

853rd BUSINESS MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF
ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS (PUBLIC SESSION)
MARCH 2, 2011

The Committee Minutes of March 2, 2011, have not been formally approved and are subject to change or modification by the Public Body at its next meeting of April 6, 2011, or soon thereafter as it may be considered. All requirements of the "Open Public Meetings Act" have been complied with according to N.J.S.A. 10:4-6.

The notice of the meeting has been mailed to the Newark Star Ledger, Camden Courier Post, and the Trenton Times, and also notice has been posted on the Bulletin Board at the office of the Secretary of State, Trenton, New Jersey.

Committee meeting of March 2, 2011, was called to order at 9:00 A.M.
The following members were present:

Mr. Joseph P. Schooley, Chairman
Mr. Richard T. Aicher, Jr.
Mr. Mitchell R. Malec

Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo, Mr. James H. Flaherty, Mr. Constantinos Papademas and Ms. Susan C. Michielli were absent.

Marian Fiore, Sr. Management Assistant, was present from 9:00 A.M. until the close of the meeting.

Kathleen Moran, Administrative Assistant, III, was present from 9:00 A.M. until the close of the meeting.

Joseph Donofrio, Deputy Attorney General, Division of Law, was present from 9:00 A.M. until the close of the meeting.

Also in attendance were Robert Jules, Central Jersey Electrical League; Walter Bembridge, Ernie Fletcher, and Joseph McMullen members of the Electrical Contractors Association of New Jersey; and Donald Marvin.

The Committee saluted the Flag.

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Note: A quorum was not present. All actions are to be ratified at the Board's next meeting to be held on April 6, 2011, or soon thereafter.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve eleven (11) Initial Licenses effective March 2, 2011 to March 31, 2012.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve seventeen (17) Initial Business Permits effective March 2, 2011 to March 31, 2012.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve seven (7) Initial Business Permits Previously Expired effective March 2, 2011 to March 31, 2012.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve thirteen (13) Changes in Business Permits effective March 2, 2011 to March 31, 2012.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve the Minutes of the 848TH Open Session Business Meeting held October 6, 2010.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve the Minutes of the 849TH Open Session Business Meeting held November 3, 2010.

The Committee unanimously recommended to hold in abeyance the approval of the Minutes of the 850TH Open Session Business Meeting held December 1, 2010.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve the Minutes of the 851ST Open Session Business Meeting held January 5, 2011.

Check in the amount of \$100.00 received from John Bocchieri, License #15308, as the first installment of a civil penalty in the amount of \$1,000.00 for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:45C-1.2. Balance due is \$900.00.

The Committee accepted the payment.

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Money Order in the amount of \$250.00 received from James Evans, License #14498, as the second installment of a civil penalty in the amount of \$1,000.00 for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:31-3.2(b). Payments started July 7, 2008 and the balance due is \$250.00.

The Committee accepted the payment.

Check in the amount of \$25.00 received from Frank D'Arpa, License #8778 (Inactive) as the fifty-third installment of a civil penalty in the amount of \$2,500.00 for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:5A-9 and N.J.S.A. 56:8-1 et seq. Payments started September 25, 2002 and the balance due is \$1,175.00.

The Committee accepted the payment.

Cashier's Check in the amount of \$1,000.00 received from Joseph D. Boyle, License #11683, as the first and final payment of a civil penalty in the amount of \$1,000.00 for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:5A-15.

The Committee accepted the payment.

Cashier's Check in the amount of \$500.00 received from Richard Guido, Unlicensed, t/a Reasonable Heating and Air Conditioning, Inc., as the first and final payment of a civil penalty in the amount of \$500.00 for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:5A-9 and N.J.S.A. 56:8-1 et seq.

The Committee accepted the payment.

Check in the amount of \$100.00 received from Fred Katterman, License #3130, t/a High Point Electric, Inc., as the first and final payment in the amount of \$100.00 for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:31-1.7(f).

The Committee accepted the payment.

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Checks in the amount of \$100.00 each received from William Passione, License #11485, t/a B. Passione Electric, as the eleventh and twelfth installment of a civil penalty in the amount of \$3,500.00 for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:5A-9, N.J.S.A. 56:8-1 et seq., and N.J.A.C. 13:45C-1.2. Payments started February 4, 2010 and the balance due is \$2,295.00.

The Committee accepted the payment.

Letter dated February 2, 2011, received from Arnold Olender stating that the course entitled "Grounding and Bonding" was incorrectly submitted as a four hour course when it should have reflected 8 hours. The eight hour course was a previously approved course.

