STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION December 8, 2006 MINUTES OF MEETING STATE ELECTRICAL WORK EXAMINING BOARD

The meeting of December 8, 2006 was called to order by Laurence A. Vallieres, Chairman, at 8:30 a.m. in Room 117 of the State Office Building, 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.

Members Present:	Laurence A. Vallieres, Contractor, Chairman Ronald Bish, Contractor Roger L. Johnson, Jr., Journeyman David Munsill, Journeyman Michael Mutersbaugh, Electronic Technician Douglas A. Reid, Journeyman Raymond a. Turri, Contractor Kenneth B. Leech, Journeyman
Members Absent:	Jack B. Halpert, Public Member Edward L. Chamberlain, Public Member
Member Vacancy:	This Board currently has three (3) Public Member vacancies
DCP Staff Present:	Richard Hurlburt, Director of Occ/Pro. Licensing Division Sallie Pinkney, Electrical Board Secretary Helen Hillman, DCP Legal Department Anthony Santoro, DCP Legal Department France Lee, DCP Legal Department
General Public:	Bob Woytowich Sue Johnson Jason Holloway Dan McCann

The next regular meeting of this Board is scheduled for Friday, January 8, 2006 at 8:30 a.m. in Room 117.

Note: The administrative functions of this Board are carried out by the Department of Consumer Protection, Occupational and Professional Licensing Division. For information, call Director Richard M. Hurlburt at (860) 713-6135 or visit <u>www.ct.gov/dcp</u>.

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- 1. 8:30 a.m. Call to order, and remind everyone to place their cell phones on "silent".
- Review of the Electrical Board Minutes: Minutes of Meeting from November 17, 2006 was reviewed.
 Board Member Bish motioned to approve the minutes. Board Member Leech 2nd, and the vote carried unanimously
- 3. Appearing before the Board at the Board's request: None
- 4. Request to Appear Before the Board:
 - a. Marro, Anthony Requesting consideration of unregistered time for his E2 License. Board Member Turri motioned to deny his request. Mr. Marro needs to be registered as an apprentice for at least one year. He should be registered ASAP. Board Member Johnson 2nd, and the vote carried unanimously. The Board referred Kay Electrical Contractors to the Trade Practice Division.
 - b. Mazzola, Mark Requesting reconsideration of Continuing Education Final Decision Order (FDO). The board denied his request, the FDO stand as is.
 - c. O'Connor, Michael Requesting Consideration of unregistered time for his E2 License. Board Member Leech motioned to deny his request. Board Member Bish 2nd, and the vote carried unanimously.
 - d. Holloway, Jason Requesting consideration of Continuing Education Final Decision Order (FDO) due to the fact that he was out of state for medical reasons. The Board voted to add Mr. Holloway to the Agenda. Board Member Leech motioned to reverse the FDO; grant him a 45 day extension to complete his continuing education; and waive the Civil Penalties. Board Member Turri 2nd, and the vote carried unanimously
- 5. Comments or Concerns of any Person Present Today: Robert Woytowich (Public Attendee) asked if there is a process in place for employers who send in letters as supporting documents for applicants requesting consideration for unregistered time. The Chairman informed him that a process is in place through the DCP Trade Practice Division.
- 6. CHRO Applicants: None
- 7. CHRO Renewals: None
- 8. Review of Application(s) for Licensure Examination: None
- 9. Applicant (s) for Licensure Appearing in Person: None
- 10. Request for Renewal of License: None
- 11. Request for Reinstatement: None
- 12. Request for Reconsideration: None Electrical Board Meeting of December 8, 2006

- 13. Request to Suspend: None
- 14. Proposed Settlements and/or Stipulations Containing Consent Orders: None
- 15. Settlements Agreements: None
- 16. Stipulation Agreements: None
- 17. Notice of Continuance: None
- 18. Request to Dismiss or Request to Dismiss Without Prejudice: None
- 19. Request to Revise: None
- 20. Request to Reopen: None
- 21. Review of Examination Results:a. Exam results were reviewed
- 22. Electrical None
- 23. TV & Radio: None
- 24. Review of Correspondence: None
- 25. Old Business:
 - a. Charles Budris Appealed the Board's Final Decision Order (FDO) to the Superior Court re: his continuing education equivalency. His appeal was denied by Judge Levine, and the respondents' attorney withdrew his request. The FDO is still in effect.
 - b. Quintin, Matthew Reappearing before the board to request consideration of unregistered time. Board Member Johnson motioned to deny his request. Board Member Reid 2nd, and the vote carried unanimously.
 - c. Stram, Douglas 2nd request for CE Waiver. Board Member Reid motioned to deny his request. Board Member Bish 2nd, and the vote carried unanimously.
- 26. New Business:
 - a. Correspondence from Richard Blumenthal, CT Attorney General re: Settlement with Milford Alarm Company was reviewed.
 - b. Correspondence from Richard Hurlburt re: the resignation of Board Member Edward Chamberlain. He resigned from the Electrical Examining Work Board.
 - c. 2007 Commission/Board schedule was reviewed.
 - d. Correspondence re: Electronic Systems Patrol & Undercover vehicles electronic systems was reviewed
 - e. Evaluation form from Alan Peck (examinee) was reviewed. Electrical Board Meeting of December 8, 2006

