

THE NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF MORTUARY SCIENCE
124 HALSEY STREET, NEWARK NJ 07101
HUDSON ROOM , 6TH FLOOR
9:30 A.M., TUESDAY, September 7, 2004
<http://www.state.nj.us/lps/ca/nonmedical/mortuary.htm>

OPEN SESSION MEETING AGENDA

1) OPEN STATEMENT

2) ROLL CALL

Marius R. Lombardi President (Government Member)
Richard J. Galante, Secretary
Richard R. Bradley
Thomas C. Brown
Edith C. Churchman, Ph.D., CFSP
Martin Goldstein
Bernard Horwitz, Esq., (Public Member)
Fanny Jaramillo (Public Member)
William C. McCriskin
Gerald P. Scala, Esq., (Public Member)
Anthony P. Vainieri Jr.
Frederick R. Whiteley III

3) APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A) NJ State Board of Mortuary Science Minutes for May 4, 2004. B) NJ State Board of Mortuary Science Minutes for July 6, 2004.

4) EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

A) Number of complaints received in August: 5 total for the year 111 .
B) Next regular Board meeting: Tuesday, October 5, 2004, Hudson Room, 6th floor.

5) INTERN REGISTRATIONS

Christopher Noel Mella
Christopher John DePuyt
Carole Regina Logan

6) NEW LICENSEES

Kevin D. Whiting
Nesanel Rabenstein
Elizabeth C. Carroll
Vincent G. Caiola
Roy Brandon McGowan
Kevin Ryan Latham

7) NEW INSTALLATIONS

Lakeview Memorial Home, John Opuda, Jr., Manager
Sray-Webster Funeral Home, Mark Webster, Manager

8) CONTINUING EDUCATION

A) Selected Independent Funeral Homes: James A. Fruehling

1) Selected Independent Funeral Homes 2004 Annual Meeting 14Hrs

B) Dignity Memorial Providers of NJ: Linda Maurici Conroy

1) Caring for the Caregiver 3Hrs

C) International Board of Environmental Health & Safety, Inc.: Adrian Estes

1) Making Safety Work for You 5Hrs

D) Matthews Cremation Division: Roger Elliott

1) Winds of Change - Cremation & Funeral Service 3Hrs

E) Jewish Funeral Directors of America: Florence Pressman

1) Funeral Director's Relationship to the Chevra Kadisha - Responsibilities, Jewish Requirements 2Hrs

2) Helping Children Learn to Deal With Death - The Difference Between the Ways in Which Children and Adults Approach Death 2Hrs

3) From the Consumer's Point of View - Consumers and Their Power to Shape the Industry 2Hrs

4) Jewish Religious Attitudes to Cremation - Relationship of Funeral Directors to Rabbis in Respect to Cremation 1Hr

5) The Futility of Fighting Evolution 2Hrs

6) Seeing the Arrangement Process Through the Consumers Eyes. Focusing on What's Really Important - A Service Centered Arrangement Process 2Hrs

7) Jewish American Identity Changing - How Does That Affect Jewish Funerals 3Hrs

9) CORRESPONDENCE

A) The Conference Report (1st Edition for 2004) of the International Conference of Funeral Service Examining Boards, Inc . FYI

B) MSN Money Article. FYI

C) Letter from Bradley, Haeberle & Barth requesting permission to use existing stock of general price lists and letterhead before changing to current manager.

D) Letter from Mitruska Funeral Home, Inc. regarding sponsorship signage. FYI.

E) CNN Money Article. FYI.

F) Letter from William Sucharski, Philadelphia Crematories Incorporated, requesting permission to transport remains from NJ funeral homes. FYI

G) Letter from Howard W. Wright regarding funeral service honor of veterans.

