

# THE PELS NEWS

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# Why Do We Have a Board of Registration? Willard Reese, P.E., President

From time to time, after spending a few hours working on an application to sit for an examination, an applicant may wonder, "Why do I have to go through all this red tape; and why do we even have a Board of Registration anyway?"

The answer to those questions is found in the first two paragraphs of Article 1 of the Rules of the Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors. These say that, "In order to safeguard the life, health and property and to promote the public welfare, the practice of engineering and surveying in the State of Arkansas is subject to regulation." Those paragraphs sum up the reason why the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas, with the concurrence of the Governor, in a process that can be traced all the way back to 1925, has seen fit to pass laws regulating who can and cannot call themselves engineers and land surveyors in the state of Arkansas. The state agency that is charged with enforcing those laws is the Board of Registration. It exists to license and police the professions of land surveying and engineering. In short we have a Board of Registration because the work done by the professionals licensed by the Board is too important to go unregulated.

With that understanding in mind, look at what the Board of Registration does. About half its time is taken up reviewing the applications of people who want to become either land surveyors or engineers. This is the process, familiar to registrants, of applying to "take the exam". That application is more than a request to take the exam, it is a summary of how well an applicant has met the requirements set by law and the rules in terms of education and experience. If found qualified, an applicant is permitted to take the examination. Upon passing the examination the applicant is registered at the appropriate professional level.

The Board also has an important function as the gatekeeper for engineers or land surveyors who have been licensed in another state who wish to practice in Arkansas. The Board requires these individuals to file applications which contain the same information required from applicants for initial licensing. To be granted an Arkansas license, a land surveyor or engineer coming from another state must show that they meet the requirements of the state of Arkansas.

In addition, the Board at every meeting reviews cases where someone has been accused of violating the laws or rules governing the practice of engineering or surveying in the state. In such cases, the Board acts in a quasi-judicial manner, voting to either dismiss the charges, accept a Consent Agreement or "hear" the case at an Administrative Hearing.

Finally, the Board administers the requirement that land surveyors and engineers maintain professional competency by completing professional development hours each year.

Each of these functions contribute to the Board's Mission Statement which is to "protect the life, health, safety and welfare of the public by licensing of individuals providing Engineering and Land Surveying services in the State of Arkansas." That is a valuable reason for having a Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors.

## The immediate Past President's Notes Bob Walters, P.E.

This past year has been a busy one for the Board. With the help of our Legislature, provisions were made to transition our Executive Director from a part-time position to a full-time position. We have also been able to hire additional staff for the office. These changes will help the Board process your renewals and other business in a more timely manner and allow more expeditious investigation and processing of complaints.

With the results of the recent exams in, it is good to see that our pass rates are in line with the national averages. Congratulations to all the new engineer and land surveyor registrants.

At the national level, the debate continues over what the appropriate educational and experience requirements should be for professional registration. The Board continues to be involved with NCEES activities related to testing and registration requirements and will take as active a role as possible in these discussions.

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#### THE DIRECTORS CORNER

by J.T. Clements, Jr.

What a difference a year makes! Last year at this time, we were in the midst of rule changes, preparing our operating budget, and getting ready for the upcoming legislative session. All of the above are now behind us. The rules became effective on October 11, 2002, our budget was approved as Act 99 of 2003 on February 10, 2003 and the general session of the Legislature finally ended in April 2003.

We have adjusted to the changes and are pushing forward under the direction of the Board. We don't stop often enough to thank the Board for the work that they do. They meet at least six and often eight or more times each year to address issues which have an impact upon your practice. Each time they meet, they bring their stacks of "home work" such as applications, action items from the National Council, Committee reports, and always with other agenda items which have been presented to them by you and others. They work hard for you.

I remind you that our newsletter is posted on the website when it is sent to the printer and for this reason, many of you will read this before the Board participates in the Annual meeting of the National Council in Baltimore, Maryland, August 12-16, 2003, and others will receive it in the mail while we are at the meeting.

