

ELECTRICAL WORK EXAMINING BOARD

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NOVEMBER 30, 2012

The Special Meeting of November 30, 2012 was called to order by Chairman Laurence A. Vallieres at 8:35 AM in Room 126 of the State Office Building, 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.

Members Present: Laurence A. Vallieres, Contractor, Chairman
Ronald Bish, Contractor
Faith Gavin-Kuhn, Public Member
Frank Halloran, Journeyman
Anthony Soter, Journeyman

Members Absent: Sandy Marino, Public Member
David Munsill, Journeyman
Mario Tolla, Public Member
John W. Yusza, Electronic Technician

Member Vacancy: Three (Journeyman, Contractor, & Public Member)

DCP Staff Present: Robert M. Kuzmich, RA,
License and Applications Specialist
Richard M. Hurlburt, Director

Others Present: Keri Lamontagne, Connecticut Department of labor
Kenneth Duff, Connecticut Department of Labor

Note: The administrative functions of the Boards, Commissions, and Councils are carried out by the Department of Consumer Protection, Occupational and Professional Licensing Division. For information, contact Richard M. Hurlburt, Director, at (860) 713-6135 or Fax (860)-706-1255.

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1. 8:30 AM call to order. (Reminder to everyone to place their cell phones on silent”).

Mr. Vallieres called the meeting to order at 8:35 AM.

2. First Review of Application(s) for Licensure Examination - Applicants Not Appearing before Board.

The Board voted, unanimously, to approve the applicants listed below (including add-ons) to sit for their respective examinations on the basis of a Certified Apprenticeship Completion Letter from the Connecticut Department of Labor or other Board-Approved Agency. (Soter/Bish)

With Apprenticeship Completion Letters:

- (1) **Asariparambil, Rajat** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of Certified Apprenticeship Completion w/Letter (Local Union #3/I.B.E.W. w/Westchester-Fairfield Chapter - N.E.C.A).
- (2) **Cortese, Michael A.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of Certified Apprenticeship Completion w/Letter.
- (3) **Cote, Steve C.** - C-6 applicant seeking approval on the basis of Certified Apprenticeship Completion w/Letter.
- (4) **DeVylder, III, Alfred B.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of Certified Apprenticeship Completion w/Letter.
- (5) **German, Michael J.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of Certified Apprenticeship Completion w/Letter.
- (6) **Godi, Peter J.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of Certified Apprenticeship Completion w/Letter.
- (7) **Gonzalez, Carlos A.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of Certified Apprenticeship Completion w/Letter.
- (8) **Johnson, Zachary E.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of Certified Apprenticeship Completion w/Letter.
- (9) **Morrison, Keno O.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of Certified Apprenticeship Completion w/Letter.
- (10) **Pabjan, Tomasz** - T-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of Certified Apprenticeship Completion w/Letter.

- (11) **Reisman, David I.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of Certified Apprenticeship Completion w/Letter (Local Union #3/I.B.E.W. w/Westchester-Fairfield Chapter - N.E.C.A).
- (12) **Ross, Anson D.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of Certified Apprenticeship Completion w/Letter.
- (13) **Sheehan, Frank S.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of Certified Apprenticeship Completion w/Letter.
- (14) **Siwanowicz, Jason M.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of Certified Apprenticeship Completion w/Letter.
- (15) **Sousa, Jose A.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of Certified Apprenticeship Completion w/Letter (Local Union #3/I.B.E.W. w/Westchester-Fairfield Chapter - N.E.C.A).
- (16) **Gallimore, Nigel G.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of Certified Apprenticeship Completion w/Letter.

The Board voted, unanimously, to require the applicants listed below (including additions) to appear before the Board at their January 11, 2013 Regular Meeting for review of their applications to test for their respective license types unless as otherwise noted. Mr. Kuzmich will mail the Board Meeting Date information in addition to the information regarding education and on-the-job training for Journeyman license types. (Soter/Bish)

On The Basis of Equivalent Experience and Training or as otherwise noted:

- (1) **Brown, Daniel A.** - E-1 applicant seeking approval on the basis of equivalent experience and training.
- (2) **Catlett, Michael A.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of equivalent experience and training.
- (3) **Debicki, Slawomir** - C-6 applicant seeking approval on the basis of equivalent experience and training.
- (4) **Estevam, Alexandre M.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of equivalent experience and training.

(5) **Eriksson, Ryan N.** - E-1 applicant seeking to waive the mandatory two year waiting period with an E-2 license to apply for the E-1 license type.

The Board voted unanimously to approve his request to waive the two year period for holding an Unlimited Journeyman's License (E-2), prior to sitting for the Unlimited Contractor's Examination (E-1) and allow him to take the E-1 Exam. (Soter/Bish)

His hardship consideration based upon his father's current medical condition was discussed at length after which, it was determined that Mr. Eriksson's situation qualifies as a legitimate hardship upon which the Board can take action. The Board suggested that although his father's medical condition has limited his participation in the family business, perhaps he can still provide limited assistance to Mr. Eriksson as necessary in the tasks in which he feels he is able to do. The Board wished him the best in passing his examination and running the family business.

(6) **Fofana, Abdoul K.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of equivalent experience and training.

(7) **Jenkins, Jody T.** - E-1 applicant seeking approval on the basis of equivalent experience and training.

(8) **Long, Thomas D.** - E-1 applicant seeking approval on the basis of equivalent experience and training.

(9) **Neems, Andrew J.** - E-2 applicant seeking approval on the basis of equivalent experience and training. After a thorough review of his application, the Board voted unanimously to approve Mr. Neems application to sit for the E-2 Unlimited Electrical Journeyman's Examination. (Soter/Bish)

(10) **Noseworthy, III, Edward** - E-1 applicant seeking approval on the basis of equivalent experience and training.

3. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 8:52 AM. (Soter/Halloran) The next Regular Meeting of the Electrical Work Examining Board is scheduled for Friday, December 14, 2012 at 8:30 AM; State Office Building; Room 126; 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.

Respectfully Submitted,

Robert M. Kuzmich, R.A.
License and Applications Specialist