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MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD

DATE: 7 December 2011

**PLACE: Department of Business Regulation
1511 Pontiac Avenue, Building 68, Conference Room 68-1
Cranston, RI 02920**

TIME: 9:00 AM

**MEMBERS PRESENT: Chairman Christopher A. Duhamel, PE, PLS,
Messrs., Paul B. Aldinger, PE, PhD and Ferdinand Ihenacho, PE
Board Members**

**MEMBER ABSENT: Vice Chairman Wayne Moore, PE
Secretary Kazem Farhoumand, PE,**

**OTHERS PRESENT: Brian Riggs, Administrator, Financial
Management**

Lois Marshall, Administrative Assistant

CALLED TO ORDER: Chairman Duhamel called the meeting to order at 9:37AM to commence Board business

NEW BUSINESS:

(1) Acceptance of the 19 October 2011 minutes of the meeting.

Mr. Aldinger made a motion to accept the minutes of the 19 October 2011 Board meeting. Mr. Ihenacho seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously, three in favor two absent. Voting in favor were Chairman Duhamel and Messrs. Aldinger and Ihenacho Board Members.

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(2) EXECUTIVE SESSION

Mr. Aldinger made a motion to convene into executive session at 9:52 AM pursuant to RI General Laws, Section §42-46(5)(a)(2) for sessions or work sessions pertaining to collective bargaining or litigation and §42-46-(5)(a)(4) for investigative proceedings regarding allegations of civil or criminal misconduct. Mr. Ihenacho seconded the motion. The

motions passed unanimously, three in favor two absent. Voting in favor were Chairman Duhamel and Messrs. Aldinger and Ihenacho Board Members. Vice Chairman Moore and Secretary Farhoumand were absent.

Mr. Aldinger moved to adjourn from executive session and to reconvene to open meeting at 9:58AM pursuant to R.I.G.L. §42-46-4.

Mr. Ihenacho seconded the motion. Mr. Aldinger moved to seal the executive session pursuant to R.I.G.L. §42-46-4 and §42-46-5 and to record the votes taken in executive session in accordance with RI General Laws, §42-46-4 as follows: in “Old Business” P2010-14 (a) and P02010-14 (b)closed penalty fee and signed Consent Agreement signed no further action taken. In “New Business”P2012-1 continued and moved to “Monitoring” C2011-1 continued Mr. Ihenacho seconded the motion. Roll call vote was taken. The Chair voted “I.” Mr. Aldinger voted “I,” and Mr. Ihenacho voted “I”.

In Executive Session pending matter, there is one (1) pending matter, comprised of one (1) monitoring matter.

(3) Professional Engineering Rules and Regulations

Both Vice Chairman Moore and Secretary Farhoumand were not present to report on their progress. This matter will be held until next month.

(4) Joint Board Workshop

Mr. Aldinger informed the Board that he and Secretary Farhoumand had met with the Board of Professional Land Surveyor to discuss

what areas they could agree upon and then identify those areas where there needs to be further discussion. Mr. Aldinger is waiting for a second workshop to be scheduled.

APPLICATIONS:

(5) Douglas Martin

The Board reviewed Mr. Martin's request to reconsider their previous decision. At this time the Board cannot change their decision due to present Rules and Regulations.

(6) Stephen R. Muschiano , PE

Mr. Muschiano is requesting a waiver of the application requirements for the April 2012 civil engineering examination. It was the Board's decision that

Mr. Muschiano must submit a new application and update his general and professional experience references.

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(7) Jessica Lynch

The Board reviewed Ms. Lynch's request to reconsider their previous decision. At this time the Board cannot change their decision due to present Rules and Regulations.

(8) Richard W. Wiley

Mr. Wiley is requesting that the Board re-consider his application for licensure. The Board reviewed documentation submitted by Mr.

Wiley. The Board addressed their concern that Mr. Wiley's had taken a Group II exam which the Board does not recognize. It was the Board's decision that their original decision remains unchanged.

P.E. COMITY:

Mr. Ihenacho made a motion to grant comity to the following individuals in the disciplines specified. Mr. Aldinger seconded the motion. The motions passed unanimously, three in favor two absent. Voting in favor were Chairman Duhamel and Messrs. Aldinger and Ihenacho Board Members. Vice Chairman Moore and Secretary Farhoumand were absent.

Brodowski, Robert F. PA Civil Mezic, John D. NY Elec.

Ciocchi, Christopher A. NH Civil Nelson, Erik L. TX Struc.

Cox, Lori L. KY Civil Nemura, Adrienne MI Civil

Fournier, Stephen E. ME Civil Oleynik, David J. CT Civil

Franklin, Jerry B. GA Elec. Pereira, Mark A. CT Civil

Ghayspoor, Reza MA Elec. Plank, William MO Elec.

Gorzynski, James W. NY Civil Popp, Victor . MA Mech.

Hinterneder, Steven M. MA Civil Porcello, Christopher MA Civil

Holmes, James E. MA Struc. Schmitt, Norman R. CT Civil

Konas, Dale C. NY Civil Vanopdorp, Lee D. IL Civil

Malenfant, Michael E. MA Struc. Walker, Michael R. CT Elec.

McGreevy, Robert NY Civil Weissman, Joseph VA Elec.

