

**State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers
Indiana Government Center South
402 West Washington Street, Room W064
Indianapolis, Indiana 46201
Minutes of the May 16, 2013 Board Meeting**

CALL TO ORDER

Mr. Vincent Drnevich called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. in 402 West Washington Street, Room W064, Indianapolis, Indiana and declared a quorum in accordance with Ind. Code § 25-31.

Members Present:

Vincent Drnevich, Chairperson
John Sauer
Mark Downey
Kenneth Spaulding
Harold Snead

Staff Present:

Crystal Heard, Board Director, Indiana Professional Licensing Agency
Sharon Elfenbaum, Assistant Board Director, Indiana Professional Licensing Agency
James Schmidt, Board Advisor, Office of the Attorney General

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

Mark Downey moved to adopt the amended agenda. Harold Snead seconded the motion.
Motion carried 5/0/0

ADOPTION/AMENDMENTS TO THE MINUTES OF JANUARY 17, 2013

Harold Snead made motion to approve minutes as presented for the March 21, 2013 meeting.
Mark Downey seconded the motion. Motion carried 5/0/0

REPORT FROM ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE

Natalie Stidd represented the Attorney General Office and introduced new case analyst.... The average age of cases open has decreased.

PERSONAL APPEARANCES

Charles Weber- appeared before the board as ordered by his probation order dated March...The board reviewed the letter Mr. Weber developed to send to list of clients, permitting agencies, etc, he worked for while his license was expired.

Board Action: Mark Downey made motion to approve letter as written and have letter sent to clients provided. Harold Snead seconded motion. Motion carried 5/0/0

ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

Ruth Davis was the court reporter for all administrative hearings.

In the Matter of the Application of Adam Lantvit Cause Number SBRPE 13-04

Case Summary: Adam Lantvit appeared before the board to petition his comity application as a professional engineer.

Board Action: John Sauer made motion to uphold previous board decision to deny application. Kenneth Spaulding seconded motion. Motion carried 5/0/0

In the Matter of the Application of Madhusudhana Karri Cause Number SBRPE 13-05

Case Summary: Madhusudhana Karri appeared before the board to petition his comity application as a professional engineer.

Board Action: Mark Downey made motion to approve application. Harold Snead seconded motion. Motion carried 5/0/0

In the Matter of the Application of Michael Aitken Cause Number SBRPE 13-07

Case Summary: Michael Aitken appeared before the board to petition his comity application

Board Action: John Sauer made motion to approve comity application. Mark Downey seconded motion. Motion carried 5/0/0

PETITIONS FOR REVIEW

Walter Evans- John Sauer made motion to accept one hour of continuing education submitted and rescind Notice of Noncompliance. Petition for review is moot. Mark Downey seconded motion. Motion carried 5/0/0

Paul Malamen- Harold Snead made motion to approve application and to consider petition moot. John Sauer seconded motion. Motion carried 5/0/0

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Rules and Investigative fund

Michael King- Board reviewed information submitted by Michael King showing he was deployed prior to taking the exam before the third allowable attempt. Mark Downey made motion to allow individual to take the October 2013 exam. John Sauer seconded motion. Motion carried 5/0/0

Charles Badger- The board reviewed probation order. The directed staff to send a letter to appear at the July meeting as he was ordered to do so for the March 2013 meeting. The letter should include if he does not appear the board will issue a Order to Show Cause.

Regional Meeting – Vincent Drnevich present key points from the Regional Meeting. The focal point of the meeting was primarily on computer based testing.
Correspondence from Danny Bowen

PERMIT/LICENSURE APPLICATIONS

Applications for Registration as Engineer Interns

Kinnariben Patel- Denied

Applications for Registration as Professional Engineers by Examination

Damian Guzman Sanchez-Endorsement- Accept

Jefferey Trout- Accept
Amanda Nurse- Accept

Applications for Registration as Professional Engineers by Comity

Jason Sanders –Accept
Robert Bloomberg-Denied
Mehul Soni – Accept
David Henkle – Tabled- Documentation from CO & LA Boards
Gregg Pfeufer – Accept
Mark Chatten-Accept
Greg Greenlee-Accept
Shawn Cook- Accept
Chou Yu Yong-Accept
Arnel Arches- Accept
Xiaoting Li-Accept

John Sauer made motion to approve applications as recommended by board members. Harold Snead seconded motion. Motion carried 5/0/0

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Robert Haddix – John Sauer made motion to rescind Notice of Noncompliance since licensee is now deceased. Snead seconded motion. Motion carried 5/0/0

William Mullins – Mark Downey made motion to suspend license for not paying civil penalty in full amount. John Sauer seconded motion. Motion carried 5/0/0

David Nancrede – John Sauer made motion to suspend license. Harold Snead seconded motion. Motion carried 5/0/0

Barry Ledbetter – John Sauer made motion to rescind notice of noncompliance as the hours were obtained prior to the July 31, 2012 deadline. Mark Downey seconded motion. Motion carried 5/0/0

There being no further business and having completed its duties, the meeting of the State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers adjourned at 2:08 p.m.



Vincent Drnevich – Chairperson

July 10, 2013
Date /