

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT**  
**DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION**  
October 9, 2009  
**MINUTES OF MEETING**  
**STATE ELECTRICAL WORK EXAMINING BOARD**

The meeting of October 9, 2009 was called to order by Laurence A. Vallieres, Chairman, at 8:30 a.m. in Room 126 of the State Office Building, 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.

Members Present:            Laurence A. Vallieres, Contractor, Chairman  
                                 Ronald Bish, Contractor  
                                 David Munsill, Journeyman  
                                 Eric B. Collett, Public Member  
                                 John W. Yusza, Electronic Technician  
                                 Frank Hollaran, Public Member  
                                 Anthony Soter, Public Member

Members Absent:            Iris Papale, Public Member  
                                 Raymond a. Turri, Contractor  
                                 Stephen W. Knight, Public Member  
                                 Roger L. Johnson, Jr., Journeyman

Member Vacancy:            This Board currently has One (1) Public Members  
                                 Two (2) Journeypersons

DCP Staff Present:            Sallie Pinkney, Electrical Board Secretary  
                                 Occupational & Professional Licensing Division

General Public;            Scott Allen    Rubin Cabanillas    Kevin Cardoso  
                                 John Derrick    Matthew Cocco    Alden Green  
                                 Brad Patrick    Trevor Webster    Stephen Nelins  
                                 David Perry    Erick Markarian    Sean McEnancy  
                                 Paul Costello    Freddy Polanco    Sean Simonsen  
                                 Thomas Pecor    Sal Lafauci    Joe Simonds  
                                 Carl DiFozio    George Morgan    Tom Spurton  
                                 Mike Cpyja    Thomaz Tesluk    David William  
                                 Rob Arnista    Trevor Menaney    Frederick Mertz  
                                 James Phillips    R. Woytowich    Jack Guerrera

The next regular meeting of this Board is scheduled for Friday, November 13, 2009 at 8:30 a.m. in Room 126.

Note: The administrative functions of this Board are carried out by the Department of Consumer Protection, Occupational and Professional Licensing Division. For information, call Director Richard M. Hurlburt at (860) 713-6135 or visit [www.ct.gov/dcp](http://www.ct.gov/dcp).

1. 8:30 a.m. Call to order, and remind everyone to place their cell phones on "silent".
2. Anthony M. Soter, and Frank J. Halloran Electrical Journeyman were Sworn In by DCP Commissioner Jerry Farrell.
3. **Review of the Electrical Board Minutes:**
  - a. The Minutes of Meeting of September 11, 2009 were reviewed. **It was moved by Board Member Bish, Board Member Collett 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to approve the Minutes as presented by DCP.**
4. **Report From Trade Practice Division**
  - a. Trade Practice Complaint Report was reviewed.
5. Appearing before the Board at the Board's request: None
6. Request to Appear Before the Board: None
7. **Comments or Concerns of any Person Present Today:**
  - a. Jack Guerrero, Director of Apprentice Training made known the increase fees at the Department of Labor, Apprentice Training Program.
  - b. Chairman Vallieres stated that the DCP Electrical License fees were increase also.
8. CHRO Applicants: None
9. CHRO Renewals: None
10. Review of Application(s) for Licensure Examination: None
11. **Applicant (s) for Licensure Appearing in Person:**
  - a. Arnesta, Robert A.- E2 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. **Table until a later date.**
  - b. Allen, Scott B.- E2 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. **It was move by Board Member Bish, Board Member Halloran 2<sup>nd</sup> and the vote carried to deny his application due to lack of related instruction.**
  - c. Cabanillas, Ruben -E1 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time, and waiver of 2 year requirement as a E2 journeyman. **It was moved by Board Member Bish, Board Member Collett 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his application due to lack of experience/training.**

- d. Cardoso, Kevin – E2 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. **Reschedule until 11/13/2009.**
- e. Chamas, Yasser – C5 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time, and waiver of 2 year requirement as an C6 journey person. **No Show**
- f. Cocco, Matthew – E2 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. **It was moved by Board Member Bish, Board Member Yusza 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to approve his application due to experience/training.**
- g. Derrick, John – E1/L1 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time and waiver two years as E2/L2 journey person requirement. **It was moved by Board Member Halloran, Board Member Bish 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his E2 application due to lack of experience. It was moved by Board Member Halloran, Board Member Bish 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his L2 application due to lack of on the job training.**
- h. Green, Alden – C6 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. **It was moved by Board Member Bish, Board Member Yusza 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his application due to lack of on-the-job training, and refer Robert Ainley & Robert Allen Multimedia to Trade Practice for investigation of employing unlicensed trades person. Mr. Green needs to get registered as an apprentice.**
- i. Markarian, Eric – E2 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. **It was moved by Board Member Bish, Board Member Munsil 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to approve his application due to experience/training.**
- j. McEnaney, Sean – C5 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. **It was moved by Board Member Soter, Board Member Bish 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his application due to lack of experience/training.**
- k. Nevins, Stephen J. – T2 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. **It was moved by Board Member Bish, Board Member Munsil 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his application due to lack of experience/training.**
- l. Patrick, Brad – E2 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. **It was moved by Board Member Bish, Board Member Collett 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to approve his application due to experience/training.**
- m. Pecor, Thomas – E2 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. **It was moved by Board Member Bish, Board Member Collett 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to approve his application due to experience/training.**
- n. Perry, David – E2 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. **It was moved by Board Member Sorter, Board Member Bish 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his application due to lack of experience/training.**