I look forward to another year of serving you and the Board as a <u>full-time</u> Executive Director. One of the first steps in this different capacity is that of getting out this issue of the newsletter after too long a silence. Complaints are another item which are being worked more intensely with the aid of Ms. Melissa Gieber as a Complaints Coordinator/Investigator in a part-time position. I am pleased to announce that Ms. Nancy Tell Hall has become a full-time, permanent employee. She and Virginia Davis, along with some upgrades in our software system, have shortened the time for renewing and reissuing your annual renewals. Ms. Linda Stone, our Assistant Executive Director, continues to manage our business processes and as a result, we are better able to serve you. Please feel free to call us if you have any question or need assistance. Thank you.

## What's Happening at the National Council of Examiners for Engineers and Surveyors (NCEES)

Exams - October 2003:

- Will be the last administration of the Manufacturing Engineer Exam.
- Will be the last administration of the Structural II Exam as separate AM & PM exams. Beginning in April 2004, it will be graded as an eight hour exam, pass or fail (those who need either the AM or PM portion to complete the Structural II, contact the Board for additional information).

Annual meeting Hot buttons:

- Limit the types of hand held calculators in the exam room to the following models; TI series 30, HP9G, HP9S, HP32S, and HP32SII, beginning April 2004.
- Revise model Laws & Rules for Professional Surveyors.
- Establish the definition of Model Law Engineer Structural
- Establishment of a Unique National numbering system for all NCEES examination applicants.
- ADA requests must be submitted in a timely manner (about 60 days before the exam date). Late requests will be considered for the next exam.
- Proper use of seals (includes digital format).

#### PAKS:

• A "PAKS" questionnaire for the Principals and Practice of Land Surveying exam was mailed to Land Surveyors in all Jurisdictions. Fifty-five Arkansas PLS registrants received the questionnaire. We need a good response to this survey!

