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# Board of Professional Engineers - Ratification Conference Call May 18, 2018 10:00 a.m. – Tallahassee

A. Call to Order, Roll Call.

Mr. Todd called the meeting to order. Ms. Raybon called roll.

### **Board Members present:**

Kenneth Todd, P.E., Chair Kevin Fleming, P.E., Vice Chair Dylan Albergo, P.E. Scott Drury, P.E. Pankaj (PJ) Shah, P.E Babu Varghese, P.E., S.I. Vivian Boza, Public Member Elizabeth Ferguson, Public Member

# **Board Members Absent:**

William Bracken, P.E., S.I. Michelle Roddenberry, Ph.D., P.E.

# **General Counsel:**

Mary Ellen Clark, Attorney General, Attorney General's Office

### FBPE Staff Present:

Zana Raybon	Executive Director
Rebecca Sammons	Assistant Executive Director
Lisa Metcalf	PE Applications

#### **Board Members**

**KENNETH TODD, P.E.** CHAIR (Civil) 1/30/12–10/31/19

**C. KEVIN FLEMING, P.E.** VICE CHAIR (Electrical) 3/27/15–10/31/18

DYLAN ALBERGO, P.E. (Civil) 2/21/18–10/31/21 WILLIAM C. BRACKEN, P.E., S.I. (Structural) 1/30/12–10/31/19

**SCOTT DRURY, P.E.** (Mechanical) 2/21/18-10/31/21

MICHELLE D. RODDENBERRY, PH.D., P.E. (Educational) 3/27/12–10/31/17 **Рамкај Shah, P.E.** (Civil) 5/25/17–10/31/20

Walid Sobh, P.E. (Civil) 5/1/18 - 10/31/18

BABU VARGHESE, P.E., S.I. (Civil) 2/20/15–10/31/20 **Vivian Boza** (Public) 7/22/13–10/31/19

**ELIZABETH FERGUSON** (Public) 3/27/15– 10/31/18

ZANA RAYBON Executive Director

Angie Henricks	NCEES & Endorsement Applications
Pam Lowery	FE Applications
Nancy Wilkins	CE & SI Applications

Mr. Todd confirmed a quorum for the conference call.

Upon motion by Mr. Fleming, seconded by Mr. Varghese, to excuse the absence of Mr. Bracken, the motion passed.

- B. Ratification of the actions taken during the FBPE Application Reviews held on May 8, 2018
  - Mr. Varghese stated that number #3 (John Gregos, Jr) on the SI List should read as follows: Lacks required inspection experience. Projects 7 and 8 are occurring at the same time period as project 6, and therefore not counted. Project 2 (just the sanctuary only) and 3 (three story building) are not threshold buildings.

Ms. Sammons stated that#1 (Andrew Greges) on the FE list should be a conditional approval since the application was an FE application and only lacked general education.

Mr. Drury asked about #2 (Villa, Javier) on the Licensure by Endorsement list. He stated that he thought the committee requested a board appearance as they did with other applications with similar circumstances not to deny the application. Discussion followed on the procedures and the 90-day rule for applications once they are complete. Ms. Raybon stated that once an application is complete the board must either approve or deny the application within 90 days. Ms. Clark confirmed this. Discussion followed.

Upon motion by Mr. Varghese, seconded by Mr. Drury, to deny the application of Mr. Villa based on FS 471.03 and 61G15-20.002 (1)(b)(4) & (1)(b)(12) or the applicant can waive the 90-day requirement and appear before the board to discuss his experience, the motion passed.

Mr. Todd asked about #1 (Soler Martinez, Jose) on the Licensure by Endorsement list. Upon motion by Mr. Varghese, seconded by Mr. Shah, to deny the application of Mr. Soler Martinez based on FS 471.03 and 61G15-20.002 (1)(b)(4) & (1)(b)(12) or the applicant can waive the 90-day requirement and appear before the board to discuss his experience, the motion passed.

Mr. Todd asked about #12 (Hughes, Allen) on the PE Application list and stated that the supplemental materials that are included in the materials show that he has the required 48-months of experience. Discussion followed. Ms. Clark stated that the board could change the actions of the committee.

Upon motion by Mr. Shah, seconded by Mr. Varghese, to approve the application of Mr. Hughes, the motion passed.

Upon motion by Mr. Fleming, seconded by Mr. Varghese, to approve the ratification list as amended, the motion passed.

C. Reconsider of Denial of application of Mr. Nabil Mikhail and request to withdraw

Ms. Clark stated the board could reconsider the notice of intent to deny and act on his request to withdraw.

Upon motion by Mr. Shah, seconded by Mr. Varghese, to reconsider the notice of intent dated May 2017 of the application of Mr. Mikhail and allow Mr. Mikhail's request to withdraw dated May 2018, the motion passed.

- D. Old Business
- E. New Business.
  - a. Date, Time and Location of Next Educational Committee & Application Review Meeting July 18, 2018 at 1pm & 3pm (via conference call)
    FBPE Office
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Meeting adjourned.