

MEETING OF THE RHODE ISLAND

AUTO COLLISION REPAIR LICENSING ADVISORY BOARD

DATE: April 29, 2015

TIME: 10:30 a.m.

PLACE: Department of Business Regulation

Conference Room –69-1

1511 Pontiac Avenue

Cranston RI 02920

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Gerald Galleshaw, Charles Rockwell, Al Olney, John Mancone, Chris Hurd, Lt. David Doucet

BOARD MEMBERS NOT PRESENT: Dave Reynolds, Dennis Gamba

OTHERS PRESENT: Kim Precious, Randy Bottella, Lori Moniz, Josh Burrows, Larry Alan, William Walsh, Jenna Algee, Jina Petrarca

Mr. Mancone called the meeting to order at 10:39 AM.

MINUTES:

Mr. Mancone made a motion to accept the March 11, 2015, meeting minutes. Seconded by Mr. Olney. All members present were in favor.

OLD BUSINESS:

I-Car: Mr. Bottella recommended that the Department send out a renewal bulletin reminding shops about classes needed for certification and that they need to update any classes that have expired.

Complaints: Mr. Mancone has 4 active cases. Department still has 5 not in compliance and Legal has 1 unlicensed activity case with a scheduled pre-hearing date. ABARI is currently working on 2 cases.

5-38-1: Any changes still on hold depending on the Department writing language to submit for legislation change pending glass bill.

Total Loss Bulletin: ABARI letter to Board given to Mrs. Algee who forwarded letter to Insurance Division. No response yet. Get copy of letter to forward to Board members. Per Mr. Allen if Insurance Division is involved there should be a reprehensive at meeting for response.

Salvage Rebuilder License: Regulation change would be needed for any change. Send copy of Auto body regulation and salvage regulation to Board members for review.

Paint-less Dent Repair: On hold with 5-38 changes

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Auto Glass: Legislation introduced by the glass industry. Ongoing hearings at State House on Senate Bill S334 and House Bill 5607.

NEW BUSINESS: (None)

OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT: (None)

EXECUTIVE SESSION: (None)

Mr. Mancone motioned to adjourn this open meeting. Seconded by Mr. Olney. All members present were in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 11:20 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Kim Precious
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