## **MINUTES**

# HEATING, PIPING, COOLING AND SHEET METAL WORK EXAMINING BOARD

# MAY 28, 2009

The meeting was called to order by Robert H. Barrieau, Acting Chairperson at 9:35 a.m. in Room-117 of the State Office Building, 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.

Members Present: Robert H. Barrieau, Unlimited Contractor, Acting Chairperson

Thomas F. Casey, Jr., Unlimited Contractor

David G. Foster, Unlimited Contractor / General Contractor

Patrick Duane, Limited Sheet Metal Contractor

Philip H. Benoit, Limited Sheet Metal Journeyperson

Ronald J. Crabb, Unlimited Journeyperson Michael Rosario, Unlimited Journeyperson

Cameron G. Champlin, Jr., Unlimited Journeyperson

Philip Kent, Esquire, Public Member Christopher M. Dupuis, Public Member

Barbara Riotte, Public Member

Members Absent: Mario Dinatale, Public Member

Board Vacancies: None

Board Counsel Present: None

Public Present:

DCP Staff Present: Nelson Leon, Board Secretary

Mike Lennon
Peter DiPisa
Don Emond
Bob Freer
David Rodriguez
Daniel Sullivan
Nick Bartone
Charles Edgerton
Thomas Howler
Joseph Dinella

David Sopstroins

Mark Radtke

Hugh Martin, Jr.
Brian Magner
Chris Baskay
Michael LeBlanc
Gregorz Gut
John Crosby
Wayne Lowery
John Jeacopello
David LaRocca
Rocco Anselmo
Mike Deane
Heath Cain

Edward Brooks
Cory Cosgrove
David Blish
Yury M. Langer
Ken Barber
Gary Lacey
Dean Bouchard
Scott Clausen
Schuyler Kilbride
Keven Johston
Marcin Sykut
Dennis Maestri

Jaime Silva Tomas Guardado Luke J. Ford Mark Mastropasqua Steven Sosensky

Antonio Sandalo

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#### **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS**

The Board voted unanimously to approve minutes of the March 26, 2009 Heating, Piping, Cooling and Sheet Metal Work Examining Board meeting.

#### **SWEARING-IN NEW BOARD MEMBER APPOINTMENT**

Appointment letter dated April 23, 2009 from the Honorable Governor M. Jodi Rell, concerning the appointment of Mario Dinatale as a Public Member to the Heating, Piping, Cooling and Sheet Metal Work Examining Board.

Mario Dinatale did not appear at today's meeting.

#### APPEARING BEFORE THE BOARD

Charles E. Appleby, Sr., contractor / Chairperson of the Plumbing Board, requesting to appear before the board to discuss the creation of a task force to include Heating Board members for the purpose of establishing a course curriculum in support of the ST-1 and ST-2 solar thermal licenses, with the goal of producing a resourceful and respected training course based on the needs here in New England.

Mr. Appleby was unable to appear today. Mr. Barrieau reports on extensive discussions with the legislature regarding solar, licensing, grandfathering and related instruction curriculum. The Board will be informed of the final version of the course curriculum once it has been completed.

## **APPLICATIONS**

Rocco Anselmo, South Windsor, CT – (S-7) Limited Contractor – Approved The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Anselmo's application.

Kenneth Barber, Freemansburg, PA – (D-2) Limited Journeyperson – Approved The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Barber's application.

Nicholas Bartone, South Windsor, CT – (S-7) Limited Contractor – Approved The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Bartone's application.

Christopher R. Baskay, Norwalk, CT – (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson – Approved The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Baskay's application.

David Blish, Marlborough, CT – (SM-2) Limited Sheet Metal Journeyperson – Approved The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Blish's application.

Edward Brooks, West Haven, CT – (S-4) Limited Journeyperson – Approved The Board voted to approve Mr. Anselmo's application. Board member Champlin, Rosario and Crabb was opposed.

Dean A. Bouchard, Newington, CT – (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson – Approved (S-10) Mr. Bouchard changed his license category to (S-10) Limited Journeyperson. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Bouchard's (S-10) Limited Journeyperson application.

