# STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

October 10, 2008 MINUTES OF MEETING STATE ELECTRICAL WORK EXAMINING BOARD

The meeting of October 10, 2008 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 Douglas A. Reid, Journeyman Kenneth B. Leech, Journeyman Stephen W. Knight, Public Member Eric B. Collett, Public Member

John W. Yusza, Electronic Technician

Iris Papale, Public Member

Members Absent: Raymond a. Turri, Contractor

Member Vacancy: This Board currently has One (1) Public Members

DCP Staff Present: Richard Hurlburt, Director

Occupational & Professional Licensing Division

Sallie Pinkney, Electrical Board Secretary Juanita Hamel, Supervisor Trade Practice Robert Nakano, Supervisor Trade Practice

General Public; Raymond F. Bursey, Jr. Karl Kern

Paul Costello Lisa Hutner **Bob Woytowich** William Mooney Daniel Brown Cipriani Oaida Glenn Demott Corey Bourque Tom Rebeiro **Daniel Brewer** Chuck Brown Larry Satchell Kyle Lynch Jack Guerrera Glen Cruciani Sue Johnson

The next regular meeting of this Board is scheduled for Friday, November 14, 2008 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 www.ct.gov/dcp.

- 1. 8:30 a.m. Call to order, and <u>remind everyone to place their cell phones on</u> "silent".
- 2. Review of the Electrical Board Minutes:
  - a. The Minutes of September 12, 2008 was reviewed. It was moved by Board Member Bish, Board Member Yusza 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to approve the Minutes of the Meeting of September 12, 2008.
- 3. Appearing before the Board at the Board's request: None
- 4. Request to Appear Before the Board:
  - **a.** Kurt Dehoff Inactive E2 licensee seeking to reinstate his license without retesting. **Marked over to 11/14/08**
- 5. Comments or Concerns of any Person Present Today: None
- 6. CHRO Applicants: Attorney Anthony Santoro
  - a. Christian S. Hubele
  - b. Robert J. Dube

It was moved by Board Member Johnson, Board Member Munsill  $2^{nd}$ , and the vote carried to table the CHRO applications until DCP can provide detail information, and Board can consult their legal counsel for clear direction.

- 7. CHRO Renewals: None
- 8. Review of Application(s) for Licensure Examination:
  - a. William J. Mooney- E2 applicant reappearing before the Board seeking consideration of unregistered time. He appeared in March, 2008 and his application was forwarded to Trade Practice Division for CHRO review. His application is approved for processing. It was moved by Board Member Leech, Board Member Papale 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to table his application until his apprenticeship hours can be verified. He will reappear on 11/14/08
  - b. Raymond F. Bursey, Jr. C5 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. It was moved by Board Member Reid, Board Member Leech 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to approve his C5 application due to experience training.
  - c. Thomas J. Rebeiro L2 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. It was moved by Board Member Johnson, Board Member Munsill 2<sup>nd</sup>, Board Members Reid, and Papale opposed and the vote carried to deny his application due to lack of registered apprenticeships, and refer Local 42, Rizzio Electrical, & Ducci Electrical to the Trade Practice Division.

- d. Kyle D. Lynch L6 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. It was moved by Board Member Johnson, Board Member Leech 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to approve his application due to experience/training.
- e. Cipriani Oaida E1 applicant seeking to bypass the E2 journey license, and become a contractor. It was moved by Board Member Leech, Board Member Bish 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to approve his application due to experience/training.
- f. Corey J. Bourque C8 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. It was moved by Board Member Leech, Board Member Bish 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to approve his application due to experience/training.
- g. Karl Kern E2 applicant reappearing to seek consideration of unregistered time. He was denied on 4/13/07 due to lack of experience/training. It was moved by Board Member Johnson, Board Member Munsil 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his application due to lack of education, and recommended that he get registered as an apprentice. Board Members Bish, Knight, Papale, Leech, Collett, and Reid opposed. The vote failed. It was moved by Board Member Leech, Board Member Reid 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his application due to lack of related educational instruction. Mr. Kern needs to meet the CT education requirement of 720 class room hours. Board Member Johnson opposed the vote.
- h. Daniel Brown E2 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. It was moved by Board Member Reid, Board Member Leech 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his application due to lack of experience/training.
- 9. Request for Renewal of License after being Lapsed for one or more years, seeking to reinstate license without retesting:
  - a. Donald Mayo E2 licensee, It was moved by Board Member Bish, Board Member Munsil  $2^{nd}$ , and the vote carried to deny his request. Licensee needs to retest for his license.
  - b. Daniel Brewer E2 licensee, It was moved by Board Member Johnson, Board Member Reid 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to approve his license to be reinstated subject to him providing proof of Continuing Education for 2007.
- 10. Applicant (s) for Licensure Appearing in Person: None
- 11. Request for Renewal of License: None
- 12. Request for Reinstatement: None

## 13. Request for Reconsideration:

- a. Marcel Rene Forshay Electrical Licensee seeking a waiver of 2006-2007 Continuing Education. It was moved by Board Member Leech, Board Member Bish 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his request.
- b. Anthony J. Jamula Electrical Licensee seeking waiver of civil penalty for missed continuing education for 2007. It was moved by Board Member Leech, Board Member Bish 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his request.
- c. James L. MacClean Electrical Licensee seeking waive of civil penalty for missed continuing education for 2007. It was moved by Board Member Bish, Board Member Yusza 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his request.
- d. Wilfred Zahner Electrical Licensee seeking waiver of civil penalty and continuing education for 2007. It was moved by Board Member Leech, Board Member Bish 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his request.
- 14. Request to Suspend: None
- 15. Proposed Settlements and/or Stipulations Containing Consent Orders: None
- 16. Settlements Agreements: None
- 17. Stipulation Agreements: None
- 18. Notice of Continuance: None
- 19. Request to Dismiss or Request to Dismiss Without Prejudice: None
- 20. Request to Revise: None
- 21. Request to Reopen: None
- 22. Review of Examination Results: None
- 23. Electrical None
- 24. TV & Radio: None

## 25. Review of Correspondence:

- a. Correspondence from Richard Hurlburt re: the following T2 license holders was reviewed
  - a. In the Matter of Ivan Rivera ELC187849
  - b. In the Matter of Manuel Gabot ELC1877864
- b. Evaluation forms from Students regarding CE Classes was reviewed
- c. Correspondences from Walter Clark regarding his continuing education course at IMTI was reviewed

### 26. Old Business:

a. Rocky Fowler E2 applicant appeared in September seeking the opportunity to take E2 Electrical exam. Mr. Fowler stated that he previously held a Connecticut E2 license, and that he worked for Statewide Electric. Mr. Fowler was scheduled to appear today and did not appear; The Department of Consumer Protection and Statewide Electric did some investigating and determined that Mr. Fowler never held an Electrical License. Mr. Fowler worked for Statewide Electric for a period of three months as an apprentice.

### 27. New Business:

- a. In the Matter of B & B Beecher The Supreme Court denied the appeal, and it was decided that the Final Decision Order stands.
- b. Board Member Johnson questioned the ability to have licensees forward their continuing education certificates to the Department along with their renewals.
- 28. Formal Administrative Hearings: None
- 29. Matters Previously Heard Pending Decision: None
- 30. Final Decisions Pending Signature: None
- 31. Adjournment: It was moved by Board Leech, Board Member Bish 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to adjourn the meeting at 11:49 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Sallie R. Pinkney, Secretary State Electrical Examining Work Board