



NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS

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MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN

It's Been a Blur

Being Chairman of the North Carolina State Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractors has quietly been a goal of mine for many years. When I first came to North Carolina in the fall of 1992, I knew nothing about the Board. Soon after the appointment of Dr. Gary Leiby as the Chairman of the Electrical Engineering Department at North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University, he was selected to serve on the Board. He described his role and the service the Board performed. Many of the Board members still remember his time with the Board. If you go to his office today he proudly displays a foot long piece of a 2 by 4 given to him in honor of his service. I thought it was a great honor for him to be selected by the Governor of our great state to serve such an important role.

Many years passed and I thought little of it unless I visited Dr. Leiby's office and saw his "Board board". In 2011, I was asked to suggest someone from the Electrical and Computer Engineering Department (the Electrical Engineering Department changed its name to reflect the addition of a new program in 2003) to serve on the Board. Without hesitation, I offered myself in service to the citizens. After my appointment by then Governor Purdue, I was contacted by the Executive Director, Robbie Brooks and he scheduled a meeting to introduce me to the Board and my roles and responsibilities. My first meeting was great. All of the members were of shared focus—excited to see their fellow citizens and the electrical contractors who work diligently and skillfully to provide exemplary service.

I was impressed with the collegiality and esprit de corps they shared. The staff was equally committed and collegial. In my last message, I shared how very important Mr. Curtis Kennedy is to the Board and me. He exemplifies servant leadership. In this message, I want to recognize two former Board member whom I have the pleasure of serving with, Mr. Julian Burns and Mr. Gray Bryant. Thank you both for your unselfish dedication and service to the Board. Mr. Burns has over 15 years with the board and two terms as our chairman. Mr. Bryant has over 16 years of service and also served two terms as our chairman. We owe you both our debt of gratitude. May you both continue to be richly blessed.

This is a very personal message from the chairman. I am excited and honored to serve. My purpose in sharing this message with you is to inspire you to "be of service to our industry". If you have not already, find a way to contribute to your Board. We want and need you to make us what we need to be even better. Thank you all for the opportunity to serve as your chairman.

Dr. John Kelly, Board Chairman

2013 ELECTRICAL APPRENTICE CONTEST WINNER

Shaun Birch, Watson Electrical Construction Co., LLC, Wilson, NC won the 2013 Electrical Apprentice Contest held October 23, 2013 at the NC State Fair, Raleigh, NC. Congratulations!

Electrical Contractors Newsletter

This newsletter is published semi-annually as a service to electrical contractor licensees and others in the electrical industry. Suggestions for articles of interest for publication in this newsletter are welcome.

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NEW BOARD MEMBER APPOINTED

Governor Pat McCrory has appointed Mark Griffin to the State Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractors succeeding Gray Bryant. Mr. Griffin's term will expire June 30, 2020.

Mr. Griffin has served as Director of Building Code Enforcement for Union County, NC since September 2012. Before taking over that role, he worked as an electrical inspector for ten years and as electrical inspection supervisor for four years. He holds Level III standard certifications from the Department of Insurance in electrical, building, plumbing, and mechanical classifications. He is also approved as an electrical continuing education instructor by the NC Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractors and also for NC Code Officials Qualification Board. Mr. Griffin is qualified by the NC Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractors in the unlimited classification.



Mark and his wife Michelle have two sons and two grandchildren and reside in Monroe, NC.

TERM EXPIRES FOR BOARD MEMBER

The term of Gray Bryant as a member of the State Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractors has recently expired.

Mr. Bryant served on the Board from 1995-2003 and 2005-2014. He was Board Chairman 2002-2003 and 2008-2009.

The Board greatly appreciates the outstanding contributions made by Mr. Bryant to the electrical industry and the citizens of North Carolina.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ROBBIE BROOKS TO RETIRE

Robbie Brooks, Executive Director of the NC State Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractors, will retire July 1, 2014 after over 34 years of service.

Joining the Board in 1979 as Field Representative, he held that position until July 1, 1982 when he was promoted to Field Representative Examination Supervisor. In March of 1984, he was promoted to Assistant Executive Director to Executive Director Curtis Kennedy; he then succeeded Mr. Kennedy upon his retirement on July 1, 1985.

The Board congratulates Robbie on the completion of his long and distinguished service to the Board, electrical industry and citizens of North Carolina and wishes him and his wife Kim, much happiness in his well-deserved retirement.

FAREWELL NOTE FROM ROBBIE BROOKS

It has truly been a great honor of my life to serve as Executive Director of the State Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractors for the past 29 years, and it will continue to be an honor to support the Board. Having been selected to serve in such an important position will always be a cherished memory. I have had the opportunity to work with some of the most professional and dedicated board members, staff, counsel, and industry representatives. I am proud of all that we have accomplished together. I also appreciate the assistance and support from the numerous local, state and national organizations that I have been privileged to be a part of throughout my public service career. Many of these folks have become wonderful friends.

Thank you all for the support you have shown me over the years. I gave it my best and I hope I did not let you down.

Sincerely,
Robbie Brooks, Executive Director

NEW EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



Timothy S. Norman was recently named Executive Director of the State Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractors. Tim will begin work at the Board on April 1, 2014.

Tim Norman is a construction engineer and project monitor for the NC Department of

Administration with over 20 years' experience in the electrical and construction field. Previously he was a State electrical inspector for the NC Department of Administration, State Construction Office and also an electrical inspector for the NC Department of Insurance, Office of State Fire Marshal.

Tim holds an unlimited electrical contractor's license which he has held since 1996. Tim is also certified as a Level III Inspector for North Carolina in Building, Electrical, Mechanical and Plumbing. Tim served as a part-time instructor with Surry Community College, which Tim is a graduate of, teaching courses on the National Electrical Code. He is an active member of Haymore Memorial Baptist Church having served as a Deacon, past Chairman of Deacons, Property Chairman, Missions Committee Chairman and Baptist Men's Director.

He is married to April and they have three children: Tyler, Leah, Adam and his fiancé June. They have three grandchildren: Jasper, Banks and Britton.

ACTIVE LICENSES-MARCH 26, 2014

Limited	7,367	SP-PH	361
Intermediate	468	SP-EL	51
Unlimited	3,219	SP-ES	50
SP-SFD	424	SP-WP	35
SP-FA/LV	924	SP-SP	9

Total: 12,908

PROGRAM EVALUATION

The Legislature has mandated a study of possible consolidation or centralization of some or all boards such as this Board. There are many issues or questions to be considered. Among them are the value of another layer of bureaucracy, how much of your money would go to subsidize some other occupation, whether regulation by persons unconnected to the construction industry would make things better or worse, and whether efforts to address unlicensed contractors or bad apples in the industry would be impaired or improved. We'll provide updates as available, but expect this process may be ongoing for 18 months. The idea that the ability of the electrical industry to regulate itself could be lost is of considerable concern.

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING LICENSING AND CSST BONDING

The Board during its meeting held September 19, 2013 considered a question regarding the recent law amendment to NCGS 87-43.1, the statute which lists exceptions from the requirement to hold license as an Electrical Contractor. The new language provides as follows: "The provisions of this Article shall not apply to the bonding of corrugated stainless steel tubing (CSST) gas piping systems as required under Section 310.1.1 of the 2012 N.C. Fuel Gas Code."

Question: Does this mean that anyone, licensed or unlicensed, can open the panel, remove the cover and install the ground wire for the bonding?

