

Minutes  
Georgia Auctioneers Commission  
Monday October 3, 2006 10:00A.M.

The Georgia Auctioneers Commission held its regular meeting on October 3, 2006, at 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia. Chairman Roy Cates called the meeting to order at 10:10 a.m.

A quorum was established with members present being: Roy Cates, Chairman, Terry Hansford, Cognizant Member, Norman Echols, Board Member and Charlie Gay, Board Member.

Others Present: Steve Lindsey, Executive Director, Jo Ann Lyde, Application Specialist, and Valencier Brown, Board Secretary.

Appearing for an Appointment with the Commission was Michael Bryan.

**Approval of Minutes:**

Mr. Hansford made a motion to accept the August 14, 2006 minutes. Mr. Gay seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**Adoption of the Agenda:**

Mr. Hansford motioned to accept the October 3, 2006 agenda. Mr. Echols seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**Executive Session:**

Mr. Echols made the motion to enter into Executive Session to deliberate on applications, complaint matters, and the Attorney General Report. Mr. Gay seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously by Mr. Hansford and Mr. Cates. The Board concluded Executive Session in order to vote on the matters discussed and to continue with the public session.

**Complaints:**

Mr. Echols motioned to reopen AUCT060022. Mr. Gay seconded. Motion carried. Mr. Gay further motioned to request the respondent to appear at the next board meeting with documents relating to the sale to include contract, consignment sheet, closing statement, invoice to the buyer, copy of escrow account statement from the sale and a copy of the check for payment. Mr. Echols seconded. Motion carried.

**Applications:**

Mr. Gay motioned to approve applications as presented. Mr. Echols seconded. The motion was carried.

**Auctioneer  
License Number**

AU003472  
AU003473  
AU003474  
AU003475  
AU003476

**Name**

James Buford Redmond  
James Bucklen McCall  
Roddy Harper Oglesby, Jr.  
Ronald D. Wesley  
Wayne Morris Conley

AU003477  
AU003478

Justin Lane Gulledge  
Darren Ross Smith

**Auction Company:**

**License Number**

AU-C002715  
AU-C002716

**Name**

Cowtown Auction  
All Star Auction & Sales

**Auctioneer Non-Resident:**

**License Number:**

AUNR003042  
AUNR003043  
AUNR003044  
AUNR003045

**Name**

Charles Robert Marshall  
Robert Webster Wallace  
Phillip Gerald Gilstrap  
Troy Lee Hall

**Auctioneer Company Non-Resident:**

**License Number**

AUNR002329

**Name**

Terry Howe & Associates Inc.

**Attorney General Report:**

Mr. Echols motioned to accept the Consent Order on Apple House Auction and close the case. Mr. Hansford seconded. Motion carried.

**Old Business:**

Mr. Echols motioned to post the following amendment to Rule 55-6-.01.

**55-6-.01 Fees, Expiration Dates, and Late Renewals.**

(1) All fees for applications for license, examinations, application and examination fee for reciprocity, renewals, late renewals, reinstatements, and all other fees which may be authorized by law shall be established by the Commission periodically as set forth on a fee schedule and may be obtained from the Commission office. Such fees must be paid directly to the Commission office.

(2) Late Renewal Fee: All licenses expire on February 28 of each even numbered year. Renewals received after February 28th will result in a penalty fee so long as a renewal is received by May 31st following the February 28th expiration deadline. Failure to renew a license prior to June 1 following the expiration deadline, will result in revocation of the license and will require a new application, reexamination, license fees and penalty fee for reinstatement of such revoked license. (See fee schedule maintained by Commission Office.) The Commission, in its discretion, may waive the requirement of reexamination if an application for reinstatement is received within six months of the February 28 expiration date of the license. Applications for reinstatement received after the six month period will require reexamination.

(3) Fees for Auctioneering Schools: All fees for applications for auctioneering schools and other licenses, renewals, late renewals, and all other fees that may be authorized by law shall be established by the Commission periodically as set forth on a fee schedule and may be obtained from the Commission office.

(a) A penalty fee as prescribed by the Commission shall be imposed for practicing as an auctioneer or operating an auctioneering company prior to being licensed by the Georgia Auctioneers Commission. (See fee schedule maintained by Commission Office.)

(4) When an application for an original license is made, the licensee shall contribute

\$150.00 into the Education, Research and Recovery Fund.

(5) The Commission may require additional contributions to the Education, Research and Recovery Fund at any renewal period, provided the request is in compliance with O.C.G.A. Section 43-6-22.1.

Mr. Hansford seconded. Motion carried.

Mr. Gay motioned to post the following amendment to Rule 55-9-.01.

**55-9-.01 Continuing Education.**

When an auctioneer makes application for renewal of a license, the licensee shall submit with the renewal form, proof, in a form acceptable to the Commission, that the licensee has acquired Commission approved Continuing Education. Continuing Education shall not be required of company licensee holders unless the company owner is a licensed auctioneer. This provision takes effect after the 1991 renewal period. The Commission, in its discretion, may grant an extension of no greater than six months for obtaining Continuing Education in cases of hardship, disability, or illness, or under other circumstances as the Commission deems appropriate. It shall be the applicant's responsibility to submit a written request for an extension of time to obtain the required continuing education 60 days prior to the February 28 expiration date and provide written notarized documentation of hardship, disability, illness, or other specific circumstances for Commission consideration.

Mr. Hansford seconded. Motion carried.

The Commission discussed company exemptions and agreed to table the discussion until December.

The Commission discussed application fees and voted to table the discussion until December.

**New Business:**

Mr. Hansford motioned to accept the proposed 2007 Commission meeting schedule. Mr. Gay seconded. Motion carried.

**Adjournment:**

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 1:40 p.m.

**Minutes were signed and approved on December 4, 2006**