

**RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF LABOR & TRAINING
DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION
MECHANICAL BOARD**

1511 Pontiac Avenue

Building 70 – 2nd Floor Conference Room

Cranston, RI

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Wednesday, May 3, 2006

9:00 am

In attendance: John Webster

Peter Lombardi

Ronald Cronin

Quinlan Regan

Michael Januario

Chester Stewart

Bobby Joe Harris

Michael Carreiro

Board members Kenneth Aurecchia and Stan Davies are not in attendance for today's meeting.

There is a quorum – Mr. Regan called the meeting to order at 9:15 am.

There are three (3) hearings scheduled today for which there is board stenographer.

1. Real Savoy – Violation # 2664

The first appeal today is with regard to Real Savoy. Mr. Savoy, Mr. Kevin Auebree, RIDLT Investigators E. Patrick Luther, Edward Whittaker and Mr. Charles Wright are present and sworn in by the board stenographer.

Mr. Whittaker read the violation: It is alleged that on February 21, 2006, RIDLT Investigator E. Patrick Luther found two (2) people (Kevin Aguiar and Gregory Resendes) assisting Mr. Real Savoy install radiant floor piping at Victory Crossings, Route 102 & Main Street, Slatersville, RI without valid RI Mechanical licenses. This is a violation of RIGL 28/27/5.1 “Practices for which a journeyman or apprentice license is required”. (2 Violations)

Based on the testimony provided today, Mr. Carreiro made a motion that a finding of fact has been made by the board that; Mr. Savoy did have 2 individuals assisting him install radiant floor piping without valid mechanical licenses which is a violation of RIGL 28/27/5.1 “Practices for which a journeyman or apprentice license is required” and that the violation be accepted and recommend to the Director of Labor and Training to uphold the fine in the amount of one

thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars. Mr. Stewart seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.

2. Jay's Custom Mechanical – Violation # 2618

The next hearing is with regard to Jay's Custom Mechanical. There is no one present from Jay's Custom Mechanical.

Mr. Whittaker read the violation: On February 9, 2006, a complaint was received from Mr. John Reis of 48 Spring Grove Avenue, Warwick, RI that on or about September 19, 2005, Jay's Custom Mechanical did install a boiler and related piping at the aforementioned address without obtaining a permit from the City of Warwick. This is a violation of RIGL 28-27-20 "State and municipal inspections and installation permits". Further, the company business card does not have a RI mechanical license listed on it. This is a violation of RIGL 28-27-5 "Practices for which a master or contractor license is required".

Based on the testimony provided today, Mr. Carreiro made a motion that a finding of fact has been made by the board that; Jay's Custom Mechanical did install a boiler and related piping in the State of Rhode Island without obtaining a permit from the City of Warwick. This is a violation of RIGL 28-27-20 "State and municipal inspections and installation permits" and that Jay's Custom Mechanical's business card does not have a RI mechanical license listed on it.

This is a violation of RIGL 28-27-5 "Practices for which a master or contractor license is required", therefore, the violation be accepted and recommend to the Director of Labor and Training to uphold the fine in the amount of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars. Mr. Webster seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.

3. Angelo Rotondo – Violation #2661

The next hearing today is with regard to Angelo Rotondo. Mr. Rotondo is present and sworn in by the board stenographer.

Mr. Whittaker read the violation: On March 8, 2006, Mrs. Brown of 14 Geneva Street, Providence, RI filed a complaint that Mr. Angelo Rotondo installed a new boiler at the aforementioned address without a valid RI mechanical license. This is a violation of RIGL 28-27-5 "Practices for which a master or contractor license is required". Further, no permit was issued by the City of Providence. This is a violation of RIGL 28-27-20 "State and municipal inspections and installation permits".

Based on the testimony provided today, Mr. Carreiro made a motion that a finding of fact has been made by the board that; Mr. Angelo Rotondo did install a boiler and neglect to get a permit from the City of Providence, and to accept the violation, and to recommend to the Director of Labor and Training to suspend the fine in the amount of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars for a 12-month period barring any

other violations of RI

GL 28-27. Mr. Lombardi seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.

This concludes the hearings.

Other Business:

Mr. Regan asked if all board members had an opportunity to review the minutes of the April 2006 meeting. Mr. Webster made a motion to accept the minutes as submitted. Mr. Januario seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.

With no further business, Mr. Carreiro made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:50 am. Mr. Harris seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.

The next meeting of the Mechanical Board is scheduled for Wednesday, June 7, 2006 at 9:00 a.m. in Building 70, second floor conference room. Once again, board members are asked to remain after the regular meeting to conduct examination reviews from the February 2006 testing.