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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS
AND LAND SURVEYORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE OF

ROLAND SCOTT DRAPER, P.E.
License No. 24GE02561300

TO PRACTICE ENGINEERING
IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

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THIS MATTER was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors ("Board") upon receipt of information that on or about October 31, 2002 Respondent, Ronald Scott Draper, P.E., entered a guilty plea in the New York Supreme Court, New York County, to one count of "Combination in Restraint and Competition" in violation of General Business Law Section 340

and 341, a Class E felony. Respondent was sentenced to 5 years probation together with other terms and conditions.

Thereafter, on or about March 22, 2005, the New York Board of Regents adopted the provisions set forth in an "Application for Consent Order" executed by the Respondent at which time his New York license to practice engineering was suspended for two (2) years, 23 months stayed and he was placed on probation for two (2) years. Respondent was also required to pay a \$5,000.00 fine and comply with other terms and conditions. More specifically, the Respondent admitted guilt to one (1) specification of professional misconduct in connection with his criminal conviction.

As a result of the foregoing, the Board has determined that Respondent's criminal conviction as well as the New York disciplinary action provide a basis to take disciplinary action against Respondent's New Jersey license to practice engineering pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(f) and N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(g).

IT NOW APPEARING that the parties wish to resolve this matter without recourse to formal proceedings; and that the Respondent hereby waives any right to a hearing in this matter; and the Board finding the within Order adequately protects the public's health, safety and welfare; and for good cause shown;

IT IS ON THIS 29th day of April, 2011, **ORDERED AND AGREED** as follows:

1. Respondent's license to practice engineering in the State of New Jersey shall be, and hereby is, suspended for one (1) year, to be stayed in its entirety and served as a period of probation.

2. Upon signing this Consent Order, Respondent shall pay investigative costs of Seven Hundred Sixty Five Dollars and 43/100 (\$765.43) by certified check or money order made payable to the "State of New Jersey" and forwarded to the State Board of Professional Engineers & Land Surveyors, 124 Halsey Street, 3rd Floor, Newark, New Jersey 07102.

3. Respondent agrees that if the Board, upon receipt of reliable information and in its sole discretion, determines during the probationary period that the Respondent is in violation of any of the statutes and/or regulations governing the practice of engineering in the State of New Jersey, then Respondent's New Jersey license to practice engineering shall be automatically and immediately suspended. Within ten (10) days of notification of the suspension, Respondent may seek in writing a hearing before the Board limited to the sole issue of the basis for the automatic suspension.

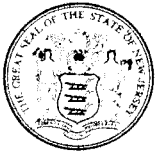
STATE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL
ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS

By: 

BARRY S. JONES, P.L.S.
Board President

I have read and I understand
this Consent Order and agree to be
bound by its terms. I further
hereby consent to the entry of
this Consent Order.


RONALD SCOTT DRAPER, P.E.



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Re: Consent Order
License # 24GE02561300

Dear Mr. Draper:

Enclosed please find a copy of the executed Consent Order which has been issued by the State Board of Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors ("Board") in the above captioned matter. Please govern yourself accordingly as detailed in the Order. If you have any questions concerning this correspondence, please feel free to contact me at the address above or B. Michelle Albertson, the Deputy Attorney General assigned as legal advisor to the Board at (973) 648-2975.

Very truly yours,

Joseph Grabowy
Joseph Grabowy
Acting Executive Director

Enclosure

cc: B. Michelle Albertson, Deputy Attorney General