The Board carefully considered all aspects of this issue with respect to Section 310.1.1 of the 2012 N.C. Fuel Gas Code, the best interest of the unlicensed CSST installers and the best interest of the public. The Board determined that the referenced exemption provision of NCGS 87-43.1 would apply to installing the bonding conductor from the point where the gas service enters the building or structure and running it to a readily accessible external mounted intersystem bonding termination device, an approved grounding electrode conductor or an approved grounding electrode such as the metal frame of the building or structure, rod, or pipe, but outside of any energized electrical panels. The Board further determined that, when such external connections are not available, a licensed electrical contractor will be required to make the connection inside an energized electrical panel, or provide a termination device for use by the public.

If you have any questions, please contact William "AL" Parris, Enforcement Coordinator at (919) 733-9042 Ext. 203.

QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL REMINDERS

The Board's Staff was directed by the Disciplinary Committee to create a document to remind Qualified Individuals and licensees of their responsibilities. The Board approved the document December 5th, 2013 to be added to the Board's awareness program. Take time to read it on the Board's website:

<http://www.ncbeec.org/qualified-individual-reminder/>

UPDATE ON BOARD RULES

At its meetings on February 11, 2014, the Board directed Staff and Counsel to proceed on proposed amendments to the rules of the Board as follows:

1. Table the proposed Electrical Technician license proposal for the time being, allowing further discussion and greater consensus on the direction to be taken;
2. Proceed with the increase in license renewal fees, but delay the effective date until July 1, 2015, allowing some further recovery of the construction sector;
3. Commence amendment of the project value limitations to increase the limited license from \$40,000 to \$50,000, and the Intermediate license from \$110,000 to \$130,000. At present, counsel anticipates publication April 15, a public hearing May 7, 2014 and that the new limits could take effect August 1, 2014, if adopted by the Board after the hearing.

DATES AHEAD

2014 NC ELECTRICAL INSTITUTE

The NC Electrical Institute will be held at the North Raleigh Hilton, Raleigh, NC, April 8-9, 2014. For detailed information, contact Ron Chilton, Telephone 919/661-5880 ext. 235.

2014 CECA ANNUAL CONVENTION

The Carolinas Electrical Contractors Association will hold its Annual Convention at the Marriott Resort at Grande Dunes, Myrtle Beach, SC, June 19-22, 2014. For detailed information, contact the CECA office, Telephone 704/365-4016.

2014 NCAEC ANNUAL CONVENTION & TRADESHOW

The NC Association of Electrical Contractors will hold its Annual Convention & Tradeshow at the Hilton, Myrtle Beach, SC, July 10-12, 2014. For detailed information, contact the NCAEC office, Telephone 336/854-8354.

License Name Requirements

All electrical contracting business, including all business advertising and the submission of all documents and papers, conducted in the State of North Carolina by a licensee of the Board shall be conducted in the exact name in which the electrical contracting license is issued.

A licensee conducting any form of electrical contracting under a name other than the exact name in which the license is issued may be legally deemed to be doing so in violation of State law the same as though the firm has no license at all and is subject, not only to the penalties of law, but may not be entitled to collect for any electrical contracting work or services performed under such name. Reference: NCGS 87-43; NCGS 87-47; NCGS 87-48; 21 NCAC 18B .0402; and Court Cases: Builders Supply Co. vs. Midyette 274 NC 264; Construction Co. vs. Anderson, 5 NC Appl. 12; Vogue vs. Reed Supply Co., 277 NC 119; and Helms vs. Dawkins, NC Appl. 453.

Any licensee desiring to change the name in which the license is issued should contact the Board's office for proper forms and procedures.

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THE BOARD'S PRICE SCHEDULE IS AS FOLLOWS:

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COURT CASES

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2011-232, 2012-193 and 2012-239

NON-LICENSEE: Christopher Paul Beard d/b/a Oakfield Builders

ADDRESS: 4127 Edgedale Drive
Fayetteville, NC 28304

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: A civil action was instituted in Cumberland County Superior Court resulting in the entry of an Order of Contempt on August 7, 2013 finding Christopher Paul Beard, individually and d/b/a Oakfield Builders, guilty of Criminal Contempt of a July 10, 2010 Judgment of Permanent Injunction which orders the Defendant to refrain from engaging in business as an electrical contractor at all such times as he is not properly licensed to do so. The Order of Contempt sentenced Mr. Beard to a 30 day jail to be served in the custody of the NC Division of Adult Correction. Defendant was also ordered to refrain from any further violation of the July 10, 2010 Judgment of Permanent Injunction.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 7, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-33

NON-LICENSEE: Robert Cooper

ADDRESS: Box 454
Indian Trail, NC 28079

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Union County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on April 8, 2013 whereby Robert Cooper individually and d/b/a Empire Heating & Cooling is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 6, 2012

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-120

NON-LICENSEE: James Ronald Bell

ADDRESS: 982 Carolina Rd.
Tabor City, NC 28463

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Columbus County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on June 25, 2013 whereby James Ronald Bell

individually is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 25, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-128

NON-LICENSEE: Stephen Rodney Cannon d/b/a Top Quality Maintenance

ADDRESS: P.O. Box 242
Winterville, NC 28590

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Pitt County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on September 27, 2013 whereby Stephen R. Cannon individually and d/b/a Top Quality Maintenance is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 27, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-184

NON-LICENSEE: Tilton Taylor d/b/a Tilton Taylor Electric

ADDRESS: 2011 Progress Street
Fayetteville, NC 28306

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Cumberland County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on July 15, 2013 whereby Tilton Taylor individually and d/b/a Tilton Taylor Electric is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 15, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-186

NON-LICENSEE: Gary West, aka Glen L. West d/b/a GL West Electric

ADDRESS: 2378 Pro-Tect Way Ste. B
Logansville, GA 30052

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Craven County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on May 2, 2013 whereby Gary West, aka Glen L. West individually and d/b/a GL West Electric is permanently

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restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 2, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-197

NON-LICENSEE: Willie Reed d/b/a Apex Cary Plumbing

ADDRESS: 567 Big Pine road
Clayton, NC 27520

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Johnston County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on April 30, 2013 whereby Willie Reed individually and d/b/a Apex Cary Plumbing is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 30, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-214

NON-LICENSEE: Earl Rorrer

ADDRESS: 510 Cornerstone Ct.
Hillsborough, NC 27278

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Orange County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on May 7, 2013 whereby Earl Rorrer individually is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 7, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-230

NON-LICENSEE: Michael Humphrey d/b/a Home Technology

ADDRESS: 503 Summit Dr.
Sanford, NC 27330

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Lee County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on April 22, 2013 whereby Michael Humphrey individually and d/b/a Home Technology is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from

the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 22, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-229

NON-LICENSEE: Hubert Arrington d/b/a Arrington Well & Pump Service

ADDRESS: P. O. Box 1455
Brevard, NC 28712

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Transylvania County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on April 5, 2013 whereby Hubert Arrington individually and d/b/a Arrington Well & Pump Service is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 5, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-231 and 2012-232

NON-LICENSEE: Bobby Helms Jr.

