

**THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS**  
**761 APPOINTMENT AND BUSINESS MEETING**  
**(PUBLIC SESSION)**  
**MAY 7, 2003**

The Board Minutes of May 7, 2003, have not been formally approved and are subject to change or modification by the Public Body at its next meeting of June 4, 2003. All requirements of the "Open Public Meetings Act" have been complied with according to N.J. 10:4-6.

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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.

Meeting of May 7, 2003, was called to order at 9:00 A.M.  
The following members were present:

Mr. Joseph P. Schooley, Chairman  
Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo  
Mr. Frank A. Neary  
Mr. Robert A. McCullough  
Mr. Mitchell R. Malec  
Mr. James H. Flaherty  
Mrs. Pushpavati Amin

Mrs. Gail Best and Mrs. Connie Calisti were absent.

Barbara A. Cook, Executive Director, was present from 9:00 A.M. until the close of the meeting.

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

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

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

Also in attendance were and Mr. James Bibbo, Central Jersey Electrical League and Mr. Scott Shauger, New Jersey Electrical Contractors Association.

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The Board saluted the Flag.

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Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mrs. Pushpavati Amin, and unanimously passed, to approve the Minutes of the Special Meeting held March 19, 2003.

Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mr. Frank A. Neary, and unanimously passed, to approve the Minutes of the 760 Meeting held April 2, 2003.

Motion made by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo and seconded by Mr. Robert A. McCullough, and unanimously passed, to approve (12) Initial Licenses effective May 7, 2003 to March 31, 2006.

Motion made by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo and seconded by Mr. Robert A. McCullough, and unanimously passed, to approve (18) Initial Business Permits effective May 7, 2003 to March 31, 2006.

Motion made by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo and seconded by Mr. Robert A. McCullough, and unanimously passed, to approve (14) Initial Business Permits Previously Expired effective May 7, 2003 to March 31, 2006. (#6 - A letter will be sent to Mr. Fest advising that he must use the correct business name)

Motion made by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo and seconded by Mr. Robert A. McCullough, and unanimously passed, to approve (20) Changes in Business Permits effective May 7, 2003 to March 31, 2006.

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Check in the amount of \$25.00 received from Frank D'Arpa, License #8778, as the fifth 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 \$2,375.00.

The Board accepted the payment.

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Check in the amount of \$248.50 received from Carl Swenson, License #4309, as the fourth installment of a civil penalty, costs, attorneys fees, and interest in the amount of \$4,974.56 for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:5A-9. Payments started December 16, 2002 and the balance due is \$3,728.88.

The Board accepted the payment.

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Check in the amount of \$500.00 received from Jason Ronchi, License #12230, as the ninth installment of a civil penalty and costs in the amount of \$6,162.00 for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:5A-9; N.J.A.C. 13:45C-1.2 and N.J.A.C. 13:31-1.10(c) (recodified as N.J.A.C. 13:31-3.3(c). Payments started August 21, 2002 and the balance due is \$1,502.00

The Board accepted the payment.

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Application for Reinstatement received from Robert P. Delle Cava as he failed to renew his license #13961 for the 1997 to 2000; 2000 to 2003; and 2003 to 2006 triennial renewal periods.

Mr. Delle Cava was exempt from attending the 1996 Continuing Education Code Course; and did attend the 1999 and 2002 Continuing Education Code Course.

Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mr. James H. Flaherty, and unanimously passed, that a letter be sent to Mr. Delle Cava advising him that the Board has voted to renew his license #13961 with the payment of the proper fees.

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The Board reviewed the Civil Action Order filed April 11, 2003, by James E. Rafferty ordering that Mark F. Hibner, License #4560 (Expired), is enjoined from offering to engage or engaging in and advertising the business of electrical contracting until such time as he is licensed to do so.

DAG Carboni stated she brought this matter to court to charge Mr. Hibner with an advertising violation. Mr. Hibner had a business card which stated Hibner Electric. Mr. Hibner advised the Board that his son had the business cards made up to use as calling cards. DAG Carboni also stated that the Enforcement Bureau had called Mr. Hibner requesting that outlets and fluorescent lighting be installed. Mr. Hibner did not give a price over the phone for the work to be performed; he advised that he would need to look at the job first. During the call the investigator asked who would perform the work. Mr. Hibner stated that he is a one man show. Mr. Hibner advised the judge that he did not remember the call. Mr. Hibner also advised the judge that the card was to be used as a calling card only.