# NEW PROFESSIONAL REGISTRANTS Licensed since May 2002

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Land Surveyors									
Alexander, Thomas L.	1475	Day, Vincent M.	1456	Lindley, Ramona	1473	Rountree, Jr., Derwood P.	1445		
Atwell, David G.	1452	Evans, III, David A.	1442	Logan, Hershel D.	1444	Schroeder, Todd C.	1462		
Bingham, Matthew W.	1464	Hill, Ricky W.	1443	Malone, William P.	1459	Sorsby, John M.	1446		
Blackwell, Ronald T.	1479	Hodges, Jeremy D.	1450	Manley, Robert W.	1476	Tyler, James M.	1474		
Butler, Blake J.	1453	Housley, Randall L.	1457	Montgomery, Kevin J.	1460	Vanlandingham, Kelly D.	1447		
Buzzard, Charles O.	1454	Jenkins, Murry T.	1458	Pack, Johnny L.	1461	Ward, James P.	1463		
Coyle, III, Charles G.	1448	Lancaster, Jason P	1449	Raley, Richard C.	1477	Webb, Kurtis R.	1472		
Davis, Gary A.	1455	Lewis, Reginald D.	1451	Reynolds, Randy D.	1478	Webb, Raido H.	17/2		
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Abughazleh, Qasem M.	11316	California, James M.	11032	Didat, Jr., John F.	11304	Guntharp, Travis D.	11245		
Al-Ayubi, Ahmad	11385	Calisto, Arturo M.	11116	Dover, Steven C.	11225	Haake, David D.	11175		
Aldridge, John R.	11040	Carpenter, Steven M.	11130	Doyle, Scott E.	11047	Hagen, Phillip E.	11246		
Allen, James R.	11084	Carr, Brent D.	11042	Dunn, III, Eric A.	11471	Haisty, Jr., Ronny C.	11035		
Alley, Samuel David	11085	Carr, Frank P.	11292	Dunn, Matthew D.	11048	Hakimian, Jamshid	11016		
Amolochitis, George A.	11453	Carson, David K.	11406	East, Jr., George H.	11271	Hall, Justin W.	11050		
Anderson, Robert D.	11434	Casbon, Chad A.	11027	Edmonds, Jeffrey H.	11117	Hambacher, Degan G.	11031		
Anglin, John C.	11307	Casement, Brian A.	11036	Ellis, Blake E.	11015	Hansen, Brian G.	11081		
Asche, Douglas	11218	Cassady, Charles R.	11235	Ely, Alan W.	11145	Hansen, William G.	11367		
Atkinson, John G.	11268	Cassity, Robbin K.	11221	Engell, Eric	11110	Harmon, Lisa Jeff	11438		
Avedissian, Gregory K.	11450	Castilla, Trevor L.	11123	Escalante, Jr., Hernan	11437	Harris, Benchmark H.	11333		
Azcarate, Ricardo J.	11129	Cathey, Marcus D.	11043	Evans, Jay S.	11366	Harris, Daniel C.	11051		
Baas, Kevin Randal	11451	Chambers, Thomas W.	11380	Evans, Mark A.	11407	Harshbarger, John F.	11131		
Babb, Mark T.	11359	Charles, James K.	11236	Fairbanks, Robert M.	11239	Hart, III, Joseph W.	11456		
Baker, Joseph W.	11114	Chau, Phoenix P.	11465	Falkofske, Timothy J.	11118	Hartfiel, Mark A.	11024		
Ballard, John C.	11402	Chesteen, Jr., Richard D.	11166	Faltot, John E.	11174	Hartung, Gerd W.	11029		
Barner, Nicholas H.	11231	Chop, Bert D.	11222	Fazio, Vincent D.	11182	Hawkridge, Eugene P.	11171		
Barnett, Karl D.	11086	Christine, Barry Lee	11466	Feravich, Randall A.	11091		11247		
	11360	Chu, Pau T.	11237	Fernandes, Winnibald	11091	Hays, James M.	11334		
Bartel, David L.		Chute, Anthony W.		·		Hazel, Charles M.			
Bates, John T.	11286	•	11087	Fisackerly, Robert B.	11293	Heiden III, William R.	11132		
Beach, Michael A.	11326 11386	1	11454 11308	Forslund, Douglas A.	11146 11147	Heil, Robert A. Helms, Jr., E. Steven	11472 10990		
Beckham, Craig L.		Clark, Lawrence J.		Fouladgar, Amir M.			10990		
Bedinghaus, E. Matt	11181	Cleason, Steven E.	11362 11467	Fox, James R.	11330	Hennig, Don B.			