ADDRESS: Black Hawk Lane
Bodin, NC 28009

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Stanly County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on June 6, 2013 whereby Bobby Helms Jr. individually is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 6, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-240

NON-LICENSEE: Thomas Gerald Caron d/b/a New Dimensions Enterprises, LLC

ADDRESS: 221 Craggy St.
PO Box 818
Black Mountain, NC 28711

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Buncombe County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on March 13, 2013 whereby Thomas Gerald Caron individually and d/b/a New Dimensions Enterprises, LLC is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he

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has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: March 13, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-248

NON-LICENSEE: Buddy Davis Smith

ADDRESS: 331 Odell Rd.
Mayodan, NC 27027

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Rockingham County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on April 22, 2013 whereby Buddy Davis Smith individually is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 22, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-245

NON-LICENSEE: Larry F. Robinson d/b/a Robinson HVAC

ADDRESS: 102 Ash Landing
Goldsboro, NC 27530

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Wayne County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on August 28, 2013 whereby Larry F. Robinson individually and d/b/a Robinson HVAC is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 28, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-249

NON-LICENSEE: Shannon Riley d/b/a CRC Rebuilders, LLC

ADDRESS: 65 American Way
Fletcher, NC 28732

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Henderson County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on April 5, 2013 whereby Shannon Riley individually and d/b/a CRC Rebuilders, LLC is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 5, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-253

NON-LICENSEE: Scott Campbell

ADDRESS: 434 Demming Rd.
Chapel Hill, NC 27514

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Orange County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on May 31, 2013 whereby Scott Campbell individually is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 31, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-277

NON-LICENSEE: Brett Eric Alvens

ADDRESS: 509 Sioux Dr.
Jacksonville, NC 28540

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Onslow County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on May 17, 2013 whereby Brett Eric Alvens individually is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 17, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-29

NON-LICENSEE: Dwain Strader d/b/a Cellusun Heat & Air

ADDRESS: 1175 Oregon Hill Rd.
Reidsville, NC 27320

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Rockingham County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on May 3, 2013 whereby Dwain Strader individually and d/b/a Cellusun Heat & Air is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 3, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-36

NON-LICENSEE: Michael J. Dick

ADDRESS: 4528 Webbs Chapel Road
Denver, NC 28037

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VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Lincoln County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on April 2, 2013 whereby Michael J. Dick individually is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 2, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-40

NON-LICENSEE: Titus Myrick a/k/a Tytus Myrick

ADDRESS: 4038 Castalia Rd.
Nashville, NC 27856

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Nash County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on September 11, 2013 whereby Titus Myrick a/k/a Tytus Myrick individually is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 11, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-47

NON-LICENSEE: Edward D. Kirby d/b/a E. Kirby Construction

ADDRESS: 1700 Eastview Dr.
Aberdeen, NC 28315

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Moore County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on May 16, 2013 whereby Edward Dale Kirby individually and d/b/a E. Kirby Construction is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 16, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-59

NON-LICENSEE: Wayne Wrench d/b/a Commercial Kitchen Ventilation And Safety LLC

ADDRESS: Wayne Wrench
Commercial Kitchen Ventilation And Safety LLC
8761 Fayetteville Hwy.
Godwin, NC 28344

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Cumberland County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on September 18, 2013 whereby Wayne Wrench individually and d/b/a Commercial Kitchen Ventilation & Safety, LLC is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 18, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-94

NON-LICENSEE: Timothy Roger Brown

ADDRESS: 4393 Leger Rd.
Valdese, NC 28690

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Burke County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on August 15, 2013 whereby Timothy Roger Brown individually is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 15, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-123

NON-LICENSEE: James Allen Smith

ADDRESS: 52 Patsy Dr.
Cameron, NC 28326

VIOLATION: Engaging in the business of electrical contracting without a license

COURT ACTION: Civil action instituted in Harnett County Superior Court resulting in the entry of a Court Order on September 6, 2013 whereby James Allen Smith individually is permanently restrained from engaging in the business of electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, until such time he has been issued a license from the Board. The defendant was assessed with the costs of this action.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 6, 2013

NOTICE OF VIOLATIONS

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-258

LICENSEE: Green Dot Heating & Air Conditioning

ADDRESS: 1227 S 3rd Street
Wilmington, NC 28401

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: Vernon Verese

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Harmon

LICENSE NUMBER: 26206-I

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (7) and Title 21 NCAC 18B .0909 in that the firm:

- (1) Failed to obtain required electrical permit and inspections for wiring installed at 106 Sound View Dr., Wilmington;
- (2) Engaging in electrical contracting with an expired license. Staff notes license expired May 20, 2013 during completion of 106 Sound View Drive electrical project;
- (3) Failed to resolve the matter in a timely manner as requested by the Board's Staff; and
- (4) Engaged in malpractice in the practice of electrical contracting.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and a two (2) year probation, with one (1) year suspension of license and the right to serve as a listed qualified individual on any license issued by the Board in the event of failure to comply with the following conditions:

- (1) Obtain required continuing education and renew electrical contracting license by May 31, 2013. Vernon Verese Harmon is warned that electrical contracting license must be renewed in a timely manner when firm has active electrical projects;
- (2) Obtain final electrical inspection for wiring installed at 106 Sound View Dr., Wilmington within fifteen days (15) after license renewal;
- (3) Complete the Contractor Business Class (Umpire Technologies Group, Inc., 919-624-3456, www.umpiretechnologiesgroup.com) approved by the State Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractors and present evidence to the Board of a passing grade by May 23, 2014;
- (4) Obtain permits prior to commencement of work and request inspections within ten (10) days of substantial completion of all work for which license is required; and
- (5) Commit no violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 19, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-3

LICENSEE: Stanley Nichols Electric

ADDRESS: 1679 Scarborough Road
Greenville, NC 27858

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: Stanley Eugene Nichols

LICENSE NUMBER: 22642 SP-SFD

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (1), (7) and Title 21 NCAC 18B .0909 in that the firm:

- (1) Exceeded the scope of firms SP-SFD electrical contracting license by installing wiring on an air conditioning change out at 207 SW Greenville Blvd,

Greenville NC on the Hilton Hotel;

(2) Failed to obtain a required electrical permit and inspection for an electrical project on a mechanical change out at 724 Edenbrook Dr, Winterville, NC; and

(3) Engaged in malpractice, unethical conduct in the practice of electrical contracting.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and a civil penalty of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) and one (1) year probation with the following conditions:

- (1) Commit no further violations of Article 4, Chapter 87 or the rules of the Board;
- (2) Have written contracts or proposals for all projects having a project value in excess of one(\$100.00) hundred dollars;
- (3) Obtain permits prior to commencement of work and obtain inspections within ten(10) days of substantial completion for all work; and
- (4) Maintain job files or other written records of contracts made and installations performed.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 19, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-32

LICENSEE: Pace Electric Co. of Wilmington

ADDRESS: 5490 East Wind Road
Wilmington, NC 28403

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL AND OWNER: Carl H. Murrell (Qualified Individual)

Phillip Earl Meeks (Owner)

LICENSE NUMBER: 6935-I

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (3), (7) and Title 21, NCAC 18B .0909 in that the firm:

(1) Contracted to install electrical wiring at 3412 Sparrow Hawk Court, Wilmington and performed the work without first obtaining a required electrical permit abandoning the project with code violations;

(2) Failed to utilize Tax Form W-2 employees in the operation of the business;

(3) Operated business in a name other than listed with the Board, received payments in the name of Phillip Meeks; and

(4) Engaged in malpractice, unethical conduct, fraud, deceit or gross negligence in the practice of electrical contracting.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and one (1) year probation, with one (1) year suspension of license and the right to serve as a listed qualified individual on any license issued by the Board in the event of failure to comply with the following conditions:

- (1) Make arrangements to correct code violations or refund six hundred dollars (\$600.00) for the electrical wiring to Savvas/Marleen Georgiades at 3412 Sparrow Hawk Court, Wilmington by October 16, 2013;

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(2) Carl H. Murrell must complete the Contractor Business Class (Umpire Technologies Group, Inc.) approved by the State Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractors and present evidence to the Board of a passing grade by September 12, 2014;

(3) Have written contracts or proposals for all projects having a project value in excess of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) signed by the licensee and customer for each installation for which the licensee is responsible;

(4) Obtain permits prior to commencement of work and obtain inspections within ten (10) days of substantial completion for all work for which license is required and;

(5) Maintain job files or other written records of contracts made and installations performed;

(6) Neither engage, offer to engage or market electrical contracting other than in the name in which license is shown on the records of the Board; and

(7) Commit no further violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 5, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-45

LICENSEE: Pernell Inc.