DAG Carboni further stated that the judge did feel that Mr. Hibner was advertising his availability to perform electrical work; however, the judge would not fine Mr. Hibner.

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The Board reviewed the approved Minutes of the Department of Community Affairs, Division of Codes and Standards, Code Advisory Board Meeting held December 13, 2002.

Mr. McCullough stated that the adoption of the 2002 edition of the National Electrical Code was published in the Register on May 5, 2003.

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Mrs. Cook stated that the Fire Alarm, Burglar Alarm and Locksmith Advisory Committee requested a public hearing with the Department of Community Affairs on the proposed rules. The proposal will stipulate that an applicant who has sent in their application for licensure, and has been approved for their license by March 1, 2004, would not be required to certify with the DCA.

Mrs. Cook also stated the Committee has accumulated a list of about 800 interested parties. Once the Committee ascertains which application the applicant is interested in receiving, the applications must be mailed out. Once the application has been completed, the application must be processed so that the applicant will be exempt from DCA certification.

Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mr. Frank A. Neary, and unanimously passed, that the Board encourages the hiring of personnel to assist in the handling and processing of the applications.

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Mrs. Cook advised that packets were mailed to thirty-five (35) sponsors concerning the 24 hours of Continuing Education.

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Mrs. Cook advised that the proposed drafted language concerning N.J.A.C. 13:31-3.4 "Supervision of Electrical Work" will be published in the New Jersey Register on June 16, 2003

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The Board reviewed applications for the written examination to be administered by Experior Assessments, LLC. Forty-one (41) applications were approved.

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Motion made by Mr. Robert A. McCullough and seconded by Mr. Joseph F. Cantalupo, and unanimously passed, that the Board 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 2:00 P.M.

An Appointment Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, May 21, 2003, at 9:00 A.M.

A Business Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, June 4, 2003, at 9:00 A.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara A. Cook  
Executive Director

**INITIAL LICENSES APPROVED BY THE BOARD MAY 7, 2003**

**EFFECTIVE MAY 7, 2003 TO MARCH 31, 2006**

1. Adam J. Bird - 12 Hamilton Street - Bloomingdale, NJ 07403
2. Edward B. Blalock - 316 Shady Lane - Marlton, NJ 08053
3. Eric J. Burke - 1233 Olds Street - Forked River, NJ 08731
4. Edward C. Cuff - 3178 Hemlock Farms - Hawley, PA 18428
5. William R. Foran - 36 Radnor Boulevard - Marlton, NJ 08053
6. Bernard J. Gormley III - 503 Green Valley Drive - Turnersville, NJ 08012
7. Vincent S. Mautone - 141 Whittle Avenue - Bloomfield, NJ 07003
8. Dennis A. Morgan - 304 Pat Road - Barnegat, NJ 08005
9. David Pellegrini - 2392 Woodbridge Avenue - Edison, NJ 08817
10. Thomas Petrocelli - 85 Martha Road - Harrington Park, NJ 07640
11. Thomas C. Tully - 42 Koenig Lane - Freehold, NJ 07728
12. Jerry B. Ward - 7128 Ridgeway Court - Ashland, KY 41102

**INITIAL BUSINESS PERMITS FOR THE FOLLOWING LICENSEES**

**APPROVED BY THE BOARD MAY 7, 2003**

**EFFECTIVE MAY 7, 2003 TO MARCH 31, 2006**

1. Auge Electric Co. Inc. - (Charles W. Auge) - (Corporation) - 14 Garfield Avenue - Linwood, NJ 08221-1412 - License #11243
2. Kenneth N. Ball t/a Weston Electrical Service - Individual - 5 Weston Road - Hillsbrough, NJ 08844 - License #13271
3. Glenn Blacknik t/a G. Blacknik Electrical Contractor - Individual - 12 Tralee Road - Hazlet, NJ 07730 - License #14470

