698th Session Board of Examiners for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors February 10, 2009

The scheduled meeting of February 10, 2009 was held at the Board Office, 165 Capitol Avenue, Room 117 in the State Office Building, Hartford, Connecticut.

Anthony L D'Andrea, Chairman called the meeting to order at 9:25 am.

Attending the meeting were John DeWolf (1) PE, John Hallisey (2) PE, Terry McCarthy (3) PE, Anthony L D'Andrea (4) PELS, T. Mark Barbieri (9) PM.

Absent were Robert L Doane (5) PELS, Al Regina (7) PM and Rocco V Laraia (8) PM

William O Giel (10) LS, Curtiss B Smith (11) LS and Robert W Grossenbacher (12) were excused due to lack of surveying business

Also present were Assistant Attorney General Peter Huntsman, Steven Schwane, attorney for the Department of Consumer Protection and Barbara Syp-Maziarz, Board Administrator.

Minutes

Motion made by (3) seconded by (2) to accept the minutes of January 13, 2009. Motion carried

CHRO-None

Legal Division- Updates

Attorney Steven Schwane stated that there was nothing to report on the active cases. The regulation pertaining to the filing of maps, initiated by the State library is still pending.

A-Correspondence Received

A-1 Letter from NCEES President Henn Rebane dated January 2009. Re: NCEES' participation in National Engineers Week as a society sponsor and coalition member. (Dist. 2)

For information only-no action required

C-Old Business

C-1 Draft 3 of application (Dist. 4)

Final edits were made to the application and the Board administrator will forward the final draft to the Department for approval and placement on the Department's website.

E-Applications- The following applications were approved by 1,2, 3, 4& 9 except as noted.

Permit CL 1 Exam-Credit Part 1

Avci, Onur-EIT from CT
Curry, Robert C-EIT from MA
DiMarzo, Louis-EIT from CT
Elbastawisy, Smaeh M-EIT from NH
Ghebre-Medhin, Daniel –EIT from NY
Joshi, Shraddha-EIT from CT
Kabir, Humayun-EIT from NH
Kane, Kevin H-EIT from NY
Levasseur, Gregory J-EIT from CT
Lin, Austin S-EIT from GA
Louth, Robert M-EIT from CT
Pekar, Matthew J-EIT from CT
Rahman, MD Hafizur-EIT from NY
Saadi, Atif Mawood M-EIT from NY
Sepples, John A-EIT from PA

Permit CL 1 Exam-Credit Part 1 & 11- Approve CL 1 License

Boye, Yaye-Mah Deng, Liang- subject to evaluation of undergraduate degree

Permit CL 1A Exam-Waive Part 1

Jemiri, Ayokunie O – Transfer from CL 1A to CL 1-Take both parts

Permit CL 2 Exam-Credit Part 1

Greenwald, James E-EIT from CT Jesse, Rosemarie-EIT from CT

Approve CL 4 License

Alexander, M. Scott Askew, John E Bertolino, Timothy C Burgoyne, John S Carnazza, Brian P Circosta-Cohee, Gabriella M Cocci, Daniel N

Crockett, Roseanne, T

DeMello, David M

Derby, Matthew W- Denied 1/23/07 based on lack of basic engineering degree-Table

for transcripts

Finkelshteyn, Igor

Freber, Brian W

Henderson, Allan P

Hirsch, Hernan H-Deny -FE Exam was waived

Kane, Michael W

Kopf, Philip S

Lambert, Eugene L

LaPrise, Steven A

Lawson, Laquinnia

LeGuelaff, Eric P

Lipsey, E. Spivey

Martinsen, Roger A

Maurer, Brendan W

Navarre, Frederick C

Nottingham, Scot J

Nuthmann, Conrad C

Olivo, Charles D

Peoples, Kenneth S

Powell, Adrian J

Reffner, William T

Reitter, Eric T

Rolle, Stephen S

Ryazanov, Alexander L-Subject to verification of legal status

Sandoval, Oscar

Scheuermann, Thomas P

Servinsky, Mark S

Swanson, Charles H

Vail, Amber T

Webert, Michael A

Wilkinson, Hewitt T

Zhai, Yujia Subject to verification of legal status

Permit CL 6 Exam-Credit Part 1

Ochman, Mark-SIT from CT-Deny- not enough land surveying experience following engineering application.- subject to formal vote by land surveyor members

Permit CL 7 Exam-Waive Part 1

Nosher, Richard W-Approve subject to formal vote by land surveyor members

Permit CL 9 Exam

Venters Jr., Ricky D (Manhattan College)

Permit CL 9s Exam

Lee, Danny S (UConn)
Mears, Ricky (U of Hartford)
Piche, Tyler J (UConn)

Approve CL 9 License

Cornacchio, James F (UConn) Nader, Jonathan J (UConn)

Permit CL 10 Exam

Breau Jr. William I

Saiki, Khelifa – Approved-Based on the Board's policy regarding foreign evaluated degrees.

Serabian, Mark J

Russo, Robert P-Table-Doesn't meet current criteria would need transcripts in order to consider the application. Motion made by (9) seconded by (2). Motion carried

Permit CL 10s Exam

Monger, Abraham L (Central CT)

Approve CL 10 License

Messina, Thomas S (Central CT)

Approve Certificate of Authorization for the Corporate Practice of Engineering

Terracon Consultants, Inc.

201 Hammer Mill Road Rocky Hill CT 06067

Professional Engineers currently licensed in CT PE# 15120 Lawrence J Dwyer PE# 22118 Ryan R Roy PE# 25730 Robert W Olah PE# 25790 Brian Opp

Approve Certificate of Authorization for the Corporate Practice of Engineering

O'Donnell & Naccarato, Inc.

111 S Independence Mall East Suite 950 Philadelphia PA 19111

Professional Engineers currently licensed in CT PE#25320 Nicola Cinalli PE# 23702 James Behler PE# 14863 James Cardillo PE# 25832 Sean Kennedy

Approve Certificate of Authorization for the Joint Practice of Professional Engineering & Land Surveying

Waldo & Associates LLC

89 State Street Guilford CT 06437

Professional Engineers & Land Surveyor currently licensed in CT PE# 14596 Robert E Sonnichsen PELS# 5999 Russell W Waldo LS# 14655 Mark T Young

Reinstatement

Patricia Steere- License # 13662 expired 1/31/89- Provided new application, all fees and did not sign and seal during lapsed period. Motion made by (1) seconded by (3) to approve reinstatement. Motion carried.

G-Other Items

G-1 Question regarding Board's policy requiring a basic engineering degree. How does this affect those who are going through an accredited technology programs such as Central Connecticut State University, especially those who are just beginning the program.

The Board's policy is that until legislation is passed, the Board will continue reviewing application with accredited technology programs. Once legislation is passed, the Board will implement a grandfathering period for those who have begun these programs.

G-2 Reconsideration of application for Maher Elnagdy-

The Board considered Mr. Elnagdy's request and reiterated their policy of granting no waivers.

G-3 – The Board reiterated their policy of 7/15/03 regarding foreign undergraduate degrees which stated; with an evaluation of an equivalent foreign degree, the applicant should be allowed to take the (FE) Fundamentals of Engineering Exam without a specified period of time or experience.

Motion made by (9) and seconded by (2) to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 10:20 am.

The next meeting for the Board is scheduled for April 14, 2009.

Respectfully reviewed by: Respectfully submitted by:

Anthony L D'Andrea, P.E. & L.S. Barbara Syp-Maziarz

Chairman Licensing & Applications Specialist