ADDRESS: 519 Bright Leaf Blvd.
Smithfield, NC 27577

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: George Carlton
Pernell

LICENSE NUMBER: 19614-SP-PH

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (1) in that the firm: Continued to offer and engage in electrical contracting after license expired. Respondent installed electrical wiring for a heat pump replacement located 2210 Buckboard Tr. Nashville, NC 27568.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand with one (1) year probation and suspension of license and the right to serve as a listed qualified individual on any license issued by the Board in the event of failure to comply with the following conditions: Commit no further violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board.

Staff notes that license expired on June 30, 2000 and probation will begin on date license is reactivated.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 6, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-62

LICENSEE: Onslow Electric Co.

ADDRESS: 241South Marine Blvd.
Jacksonville, NC 28540

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: Donald Francis Miller Jr.

LICENSE NUMBER: 16250-L

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (7) and Title 21 NCAC 18B .0909 in that the firm:

(1) Failed to obtain required electrical permit and inspections for wiring installed at Captain D's Restaurant, 1417 N. Marine Blvd, Jacksonville, NC; and

(2) Engaged in malpractice in the practice of electrical contracting.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and a civil penalty of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) and six (6) month probation, with six (6) months suspension of license and the right to serve as a listed qualified individual on any license issued by the Board in the event of failure to comply with the following conditions:

(1) Commit no violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board; and

(2) Obtain permits prior to commencement of work and request inspections within ten (10) days of substantial completion of all work for which license is required.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 5, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-78

LICENSEE: Hutcheson Builder LLC

ADDRESS: P. O. Box 434
Southmont, NC 27351

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: Ron L. Hutcheson

LICENSE NUMBER: 25893-L

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (3), (6), (7), Title 21 NCAC 18B .0907 (c), .0908 (c), .0909 (a) and (b) in that the firm:

(1) Aiding and abetting Shane Hutcheson, an unlicensed person, to perform electrical wiring under license of Hutcheson Builders LLC without being a bona fide employee;

(2) Failed to correct deficiencies in a timely manner for an electrical project located 508 Carroll St. Thomasville, NC;

(3) After repeated attempts by the City of Thomasville Inspection Department to communicate permit issues Respondent failed to secure a final inspection on electrical project located 508 Carroll St. Thomasville, NC and complete final inspections on two other electrical permits;

(4) Failed to secure final inspections on six electrical permits in 2012 from Davidson County Inspection Department;

(5) Failed to secure final inspection on eight electrical permits from Rowan County Inspection Department;

(6) Failed to supervise employees of Triad Electrical Inc. engaged in electrical contracting and Hutcheson Builders LLC;

(7) Operated in a business name other license is issued by the Board in that firm continued to engaged in electrical

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contracting as Triad Electrical Inc. after name was changed to Hutcheson Builders LLC; and

(8) Engaged in deceit or unethical conduct in the use of Respondent's electrical contracting license.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and a civil penalty of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) and two (2) year probation, with one (1) year suspension of license and the right to serve as a listed qualified individual on any license issued by the Board in the event of failure to comply with the following conditions:

(1) Obtain final electrical inspections on all open permits in jurisdictions of Cabarrus County, Davidson County, City of Thomasville and Rowan County and provide proof to the Board of final inspections on all open permits dated prior to March 2, 2013. Final inspections must be obtained by July 30, 2013;

(2) Have written contracts or proposals for all projects having a project value in excess of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) signed by the licensee and customer for each installation for which the licensee is responsible;

(3) Obtain permits prior to commencement of work and obtain inspections within ten (10) days of substantial completion for all work for which license is required;

(4) Maintain job files or other written records of contracts made and installations performed;

(5) Neither engage, offer to engage or market electrical contracting other than in the name in which license is shown on the records of the Board;

(6) Utilize only employees receiving a W-2 from the Respondent firm and only on projects for what the firm has its electrical contracts and provide supervision by a qualified person;

(7) Maintain records detailing and documenting compliance with the provisions of the probation order which records shall be available for inspection at any time during normal business hours upon request of the staff of the Board; and

(8) Commit no further violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 19, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-82

LICENSEE: W.E.G Electric Inc.

ADDRESS: 10734 Osprey Drive
Charlotte, NC 28226

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: Wilbert Eugene Gamble

LICENSE NUMBER: 12973-U

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (7) and Title 21 NCAC 18B .0909 in that the firm: Failed to obtain required electrical permits from the Mecklenburg County Inspection Department prior to performing electrical work on electrical projects located at 9530 South

Boulevard, Charlotte NC.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and a civil penalty of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) and six (6) month probation, with six (6) months suspension of license and the right to serve as a listed qualified individual on any license issued by the Board in the event of failure to comply with the following conditions:

(1) Commit no violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board; and

(2) Obtain permits prior to commencement of work and request inspections within ten (10) days of substantial completion of all work for which license is required.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 19, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-105

LICENSEE: Baxter's Electrical Service and Contracting

ADDRESS: 6911 Phillippi Church Road
Raeford, NC 28376-5927

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: David Harold Baxter

LICENSE NUMBER: 11284-U

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (1) (7) and Title 21 NCAC 18B (.0907 (c), .0908 (a), (c) and .0909 (a) in that the firm:

(1) Failed to obtain a required electrical permit from Robeson County Inspections prior to installing wiring on an electrical project located at 2385 Carolina Church Rd. Parkton, NC 28371;

(2) Failed to supervise employees in that you allowed your employee to install electrical wiring with violations of the NC State Electrical Code;

(3) Installed electrical contracting work with violations of the State Electrical Code as follows:

(a) Installed 20 ampere overcurrent device on 14 awg copper conductor. (NEC Article 240.4, 310.15 (B) (16);

(b) Failed to ground metal junction box. (NEC Article 250.134);

(c) Installed only one branch circuit to supply the following; laundry circuit, freezer, small appliance circuits, den, dining room, living room, three bedrooms and bathroom. This circuit supplied luminaires and receptacles in these areas. (NEC Article 210.11); and

(d) Failed to protect NM cables within 6ft. of attic access. (NEC Article 334.23, 320.23(A)).

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and a civil penalty of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) and one (1) year probation with the following conditions:

(1) Complete the project listed in this complaint located 2385 Carolina Church Rd. Parkton, NC and obtain a final electrical inspection from the Robeson County Inspection Department;

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(2) Have written contracts or proposals for all projects having a project value in excess of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) signed by the licensee and customer for each installation for which the licensee is responsible;

(3) Obtain permits prior to commencement of work and obtain inspections within ten (10) days of substantial completion for all work for which license is required;

(4) Maintain job files or other written records of contracts made and installations performed;

(5) Maintain records detailing and documenting compliance with the provisions of the probation order which records shall be available for inspection at any time during normal business hours upon request of the staff of the Board; and

(6) Commit no further violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

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CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-120

LICENSEE: HMM Electric Company LLC

ADDRESS: 150 BW Thomas Road
Fort Mill, SC 29708

OWNER & PROJECT MANAGER: Raymond Hunter and
Danny Hunter

LICENSE NUMBER: 21264-U

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (1) and 87-43.2 (3) in that the firm: Failed to notify the NC Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractors within (5) five days of loss of qualifier, Robert Donald Hunter License #21264-U deceased, and subsequently allowed firm to operate without a qualifier on a new lighting project in Durham NC.