4. Eric Burke t/a Burke Electric - Individual - 1233 Olds Street - Forked River, NJ 08731
5. Edward Cuff Electrical Contractor - Individual - 3178 Hemlock Farms - Hawley, PA 18428
6. Bernard J. Gormley, III t/a January Electric Service - Individual - 503 Green Valley Drive - Turnersville, NJ 08012
7. Paul S. Lione t/a Lione Electric - Individual - 473 River Road - Bogota, NJ 07623 - License #15945
8. Mautone Electric LLC - (Vincent S. Mautone) - (Limited Liability Company) - 141 Whittle Avenue - Bloomfield, NJ 07003
9. Dennis A. Morgan t/a Dam Electric - Individual - 304 Pat Road - Barnegat, NJ 08005
10. Robert P. Nimeth t/a Robert P. Nimeth Electric - Individual - 5 Lucianna Lane - East Hanover, NJ 07936 - License #10080
11. Jeffrey W. Pell Electrical Contractor - Individual - 67 Passaic Drive Hewitt, NJ 07421 - License #15037
12. David Pellegrini t/a David Electrical Contractors - Individual - 2392 Woodbridge Avenue - Edison, NJ 08817
13. Pet Electric Inc. - (Thomas Petrocelli) - (Corporation) - 85 Martha Road - Harrington Park, NJ 07640
14. Edward Stangl Jr. Electrical Contractor - Individual - 70 Lincoln Avenue - Woodridge, NJ 07075 - License #12737
15. James C. Tuttle t/a Tuttle Electric - Individual - 2021 S. Winthrop Avenue - Lindenwold, NJ 08021 - License #15090
16. Ken-Jil Electrical Contractors Inc. - (John Verdigi III) - (Corporation) - 200 Franklin Street - Northvale, NJ 07647 - License #9233
17. John Werda Electric LLC - (John Werda) - (Limited Liability Company) - 943 Nassau Street - North Brunswick, NJ 08902
18. Wheeler Electric Inc. - (Michael H. Wheeler) - (Corporation) - 1234 Maple Avenue - Atco, NJ 08004 - License #12392

#### **INITIAL BUSINESS PERMITS PREVIOUSLY EXPIRED**

#### **APPROVED BY THE BOARD MAY 7, 2003**

#### **EFFECTIVE MAY 7, 2003 TO MARCH 31, 2006**

1. Richard S. Arnold t/a Mansfield Electric Company - Individual - 24840 E. Main Street - Columbus, NJ 08022 - License #13270A
2. Ernest A. Clare t/a EAC Electrical Contractors - Individual - 124 Mary Jones Road - Newton, NJ 07860 - License #8702C
3. Power Tech Services Inc. - (Trevor Dittmar) - (Corporation) - 7A South Gold Drive - Hamilton, NJ 08691 - License #14715C
4. A J Maglio Inc. - (John Dynak) - (Corporation) - 340 Carnegie Avenue - Kenilworth, NJ 07033-2005 - License #10594A

5. James Stark t/a Elberon Electric - Individual - 25 Marshall Road - Ocean Twp., NJ 07712 - License #6639A
6. Louis A. Fest Jr. t/a Lou Fest and Son - Individual - 102 East Raritan Drive - Little Egg Harbor, NJ 08087 - License #12663A
7. Michael P. Kemp Electrical Contractor - Individual - 30 West 50th Street - Bayonne, NJ 07002 - License #10651B
8. OMC Electrical & Mechanical Contracting LLC - (Patrick McConville) - 215 North Washington Avenue - Bergenfield, NJ 07621 - License #9182B
9. M C Controls Inc. - (John McGeehan) - (Corporation) - 98 Trent Road - Turnersville, NJ 08012 - License #10609A
10. Robert M. Myers t/a RDS Electric - Individual - 25 Dogwood Lane - Milford, NJ 08848 - License #8033B
11. Earl R. Reader t/a NET Electric - Individual - 1250 Roosevelt Boulevard - Vineland, NJ 08361 - License #10806A
12. Fire Control Electrical Systems Inc. - (Edward P. Reid) - (Corporation) - 43-45 Pearl Street - North Plainfield, NJ 07060 - License #4065A
13. Perreca Electric Co., Inc. - (Thomas Schiaffo) - (Corporation) - 520 Broadway - Newburgh, NY 12550 - License #10702B
14. K.V.A. Electrical Contractor - Individual - 974 Edinburg Drive - Toms River, NJ 08753 - License #12462A

