity
Keffer, Scott	2134908	Comity
Kight, Alexander	2119961	Comity
Lewis, Kevin	2135415	Comity
Lisowski, Michael	2107417	Comity
Pagel, Derek	1785756	Comity
Woiwode, Aaron	2133964	Comity
Zabik, Jennifer	2140143	Comity

B. Continuing Professional Competency Courses

BM Jones requested that staff add another column to the list of courses to differentiate between in-person courses and online courses offered by the providers.

ACTION: On a motion by BM Jones, seconded by BM Smith, the Board unanimously voted to approve all courses as noted. Motion carried.

C. Full Board Review

Peter Foster – Applicant #2146491

ACTION: On a motion by BM Cleary, seconded by BM Smith, the Board voted to approve his application for licensure.

Joshua Hall – Applicant #2143079

ACTION: The Board unanimously voted to accept experience from the PE reference. However, Mr. Hall will need to acquire additional experience since he is short of the requisite minimum six (6) years required for applicants with engineering technology degrees.

Harshal R. Shah – Applicant #2022161

ACTION: The Board determined to advise Mr. Shah to check with NCEES to see if another process is available to him to verify his degree from India.

D. Reinstatement

John B. Lewis, 24GE04175800

ACTION: On a motion by BM Vernick, seconded by BM Smith, the Board unanimously voted to reinstate Mr. Lewis' license.

E. Certificates of Authorizations

ACTION: The Board, on a motion by BM Jones, seconded by BM Vernick, unanimously voted to approve the following companies for Certificates of Authorization.

BOTIR ENGINEERING LLC.

93 Chestnut Way
Manalapan, NJ 07726
Application #2154115

EI ACQUISITION CORP.

10975 Kinsman Rd
Newbury, OH 44065
Application#2114316

GARY GARTENBERG, P.E. LLC.

24 Lidgerwood Place
Morristown, NJ 07960
Application # 2155222

HOLMES CUNNINGHAM LLC.

350 East Butler Ave. Suite 106
New Britain, PA 18901
Application # 2151804

KJL ARCHITECTS LLC.

77 North Main Street
Milltown, NJ 08850
Application #2147635

KRECH OJARD & ASSOCIATES, INC.

227 W Frist St. Suite 500
Duluth, MN 55802
Application # 215510

LAND SOLUTIONS ENGINEERING, LLC.

30 Chestnut Road
Chatham, NJ 07928
Application #2150819

IGS PROFESSIONAL LLC.

115 E Hickory Street Suite 300
Mankato, MN 56001
Application #2157166

LTS DRAFTING & ENGINEERING, LLC

8670 Concord Center Drive
Englewood, CO 80112

ERIC P. SILVESTRO PLS. LLC.

5 Slattery Lane
Whippany, NJ 07981

Application #2154946

Application #2159068

BOARMAN KROSS VOGEL GROUP INC.
222 N. 2nd St. Ste 101

Minneapolis, MN 55401
Application #2155079

TILSON TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT, INC.
245 Commercial St. Suite 203
Portland, ME 04015
Application #2159249

INFORMATIONAL / DISCUSSION ITEMS

None

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Seeing no one from the public present, VP Kelly proceeded to the next item on the agenda.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

On a motion by BM Jones, seconded by BM Cleary, the Board unanimously voted to go into executive session for the purposes of reviewing the minutes and other items on the executive agenda.

NEXT MEETINGS

December 7, 2017	Regular Meeting	Union Room, 3rd Floor
January 18, 2018	Regular Meeting	Union Room, 3 rd Floor

ADJOURNMENT

On a motion by BM Vernick, seconded by BM Cleary, the Board unanimously voted to adjourn the meeting at 2 p.m.

APPROVED BY:

Michael Kelly, PE
Board Vice President

Joanne Leone
Executive Director