

**Minutes for
The Florida Board of Professional Engineers
July 10, 2024, beginning at 1 p.m. or soon thereafter
Via video conference**

A. Call to Order, Roll Call, Determination of Quorum, and Address Absences.

Mr. Albergo called the meeting to order. Ms. Sammons called roll.

Board Members Present:

Dylan Albergo, P.E., Chair
Denise Ramsey, P.E., Vice Chair
Sam Mousa, P.E.
Jeb Mulock, P.E.
Yassi Myers, P.E.
John Pistorino, P.E., S.I.
Christopher Dawson, Public Member
James Gonzalez, Public Member

Board Member Absent:

Pankaj (PJ) Shah, P.E.
Babu Varghese, P.E., S.I.

Attorney General's Office:

Lawrence Harris, Senior Assistant Attorney General, Counsel to the Board

Staff Members Present:

Zana Raybon, Executive Director
John J. Rimes, III, Chief Prosecuting Attorney
Rebecca Sammons, Assistant Executive Director

Upon motion by Ms. Myers, seconded by Ms. Ramsey, to excuse the absences of Mr. Shah and Mr. Varghese, the motion passed unanimously.

B. Introduction of guests and announcements as to presentations at a time certain

C. FBPE Mission and Scope

#1. FBPE's Mission: To protect the health and safety of the public by properly regulating the practice of engineering within the State of Florida.

#2. FBPE's Scope: To meet its statutory obligation and exercise its legislative authority by reviewing and approving engineering applications; managing, updating and enforcing the rules that govern the practice of engineering and to guard against the unlicensed practice of engineering within the State of Florida.

D. Approval of the Agenda

Upon motion by Ms. Ramsey, seconded by Mr. Mousa, to approve the agenda, the motion passed unanimously.

Licensure Hearings Informal Hearing Agenda

Description of Educational Committee Process by Dylan Albergo, P.E.

E. Informal Hearing on Denial of Application for Licensure as Professional Engineer

#1. Nkemefuma Iloanya

This case was moved to August as the applicant was unable to attend.

Application Review

F. Review and Approval of Annual Regulatory Plan

Mr. Harris presented the annual regulatory plan for review.

Upon motion by Mr. Mousa, seconded by Ms. Myers, to delegate the chair to finalize the plan with staff and board counsel and authorize Mr. Albergo to sign the plan, the motion passed.

G. Review of Applications – Education and Experience will be done at one time and ratified at the same time

- PE Licensure Applications
- SI Applications
- EI Endorsement Applications
- FRSE Applications

Mr. Harris discussed the new procedures due to SB1600.

Ms. Sammons read the list of the applicants and the reasons for review for each application. The Board proceeded through the list with discussion as appropriate to the decision.

Upon motion by Ms. Myers, seconded by Ms. Ramsey, that the list read by Ms. Sammons is approved as the decisions of the board, the motion passed.

Upon motion by Mr. Gonzalez, seconded by Mr. Dawson, to deny the applications and find that the license from the other jurisdiction is not substantially equivalent to or is otherwise insufficient for a license in this state, the motion passed.

H. Old Business

I. New Business

J. Adjourn



July 2024 FBPE Application Review List

	Name	Received Date	Application Type	Initial Licensure in Florida:	Approved:	Denied:	Board Member Assigned:	Comments:
1	Alford, Warren	5/22/2024	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			CD/JG	Dawson/Gonzalez	Lacks 2 hours of general education.
2	Berkes, Aaron	9/6/2022	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			JM/SM	Mulock/Mousa	incomplete application over 1yr
3	Buchhorn, Wesley	5/13/2024	P.E. NCEES Endorsement		DR		Ramsey	
4	Culver, Eric		FRSE Application			DA	Albergo	lacks 5 full years of experience; repairs to bldgs
5	Damalas, Christos	2/28/2022	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			JM/SM	Mulock/Mousa	incomplete application over 1yr
6	Dinh, Kien	5/23/2024	P.E. NCEES Endorsement	Initial		DA/DR	Albergo/Ramsey	Lacks 48 months of experience. Cannot count graduate degrees for experience; not earned from ABET programs.
7	Donald, Richard	5/4/2022	P.E. Endorsement			JM/SM	Mulock/Mousa	incomplete application over 1yr
8	Duncan, Justin		FRSE Application		DR		Ramsey	
9	Gonzalez, Italo	5/28/2024	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			CD/JG	Dawson/Gonzalez	Lacks 9 hours of general education.
10	Gwinn, Jr., Thomas	4/14/2022	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			JM/SM	Mulock/Mousa	incomplete application over 1yr
11	Ismail, Osama	8/1/2022	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			JM/SM	Mulock/Mousa	incomplete application over 1yr
12	Jeary, Alan	5/19/2022	P.E. Endorsement			JP/YM	Pistorino/Myers	incomplete application over 1yr
13	Johnson, Joshua	3/20/2023	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			JP/YM	Pistorino/Myers	incomplete application over 1yr
14	Kitchens, Paul	1/20/2022	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			JP/YM	Pistorino/Myers	incomplete application over 1yr
15	Kostanic, Ivica	11/16/2023	P.E. Endorsement	Initial	DA		Albergo/Ramsey	
16	Lade, Robert	7/15/2022	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			JP/YM	Pistorino/Myers	incomplete application over 1yr
17	Lahey, Michael	5/17/2024	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			DR/DA	Ramsey/Albergo	Criminal history.
18	Landi, Arman	5/21/2024	P.E. NCEES Endorsement	Initial		CD/JG	Dawson/Gonzalez	Lacks 6.8 hours of general education.
19	Leite, Salatiel	7/14/2022	P.E. Endorsement	Initial		JP/YM	Pistorino/Myers	incomplete application over 1yr
20	Lu, Guang	8/8/2022	P.E. Endorsement			JP/YM	Pistorino/Myers	incomplete application over 1yr
21	Maciejewski, Ronald	2/28/2022	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			DA/DR	Albergo/Ramsey	incomplete application over 1yr
22	Mansour, Michael	5/23/2024	EI Endorsement			CD/JG	Dawson/Gonzalez	Lacks 4.25 gen ed
23	Maxson, Steven	2/7/2022	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			DA/DR	Albergo/Ramsey	incomplete application over 1yr
24	May, Robert	7/12/2022	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			DA/DR	Albergo/Ramsey	incomplete application over 1yr
25	Namdar, Nader	5/2/2023	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			DA/DR	Albergo/Ramsey	incomplete application over 1yr
26	Pallepati, Shirish Kumar	10/3/2022	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			DA/DR	Albergo/Ramsey	incomplete application over 1yr
27	Parker, Kayla	5/15/2024	P.E. NCEES Endorsement	Initial		DA/DR	Albergo/Ramsey	Lacks 48 months of experience.
28	Patil, Vishal	6/3/2024	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			CD/JG	Dawson/Gonzalez	Lacks 9 hours of general education.
29	Pina, Mark	6/6/2024	P.E. Special Inspector		DA		Albergo	
30	Popper, Elliot		FRSE Application		JM		Mulock	
31	Rendon, Juan		FRSE Application		SM		Mousa	
32	Rivera, Omar	12/4/2023	P.E. Endorsement		DA		Albergo	
33	Standford, Scott	6/6/2024	P.E. Special Inspector		JP		Pistorino	
34	Torres, Camilo	6/6/2024	P.E. Special Inspector		DA		Albergo	
35	Watts, Jessica	1/9/2023	P.E. NCEES Endorsement			DA/DR	Albergo/Ramsey	incomplete application over 1yr