

MINUTES

**UTAH
UTAH ELECTRICAL LICENSING BOARD
MEETING**

January 15, 2015

**Room 474 – 4th Floor – 9:00 a.m.
Heber M. Wells Building
Salt Lake City, UT 84111**

CONVENED: 9:01 a.m.

ADJOURNED: 11:33 a.m.

Bureau Manager:

Stephen Duncombe

Board Secretary:

Tracy Taylor

Board Members Present:

Chris Thomson, Acting Chairperson

Clarence Allred,

Russell Lamoreaux

Joseph Ligorì

Board Members Absent:

Kevin Clubb

Guests:

Brad Stevens, IEC

Trina Hansen, OWATC

Lori Stewart, MATC

Paul James, BATC

Carl Brailsford, UEJATC

Mike Lanoue, UEJATC

Aaron Hoehne, probationer

Austin Hawkins, applicant

Stephen Clarke, applicant

Cody Naser, applicant

James Atkinson, applicant

Alvin Botts, applicant

DOPL Staff Present:

Neena Bowen, Compliance Specialist

Robyn Barkdull, Continuing Education Coordinator

Boyce Barnes, Continuing Education

TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION

DECISIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS:

Approval of Minutes

Mr. Lamoreaux made a motion to approve the December, 2014 minutes. Mr. Ligorì seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Continuing Education Update

Ms. Barkdull provided an update for Continuing Education. Item noted with no action taken.

Investigation Update

This item was tabled until next month.

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

Review Test Scores

The Board reviewed the electrician exam scores taken since the last meeting. Item noted with no action taken.

Review Electrician Licensing Act Rule R156-55b

The Board discussed the language in section R156-55b-302a (a) pertaining to education. The Board also discussed the disparity in regards to the definition of “residential” that is provided in the IRC as well as within the Contructions Trade Licensing Act and the Electrician Licensing Act Rule.

Closed Meeting

Mr. Allred made a motion to close the meeting to discuss the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of an individual. Mr. Ligori seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Probation Update

Ms. Bowen reported there are 35 electricians who are compliant with the terms of their probation, and 27 electricians who are not in compliance with the terms of their probation.

APPOINTMENTS:

Aaron Hoehne
Probationer

Mr. Hoehne met with the Board to request early release from his probation. Mr. Allred made a motion to approve the request for early release from probation. Mr. Lamoreaux seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Austin Hawkins
Apprentice Renewal

Mr. Hawkins met with the Board. Mr. Allred made a motion to recommend approval of the renewal application on probation for four years with a conditional renewal allowed until February 28, 2015 pending formal approval. Mr. Lamoureux seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Stephen Clarke
Apprentice Renewal

Mr. Clarke met with the Board. Mr. Allred made a motion to deny the renewal. Mr. Lamoureux seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Cody Naser
Apprentice Renewal

Mr. Naser met with the Board. Mr. Allred made a motion to recommend approval of the renewal application on probation

for four years with a conditional renewal allowed until February 28, 2015 pending formal approval Mr. Lamoureaux seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

James Atkinson
Apprentice Reinstatement

Mr. Atkinson met with the Board. Mr. Allred made a motion to recommend approval of the application on probation for four years. Mr. Lamoureaux seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Alvin Botts
New Apprentice Application

Mr. Botts met with the Board. Mr. Allred made a motion to recommend approval of the application on probation for as long as he is required to register on the sex offender registry. Mr. Lamoreaux seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Reopen Meeting

Mr. Ligori made a motion to reopen the meeting to announce the decisions made during the closed session. Mr. Lamoreaux seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

ADJOURN:

Adjourned at 11:33 a.m.

Note: These minutes are not intended to be a verbatim transcript but are intended to record the significant features of the business conducted in this meeting. Discussed items are not necessarily shown in the chronological order they occurred.

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Chairperson, Utah Electrical Licensing Board



Bureau Manager, Division of Occupational & Professional Licensing