Beevers, Jonathan M.	11173	Clegg, Larry P. Cloutier, Eugene R.	10997	Francis, Jeffrey P. Franklin, Jr., Daniel Lee	11216 11092	Herzig, Robert L.	11148		
Belanger, Thomas R.	11124	Colby, William F.	110337		11092	Hickman, Paul T.	11318		
Bellefeuille, David T.	11361 11403	Collier, Jr., Fred L.	11468	Franklin, Juene K. Franz, Steven D.	11284	Hickox, Patrick P.	11351 11285		
Bender, James M.	11041	Cooley, Chad B.				Hinojosa, Fernando I.			
Benefield, John R. Bengel, G. Kevin	11014	Cooper, Arros S.	11088 11393	Freeling, Bryan E. Freilinger, Michael J.	11240 11093	Ho, Yong-Fook Hodge, Scott A.	11248 11409		
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Bennett, Robert D.	11002	•		Fuscaldo, Peter B.		· · ·			
Berndt, Daniel W.	11269	Cortright, Devon D. Corwin, Regan M.	11223 11164	Galko, Albert J.	11226 11023	Hogan, John M. Holloway, Jerry D.	11189 11052		
Birch, Jr., Shelton R. Birge, Dennis L.	11404	Cox, Gregory S.	11363	Gallagher, Sheryl D.	11023		11267		
Bishop, Richard W.	11314	Craig, Brian W.	11327	Galletly, Collin	11331	Holt, Joel D. Honeywell, Jon F.	11249		
Blackwell, Ronald T.	11314	Crawford, Charles L.	11044	Galli, Anthony W.	11183	Hood, Sean R.	11394		
Blanchard, Clifton F.	11115	Crawford, Susan L.	11381	Gangel, Leslie R.	11388	Hooker, Jr., Marcus E.	10992		
Bloebaum, Jamison E.	11113	Criswell, Christopher J.	11328	Gangluff, Alexandra W.	11241	Hooton, II, Teddy Randall	11410		
Bowman, Larry T.	11219	Cross, Jon D.	11107	Gangluff, Randy L.	11241	Horton, Larry C.	11335		
•	11435	Crosslin, John R.	11107		11352		11392		
Brady, John Thaddeus Bratcher, Rodney A.	11199	Crouch, Harvey A.	11022	Garcia, Juan Gardel, William	11294	Hostetler, Gregg A. House, Marvin L.	11387		
Breeds, Chris D.	11139	Crouch, James W.	11238	Garig, David W.	11243	Howe, James M.	11119		
Briggs, Bobby J.	11178	Dabney, George B.	11329	Garrett, Rose M.	11243	Hudson, Charles E.	11439		
Brogdon, James F.	11220	Daigle, David P.	11470	Garrett, William E.	11210	Hughes, Jerry D.	11140		
Brown, James A.	11232	Daniel, Chad D.	11045	Gipson, Anthony D.	11332	Hughes, Kristopher M.	11250		
Brown, Jason L.	11232	Danielson, Robert A.	11364	Goldrosen, Phillip M.	11455	Hughes, Scott M.	11336		
Brown, Jeffrey S.	11436	Darab, John D.	11109	Goodson, Mark E.	11455	Hulet, Barry L.	11149		
Brown, John H.	11205	Davies, Thomas W.	11365	Granitz, Philip H.	11202	Hyde, Harland E.	11337		
Brown, Neil J.	11037	Davis, Andre S.	11270	Greenwood, James Kelly	11309	Ibrahim, Mohamed	11390		
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Bruner, Ronald S.	11144	Davis, Gary A.	11089	Gribbins, Matthew J.	11095 11049	Ingalls, Jason E. Ingram, Jr. Curtis P.	11411 11025		
Bruns, Robert S.	11194	Day, Charles C.	11209	Griffin, Gary W.		Irminger, Steve E.	1025		
Bryant, Jr., John E.	11234	Dayton, Douglas P.	11195	Griner, III, Joseph H.	11193		10985		
Budlong, Keith J. Bunch, James K.	11306 11021	De Chavez, Roger M.	11046	Grissett, Bobby G.	11310	Jacobs, Jr. John H.			
Burgers, George W.	11128	Debois, Gregory J. Decker, James F.	11224 11090	Gulec, Onur Gumeson, Charles E.	11408 11125	Jariwala, Kalpesh M. Jarvis, Andrew S.	11319 11273		
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Jensen, Eric D.	11120	McAlpine, Stanley C.	10999	Powell, Jerry W.	11069	Tarkington, Shannon D.	11106	