## **CHANGES IN BUSINESS PERMITS**

**APPROVED BY THE BOARD MAY 7, 2003**

**EFFECTIVE MAY 7, 2003 TO MARCH 31, 2006**

1. Arrms & MJ Electrical Contractors & Engineering LLC - (Richard A. Roberto) - (Limited Liability Company) - Formerly - Arrms Electrical Contractors - Individual - Licensee Richard A. Roberto #11294A - 16 Deborah Lane - Howell, NJ 07731
2. Bryant Electric Inc. t/a Best Electric - (James R. Bryant) - (Corporation) - Formerly - Bryant Electric Inc. - (Corporation) - Licensee James R. Bryant #6532A - 776 Rahway Avenue - Woodbridge, NJ 07095
3. Bob Blackwell Electrical Contractor - Individual - Formerly - Bob Blackwell Electrical Contractor Inc. - (Corporation) - Licensee Robert Blackwell #11840B
4. Cahill Controls Inc. - (Michael Cahill) - (Corporation) - Formerly - Michael E. Cahill Electric Inc. - (Corporation) - Licensee Michael Cahill #8214C - 1108 Irving Road - Yardley, PA 19067
5. Eagle Construction Services, Inc. - (Donald J. DeFiccio) - (Corporation) - Formerly - DeFiccio Electric Inc. - (Corporation) - Licensee Donald J. DeFiccio #8988A - 1624 Jacksonville Road - Burlington, NJ 08016
6. Electrical Installation & Design, Inc. - (John R. Kennedy) - (Corporation) - Formerly - Electrical Installation & Design - Individual - Licensee John R. Kennedy #12707A - 5 Homestead Road - Hillsborough, NJ 08844
7. Hi Tek Electrical Contractors Inc. - (Isaac Blanco) - (Corporation) - Formerly - BP Electrical Contractors Inc. - (Corporation) - Licensee Isaac Blanco #14086B - 1522 Clinton Avenue - South Plainfield, NJ 07080
8. James B. Gray Jr. Electric Inc. - (James B. Gray Jr.) - (Corporation) - Formerly - James B. Gray Jr. Electrical

Contractor - Individual - Licensee James B. Gray Jr. #8674A - 29 View Court W. - Saylorsburg, PA 18353

9. Karl Strodthoff t/a Karl Strodthoff Electric - Individual - Formerly - Phoenix Electric Co. Inc. - (Corporation) - Licensee Karl W Strodthoff #12860B

10. Liberty Electrical Contracting LLC - (Eugene DeRosa) - (Corporation) - Formerly - Liberty Electrical Contracting - Individual - Licensee Eugene DeRosa #13356B - 81 Newington Lane - Toms River, NJ 08755

11. Michael J. Kennedy Electrical Contractor - Individual - Formerly - Guaranteed Electrical Services Inc. - (Corporation) - Licensee Michael J. Kennedy #12575B - 282 Alabama Avenue - Toms River, NJ 08753

12. North Star Electric Inc. - (John Mari Jr.) - (Corporation) - Formerly - Mari Electric Contractors Inc. - (Corporation) - Licensee John Mari Jr. #12071A - 87-12 113th Street - Richmond Hill, NY 11418

13. OZ Electric Contractor, Inc. - (Robert P. Corson) - (Corporation) - Formerly - OZ Electric - Individual - Licensee Robert P. Corson #12361A - 280 S. Essex Avenue - West Deptford, NJ 08086

14. Patrick J. Brittain & Son Electrical Contractor, Inc. - (Patrick J. Brittain) - (Corporation) - Formerly - Patrick J. Brittain Sr. Electrical Contractor - Individual - Licensee Patrick J. Brittain #10697A - 222 Oakland Avenue - Egg Harbor Twp., NJ 08234

15. Power & Communication, Inc. - (Dennis McDonough Sr.) - (Corporation) - Formerly - McDonough Electrical Contractor - Individual - Licensee Dennis McDonough Sr. #10556A - 3913 Nebraska Street - New Portville, PA 19056

16. R&M Electric LLC - (Robert P. Majka) - (Limited Liability Company) - Formerly - R&M Electrical Service - Individual - Licensee Robert P. Majka #6924C - 52 Trimble Avenue - Clifton, NJ 07011

17. RSK Electric Inc. - (Robert S. Klinger) - (Corporation) - Formerly - Klinger Electric Inc. - (Corporation) - Licensee Robert S. Klinger #9318B - 10 Highview Road - Newton, NJ 07860

18. Raymond Meyer Electrical Contractor - Individual - Formerly - Raymond Meyer Electric Inc. - (Corporation) - Licensee Raymond Meyer #6337B - 32 Wood Avenue - Iselin, NJ 08830

19. Richard R. Hammel Electrical Contractor - Individual - Formerly - Fred Hammel Sons Inc Electrical Contractors - (Corporation) - Licensee Richard R. Hammel #6747B - 119 Linwood Avenue - Maple Shade, NJ 08052

20. Zeki Electric Inc. - (Muzafer Zekiroski) - (Corporation) - Formerly - Zeki Electric - Individual - Licensee Muzafer Zekiroski #11677A - 215 Willow Avenue - Pompton Lakes, NJ 07442