10) OPEN DISCIPLINARY MATTERS

- A) #04-84 Lechner Funeral Home, Medford, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:36-5.12 (c), submitted written statement for Board final consideration July 30, 2004.
- B) #04-101 Shaw-Buyus Home for Services, Kearny, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:36-9.5 (a), N.J.A.C.13:36-5.6 (a) 8, N.J.A.C.13:36-1.9 (a) 1, N.J.A.C.13:36-1.9 (a) 2, N.J.A.C.13:36-5.5 (a) 1 and N.J.A.C.13:36-5.5 (a) 3 \$550.00, paid and requested information submitted July 28, 2004. FYI
- C) #04-93 Brooks West Side Funeral Home, Bridgeton, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C.13:36-9.7 (a), \$250.00 paid and requested information submitted August 5, 2004. FYI
- D) #04- 47 Funeraria Las Americas, Inc., Newark, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-7(c), final payment of \$5000.00 paid August 5, 2004. FYI
- E)#04-100 McBride Foley Funeral Home, LLC, Paulsboro, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:36-5.6 (a) 8, \$100.00 paid and requested information submitted August 11, 2004. FYI
- F) #04-75 Timothy E. Ryan Home for Funerals, Toms River, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:36-5.1, \$50.00 paid August 11, 2004. FYI
- G) #04-78 Timothy E. Ryan Home for Funerals, Seaside Park, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:36-5.1, \$50.00 paid August 11, 2004. FYI
- H) #04-74 Timothy E. Ryan Home for Funerals, Jackson, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:36-5.1, \$50.00 paid August 11, 2004. FYI
- I) #04- 98 Rowe-Lanterman Home for Funerals, Morristown, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:36-9.7 (a) 1 and 13:36-9.9 (b) 2 ii, \$100.00 paid and requested information submitted August 11, 2004.
- J) #04-96 Hoffman Funeral Homes, Leesburg, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:36-5.6 (a) 10, 13:36-5.6 (a) 8, \$200.00 paid and requested information submitted August 12, 2004. FYI
- K) #04- 88 Wien & Wien Funeral Home, Hackensack, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:36-5.12 (c) and 13:36-5.12 (g), written statement submitted for board consideration.
- L) #04-89 Gutterman-Musicant Funeral Home, Hackensack, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:36-5.12 (c) and 13:36-5.12 (g), written statement submitted for board consideration.
- M) #04-90 Riverside Memorial Chapel, Hackensack, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:36-5.12 (c) and 13:36-5.12 (g), written statement submitted for board consideration.
- N) #04-104 Wein & Wein Inc., Englewood, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:36-5.12 (c) and 13:36-5.12 (g), written statement submitted for board consideration.
- O) #04-94 Crabiell Parkwest Chapel, New Brunswick, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:36-5.6 (a) 10, 11 \$200.00, paid August 11, 2004. FYI
- P) #04-76 Timothy E. Ryan Funeral Home, Bayville, uniform penalty letters for violations of N.J.A.C. 13:36-5.1 (a), \$50.00 paid August 11, 2004. FYI
- Q) #04-77 Timothy E. Ryan Home for Funerals, uniform penalty letters for violations of N.J.A.C. 13:36-5.1 (a), \$50.00 paid August 11, 2004. FYI
- R) #04-73 Roedel-Krause Funeral Services, Merchantville, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:36-11.16 (a) and (d), first \$100.00 installment paid August 18, 2004.

S) #04-50 Kamienski Funeral Home, Wallington, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:36-1.9 (f), written statement submitted for board consideration.

T) #00-81 Roger Vander Plaat, consent order for violation of N.J.S.A. 26:6-6 and N.J.A.C. 13:36-1.9 (f), \$1507.52 court costs paid and signed consent order submitted August 11, 2004.

U) #04-72 Madonna Multinational Home for Funerals, Passaic, uniform penalty letter for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:36-5.6 (a) 8, \$100.00 paid and requested information submitted August 20, 2004.

V) #04-99 Rucki Funeral Home, Newark, uniform penalty letter for viloations of N.J.A.C. 13:36-9.5 (a), 13:36-9.9 (b) 2 ii, and 13:36-1.9 (a) 1, \$350.00 paid and requested information submitted August 20, 2004.

11) PUBLIC COMMENTS

12) EXECUTIVE SESSION - Discuss consumer complaints and/or conduct investigative inquiries. The results of these deliberations will be made known when and if the Board determines to initiate disciplinary or other law enforcement action. If the Board determines to issue uniform penalty letters, that action will be taken in public session immediately after the executive session.

13) ADJOURNMENT

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