P.E. COMITY:

Chairman Duhamel made a motion to grant comity to the following

individuals in the disciplines specified. Mr. Aldinger seconded the motion. The motions passed unanimously, three in favor two absent. Voting in favor were Chairman Duhamel and Messrs. Aldinger and Ihenacho Board Members. Vice Chairman Moore and Secretary Farhoumand were absent.

Bruce, David K. MO Civil Lam, Yat K. NY Civil

Fowler, Phineas N. FL Civil Ludwig, Jerry F. MA Mech.

George, Joji M. TX Struc. Naples, Robert C. MI Civil

Harold, Andrew D. CA Civil Stone, Garland L. TN Envir.

Jones, David C. AK Civil Tretter, David a. KY Elec.

Jones, David K. NY Mech.

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PE EXAMINATION:

Chairman Duhamel made a motion to admit the following individuals to the April 2012 Professional Engineering examination. Mr. Aldinger seconded the motion. The motions passed unanimously, three in favor two absent. Voting in favor were Chairman Duhamel and Messrs. Aldinger and Ihenacho Board Members. Vice Chairman Moore and Secretary Farhoumand were absent.

Lovera, Francisco J.

Ranganadham, Srilatha

C.O.A. APPLICATIONS:

Chairman Duhamel made a motion to approve the applications for

Certificates of Authorization listed on the 7 December 2011 list for Sole Proprietorships, Corporations, Limited Liability, and Change in Responsible Charge, as noted in the specific disciplines mentioned with two applications being returned for correction. None were denied. Mr. Aldinger seconded the motion. The motions passed unanimously, three in favor two absent. Voting in favor were Chairman Duhamel and Messrs. Aldinger and Ihenacho Board Members.

The next Board meeting is scheduled for 18 January 2011 at 9:00AM. Mr. Ihenacho made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 11:10AM. Mr. Aldinger seconded the motion. The motions passed unanimously, three in favor two absent. Voting in favor were Chairman Duhamel and Messrs. Aldinger and Ihenacho Board Members.

Posted on January 19, 2012 electronically on Secretary of State's Office website. Pursuant to the Open Meetings Law, R.I. Gen. Laws Sec. 42-46-6(b), business not included in this notice may be considered with the consent of the majority of the members, and/or

may convene into Executive (closed) Session pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws Sec. 42-46-5.

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PAID COMMENTS

SOLE P PROPRIETORSHIP

JOHN C. VAN PRAET 0 OK ELECTRICAL

CHAD H. VOGT 0 OK STRUCTURAL

CORPORATIONS

CARUSO TURLEY SCOTT \$150 OK STRUCTURAL

CDW CONSULTANTS, INC. \$150 OK CIVIL & ENVIRONMENTAL

D & B ENGINEERS AND ARCH., PC \$150 OK CIVIL

ENGINEERED SOLUTIONS \$150 OK MECHANICAL

JACOBS ASSOCIATES \$150 OK CIVIL & STRUCTURAL

PATRICK ENGINEERING INC. \$150 OK CIVIL & STRUCTURAL

POOLE FIRE PROTECTION, INC. \$150 OK FIRE PROTECTION

PRISTINE ENGINEERS, INC. \$150 OK MECHANICAL

**STANTEC ARCHITECTURE, INC. \$150 OK MECHANICAL &
ELECTRICAL**

SULLAWAY ENGINEERING, INC. \$150 OK CIVIL & STRUCTURAL

**THE STRUCTURES GROUP, INC. \$150 OK STRUCTURES GROUP,
INC.**

THP LIMITED, INC. \$150 OK CIVIL

UNITED EXCEL DESIGN, PC \$150 OK MECHANICAL

LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

MSTRUCT ENGINEERING, PLLC \$150 OK STRUCTURAL

TOOLE DESIGN GROUP, LLC \$150 OK CIVIL

LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP

GIRARD AND COMPANY LLP \$150 OK CIVIL

COA#5756 AMEC EARTH & ENVIRON. \$50 OK

**NAME CHANGE TO AMEC ENVIRONMENTAL & INFRASTRUCTURE,
INC.**

COA #.5096 DEWBERRY-GOODKIND 0 OK

**ADDING MICHAEL REHBERG AND SHAHIDUL JOARDER IN RESP.
CHARGE**

COA #5931 DAVINCI ENGINEERING, INC. 0 OK .

ADDING SIMON W. LELAND IN RESP. CHARGE

COA#5025 PARE CORPORATION 0 OK

**ADDING JENNIFER M. DESTEFANO AND GUSTAVO O. RAPOSO IN
RESP CHARGE AND
REMOVING BRENDAN ENNIS FROM RESP. CHARGE.**

COA#5961 TERRACON CONSULTANTS, INC. 0

**ADDING ROB W. OLAH AND RANDALL T. STATES IN RESP.
CHARGE.**

COA#5730 DWYER DESIGN GROUP, PC 0 OK

ADDING THOMAS F. LEAKE IN RESP. CHARGE

COA#6053 HAYWARD-BOYTON & WILLIAMS \$50 OK

NAME CHANGE TO THOMPSON FARLAND, INC.

COA#5178 A.R.M. ENGINEERING, INC. \$50 OK

BIENNIAL RENEWAL WITH TAX AGREEMENT TO REVIEW

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