Jensen, Jr., Lawrence A.	11274	McCain, Kenneth R.	11378	Proffitt, Glenn R.	11420	Taylor, Charles R.	11229	
Johnson, III, Walter B.	11441	McCaskey, Richard D.	11030	Provance, James S.	11191	Taylor, Douglas B.	11452	
Johnson, Mark R.	11355	McConnell, Richard B.	11060	Rankin, Cody C.	11421	Tedstone, Michael J.	11299	
Johnson, Timothy W.	11457	McDonough, Dan M.	11061	Ray, James C.	11070	Tharpe, Donald Eugene	11449	
Jones, Carole D.	11251	McFarlin, David N. McGee, Ronald D.	11197	Ray, Ryan S.	11071	Thexton, David R.	11372	
Jones, Michael S. Jones, Scott A.	11412 11473	McGinnis, Daniel W.	11283 11151	Ray, Teresa N. Redwanly, Gaby S.	11422 11358	Thomas, Dwain J. Thomas, Stephen C.	11300 11192	
Jones, Shannon W.	11053	McHale, Gary B.	11212	Refling, David R.	11322	Thompson, Dale R.	11192	
Jorgensen, Patrick J.	11097	McIllwain, Frank O.	11062	Reisdorph, Paul S.	11423	Thompson, Lori G.	11112	
Joyce, Richard K.	11150	McKay, III, Daniel E.	11005	Reith, Daniel	11228	Thue, Monrad R.	11373	
Justice, David L.	11377	McKay, Michael G.	11277	Ridlen, Paul W.	11208	Tilbury, Clifford S.	11158	
Kapuranis, Jim J.	11211	McMillian, Michael B.	11255	Riegner, Thomas M.	11007	Toblesky, Kevin G.	11427	
Karacostas, Timothy J.	11395	McNeil, Nicolaus S.	11063	Robertson, Sr., Tobin A.	11259	Toney, James M.	11428	
Keaton, II, Glen P.	11413	Measels, John T.	11064	Robinson, Aaron K.	11298	Toub, Samuel G.	11170	
Kenison, Ivan T.	11184	Mencken, Eric A.	11207	Roed, James D.	11312	Treat, Mark Allen	11075	
Kennah, Robert E.	11111	Mendrop, Kelly B.	11276	Rogers, John W.	11260 11008	Troyer, Ronald J.	11461	
Kenyon, Dean S. Khosravani, Kamran	11165 11227	Meyers, Barbara M. Michael, Angela M.	11103 11417	Rogers, Randy R.	11214	Tucker, Jeffrey C. Tudor, Lorie H.	11217 11076	
Kicklighter III, Thomas F.	11098	Miller, Brian D.	11256	Rone, James W. Rottschalk, Rory C.	11446	Turnipseed, Amos Carl	11070	
King, Larry W.	11320	Miller, Jerry T.	11418	Ruby, David I.	11344	Unger, Timothy R.	11356	
Kinsel, Thomas E.	11291	Miller, Jr., Thomas L.	11313	Rudko, Dennis F.	11009	Valentine, Timothy L.	11078	
Kluzak, Richard L.	11440	Miller, Larry W.	11339	Rutland, Scott K.	11026	Vamosi, Stephen J.	11325	
Knox, Arnold G.	11054	Miller, Morrison L.	11296	Santoro, David S.	10994	Venkatesha, Kadiri V.	11462	
Koch, Aaron E.	11017	Mills, Bobby L.	11257	Sartain, Amanda B.	11072	Vinje, Todd L.	11374	
Koch, James P.	11252	Mobley, Martin O.	11006	Satterfield, John M.	11345	Visocchi, Michael M.	11010	
Kohler, Ronald D.	11389	Moix, Mark A.	11065	Saunders, Mark K.	11000	Voll, Mark E.	11347	
Kohls, Amy R.	11133	Molloy, Daniel	11213	Scannapiego, Kenneth A.	11177	Vondran, John D.	11429	
Kopf, James H.	11353	Monroe, Kevin H.	11278	Scheiderer, Stuart M.	11424	Vranesh, Jr., Michael T.	11201	
Kroskie, Edward W.	11099	Monroe, Peter D.	11383	Scherschel, Craig M.	11280	Wagenhoffer, Mark S.	11348	
Kroupa, Jr., Gerald J. Lacey, Scott W.	11295 11321	Moore, Timothy J. Morris, Bradley E.	11340 11152	Schroeder, Jimmy D. Sciabarrasi, Philip	11156 11122	Wagner, Charlotte W. Wagner, Kenneth C.	11349 11126	
Lally, Brian M.	11172	Morris, Timothy G.	11104	Semaan, Robert I.	11215	Waldrop, Hugh M.	11350	
Lambert, Barry O.	11121	Moskal, Henry Z.	11258	Shaeffer, Gary J.	11460	Walker, Robert T.	11136	