- f. Discussion regarding the format of Legal Stipulation format was discuss. The Board decided that the format would remain the same.
- g. Chairman Valleries request that the Continuing Education Audit for 2005/2006 get started ASAP.
- h. Board Member Reid informed the board that mileage reimbursement checks for November will be out next week.
- i. Chairman Valleries would like the Regulations reviewed. He shared concern re: the PV1 & 2 License requirement, that states One year experience required. The Chairman felt that One year was not adequate, and he would like the Regulations changed to at least 2 years required. Richard state the Jack Guerrea said he will not host the PV apprenticeship program. Board Member Reid motioned that the PV1 & PV2 requirements should be changed to "The requirements to qualify for this license exam shall be the completion of a registered apprenticeship program or at least two (2) years of equivalent experience and training". Board Member Muthersbaugh 2nd, and the vote carried unanimously.

The Board would like the language in the SP1/SP2 reviewed. There was concern regarding the word "**Modify**" it's broad and can be misconstrued. The board would like to see the word "Modify" clarified and/or define.

- 27. Formal Administrative Hearings: None
- 28. Matters Previously Heard Pending Decision:
 - a. The following respondents surrendered their license.

	Alphonse Acampora	Earl Allen	Samuel Anastasia	
	Robert Anderson	Keith Berry	John Blersch	
	Richard Bricault	Shane Newhart	David Weiss	
	Frank Catania	Susan Chapple	Stephen Chouinard	
	Scott Connor	Donald Detoro	William Fleece	
	Louis Gaetani	Robert Garguilo	John Grant	
	Anthony Grillo	Paul Harkness	Charles Hill	
	Edmund Lubowiecki	Murdo Maciver	Robert Mallett	
	Benjamin Mauro	Robert Mavricz	Scott McCoy	
	Timothy Obrien	August Oliver	Alexander Penkoff	
	John Riback	Michael Rizzo	Jason Santini	
	David Seitz	John Shorey	Bruce Singer	
	Ramiro Sousa	Mike Steskla	Keith Styer	
	Charles Sutton	Raymond Thaler	Brian Vanore	
	James Wall	Edward Woodhead	George Bethelho	
	John Demuro	Briton Epright	Nail Lamouth	
	Walter Marchewka	Tim Stezel	Joseph Thomas	
	Micheal Toresselo			
Board Member Turri motioned to vacate the Final Decision Order.				
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Board Member Johnson 2nd, and the vote carried unanimously.

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 b. The following respondents requested their civil penalties be reduced. Ronald Bugge Francis McGovern Anthony Salvatore Albert Weiss Board Member Turri motioned that civil penalties be reduced to \$350. Providing the Continuing Education courses are taken by 12/31/06. Board Member Bish 2nd, and the vote carried unanimously.

c. The following respondents requested their Continuing Education Final Decision Orders be vacated due to proof of electrical course taken to fulfill their Continuing Education requirement.

Moises Baez	William Criscuolo	Steven Giacin			
Timothy Granfield	Scott Hinton	Kenneth Krivanec			
Jean-Pierre Langlois	Richard Marsh	Damon McNair			
James Palumbo	Richard Turner	Howard Watts			
Craig Willett					
Board Member Turri motioned to vacate the order. Board Member					
Reid 2 nd , and the vote carried unanimously.					

- d. The following respondents' Continuing Education Final Decision Order Stand. Jeffery Johnson James Mantie Richard Saccoccio
 Board Member Turri motioned to have the FDO stand as is. Board Member Johnson 2nd, and the vote carried unanimously.
- e. The following Continuing Education respondent's Final Decision Order is dismiss due to Military exemption. Chris Thornton Board Member Turri motioned to approve. Board Member Johnson 2nd, and the vote carried unanimously.

The Board voted that all Continuing Education reconsiderations that come in after 12/31/06 will be denied, and the Final Decision Order will stand.

- 29. Final Decisions Pending Signature: None
- 30. Adjournment: Board Member Bish motioned to adjourn the meeting. Board Member Munsil 2nd, and the vote carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 10:30 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted, Sallie Pinkney, Commission Secretary