An electrical license shall be cancelled if at any time no listed qualified individual is regularly employed by a licensee of the Board. After there is a loss of qualifier no work for which a license is required under Chapter 87 Article 4 may be bid, contracted or initiated until such time electrical contracting license is reinstated by the Board.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 19, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-121

LICENSEE: Willett Electrical Contractors

ADDRESS: 229 Newfound Road
Leicester, NC 28748

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: Dennis Gerald
Willett

LICENSE NUMBER: 9599-I

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (7) in that the firm: Installed a ground rod that measured forty-

two (42) inches in length for a saw service for a project located a 9 Cherry Grove Road, Swannanoa NC, in violation of Article 250.52(a) (5) of the North Carolina State Electrical Code.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and a civil penalty of five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

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CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-138

LICENSEE: Parker Heating and Air LLC

ADDRESS: 1024 Rockford Road
Dobson, NC 27017

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: David Mack Parker

LICENSE NUMBER: 29962 SP-PH

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (7) and Title 21 NCAC 18B .0909 in that the firm: Failed to obtain the required electrical permits from the Surry County Inspection Department prior to performing electrical work on the electrical projects located 3510 NC Hwy. 268, Siloam, NC and 331 Grace Street, Mount Airy, NC.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and a civil penalty of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) and six (6) month probation, with six (6) months suspension of license and the right to serve as a listed qualified individual on any license issued by the Board in the event of failure to comply with the following conditions:

(1) Commit no violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board; and

(2) Obtain permits prior to commencement of work and request inspections within ten (10) days of substantial completion of all work for which license is required.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 19, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-141

LICENSEE: Reliable Source Electric

ADDRESS: 3113 Wynnfield Drive
High Point, NC 27265

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: Anthony Waugh
Hayes

LICENSE NUMBER: 22067-L

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (7) and Title 21 NCAC 18B .0909 in that the firm: Failed to obtain required electrical permit prior to installing electrical wiring at 2919 McKinney St., Burlington, NC.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and a civil penalty of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) and six (6) month probation, with six (6) months suspension of license and the right to serve as a

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listed qualified individual on any license issued by the Board in the event of failure to comply with the following conditions:

- (1) Commit no violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board; and
- (2) Obtain permits prior to commencement of work and request inspections within ten (10) days of substantial completion of all work for which license is required.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 19, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-151

LICENSEE: Walker Electric & Service

ADDRESS: 946 Scotch Drive
Gastonia, NC 28054

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: Jeffrey Scott Walker

LICENSE NUMBER: 27596-L

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (7) and Title 21 NCAC 18B .0909 in that the firm: Failed to obtain required electrical permit from the City of Kings Mountain Inspection Department prior to performing electrical work on a project located at 1013 N. Piedmont Avenue, Kings Mountain NC.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and a civil penalty of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) and six (6) month probation, with six (6) months suspension of license and the right to serve as a listed qualified individual on any license issued by the Board in the event of failure to comply with the following conditions:

- (1) Commit no violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board; and
- (2) Obtain permits prior to commencement of work and request inspections within ten (10) days of substantial completion of all work for which license is required.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 5, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-158

LICENSEE: Triad Security Systems Inc.

ADDRESS: P.O. Box 833
Lexington, NC 27293-0833

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: David Tilden Driver III

LICENSE NUMBER: 18792-SP-FA/LV

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (7) and Title 21 NCAC 18B .0909 in that the firm:

Failed to obtain required electrical permit for an electrical project located at 1306 South Main St. Lexington, NC to install a security system before commencement of work.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and a civil penalty of two hundred

fifty dollars (\$250.00) and six (6) month probation, with six (6) months suspension of license and the right to serve as a listed qualified individual on any license issued by the Board in the event of failure to comply with the following conditions:

- (1) Commit no violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board; and
- (2) Obtain permits prior to commencement of work and request inspections within ten (10) days of substantial completion of all work for which license is required.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 5, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-169

LICENSEE: Lamb Electric

ADDRESS: P.O. Box 2704
Elizabeth City, NC 27906

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: Bruce Corbett Lamb

LICENSE NUMBER: 16043-L

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (7) and Title 21 NCAC 18B .0909 in that the firm:

- (1) Failed to obtain required electrical permit and inspections for wiring installed at 185 Summit Farms Trail, Moyock, NC; and
- (2) Engaged in malpractice in the practice of electrical contracting.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and a civil penalty of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) and six (6) month probation, with six (6) months suspension of license and the right to serve as a listed qualified individual on any license issued by the Board in the event of failure to comply with the following conditions:

- (1) Commit no violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board; and
- (2) Obtain permits prior to commencement of work and request inspections within ten (10) days of substantial completion of all work for which license is required.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 5, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-178

LICENSEE: George Ray Williamson III

ADDRESS: 124 B. James Drive
Selma, NC 27567

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: George Ray Williamson III

LICENSE NUMBER: 28357-L

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (1), (2), (3), (5), (7) and Title 21 NCAC 18B .0301, .0402 (b), .0908 (c), .0909 (b) and (c) in that the firm:

- (1) Allowed an unlicensed person, Steven Ford d/b/a S&B

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Equipment Services, 1872 River Crest Way Lawrenceville, GA, to engage in electrical contracting without being licensed;

(2) Sold transferred and assigned your electrical contracting license to an unlicensed person and firm, Steven Ford d/b/a S&B Equipment Services, by peddling your electrical contracting license for one thousand dollars (\$1000.00) to purchase an electrical permit from the Town of Garner for an electrical project named Chick-fil-A;

(3) Aided and Abetted an unlicensed person and firm, Steven Ford and employees of S&B Equipment Services to engage in electrical contracting without being bona fide employees of George Ray Williamson III;

(4) George Ray Williamson III failed to be regularly on active duty by working for an employer other than the employer on whose license he was the qualified individual. Electrical contracting work was done under license during hours its listed qualified individual, George Ray Williamson III, had committed to duty as an employee in other employment;

(5) Operated in a name other than which license is issued in that Respondent obtained an electrical permit in the name of GR Electric and electrical project was contracted in the name of S&B Equipment Services when license is listed as George Ray Williamson III;

(6) Allowed a permit to be obtained and license number #28357-L to appear upon an electrical permit for work which you or your bona fide employees did not perform;

(7) Failed to perform duties of a qualified individual by failing to provide general supervision and completion of the work for the electrical project noted above. By permitting this electrical project, allowed Steven Ford d/b/a S&B Equipment Services to hold an executed electrical contract with the licensed general contractor owner for which you and your firm failed to receives all contractual payments;

(8) Engaged in malpractice, unethical conduct, deceit and gross misconduct in the practice of electrical contracting and the use of your license.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed six (6) months suspension with the following conditions:

(1) George Ray Williamson III must void any commitment to the electrical project located at 2720 Timber Dr. Garner, NC. The project, if continued, must be awarded to a person, partnership, firm or corporation holding a valid Limited, Intermediate or Unlimited license issued by the Board;

(2) Prior to reinstatement, pay a civil penalty of one thousand dollars (\$1000.00);

(3) Prior to reinstatement, attend and pass Contractor Disciplinary Business Course offered by Contractor Education Services, LLC/ Umpire Technology;

(4) Upon reinstatement, probationary period of two (2) years with condition the following conditions:

- Commit no further violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the

General Statutes or the rules of the Board;

- Have written contracts or proposals for all projects having a project value in excess of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) signed by the licensee and customer for each installation for which the licensee is responsible;

- Maintain job files or other written records of contracts made and installations performed;

- Neither engage, offer to engage or market electrical contracting other than in the name in which license is shown on the records of the Board;

- Utilize only employees receiving a W-2 from the Respondent firm and only on projects for what the firm has its electrical contracts and provide supervision by a qualified person;

- Maintain records detailing and documenting compliance with the provisions of the probation order which records shall be available for inspection at any time during normal business hours upon request of the staff of the Board.