Lang, Dennis W.	11100	Moughamian, Matthew S.	11034	Shedd, Keith P.	11346	Walker, Steven H.	11011	
Lanigan, Thomas C.	11382	Mounts, John V.	11341	Shirley, Kenneth J.	11105	Watson III, Thomas B.	11137	
Lapica, Juan E.	11203	Mullinix, Michael P.	11019	Siladi, Wayne E.	11281	Webb, Keith L.	11401	
Latthitham, Turmsak "Ed"	11134	Munnell, Douglas D.	11342	Silverstein, David P.	11315	Webb, Thomas W.	11159	
Lawler, James D.	11176	Murphy, Wayne D.	11384	Simmons, Jr., Alvin	11261	Weir, Michael A.	11430	
Lesnik, John R.	10993	Nannis, Walid A.	11141	Sims, Randi L.	11073	Westerman, Johnny L.	11265	
Letzring, Tracy J.	11018 11055	Nelson, Stephen W.	11153	Smith, Billy D.	11398 10987	Wetzel, Gary E.	11305	
Levenstein, Johanna S.	11253	Nelson, Thomas W. Nissen, John M.	11354	Smith, Jr., Roy C. Smith, Ronald w.		Wheat, Thomas E.	11290	
Light, William C. Lipham, Ronald C.	11179	Norton, Brian C.	11357 11368	Smith, Stuart C.	11370 11323	Wheelock, David C. Whitlow, Adam W.	11127 11431	
Little, George B.	11206	Oathout, Rodney V.	11279	Smith, Thomas A.	11379	Wieland, Gregory J.	11012	
Logan, Marcus A.	11303	O'Dell, David S.	11066	Smith, Thomas G.	11039	Wiley, Allen T.	11138	
Logsdon, John D.	10998	Ogle, Hal V.	11444	Smith, Trinity D.	11425	Williams, David N.	11204	
Long, Jonathan S.	11056	Oglesby, Rita K.	11113	Soltani, Alan A.	11447	Williams, Dr. Stacy G	11079	
Lonnemann, Robert A.	11442	Olson, Terry E.	10996	Sonderegger, Jerry D.	11186	Williams, Patrick J.	11266	
Lott, Gary H.	11396	Palmer, James D.	11067	Sopher, Peter L.	11282	Williiams, Steven E.	11163	
Love, Ronald A.	11101	Panning, Brian A.	11154	Sousa, Ediberto F.	11324	Willis, Jeffrey S.	11311	
Low, Sonny T.	11057	Patrick, Robert K.	11082	Spaul, Walter H.	11262	Wilson, III, Creighton L.	11375	
Lucas, Phillip	11167	Patterson Jr, Garland D.	11083	Spiezio, Michael A.	11371	Wilson, Michael L.	11180	
Lucas, Thaddaeus J. Lue, Michael A.	11414 11391	Patterson, Thomas W. Paul, Robert L.	11168 11343	Stadelman, James J. Stafford, William J.	11448 11399	Wilson, Tim L. Winn, Benjamin C.	11080 11160	
Luth, Gregory P.	11275	Payne, Jr., Roy R.	11068	Staton, Billy C.	11263	Wolf, Robert H.	11432	
Macalady, Terry L.	11162	Payne, William E.	11155	Steffens, Charles T.	11001	Wright, David R.	10995	
Maddiex, Aaron J.	11058	Pearce, David P.	11419	Steinert, Mark P.	11157	Wright, Teresa A.	11433	
Malone, Patrick M.	11004	Pearce, Joseph M.	11458	Stephens, Michael E.	11302	Wu, Ricky Wai-Kin	11463	
Maloney, John	11196	Pearson, Karen	11198	Still, Sr., W. Randall	11200	Wunderlich, Neal K.	11464	
Maresh, Joseph F.	11254	Pedraza, Oscar	11185	Stoewer, William H.	11169	Wynn, Casper J.	11301	
Marquardt, Keith Michael	11443	Pehrson, Richard	11287	Strickland, Mark	11187	Yeo, Stepehn	11161	
Martin, Mark R.	11415	Pence, Gary W.	11297	Stuart, Robert W.	10988	Yeow, Kok-Keong	11376	
Martin, Woodrow G.	11338	Petrik, Todd W.	11135	Suggs, Lee E.	11074	Youssef, Nasr H.	11288	
Mathison, Steven T.	11102	Pierce, David S.	11190	Swantner, Jerome J.	10989	Yurchevich, John D.	11289	
Matlock, Travis W.	11416	Pineo, Douglas K.	11445	Swope, Phillip R.	11426	Zhu, Mingqiao	11142	
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## DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS taken by the Board since October 2001

