

**RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF LABOR & TRAINING
DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION
BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF ELECTRICIANS
WEDNESDAY, May 20, 2009**

9:30 A.M.

In attendance: Stanley Davies

Robert Zuba

Al Durand

William Lepore

Frank Benell

Keith Burlingame

Glenn Dusablon, Chief Investigator

Ben Cople, Legal

Meeting was called to order at 9:40 am by William Lepore.

Postpone minutes until the next meeting.

Hearings:

1) Commercial Technologies Inc./David P. LeBlanc-viol#3625.

All Parties are sworn in. Glenn Dusablon read the violation. On December 30,2008, Robert Gaj, Chief Telecommunications Investigator performed an investigation at Cohoes, Garden City Plaza, Reservoir Avenue, Cranston, RI and fount that David P. LeBlanc, /dba Commercial Technologies Inc. had contracted electrical work in

Rhode Island without a RI electrical contractor's license. This is a violation of RIGL 5-6-2-"work for which a license is required". Mr. Gaj also found that David LeBlanc had an unlicensed employee, Daniel H. LeBlanc performing an electrical installation in Rhode Island without a RI electrical license. This is a violation of RIGL 5-6-2-"work for which a license is required", and Mr. LeBlanc did not obtain an electrical permit with the City of Cranston. This is a violation of RIGL 5-6-25-"failure to comply with the rules and requirements of city, town or state". For a total of three (3) violations at \$950.00 each for a total fine of \$2950.00. This is Mr. LeBlanc's second set of violations at \$950.00 per offense. Bob Gaj addressed the board, the board questioned Mr. Gaj. David LeBlanc addressed the board. The board questioned Mr. LeBlanc.

Keith Burlingame made a motion that three (3) violations have occurred, seconded by Frank Benell. Passed unanimously by the board. Al Durand made a motion that the fine of \$2950.00 be upheld, seconded by Frank Benell. Passed unanimously by the board. Bob Zuba made a motion to notify the Massachusetts board of a pending violation seconded by Al Durand. Passed unanimously by the board.

2) Michael Bonin-viol # 3639

Home owners Robert and Elizabeth Wilson are sworn. Mr. Bonin

called and said he would be late. Glenn Dusablon read the violation. Michael Bonin an employee of Richard Machado, /dba Mach Jack Construction performed electrical work at 114 Mayflower Drive, Cranston, RI without a Rhode Island electrical license. This is a violation of RIGL 5-6-2-“work for which a license is required”, for a fine of \$500.00.

Robert Wilson addressed the board. The board questioned Mr. Wilson. Stan Davies made a motion that a violation did occur, seconded by Keith Burlingame who added that in the March 20 hearing notice it clearly states that if he fails to appear, the hearing would be conducted in his absence. Passed unanimously by the board. Al Durand made a motion that the fine of \$500.00 be upheld, seconded by Stan Davies. Passed unanimously by the board.

3) Carlos Valverde-viol #3656.

Atty. Thomas Goldberg, who represents Mr. Valverde, asked for a continuance.

Keith Burlingame made a motion to move to continue to the June meeting, seconded by Frank Benell. Passed unanimously by the board.

Michael Bonin-viol #3639 appeared before the board and was sworn in. Glenn Dusablon read the violation. Mr. Bonin addressed the board and the board questioned Mr. Bonin. Bob Zuba made a motion to uphold the violation, pending testimony of Mr. Bonin, seconded by Al Durand. Passed unanimously by the board.

End of hearings.

Under Old Business: recap of the letter for 15 hour providers from New Hampshire by the DLT. Bob Zuba made a motion to send letter to the State of New Hampshire for reciprocity of 15 hour providers, seconded by Frank Benell. Passed unanimously by the board.

New Business-Bill Lepore read a letter from Local 99, submitted on the record.

A motion to adjourn was made by Stan Davies seconded by Frank Benell.

The meeting adjourned at 10:30 am.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday, June 17, 2009 at 9:30 am.