- o. Picucci, Joseph – E2 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. **Reschedule until 11/13/2009**
- p. Polanco, Freddy – E2 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. . **It was moved by Board Member Bish, Board Member Collett 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to approve his application due to experience/training.**
- q. Sean D. Simonsen – E2 applicant reappearing seeking consideration of unregistered time. He was denied at the March, 09 meeting. (ruling at the 03/09 meeting *It was moved by Board Member Turri, Board Member Leech 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his application due to lack of experience/training*). **It was moved by Board Member Bish, Board Member Munsil 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his E2 application due to lack of experience/training, and refer The NYCONN Corporation to Trade Practice for investigation of employing unlicensed tradesperson.**
- r. Vasyliv, Ruslan – T2 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. **No Show**
- s. Wagner, Michael V. – E2 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. **No Show**
- t. Webster, Trevor – E2 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time. **It was moved by Board Member Halloran, Board Member Bish 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his application due to lack of apprentice training. He must present apprenticeship completion certificate from Mass.**
- u. Whitaker, Edward – PV1 applicant seeking consideration of unregistered time, and waiver of 2 year requirement as a journeyman (PV2). **No Show**

12. Request for Renewal of License: None

### 13. Request for Reinstatement:

- a. Charles, Alan – seeking reinstatement of lapsed E2 license (09/30/07) without retesting. **No Show**
- b. Czaja, Michael – seeking reinstatement of lapsed license (9/30/2008 without retesting). **It was moved by Board Member Bish, Board Member Yusza 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his request, he must retest.**
- c. Lafauci, Sal – seeking reinstatement of lapsed E2 license (09/30/07) **It was moved by Board Member Halloran, Board Member Bish 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his request, he must retest.**

- d. Phillips, James – seeking reinstatement of lapsed E2 license (09/30/05) without retesting. **It was moved by Board Member Halloran, Board Member Bish 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his request, he must retest.**
- e. Tesluk, Thomaz – seeking reinstatement of a lapsed L5 license without retesting. **It was moved by Board Member Halloran, Board Member Bish 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to deny his request, he must retest.**
- f. Williams, David – seeking reinstatement of his E2 license in order to get a license in Mass, he currently holds an E1. **No Show**

**14. Request for Reconsideration:**

- a. Simonds, Josph P. – seeking to take the exam for a 4<sup>th</sup> time, additional examination time, and possibly a reader to assist. **It was moved by Board Member Halloran, Board Member Munsil 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the vote carried to table his request until 11/13/2009. Mr. Simonds should obtain his strength/weakness report from the testing center.**

15. Request to Suspend: None

16. Proposed Settlements and/or Stipulations Containing Consent Orders: None

17. Settlements Agreements: None

18. Stipulation Agreements: None

19. Notice of Continuance: None

20. Request to Dismiss or Request to Dismiss Without Prejudice: None

21. Request to Revise: None

22. Request to Reopen: None

23. Review of Examination Results: None

24. Electrical None

25. TV & Radio: None

26. Review of Correspondence:

- a. Chairman Valleries to discuss Board Member to sit on the Education Subcommittee to review course applications. **Board Member Johnson and**

**Frank Halloran will join the Sub committee and the courses will be reviewed on 11/6/2009**

- b. Memo from Christopher R. Laux, State Building Inspector re: Wrongful Use of Electrical Contractor's license was reviewed.
  - c. CE Evaluation Forms from Tunxis Community College was reviewed
  - d. Letter from Governor M. Jodi Rell, acknowledging the resignation of Board Member Kenneth Leech was reviewed
  - e. Resignation letter from Board Member Douglas Reid effective August 19, 2009 was reviewed.
  - f. News Release from Pioneer Valley PhotoVoltaics Cooperative re: Solar Electric Apprentice was reviewed
  - g. CT Occupational Trades Examination Statistics report for 07/01/08 – 06/30/09 was reviewed
  - h. Memorandum from Secretary of the State Susan Bysiewicz re: gender/racial composition biennial report was reviewed.
  - i. Evaluation from Mark Sanders re: Continuing Education course was reviewed
27. Old Business:
- a. Discussion re: Training Card for PV license, **No cards will be issued by DCP, an Apprenticeship training has been establish by the DOL**
  - b. Discussion re: CE requirements for PV license. Will be establish at a later date by the Board
28. New Business: None
29. Formal Administrative Hearings: None
30. Matters Previously Heard Pending Decision: None
31. Final Decisions Pending Signature: None
32. Adjournment:

Respectfully Submitted,  
Sallie R. Pinkney, Secretary  
State Electrical Examining Work Board