

723rd Session
Board of Examiners for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors
June 12, 2012

The scheduled meeting of June 12, 2012 was held at the Board Office, 165 Capitol Avenue, Room 117 in the State Office Building, Hartford, Connecticut.

Anthony L D'Andrea, Chairman called the meeting to order at 9:02 am.

Attending the meeting were: Richard M Szewczak (2) PE, Terry McCarthy (3) PE, Anthony L D'Andrea (4) PELS, Robert L Doane (5) PELS, Regina (7) PM, Rocco V Laraia (8) PM, T. Mark Barbieri (9) PM, Kenneth R Peterson (10) LS Curtiss B Smith (11) LS and Robert W Grossenbacher (12) LS.

Absent were John DeWolf (1) PE and Donald J Poland (6) PM.

Also present were Steven Schwane, attorney for the Department of Consumer Protection, Barbara Syp-Maziarz, Board Administrator and Peter Huntsman, Assistant Attorney General.

Guests present were Kathy Kurland and Reese Roberts from CALS.

Commissioner William M Rubenstein was present to swear in Mr. Richard M Szewczak, PE and Mr. Kenneth Peterson, LS as new board members to the Board of Examiners for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors.

Minutes- Motion made by (7) seconded by (5) to approve the April 2012 minutes as amended. Motion carried. Those members who were not present at the April 2012 meeting abstained from voting.

CHRO-

Legal Division

Attorney Schwane stated that there is one case pending, where the department is waiting for some correspondence from one of the attorneys.

Assistant Attorney General Peter Huntsman has been updating the corporate table to include the landscape architects and should be available at the next scheduled meeting.

Correspondence Received

A-1 Memo from Tim Miller, director of Examination Services dated April 26, 2012. Re: Notice of future changes to NCEES exams and supporting materials for PS. (Dist. 4)

For information only, no action required

A-2 New release from NCEES dated May 1, 2012. Re: Moving administration date and updating specifications for PE Industrial exam. (Dist. 2)

For information only, no action required

A-3 Effective for the April 2013 exam- New exam specifications for the Principles and Practice of Land Surveying. (Dist. 3)

For information only, no action required

A-4 News release from NCEES dated May 2, 2012. Re: New PE exam in software engineering. (Dist. 2)

For information only, no action required

A-5 Effective for the April 2013 exam- Civil-Structural Design Standards (Dist. 2)

For information only, no action required

A-6 Effective for the April 2013 exam- Transportation Design Standards (Dist. 2)

For information only, no action required

A-7 New release from NCEES dated May 3, 2012. Re: New developments in aftermath of Deepwater Horizon disaster emphasize role of licensure in ethical engineering practice (Dist. 2)

For information only, no action required

A-8 Email from Jerry Carter dated 5/23/12. Re: Candidates applying directly to NCEES

The Board administrator will work with the agency to incorporate the changes to the Fundamentals of Engineering & Surveying exams.

A-9 Email from Jerry Carter dated 5/29/12. Re: Survey Completed by Connecticut Board

This was acted on under Item A-8

A-10 Anonymous letter regarding PE exam security: (Dist. 4)

Letter will be forwarded to NCEES and the testing service.

C-Old Business

C-1 Weam M Hasan (Dist. 2) Interview with Mr. Hasan

Mr. Hasan appeared before the Board to explain the difficulty in obtaining original documents regarding his education from Iraq. The Board at their last meeting approved his request to have NCEES continue his evaluation based on the information that was submitted by the applicant. The Board will await the evaluation by NCEES and have Mr. Hasan complete an application for the FE exam before any formal decisions are made regarding his eligibility to sit for the exam.

Motion made by (9) seconded (7) to table any decisions until the Board receives the evaluation from NCEES. Motion carried.

E-Applications 3, 4, 5,7,8,9, 11 & 12 except as noted approved the following applications. (2) and (10) abstained from all voting.

Permit CL 1 Exam

Ahmed, Kazi M

Permit CL 1 Exam-Credit Part 1

Abreu Camilo, Raul D-EIT from NY
Babajanyan, Vagan-EIT from CT –**Subject to proof of legal status**
Burgess, Seth A-EIT from CT
Chase, Joel T-EIT from NY
Creary, Patrick A-EIT from CT
Keeler, Daniel J-EIT from NY
Kisiel, Tomasz-EIT from MA
Sawyer, Jeffrey A-EIT from IN

Permit CL 1 Exam- Credit Part 1 & II-Approve CL 1 License

Alfonzo-Larrain, Alvaro I –Motion made by (3) seconded by (8) to approve license. Motion carried.

Chairman D'Andrea directed the Board administrator to contact the New York Board to inquire the reason why a license was not issued to him.