Heath Cain, Warwick, RI, – (SM-2) Limited Sheet Metal Journeyperson – Approved The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Cain's application.

Michael Campbell, Sterling, VA – (S-1) Unlimited Contractor – No Action Mr. Campbell did not appear today and the Board took no action.

Scott R. Clausen, Cheshire, CT – (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson – Approved The Board voted to approve Mr. Clausen's application. Board member Casey was opposed.

Cory Cosgrove, Branford, CT – (S-5) Limited Contractor – Approved (S-9) Mr. Cosgrove changed his license category to (S-9) Limited Contractor. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Cosgrove's (S-9) Limited Contractor application.

John R. Crosby, Yonkers, NY – (S-4) Limited Journeyperson – Approved (S-2) Mr. Crosby changed his license category to (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Crosby's (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson application.

Michael J. Deane, Winsted, CT – (S-2) Limited Journeyperson – Denied The Board voted unanimously to deny Mr. Dean's application due to lack of a required "Letter of Apprenticeship Completion" certificate.

Joseph Dinella, Jr., Stamford, CT – (D-2) Limited Journeyperson – Approved The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Dinella's application.

Peter Dipisa, Bethel, CT – (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson – Approved (D-2) Mr. Dipisa changed his license category to (D-2) Limited Journeyperson. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Dipisa's (D-2) Limited Journeyperson application.

**Donald J. Emond, Jr., Berkley, MA – (S-1) Unlimited Contractor – Approved** The Board voted to approve Mr. Emond's application.

Robert Finck, Feeding Hills, MA – (D-2) Limited Journeyperson – Approved (S-2) Mr. Finck changed his license category to (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Finck's (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson application.

Kevin Fletcher, Jewett City, CT – (S-1) Unlimited Contractor – No Action Mr. Fletcher did not appear today and the Board took no action.

Robert Freer, Shelton, CT – (B-2) Limited Journeyperson – Approved (S-10) Mr. Freer changed his license category to (S-10) Limited Journeyperson. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Freer's (S-10) Limited Journeyperson application.

Adam D. Grieve, Vernon, CT – (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson – No Action Mr. Grieve did not appear today and the Board took no action.

Tomas O. Guardado, Danbury, CT – (S-5) Limited Contractor – Approved (S-7) Mr. Guardado changed his license category to (S-7) Limited Contractor. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Guardado's (S-7) Limited Contractor application.

**Grzegorz Gut, Kensington, CT – (S-10) Limited Journeyperson – Approved (S-2)** Mr. Gut changed his license category to (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Gut's (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson application, contingent upon verification that the Board previously approved him to take the (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson examination if he passes the (S-10) Limited Journeyperson examination.

John Jeacopellok, Rochester, NH – (S-4) Limited Journeyperson – Withdrawn Mr. Jeacopellok withdrew his application for future submittal with notarized statements from occupational related employers attesting to his dates and duties of employment.

Keven Johnston, Waterford, MI – (B-2) Limited Journeyperson – Withdrawn Mr. Johnston withdrew his application.

Keven Johnston, Waterford, MI – (D-2) Limited Journeyperson – Approved (S-9) Mr. Johnston changed his license category to (S-9) Limited Contractor. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Johnston's (S-9) Limited Contractor application.

Schuyler Kilbride, El Cajon, CA – (B-1) Limited Contractor – Withdrawn Mr. Kilbride withdrew his application.

Schuyler Kilbride, El Cajon, CA – (D-1) Limited Contractor – Approved (S-9) Mr. Kilbride changed his license category to (S-9) Limited Contractor. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Kilbride's (S-9) Limited Contractor application.

Garry Lacey, Ogdensburg, NJ – (D-2) Limited Journeyperson – Approved The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Lacey's application.

Yury Langer, New Paltz, NY – (D-3) Limited Contractor – Approved (D-4) Mr. Langer changed his license category to (D-4) Limited Journeyperson. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Langer's (D-4) Limited Journeyperson application. If he passes the (D-4) Limited Journeyperson examination, he may apply and sit for the (D-3) Limited Contractor examination.