In the event of failure to comply with the terms of probation, license and the right to serve as a listed qualified individual on any license will be revoked. The Board may impose such additional sanctions as indicated by any new violation of G.S. 87-47.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 5, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-184

LICENSEE: Romero's Licensed Electrical Company

ADDRESS: P. O. Box 12344

New Bern, NC 28561-2344

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: Edgar Romero

LICENSE NUMBER: 24025-L

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (1) and (7) in that the firm:

(1) Exceeded the scope of his Limited license by installing electrical wiring at the Bridgepointe Hotel Marina, 101 Howell Rd., New Bern in excess of \$68,000; and

(2) Engaged in malpractice and unethical conduct in the practice of electrical contracting.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and a civil penalty of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) and one (1) year probation with the following conditions:

(1) Commit no further violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board;

(2) Have written contracts or proposals for all projects having a project value in excess of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) signed by the licensee and customer for each installation for which the licensee is responsible;

(3) Obtain permits prior to commencement of work and obtain inspections within ten (10) days of substantial completion for all work for which license is required and;

(4) Maintain job files or other written records of contracts

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made and installations performed.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 5, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-186

LICENSEE: J. D. Capps Electric Service

ADDRESS: 202 Mill Run Place
Goldsboro, NC 27534

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: Julius David Capps

LICENSE NUMBER: 13444-L

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (7) and Title 21 NCAC 18B .0909 in that the firm:

(1) Failed to obtain required electrical permit from Johnston County Inspection for an electrical project located at 2037 W.C. Braswell Road, Smithfield, NC; and

(2) Engaged in malpractice in the practice of electrical contracting.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and a civil penalty of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) and six (6) month probation, with six (6) months suspension of license and the right to serve as a listed qualified individual on any license issued by the Board in the event of failure to comply with the following conditions:

(1) Commit no violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board; and

(2) Obtain permits prior to commencement of work and request inspections within ten (10) days of substantial completion of all work for which license is required.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 19, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-192

LICENSEE: Cockerham`s Electric

ADDRESS: P. O. Box 137
Ararat, VA 24053

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: Edward Darrell Cockerham

LICENSE NUMBER: 15984-U

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (7) and Title 21 NCAC 18B .0909 in that the firm:

(1) Continued to operate your electrical contracting business after license expired;

(2) Failed to obtain required electrical permit for the electrical project located at 582 South Franklin Road, Mount Airy, NC; and

(3) Installed electrical contracting work with violations of Article 300.15 of the State Electrical Code (2011 National Electrical Code) as follows:

You and your firm spliced and taped electrical conductors inside the wall cavity at the property located at 582 South Franklin Road, Mount Airy, NC.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and a civil penalty of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) and six (6) month probation, with six (6) months suspension of license and the right to serve as a listed qualified individual on any license issued by the Board in the event of failure to comply with the following conditions:

(1) Commit no further violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board;

(2) Attend and pass Standard Level I Electrical Inspector Course approved by the NC Code Officials Qualifications Board within the probation period;

(3) Obtain permits prior to commencement of work and obtain inspections within ten (10) days of substantial completion for all work for which license is required.

Staff noted license was inactive since March 31, 2011. The civil penalty must be paid prior to restatement of license. Probation will start the day license is reinstated.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 5, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-202

LICENSEE: Richard L. Pegram Electrical Company

ADDRESS: 7339 Friendship Church Rd.
Brown Summit, NC 27214

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: Richard Lee Pegram

LICENSE NUMBER: 21090-U

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (7) and Title 21 NCAC 18B .0909 in that the firm: Failed to obtain required electrical permit from the City Greensboro Inspection Department prior to performing electrical work on a project located at 219 Elmwood Drive, Greensboro, NC.

BOARD ACTION: The Board, acting through its staff, proposed a reprimand and a civil penalty of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) and six (6) month probation, with six (6) months suspension of license and the right to serve as a listed qualified individual on any license issued by the Board in the event of failure to comply with the following conditions:

(1) Commit no violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board; and

(2) Obtain permits prior to commencement of work and request inspections within ten (10) days of substantial completion of all work for which license is required.

There was no objection from the licensee and the Board concurred in the action of staff.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 5, 2013

ORDERS

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2011-259 and 2012-43

RECENT DISCIPLINARY ACTION TAKEN BY THE BOARD

LICENSEE: Electrical Energy Installations

ADDRESS: P. O. Box 1165
Wilkesboro, NC 28697

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: Danny Ray Clanton

LICENSE NUMBER: 21755-U

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (7):

1. During 2010-2011 the Respondent employed 23 different individuals and failed to pay them their wages earned for the hours worked.

2. The evidence before this Board established a pattern and practice of Respondent failing and refusing to pay employees, particularly during the last two weeks of a typical construction project. These failures took place over multiple years over multiple jobs. Respondent admitted to continuing to owe money to 9 of the individuals and did not make a showing of any effort to pay them. The contention of Respondent with regard to financial issues associated with a particular job was considered but it failed to address the failure to pay multiple employees with regards to multiple projects and during different time periods.

3. The employees of Respondent carried out electrical work with the expectation of payment and in reliance upon the license of Respondent.

4. There was substantial credible testimony that Respondent failed to produce W-2s and thereby prevented employees from filing complete tax returns.

BOARD ACTION: After a hearing on September 18, 2013 the Board ORDERED:

1. Respondent's license and qualification to engage in business as an electrical contractor be revoked.

2. At such time as Respondent produces satisfactory evidence that the parties named in the foregoing Findings of Fact have been paid the amounts documented by the evidence in this proceeding, Respondent may apply to the Board for reinstatement of license and qualifications.

3. Respondent shall personally appear before the Board prior to approval of such request for reinstatement.

4. The staff was directed to provide a copy of this Order to the authorities regulating bail bondsmen within the Department of Insurance, to the offices of the Internal Revenue Service and to the North Carolina Real Estate Commission.

5. Prior to reissuance of license to Respondent at the conclusion of the suspension, Respondent shall:

(a) present evidence to the Board that during the suspension, he has completed the Disciplinary Contractor Business class approved by the Board, and

(b) have complied with the requirements for reinstatement of license set forth in Rule 21 NCAC 18B.0406(b).

EFFECTIVE DATE: November 14, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-103, 2012-104 and 2012-219

LICENSEE: Marvin Adolph Cooper

ADDRESS: 4160 Adcock Road

Enfield, NC 27823

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: Marvin Adolph Cooper

LICENSE NUMBER: 17245-SP-SFD

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (5) and (7):

1. On or about February 16, 2012, Respondent entered into a contract to install an electrical system consisting of installation of an air conditioning unit at a residence located at 8711 West Tarboro Road, Rocky Mount, N.C., under contract with Denise Baptista for the contract sum of \$2,085.00. In the course of the contract, Respondent:

(a) failed to obtain electrical permit before commencement of electrical work; and

(b) operated in a name other than that in which Respondent's license is issued.