Additionally, the course entitled "Changes to the NEC 2008" should be corrected to reflect "Changes to the NEC 2011" (Nine Hours of Code Changes and One Hour of Laws, Rules and Regulations)

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve the corrections.

The sub-committee reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Michal Hofkin.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve nine (9) new courses and instructors and previously approved courses.

The sub-committee reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Kennie M. Fried, Warshauer Electric Supply.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve two (2) new courses and instructors. The course entitled "Understanding the System and Installation of a Central Vacuum" is disapproved as it does not meet criteria of Continuing Education.

The sub-committee reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Scott W. Kortvely.

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The Committee unanimously recommended to approve the nine hours of code changes and one hour of Laws, Rules and Regulations and instructor. The approval of the courses entitled "Continuing Ed. Units-Trade Related - 23 hrs" and "Continuing Ed. Units-Trade Related - 60 hrs" is being held in abeyance pending a breakdown of the subject matter; how the courses will be conducted; and the number of days the courses will be taught.

The sub-committee reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from Joanna Osoliniec, Institute for Technical Advancement.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve one (1) new course and instructor.

The sub-committee reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from William F. Rooney.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve the nine hours of code changes and one hour of Laws, Rules and Regulations and instructor.

The sub-committee reviewed an application for Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval received from John A. Delesandro, New Jersey Department of Community Affairs/Rutgers University.

The Committee unanimously recommended to approve ten (10) new courses and instructors. The courses entitled "The Paths to Compliance with the 2009 International Energy Conservation Code for Residential Construction" and "The Paths to Compliance with ASHRAE 9.1 for Commercial Construction" are disapproved as they do not meet the criteria of continuing education.

Alfred Schroth, Sponsor #039, submitted a Continuing Education Course/Seminar Approval which was approved by the Board on January 5, 2011.

This packet was a duplicate submission and submitted in error.

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A Consent Order filed January 5, 2011, was signed by Robert C. Izzo, Jr., License #15541, ordering that Mr. Izzo be reprimanded for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(f). Mr. Izzo's License and Business Permit #15541 to engage in the business of electrical contracting are suspended for a period of two years. The two year period of suspension shall be entirely stayed and served as a period of probation.

Maryann Sheehan, Regulatory Analyst, discussed with the Committee a request received from Suzanne Borek, Code Specialist, Division of Codes and Standards, who is concerned that N.J.S.A. 45:5A-18(l) is not included in N.J.A.C. 13:31-5.1(a).

The Committee discussed whether or not N.J.A.C. 13:31-5.1 Registration as Qualified Journeyman Electrician should be amended as follows:

(a) A person shall register as a qualified journeyman electrician in order to engage in activities set forth in N.J.S.A. 45:5A-18(k and l), and if the person is not a licensee, in order to supervise the performance of electrical work pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:31-3.4.

Mr. Malec stated that this request has come from Suzanne Borek of the Department of Community Affairs. Mr. Malec also stated for the record that he is also employed by the Department of Community Affairs.

Mr. Malec stated that he does not recommend referencing (l) in the regulation. If the Board wishes to reference (l), clarification of the language would be needed as the statutory section does not require these individuals to register as a qualified journeyman. Mr. Malec also stated that he is not sure how the Board can enforce the rule.

Mrs. Sheehan stated that the statutory exemptions are quite clear; the individuals need to be either a journeyman, a state employee with the civil service title, or a state employee who has completed an apprenticeship program. Therefore, this language does not necessarily have to be included in 45:5A-18(l) whereas in 45:5A-18(k) the language was necessary.

Mr. Malec stated that he would not add language to 45:5A-18(l) . If we want to add language, it would have to be crafted so as not to make it mandatory. If an individual is performing work pursuant to 45:5A-18(l), the individual would be required to register as a qualified journeyman only if that individual does not have a civil service title or apprenticeship certificate.

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Mrs. Sheehan stated that she will draft language for the Board's review to clarify N.J.S.A. 45:5A-18(l).

The discussion concerning N.J.S.A. 45:5A-18(n) is being moved to Executive Closed Session for advice of counsel.

The Committee reviewed a letter dated January 4, 2011, received from Ioannis S. Athanasopoulos, Esq., who is seeking clarification concerning the installation of Solar Photovoltaic Systems.

The Committee unanimously recommended that a letter be sent to Mr. Athanasopoulos advising him that the installation of Solar Photovoltaic panels would not be considered exempt work and must be installed by a licensed electrical contractor who holds a business permit. The "racks" that support the system, or any other parts of the photovoltaic system that are non-electrical, do not need to be installed by a licensed electrical contractor who holds a business permit.

The placement of the Solar Panels on the racking needs to be performed by a licensed electrical contractor who holds a business permit.