Daivd V. Larocca, Madison, CT – (S-4) Limited Journeyperson – Approved The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Larocca's application.

Michael T. Leblanc, West Haven, CT – (S-9) Limited Contractor – Approved The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Leblanc's application.

Michael A. Lennon, Naugatuck, CT – (D-2) Limited Journeyperson – Approved The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Lennon's application.

Wayne Lowery, Springfield, MA – (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson – Approved
The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Lowery's application, contingent upon verification that the Board previously approved him to sit for the (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson examination.

**Dennis P. Maestri, Oakville, CT – (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson – Approved**The Board voted to approve Mr. Maestri's application. Board member Riotte and Casey opposed, Board member Rosario abstained.

Brian E. Magner, Trumbull, CT – (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson – Approved (S-10) Mr. Magner changed his license category to (S-10) Limited Journeyperson. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Magner's (S-10) Limited Journeyperson application.

Paul Morris, Ware, MA – (D-2) Limited Journeyperson – Approved (S-2) Mr. Morris changed his license category to (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Morris' (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson application.

Steven P. Motowidlak, Tolland, CT – (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson – No Action Mr. Motowidlak did not appear today and the Board took no action.

Frank Pfaffenberger, Chester, NY – (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson – No Action Mr. Pfaffenberger did not appear today and the Board took no action.

Thomas Quinn, North Haven, CT – (S-7) Limited Contractor – Approved The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Quinn's application.

Mark Radtke, West Harrison, IN – (S-1) Unlimited Contractor – Approved The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Radtke's application.

David Rodriguez, Bristol, CT – (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson – Approved (S-10) Mr. Rodriguez changed his license category to (S-10) Limited Journeyperson. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Rodriguez's (S-10) Limited Journeyperson application.

Antonio C. Sandalo, Stamford, CT – (S-3) Limited Contractor – Approved The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Sandalo's application.

Jaime D. Silva, Pawling, NY – (D-1) Limited Contractor – Approved (D-2) Mr. Silva changed his license category to (D-2) Limited Journeyperson. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Silva's (D-2) Limited Journeyperson application.

Daniel Sullivan, Terryville, CT – (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson – Approved (D-4) Mr. Sullivan changed his license category to (D-4) Limited Journeyperson. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Sullivan's (D-4) Limited Journeyperson application.

Marcin Sykut, Norwalk, CT – (S-1) Unlimited Contractor – Approved (S-10) Mr. Sykut changed his license category to (S-10) Limited Journeyperson. The Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Sykut's (S-10) Limited Journeyperson application, contingent upon proof of his CFC certification.

#### REQUESTING REINSTATEMENT OF EXPIRED LICENSE

Thomas Howley, Fairfield, CT – (S-2) Unlimited Journeyperson (Exp. 10/1/05). The Board voted unanimously to allow reinstatement of Mr. Howley's license with payment of back fees from 10/1/05 to present.

Hugh K. Martin, Jr., East Longmeadow, MA – (D-2) Limited Journeyperson (Exp. 10/1/95) The Board voted unanimously to allow reinstatement of Mr. Martin's license with payment of back fees from 10/1/95 to present.

David Sonstrom, Burlington, CT – (SM-2) Limited Sheet Metal Journeyperson (Exp. 10/31/02). The Board voted unanimously to allow reinstatement of Mr. Sonstrom's license with payment of back fees from 10/31/02 to present.

#### **CORRESPONDENCE**

1. Correspondence concerning "one piece fume hood assembly", regarding the handling of such one piece fume hood assembly when all shipments are delivered "tailgate" only.

The Board voted unanimously to table this matter for a "Special Meeting" in June 2009 for further discussion and review.

- 2. Correspondence dated 4/9/09 from the CT Spa & Pool Association, regarding scope of work covered under the (SP-1 & SP-2) Limited Spa and Pool license.
- 3. Connecticut Occupational Trades (Pass / Fail) report.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 1:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Nelson Leon Board Secretary

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, July 23, 2009 at 9:30 a.m. in Room 117.