- 1. 12/18/01 In the matter of Dan Stowers, non-registrant, charged with the preparation and design of multiple drawings and placing them in the public domain without the review and seal by a professional structural engineer and without a signed and sealed seismic statement. The Board accepted a Consent Agreement which acknowledges the violation and imposes a civil penalty of \$4,000.
- 2. 02/22/02 In the matter of Donald Sheffer, PLS # 993, charged with multiple violations of the Minimum Standards. The Board accepted a Consent Agreement which contained an admission of guilt, Respondent assessed a civil penalty of \$3,000 and be placed on probation for a period of six (6) months, during which, all surveys must be submitted to the State Surveyor's Office for review.
- 3. 05/13/02 In the matter of Dan Ivy, PLS # 1036, charged with failure to perform work as contracted in a timely manner, A.C.A. §17-48-102 (b)(1) through (3). The Board accepted a Consent Agreement which contained an admission of guilt, acknowledges that the Respondent had previously refunded the clients \$600 fee and Respondent agreed to the issuance of letter of caution in lieu of a civil penalty.
- 4. 07/30/02 In the matter of Waste Services, Inc., non-registrant, charged with offering to practice engineering without being registered by the Board, A.C.A. §17-30-303. The Board accepted a Consent Agreement which contained an admission of guilt, Respondent was assessed a civil penalty of \$1,000 and ordered to eradicate its errors by withdrawing all advertisements offering engineering services.
- 5. 07/30/02 In the matter of John T. Bates, d/b/a Bates Engineering, non-registrant, charged with offering to practice engineering without being registered by the Board, A.C.A. § 17-30-303. The Board accepted a Consent Agreement which contained an admission of guilt and Respondent was assessed a civil penalty of \$500.
- 6. 08/29/02 In the matter of James C. Frazier, Jr. PLS # 86, charged with multiple violations of the Minimum Standards. The Board ordered the Respondent to prepare and file, with the County clerk and State Surveyor's Office, a corrected plat which complies with all Minimum Standards. No civil penalty was assessed.
- 7. 09/10/02 In the matter of Martin & Blackwell, L.L.C., non-registrant, charged with offering engineering services and design without being registered by the Board, A.C.A. § 17-30-303. The Board accepted a Consent Agreement which contained an admission of guilt and Respondent was assessed a civil penalty of \$1,000.
- 8. 09/12/02 In the matter of Kenneth D. Lynch, PLS # 1129, charged with multiple violations of the Minimum Standards. The Board accepted a Consent Agreement which contained an admission of guilt, Respondent agreed to prepare a corrected and complete plat of survey for the client and furnish a copy to the State Land Surveyor, Respondent was assessed a civil penalty of \$550 and ordered to serve a six (6) month probation period, during which, all surveys must be submitted to the State Surveyor's Office for review.
- 9. 10/31/02 In the matter of William Grant Brawner, PLS # 1198, charged with multiple violations of the Minimum Standards. The Board accepted a Consent Agreement in which the Respondent was assessed a civil penalty of \$400 and ordered to serve a six (6) month probation period, during which, all surveys must be submitted to the State Surveyor's Office for review.
- 10. 10/31/02 In the matter of Paxton Singleton, PLS # 1402, charged with violating the Code of Professional Conduct. The Board accepted a Consent Agreement which contained an admission of guilt, The Board ordered a letter of caution be issued and Respondent was assessed a civil penalty of \$4,500.

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#### **DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS Continued**

- 11. 03/31/03 In the matter of William W. Hope Jr., non-registrant, charged with offering to practice engineering and land surveying without being registered by the Board. The Board accepted a Consent Agreement which contained an acknowledgement of responsibility; Respondent was assessed a civil penalty of \$2,000 and ordered to eradicate its errors by requesting that the advertisements be withdrawn.
- 12. 03/31/03 In the matter of Terry Gilmore, PLS # 1413, charged with violating the Code of Professional Conduct. The Board ordered a letter of reprimand be issued, no civil penalty was assessed.
- 13. 05/22/03 In the matter of David L. Carpenter, PLS # 846, charged with not filing plats in a timely manner. The Board accepted a Consent Agreement which contained an admission of guilt, Respondent was assessed a civil penalty of \$2,500, ordered to serve a one (1) year probation, such probation will require a strict compliance with Article 16(A) and it was ordered that any future late filings shall constitute an automatic \$100 sanction per instance.
- 14. 07/22/03 In the matter of Michael W. Webb, non-registrant, charged with practicing or offering to practice engineering without being registered by the Board. The Board accepted a Consent Agreement which contained an admission of guilt and Respondent was assessed a civil penalty of \$3,000.

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