

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

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 6, 2008

9:00 A.M.

In attendance: Stanley Davies, Chairman

Ronald Cronin

Raymond Freitas

Jack King

Bobby Joe Harris

Michael Januario

Timothy Byrne

John Webster

Quinlan Regan

Dennis Brennan

Edward Whitaker, Sr. Chief

Ben Copple, Legal

Not in attendance: Michael Carreiro

Meeting was called to order at 9:01 am by Stanley Davis.

A motion to accept the minutes from the last meeting was made by

Timothy Byrne and seconded by Jack King. Passed unanimously by the board.

Ted Whittaker went over recent violations that were sent out in July.

Discussed the CCRI curriculum for HVAC licensing, 2 year program.

Discussion on the upcoming public hearing for the rules & regulations to include the limited Fire Protection Master 2 and Fire Protection Journeyman 2, the board is in opposition of this new license, Ted will let them know when the public hearing will be held and urges all board members to be there.

There was a brief discussion on National Grid and the effect on the oil companies in this state.

A motion to adjourn was made by Raymond Freitas and seconded by Ronald Cronin.

The meeting adjourned at 9:44 am.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday, September 3, 2008