The Committee is not able to answer Mr. Athanasopoulos' question about the "handling" of the racks until more information is received.

Mr. Athanasopoulos will be further advised that only licensed electrical contractors who hold a business permit are allowed to make the connection (snap in the two cables); make the connection of the wire from the Solar Panels to the Combiner Box; and install the wiring from the Combiner Box to the Inverter and the wiring from the Inverter to the Main Distribution panel.

Signed cease and desist agreements were received from Michael Moran; Osman Tun, t/a Osman General Construction, LLC; Robert Staudt, t/a Two Guys with a Dream; and Richard Guido, t/a Reasonable Heating and Air Conditioning, Inc.

The Committee accepted the signed cease and desist agreements.

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The Committee did not review applications for the written examination to be administered by Thomson Prometric. The Committee did review applications for Qualified Journeyman Electrician.

The Committee unanimously recommended to go into Executive Closed Session to consider and to review consumer complaints, investigative reports and other information received pursuant to the Board's investigative authority in order to determine whether violations of the law, including Board regulations have occurred. The results of the deliberations will be made known when and if the Board determines to initiate disciplinary action or other law enforcement action.

Meeting adjourned at 4:30 P.M.

An Appointment and Business is scheduled for Wednesday, April 6, 2011, at 9:00 A.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph P. Schooley
Chairman

INITIAL LICENSES APPROVED BY THE BOARD MARCH 2, 2011
EFFECTIVE MARCH 2, 2011 TO MARCH 31,2012

1. Anderson T. Johnson
2. Rafael Triana
3. John W Wolcott IV
4. Ian Roberts
5. Marek J Ferenc
6. Harold Force
7. Robbie J Morris
8. Ryan Struthers
9. Curtis L Hichson
10. Javier Padilla
11. Thomas H Schnakenberg

INITIAL BUSINESS PERMITS APPROVED
BY THE BOARD MARCH 2, 2011
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1. Allcott Electric LLC - (John W Wilcott, IV) - (Limited Liability Company) - 8 Tuttle Road - Sandyston, NJ 07826
2. I Roberts Electric LLC - (Ian Roberts) - (Limited Liability Company) - 228 Lake Champlian Drive - Little Egg Harbor, NJ 08087
3. M F Electric LLC - (Marek Ference) - (Limited Liability Company) - 451 Russell Avenue Wyckoff, NJ 07481
4. Dockside Electric LLC - (Harold Force) - (Limited Liability Company) - 155 Huddy Drive - Toms River, NJ 08755
5. Morris Electrical Services LLC - (Robbie Morris) - (Limited Liability Company) - 7 Metro Trail - Hopatcong, NJ 07843
6. Daystar Electric LLC - (Curtis L Hickson Sr.) - (Limited Liability Company) - 22 Barnwell Drive - Willingboro, NJ 08046
7. DeSoto Electrical Contractors LLC - (Louis A DeSoto) - (Limited Liability Company) - 528 Sharp Avenue - Berlin, NJ 08009 - License #15328
8. Kenneth Sturtevant - t/a - Ken Sturtevant Electrical Contractor - (Individual) - 232 South LeCato Avenue - Audubon, NJ 08106 - License # 17055
9. Bates Electric LLC - (Michael Bates) - (Limited Liability Company) - 151 Knowlton Road - Columbia, NJ 07832
10. A Team Electrical Contractors Corp - (Marcello Giammanco) - (Corporation) - 490 Van Orden Street - Saddle Brook, NJ 07663 - License #17061
11. Sheats Electrical LLC - (Glenn R. Sheats) - (Limited Liability Company) - 13 Mastogen Drive - Somerville, NJ 08876 - License #16255
12. Broadway Electrical Co., Inc. (Lawrence Hurwitz) - (Corporation) - 295 Freeport Street - Boston, MA 02122 - License #12202
13. KG Solar & Renewable Energy LLC - (David L King) - (Limited Liability Company) - 27 A Wilson Drive - Sparta, NJ 07871 - License #15375

14. Scott Testing Inc - (Brian Bongart) - (Corporation) - 604 New York Avenue - Trenton, NJ 08638 - License #15706
15. Hornath Electric LLC - (James J Honrath) - (Limited Liability Company) - 302 Boyden Avenue - Maplewood, NJ 07040 - License #15795
16. Innovative Electric and Lighting LLC - (Javier Padilla) - (Limited Liability Company) - 13 Stork Lane - Howell, NJ 07731
17. Schnakenberg Electric Service LLC - (Thomas Schnakenberg) - (Limited Liability Company) - 105 Lincoln Avenue - Hasbrouck Heights, NJ 07604

