

**STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF MASTER PLUMBERS  
# 581 - BUSINESS MEETING - AGENDA - JULY 28, 2011**

**OPEN PUBLIC SESSION**

*MEETING SCHEDULED TIME: 9:00 AM - HUDSON ROOM - 6<sup>th</sup> floor  
ROLL CALL OF BOARD MEMBERS*

*APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES of the JUNE 23, 2011 Meeting*

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**BOARD BUSINESS**

*Documentation is provided on all matters unless otherwise noted.*

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***PRESENT BOARD MEMBERS - &- CAPACITIES***

*MAYOR PETER I. VOROS ~ MASTER PLUMBER MEMBER ~ CHAIRMAN*

*MICHAEL K. MALONEY ~ MASTER PLUMBER MEMBER - VICE CHAIRMAN*

*MICHAEL L. SESTANOVICH ~ INSPECTOR MEMBER - SECRETARY*

*ROBERT B. REEVE, LICENSED MASTER PLUMBER # 7388*

*JAMES MC MANUS, JR., JOURNEYMAN MEMBER*

*DONALD B. DILEO ~ PUBLIC MEMBER*

*PAUL N. BONTEMPO - PUBLIC MEMBER*

*ADAM J. SABATH ~ PUBLIC MEMBER*

***TOTAL BOARD COMPLEMENT (9):Vacancy /Government representative***

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1. DISCUSSION WITH HVACR BOARD, PLUMBING BOARD, AND DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS, TRENTON

N.J.S.A 52:27D-509 "PROPANE GAS CUSTOMER PROTECTION ACT"

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2. INQUIRY FROM ROBERT W. SMITH, ATTORNEY AT LAW,  
SMITH, SMITH & CURLEY  
JULY 8, 2011 LETTER  
ENTITLED: **INQUIRY RESPECTING PLUMBING CONTRACTOR**
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DISCIPLINARY MATTER

3. IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF **JASON PENTA**  
FOR A PLUMBING LICENSE IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION  
CONSENT ORDER FILED 6-23-2011

This matter was opened to the State Board of Examiners of Master Plumbers upon receipt of an application for examination for a plumbing license from Jason Penta, Respondent, who had indicated on his application that he had been convicted of criminal offenses. Consent Order states in part:

Respondent is permitted to sit for the master plumber's examination and upon passage of same and other license requirements, shall be granted a license subject to restrictions in this order. Penta shall submit to an alcohol/substance abuse evaluation by a licensed alcohol and drug counselor at his own expense and the counselor shall receive prior approval from the Board. The counselor shall notify the Board and submit a full report to the Board.

The Board reserves the right to enter a subsequent order. Respondent consents to an automatic suspension of license should the Board establish that he has violated this order. Respondent has the right to apply for a hearing regarding the removal of such automatic suspension on five (5) days notice.

*Note: The Board will review correspondence from Mr. Penta's attorney in Executive Closed Session with respect approval of alcohol/substance abuse counselors.*

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4. DISCIPLINARY MATTER

OFFER OF SETTLEMENT IN LIEU OF DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDING  
**SCOTT DURNIN, LMP # 10347, t/a AMERISERVE PLUMBING**

CONSTRUCTION VIOLATIONS FROM CLINTON TOWNSHIP  
CONSTRUCTION OFFICE, LEBANON, NJ

OWNER IN FEE: PATULLO, 27 MEADOWVIEW DRIVE, AND CHRIS ANN  
JAYE, CONDO OWNERS, (2) VIOLATIONS RE AIR HANDLER/HEAT  
PUMP/ NO PERMITS; \$500 PENALTY PAID 6/23/2011

Licensed Master Plumber Scott Durnin, Plumbing License No. 10347, was fined  
\$500 for his failing to obtain a permit for the job he performed at the above job site.

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**DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS**

5. **WALTER D. WINNER, JR., LMP # 9349**  
IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION OF LICENSE TO  
PRACTICE PLUMBING IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
PROVISIONAL ORDER OF DISCIPLINE FILED 6-23-2011

*Order states in part:*

Respondent's license to practice as a Master Plumber in the State of New Jersey is hereby provisionally suspended pursuant to NJSA 45:1-21(e) for failing to cooperate with an investigation of the Board by failing to provide information in response to the complaint received from consumer JG in violation of NJAC 13:45c-1.3. His license shall remain suspended until such time as respondent appears before the Board to answer questions concerning the complaint from consumer J.G.

Respondent is hereby provisionally assessed a civil penalty in the amount of \$2,500 for failing to cooperate with the Board's investigation and not providing requested information. His license is suspended until he pays the penalty. The within Order shall be subject to finalization on the 30<sup>th</sup> business day following entry unless the respondent requests a modification or dismissal of the above stated Findings of Fact or Conclusion of Law.

6. CHRIS WODASH, APPLICANT,  
MASTER PLUMBERS EXAMINATION  
INQUIRY DATED JUNE 24, 2011

RE ACCREDITATION OF COLLEGE

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7. ROBERT HAHAN, APPRENTICESHIP COORDINATOR FOR  
SOMERSET COUNTY  
RARITAN VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
CORRESPONDENCE DATED JUNE 16, 2011

RE: ON LINE PHCC APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM

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***◆ It is noted that applications for the Master Plumber's ◆  
examination, Master Plumber's business registration  
forms, and Bona fide Representative registrations are reviewed by Board Members  
during the course of each business meeting.***

***Applications for Medical Gas Piping installers, brazers and instructors are also  
reviewed at this time.***

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