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

JANUARY 23, 2020

The meeting was called to order by Acting Chairperson Robert Barrieau at 9:14 a.m. on January 23, 2020 at 450 Columbus Blvd., Hartford, CT, 06103, Hearing Room J.

Members Present:

Robert H. Barrieau, Acting Chairperson	Unlimited Contractor
Thomas F. Casey, Jr.	Unlimited Contractor
Cameron G. Champlin, Jr.	Unlimited Journeyperson
John T. Higgins, Jr.	Unlimited Journeyperson

Members Absent:

David G. Foster	Unlimited/General Contractor
Michael Rosario	Unlimited Journeyperson
Philip H. Benoit	Sheet Metal Journeyperson

Board Vacancies:

Four Public Members
Limited Sheet Metal Contractor

DCP Board Staff Present:

Karen Layman, Board Secretary
Cynthia Fernandez, Staff Attorney
Jack Korduner, Inspector
Pamela Brown, Director

Others present:

Raul Rodriguez, Asst. Attorney General

Note: The administrative functions of the Boards, Commissions, and Councils are carried out by the Department of Consumer Protection, Occupational and Professional Licensing Division, Richard M. Hurlburt, Director. For more information, refer to DCP Agency Website at: www.ct.gov/dcp.
Division E-Mail: dcp.occupationalprofessional@ct.gov

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The DCP Legal Division conducted formal hearings on the following cases:

Case No. 2018-40	Alfred Johnson	HTG.0404365
Case No. 2017-420	Alfred Johnson	HTG.0404365
Case No. 2017-347	Alfred Johnson	HTG.0404365
Case No. 2017-230	Alfred Johnson	HTG.0404365
Case No. 2016-295	Alfred Johnson	HTG.0404365

Cynthia Fernandez informed the Board that the Respondent contacted DCP and requested a continuance.

The Board voted unanimously that the hearings will go forward today in the Respondent's absence.
(Casey, Champlin)

The Board also noted that if the Respondent provides proof of the personal issues that he disclosed as prevented him from attending today, the Board will reconsider today's findings.

FORMAL HEARING – Case No. 2016-295 – Alfred Johnson

Acting Chairperson Robert Barrieau convened the formal hearing at 9:16 AM.

The Board reviewed exhibits and heard testimony presented by DCP Attorney Cynthia Fernandez and DCP Inspector Jack Korduner.

The Board voted unanimously to impose a civil penalty in the amount of \$1,000 and to impose the revocation of the S-1 license for a period of one year.
(Casey, Higgins)

The hearing concluded at 9:45 AM.

FORMAL HEARING – Case No. 2018-40 – Alfred Johnson

Acting Chairperson Robert Barrieau convened the formal hearing at 9:46 AM.

The Board reviewed exhibits and heard testimony presented by DCP Attorney Cynthia Fernandez and DCP Inspector Jack Korduner.

The Board voted unanimously to impose a civil penalty in the amount of \$1,500 and to impose the revocation of the S-1 license for a period of one year.
(Higgins, Champlin)

The hearing concluded at 9:58 AM.

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FORMAL HEARING – Case No. 2017-347 – Alfred Johnson

Acting Chairperson Robert Barrieau convened the formal hearing at 10:03 AM.

The Board reviewed exhibits and heard testimony presented by DCP Attorney Cynthia Fernandez and DCP Inspector Jack Korduner.

The Board voted unanimously to impose a civil penalty in the amount of \$3,000 and to impose the revocation of the S-1 license for a period of one year.
(Casey, Champlin)

The Board voted unanimously to order restitution in the amount of \$2,000, if the Complainant did not receive restitution in another venue or jurisdiction.
(Casey, Champlin)

The hearing concluded at 10:22 AM.

FORMAL HEARING – Case No. 2017-420 – Alfred Johnson

Acting Chairperson Robert Barrieau convened the formal hearing at 10:38 AM.

The Board reviewed exhibits and heard testimony presented by DCP Attorney Cynthia Fernandez and DCP Inspector Jack Korduner.

The Board voted unanimously to impose a civil penalty in the amount of \$3,000 and to impose the revocation of the S-1 license for a period of one year.
(Higgins, Champlin)

The Board voted unanimously to order restitution in the amount of \$1,000.
(Casey, Champlin)

The hearing concluded at 10:56 AM.

FORMAL HEARING – Case No. 2017-230 – Alfred Johnson

Acting Chairperson Robert Barrieau convened the formal hearing at 10:56 AM.

The Board reviewed exhibits and heard testimony presented by DCP Attorney Cynthia Fernandez and DCP Inspector Jack Korduner.

The Board voted to impose a civil penalty in the amount of \$6,000 and to order the permanent revocation of the S-1 license.
(Casey, Higgins) (Robert Barrieau opposed)

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The Board voted unanimously to order restitution in the amount of \$2,500.
(Casey, Champlin)

The hearing concluded at 11:12 AM.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 11:30 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen Layman,
License and Application Analyst

2020 MEETING SCHEDULE:

- February 20
- May 21
- August 13
- October 22

All meetings will take place at 450 Columbus Boulevard, Hartford, CT at 9:00 a.m.