INITIAL BUSINESS PERMITS PREVIOUSLY EXPIRED
APPROVED BY THE BOARD MARCH 2, 2011
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1. MDL Electric LLC - (Miguel DeLeon) - (Limited Liability Company) - 4 Harrison Avenue - West Orange, NJ 07052 - License #16062
2. LMI Electric Inc. (Anthony Console) - (Corporation) - 3421 W Chester Pike, A - 10 Newtown Square, PA 19073 - License #12646C
3. All Phase Electric Services LLC - (John S Sarica) - (Limited Liability Company) - 532 Brentwood Road - Forked River, NJ 08731 - License #8437A
4. Intergrity Electrical Maintenance LLC - (Robert E Spangler) - (Limited Liability Company) - 173 Hiawatha Boulevard - Oakland, NJ 07436 - License #14861A
5. Main Street Electric LLC - (Matthew Mozdierz) - (Limited Liability Company) - 22 Marlboro Street - Morganville, NJ 07751 - License #12077B
6. M Ciolino Electrical Contractor LLC - (Michael Ciolino) - (Limited Liability Company) - 425 Kinderkamack Road - Westwood, NJ 07675 - License #16222B
7. JJacz Electrical Services LLC - (Jason E Camacho) - (Limited Liability Company) - 4 Red Lodge Drive Unit 3 - Vernon, NJ 07642 - License #15360A

CHANGES IN BUSINESS PERMITS
APPROVED BY THE BOARD MARCH 2, 2011
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1. Sun Farmers Solar & Electric LLC - (Joseph Johnston) - (Limited Liability Company) - Formerly - (Johnston and Sun Electrical Contractor LLC) - Limited Liability Company) 2 Atlantic Avenue - Voorhees, NJ 08043 - License #9816CC
2. Smartwatt Energy Inc - (Matthew Velozo) - (Corporation) - Formerly - (MAVCO Electrical Contracting LLC) - (Limited Liability Company) - 3 Rosell Drive - Ballston Lake, NY 12019 - License #16950A
3. Ecological Systems LLC - (Richard C Alden) - (Limited Liability Company) - Formerly - (Brunswick Atenna Service Electrical Contractor) - (Individual) 220 County Road 522 - Manlapan, NJ 07726 - License #16374A
4. Aerovironment Inc. - (Richard A Gershman) - (Corporation) - Formerly - (Tri State Light and Energy Inc) - (Corporation) - 181 W Huntington Drive Suite 202 - Monrovia, CA 91016 - License #9357D
5. Amtek HVAC Inc. - (Scott Levy) - (Corporaiton) - Formerly - (New Jersey Electrical Solutions Inc) - (Corporation) - 273 Bayville Avenue - Bayville, NJ 08721 - License #16163A
6. Crana Electric Inc - (James R. Snyder) - (Corporation) - Formerly - D&D Electrical Contracting Corp - (Corporation) - 241 Hudson Street - Hackensack, NJ 07601 - License #14763C
7. Long Life Electric LLC - (David M Long) - (Limited Liability Company) - Formerly - (Long Life Electric Company) - (Individual) - 5 Alexander Drive - Randolph, NJ 07869 - License #13939A
8. A Five Electric & Security LLC - (Alfred Angrisani) - (Limited Liability Company) - Formerly - AAA Security and Electrical Contractors- 62 Leonardine Avenue - South River, NJ 08882 - License # 9631A
9. Derins Electric LLC - (Robert Derins) - (Limited Liability Company) - Formerly - Robert Derins Electric - (Individual) - 306 Belle Arbor Drive - Cherry Hill, NJ 08034 - License #10060A
10. InPwr Inc. (Brian Inskeep) - (Corporation) - Formerly -(Indiana Power Design LLC) - (Limited Liability Company) 10640 Deme Drive Suite M - Indianapolis, IN 46236 - License #16714B

11. Alternative Light and Energy Solutions LLC - (Nicholas Mangelli, Jr.) - (Limited Liability Company) - Formerly - C&N Mangelli, Inc. (Corporation)) - 5 W Annex Chimney Rock Road - Bound Brook, NJ 08805 - License #15080A
12. Thomas J Holshue Electric LLC - (Thomas Holshue) - (Limited Liability Company) - Formerly - (Thomas J Holshue) - (Individual) - 218 Mill Road - Marlton, NJ 08053 - License #13102C
13. Jim McCormick Electrical Contractor LLC - (James E McCormick, Jr.) - (Limited Liability Company) - Formerly - (South Mountain Electric Inc.) - (Corporation) 1229 Borealis Court - Forked River, NJ 08731 - License #7382A