2. On or about May 3, 2012, Respondent entered into a contract to complete electrical wiring on a new multi-unit storage unit at a business located at 3301 Benvenue Road, Rocky Mount, N.C., with Bob Nichols, owner of Golden Eagle Mini-Storage for the contract sum of \$3,500.00. The project was later sub-contracted to Robert Alvin Garrett d/b/a Garrett Electrical and Maintenance Company for completion. In the course of the contract, Respondent:

(a) exceeded the scope of his Special Single Family Dwelling (SP-SFD) electrical contracting license in that Respondent contracted to perform electrical work on a commercial project;

(b) failed to install the work in accordance with the approved plans, and;

(c) failed to obtain a permit prior to commencement of work.

3. On or about September 11, 2012, Respondent contracted to install (8) eight receptacles at a hair salon located at 5057 Hathaway Street, Battleboro, N.C., with the owner of Nu Kreations Hair Salon. In the course of the contract, Respondent:

(a) exceeded the scope of his Special Single Family Dwelling (SP-SFD) electrical contracting license in that Respondent offered to and subsequently engaged in work on a commercial type structure.

4. Respondent contracted as Cooper's Electric, Plumbing, Heating and Appliance Service, which is a violation of the rules of the Board in that his license and qualifications are not listed in that name.

BOARD ACTION: After a hearing on June 5, 2013 the Board ORDERED:

1. Respondent, Marvin Adolph Cooper, shall take and pass the Contractor Business class sanctioned by the Board and offered by Umpire Technology.

2. That the license and the status of Respondent Marvin Adolph Cooper as a qualifying individual be suspended until Mr. Cooper successfully completes the class set out above.

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3. Following restoration of license, Respondent is placed on probation for a period of two (2) years, during which time Respondent shall comply with the following terms and conditions:

- (a) have written contracts signed by the Respondent and customer for each installation in excess of \$100.00 for which Respondent is responsible;
- (b) obtain permits as required for each contract prior to commencement of work;
- (c) maintain a job file for each job, containing the records of that project, including a copy of the contract and permit;
- (d) request inspection within 10 days of substantial completion, as to both the rough-in and final stage of the project;
- (e) commit no violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the Rules of the Board with regard to any qualification administered by the Board.

4. During the period of probation, the foregoing records and the contracting activities of the Respondent shall be monitored by the staff of the Board.

5. That in the event of violation of terms of this probation order, this Order may be entered into evidence together with evidence of any such violation and license will be revoked.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 7, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-177

LICENSEE: Dills & Sons Electric

ADDRESS: 328 Maupin Avenue
Salisbury, NC 28144

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: Douglas Dills

LICENSE NUMBER: 6849-L

VIOLATION(S): Violation of North Carolina General Statute 87-47 (a1) (1), (2), (3), (6) and (7) and the Rules of the Board in that firm;

1. Douglas Dills holds license 6849-L listed in the name Dills & Sons Electric with Douglas Dills as qualifier. Said license expired on June 30, 2010. The individual and firm are the Respondents in this matter.

2. Respondents engaged in business as an electrical contractor after the expiration of their License including advertising for services as an electrical contractor under a name different from that name under which a license is held.

3. Respondents aided and abetted unlicensed individuals, John Gilbert and John Duke, who were engaged in business as electrical contractors with a proper license issued by this Board contrary to statute during November 2008.

4. John Gilbert and John Duke contracted to engage in business as electrical contractors for a project located at 1310 St. Paul Church Rd., Salisbury, NC and Respondents allowed said unlicensed individuals to use License 06849-L to procure electrical permits for said project in exchange for the receipt of \$300.00.

5. Respondents failed to properly supervise the installation in question.

6. The conduct of Respondents was deceitful and unethical and constitutes improper or wrong behavior.

BOARD ACTION: The Disciplinary Committee recommended:

The license of Dills & Sons Electric and the status of Douglas Dills as a qualifying individual be revoked. This Order becomes effective 30 days after date of this Order.

There was no objection from Mr. Dills and the Recommended Order was approved by the Board as a Final Decision September 19, 2013.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 19, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2012-268

LICENSEE: B & N Electric Corporation

ADDRESS: 5445 Hwy 210 S
Stedman, NC 28391

OWNER: Eddie Lee Naylor Jr.

LICENSE NUMBER: 9622-L

VIOLATION(S): Violated General Statute 87-47 (a1) (7):

1. On or about October 12, 2011, Panera Bread contracted with T & N Electric Corporation to install and installed an electrical system at 1001 Beaver Creek Commons Drive, Apex, N.C. and at 7840 Alexander Promenade Place, Raleigh, N.C. In the course of the installation, T & N Electric Corporation violated the Order issued by the Board that took effect April 7, 2011, and was to continue in effect until April 2013, which imposed a two year probation upon Mr. Bryant and the T & N Electric Respondent firm, requiring that both obtain permits as required for each contract and undertake no work outside a 50 mile radius of 5449 N.C. Highway 210, Stedman, North Carolina. The Order provided further that the radius might be extended to 100 miles upon engagement of a second qualified individual. The Order further required as conditions of probation that Respondents obtain permits, have written contracts, take specified courses and submit quarterly reports.

2. The Board reviewed evidence that the jobs were contracted by Eddie Lee Naylor, Jr. and Clay Scott without the knowledge of Jason Elliott Bryant, the qualifier for T & N Electric Corporation.

3. The Panera Bread projects were outside the 50 mile radius of the business location of the Respondent, T & N Electric Corporation. Permits for the projects were not obtained prior to commencement of work.

4. The Board reviewed evidence that Jason Elliot Bryant professed a lack of knowledge about the subject Panera Bread projects at the time the jobs were undertaken and work carried out. Lack of knowledge and control was the same issue in the prior Order. 5. A separate corporation, B & N Electric Corporation, was created by Jason Elliot Bryant and Eddie Lee Naylor, Jr., the principals in T & N Electric

RECENT DISCIPLINARY ACTION TAKEN BY THE BOARD

Corporation. B & N Electric Corporation was created around the time of the March 2011 Order.

6. As of 2012, the officers of B & N Electric Corporation were Eddie Lee Naylor, Jr., President; Jason Elliott Bryant, Vice President; Jason Elliott Bryant, Secretary and Eddie Lee Naylor, Jr., Treasurer. The officers of T & N Electric Corporation were Jason Elliott Bryant, President, Eddie Lee Naylor, Jr., Vice President, Jason Elliott Bryant, Secretary, and Eddie Lee Naylor, Jr., Treasurer.

7. B & N Electric Corporation was located beside T & N Electric Corporation and each shared management and control with the other. The similarity of name, the identity of officers, the adjacent locations and comingled management and operations which continued sixteen months after the entry of the Order by the Board support the conclusion that B & N Electric Corporation is an alter ego of T & N Electric Corporation. The creation of B & N Electric Corporation served to reduce the impact of the March 2011 Order entered by this Board.

8. Respondents, B & N Electric Corporation and Eddie Lee Naylor, Jr., deny any purpose to circumvent the Board, contend the creation of B & N Electric Corporation was coincidental and that Jason Elliott Bryant was intimately involved in the Panera Bread contracts.

9. As of the date of this hearing, T & N Electric Corporation is no longer functioning while the residential contracting work formerly carried out by T & N Electric Corporation is being carried out by B & N Electric Corporation through the license and the qualification of McKinley Narron.

10. Eddie Lee Naylor, Jr. is not a qualified person within the meaning of the Statutes enforced by the Board.

11. At the time of the hearing, a third corporation, Lonnie Smith Electric, Inc., had been created with the wife of Eddie Lee Naylor, Jr. as a principal.

12. The records of the Board reflect that T & N Electric Corporation had a qualified individual other than Jason Elliott Bryant prior to Mr. Bryant. The effect of the transactions is that Eddie Lee Naylor, Jr. has utilized the qualification of four different qualified individuals in three different corporations while creating multiple issues to be addressed by the Board all the while making no effort to become qualified.