Approve CL 4 License

Ahmad, Nawwaf A.S.
Anderson, Jack W
Anderson, Jeffrey S
Barry, Patrick P
Beaulieu-Shea, Christine N
Bennett, Brian M - **Subject to verification of current license**
Bowe, Timothy W
Brasher, Jerry W
Caruso, Joseph C
Centore, Anthony P
Day, Robert L
Decoteau, Michael E
Degnan, Bradley H
Dickerson, Barry L
Drumm, Timothy
Dyck, Alan W
Edelman, Heath A –**Table for more information regarding his undergraduate degree**
Ehrlich, Stephen C
Elsayed, Ashraf S
Farleigh II, Thomas K
Fiedler, Patrick O
Fitzpatrick, Andrew J
Fleming, Paul D
Foley, Benjamin G
Hopkins, Charles F
Host, Joshua T –**Provided updated experience from 3/28/12 to the present**
Hutnak, Paul B
Johnston, Andrew D
Jones, Richard T
Kesterson, Eric S
Kolandaivelu, Krupakaran
Kumar, Jay N
Lane, Andrew R
Lefkiewicz, Darek
Lehn, Scott D
Li, Thomas K
Lindsey, Diane R
Madden, William J
Marko, Thomas M
McConnell, William C-**Subject to application fee**

Michael S Roach
Mirabito Jr., John R
Misiewicz, Jerry W
Moore, Donald R
Morello, Bridget S
Morrisey, David J
Myers, Wesley B
O'Keefe, William P
Olson, Larry D
Parmiter, David B
Paull, Andres C
Penoyer, Douglas G
Phelan, William M
Pisano Jr., Robert C
Regan, John E
Revette, Benjamin B
Riches, James K
Roach, Michael S
Sabetghadam, Ahmad
Sarte, Sherwood B
Scheibner, Scott T
Scott, Jeremy B
Sdregas, Nomikos –**Subject to verification of current license**
Slattery, James C
Sotherden, Matthew
Taylor, Jeremy T
Thomas, Jonnie L-**Subject to application fee**
Thompson, Frank C –**Subject to verification of current license**
Tobolski, Eric A
Tsao, Lungshen
Utterson, Eric G
Varadarajan, Narasimhan
Veltri, William P
Volpe, Anthony T
Wengerd, Andrew J
Willers, Bradley M
Winters, Mark A

Permit CL 8 Exam

Gmeiner II, Ambrose E
Horsfall, Steven M
Plan, Robert

Permit CL 9 Exam

Gionet, Thomas G (UConn)
Gousse, David G (Rutgers)
Ieronimo, John C (UConn)
Khan, Fahad A (US Masters-U of Hartford)
Lozupone, David-Michael (U of Hartford)
Majancik, Natallia (US Masters-U of Hartford)
Swierbitowicz, Josttph J (UConn)
Wen, Jianfeng (US Masters-SUNY)

Permit CL 9s Exam

Layth, Al-Attar (US Masters-U of Hartford)
Patel, Nirav P (UConn)

Approve CL 9 License

Pellon, Nicholas P (UConn)

Permit CL 10 Exam

Shetland, Andrew F

Permit CL 10s Exam

Pitturi, David P (Central CT)

Approve CL 11 License

Bangs, Keith E- Table- The Board directed the Board administrator to contact the New York Board to inquire about the pending documentation and whether an EIT registration will be issued.

Motion made by (5) seconded by (9) to table. Motion carried.

Approve Certificate of Authorization for the Corporate Practice of Engineering

JUNMA Engineering PLLC
1958 W9th Street
Brooklyn NY 11223

CT Professional Engineer currently licensed
PE# 22840 Jun Ma

Name on application is not the same name reflected on Connecticut's Express Certificate of Legal Existence and there is a question regarding ownership.

Motion made by (5) seconded by (7) to deny application. Motion carried

Niantic Bay Engineering LLC
99 Sleepy Hollow Road
Niantic CT 06357

CT Professional Engineer currently licensed
PE # 28002 John L Arnold

Sebesta Blomberg & Associates, Inc.
2381 Rosegate
Roseville MN 55113

(This application was denied on 4/17/12 based that the name on the application did not match the name listed on the Express Certificate of Legal Existence. The company resubmitted the application reflecting the name change)

Motion made by (5) seconded by (3) to approve application. Motion carried.

Approve Certificate of Authorization for the Corporate Practice of Land Surveying

Shevlin Land Surveying LLC
165 Oyster Rd
Fairfield CT 06824
CT Land surveyor currently licensed
LSX# 70339 Michael S Shevlin Jr.

Reconsideration

Matthew Hubbard- Requesting reconsideration from the Board. The Board denied the applicant's application under class 4 for lack of a basic degree in engineering. (Dist. 2)

The Board reviewed the documentation supplied by the University that core engineering courses were taken.

Motion made by (2) seconded by (8) to approve application. Motion carried.

Motion made by (7) seconded by (8) to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 10:30 am.

The next meeting is scheduled for July 17, 2012.

Respectfully reviewed by:
Anthony L D'Andrea, P.E. & L.S.
Chairman

Respectfully submitted by:
Barbara Syp-Maziarz
Licensing & Applications Specialist

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