BOARD ACTION: After a hearing on June 5, 2013 the Board ORDERED:

1. That the license of B & N Electric Company is placed on probation for a period of one hundred and eighty (180) days, effective thirty (30) days after the date of this Order.

2. During the period of probation, the Respondents shall comply with the following conditions of probation:

(a) Provide daily logs on a monthly basis of the activity of McKinley Narron to demonstrate the nature and extent of supervision, estimating or other contracting activity of Mr. Narron.

(b) Provide the Board with information to establish the stock ownership of B & N Electric Company within 30 days.

(c) Provide copies of the payroll records of all hours and pay for persons compensated by B & N Electrical Company monthly during the period of probation.

(d) Provide copies of the certificates of title for all vehicles owned by B & N Electrical Company within 30 days.

(e) Provide copies of the corporate minutes of B & N Electric Company from inception to December 31, 2013.

(f) Provide a copy of all employment or other agreements between B & N Electric Corporation and McKinley Narron.

(g) Commit no violation of Article 4 Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the rules of the Board.

3. With respect to the license of Lonnie Smith, Lonnie Smith Electric, Inc., staff is directed to schedule a conference with Lonnie Smith at the Offices of the Board within 60 days, at which time staff shall review and provide copies of each order entered by the Board as to T & N Electric Corporation and B & N Electric Corporation and the ownership of Lonnie Smith Electric, Inc., in order that Mr. Smith fully understand he is responsible to exercise control and supervision of the contracting activity of any firm in which he places his qualification.

4. The Respondent, Eddie Lee Naylor, Jr., is reminded that his lack of qualification, caused by his failure to take and pass the exam, has in turn left him uninformed regarding the requirements of an electrical contractor, leading to the multiple hearings and orders encountered by T & N Electric Corporation and B & N Electric Corporation and that contempt of the Order of the Board will not be tolerated.

5. In the event of violations of the terms of the Order, the Board may impose revocation, suspension or other sanctions indicated by the evidence and statutes.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 28, 2013

CASE FILE NUMBER: 2013-154

LICENSEE: Double-B Electric

ADDRESS: 1112 Camden Avenue
High Point, NC 27260

LISTED QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL: William Frank Baker

LICENSE NUMBER: 13923-L

VIOLATION(S): Violation of North Carolina General Statute 87-47 (a1) (4) and the Rules of the Board in that firm;

1. Respondent submitted application to reactivate license on June 12, 2013 with disclosed and undisclosed criminal convictions. Board's Staff requested additional information about criminal convictions and Respondent forwarded information needed.

2. The application was deferred pending review by the Committee as to criminal conduct.

3. The Board staff presented evidence of multiple incidents, infractions and a substantial record of criminal felony convictions.

RECENT DISCIPLINARY ACTION TAKEN BY THE BOARD

BOARD ACTION: The Disciplinary Committee recommended:

1. License and qualifications of William Frank Baker and Double B-Electric to engage in business as an electrical contractor be reinstated and placed on probation for a period of two (2) years, effective upon final action by the Board.

2. During the period of probation, licensee and William Frank Baker shall comply with the following conditions of probation:

(a) have written contracts or proposals signed by the licensee and customer for each installation for which licensee is responsible;

(b) obtain permits as required for each contract prior to commencement of work, retain a copy of the permit in the job file for each particular installation and assure that a final inspection has been performed by the Local Code Enforcement Official for each installation;

(c) maintain job files or other written records of contracts made and installations performed;

(e) Neither engage, offer to engage or market electrical contracting other than in the name in which license is shown on the records of the Board;

(f) Utilize only employees receiving a W-2 from the Respondent firm and only on projects for what the firm has its electrical contracts and provide supervision by a qualified person;

(g) maintain records detailing and documenting compliance with the provisions of this order which records shall be available for inspection at any time during normal business hours upon request of the staff of the Board;

(h) have no additional convictions other than minor traffic matters; and

(i) commit no violation of Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes or the Rules promulgated by the Board.

3. In the event of violation of terms of the probation, license may be suspended or revoked. The Board may impose such additional sanctions as indicated by any new violations of G.S. 87-47.

There was no objection from Mr. Baker and the Recommended Order was approved by the Board as a Final Decision September 19, 2013.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 19, 2013

CONSENT AGREEMENTS

Criminal background checks a randomly conducted on examination applicants at the time examination applications are received and on listed qualified individuals at the time of issuance of a license and license renewal. Persons with criminal convictions are evaluated to determine if the matter is under the purview of the Board and may be resolved by consent agreement signed by the individual stating that they will be in full compliance of the court imposed sanctions and sanctions of the Board. The individual further acknowledges that failure to comply with the court or Board sanctions could lead to formal proceedings by the Board and more serious sanctions against the individual.

Name	City	County	License	File Number
William C. Troetti	Oak Island	Brunswick	20935-L	2013-98
Hugh Edward Chappellear Jr	Candler	Buncombe	28192-SFD	2013-150
Alphonso Russell Sr.	Raeford	Hoke	Exam Appl. 18248-L	2013-159
Milton Eugene Buergey Jr.	Carolina Beach	New Hanover	10915-L	2013-204

NON-LICENSEE - WARNINGS AND WARNING AFFIDAVITS

Staff may obtain by consent a warning affidavit in connection with the first offense of unlicensed individuals offering to engage in electrical contracting as defined in Article 4, Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina. The Board may apply to the courts to restrain and enjoin such violations as unlicensed individuals engaging in electrical contracting. The North Carolina Electrical Contracting Licensing Laws, specifically General Statutes 87-43, 87-43.1 and 87-48 has been explained to each individual listed below. Staff obtained by consent a sworn warning affidavit signed by the unlicensed individual and verbal assurance from the unlicensed individual stating that they will refrain from engaging or offering to engage in any electrical contracting in the State of North Carolina until such time they have qualified and obtained an electrical contracting license from the Board.

Name	City	County	File Number
John Marvin Odom	Pineville	Mecklenburg	2013-83
Gilbert King	Selma	Johnston	2013-19
William Shane Hutcheson	Rockingham	Davidson	2013-78
Keith Robert Locker	Raleigh	Wake	2012-263
Marshall Hurley	Burlington	Alamance	2013-60
William Todd Craven	Fuquay Varina	Cumberland	2013-101
Will Brookshire	Clemmons	Davie	2013-75
Patsy Shropshire	Reidsville	Rockingham	2013-102
Jake Burg	Smyrna, GA	Out of State	2013-167
Leonard Walter Loucks	Shiloh	Camden	2013-44
Willie Louis Rucker	Jacksonville	Onslow	2013-106
Derrick Giuam Martin	Wilmington	New Hanover	2013-67
Olando Garcia	N/A	Wake	2013-99
Thomas F. Crudele	Apex	Wake	2013-110
Wayne Littleton	Hickory	Catawba	2013-116
Roger Lyman	Indian Trail	Union	2013-117
Robert Transou	Germanton	Forsyth	2013-165
Richard Overman	Graham	Alamance	2013-76
Keith Simpson	Lexington, KY	Out of State	2013-146
Robert C. Witcraft	Apex	Wake	2013-140
Marek Styka	Mount Prospect, IL	Out of State	2013-27
Preston L. Bunn	Deep Run	Wayne	2012-270
Philip Michael Morris	Goldsboro	Wayne	2013-111
John Marvin Odom	Pineville	Mecklenburg	2013-83
Gilbert King	Selma	Johnston	2013-19
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