

Georgia Auctioneer Commission
Board Meeting
November 17, 2014

A meeting of the Georgia Auctioneer Commission was held on Monday, November 17, 2014 at the Secretary of State's office, Professional Licensing Division, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, GA. 31217. Roy Cates, Chairman, called the regular meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

A quorum was established with members present being: Roy Cates, Chairman, Larry "Bo" Benton, Charlie Gay, Rossey Ross and Norman Echols.

Others present were as follows: Steve Lindsey, Executive Director, and Amantha Lovett, Board Support Specialist and David Stubins, Assistant Attorney General.

Approval of Minutes:

Charlie Gay moved, Norman Echols seconded, and the Board voted to approve both Regular and Executive Session minutes from the September 22, 2014 meeting.

Norman Echols moved, Charlie Gay seconded, and the Board voted to ratify the licenses that were issued since the September 22, 2014 meeting.

License No	Licensee	Profession
AU-C003011	2 Broke Girls Thriftique	Auctioneer Commission
AU-C003012	A1 Auction	Auctioneer Commission
AU-C003013	A & W Auction Co LLC	Auctioneer Commission
AU-C003014	South Georgia Auto Auction	Auctioneer Commission
AU004142	Smith, Brandon Dean	Auctioneer Commission
AU004143	Lines, Charles D	Auctioneer Commission
AU004144	Fleisner, Brenda Lea	Auctioneer Commission
AU004145	Luke, Timothy Scott	Auctioneer Commission
AU004146	Cates, Steven Anthony	Auctioneer Commission
EXEMPT	Auctions of the South, LLC	Auctioneer Commission
EXEMPT	Auction Management USA LLC	Auctioneer Commission
EXEMPT	Red Rooster Auction	Auctioneer Commission
EXEMPT	Auctions of North GA	Auctioneer Commission
EXEMPT	Jeney's Auction Service	Auctioneer Commission

Executive Session:

Norman Echols moved to enter into Executive Session to deliberate on applications, complaints, and AG Report, as authorized by O.C.G.A. § 43-1-2 (k) and 43-1-19 (h). Charlie Gay seconded the motion. The motion was carried by Roy Cates, Chairman, Norman Echols, Charlie Gay, Rossey Ross, and Larry Benton. The Board concluded Executive Session in order to vote on the matters discussed and to continue with the public session.

Charlie Gay moved, Larry "Bo" Benton seconded, and the Board voted to table the following application licensure:

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Complaints:

Charlie Gay moved, Larry”Bo”Benton seconded, and the Board voted as follows on the following cases:

AUCT150010 AUCT140019	Close with a letter of concern regarding conducting auctions without a license.
AUCT140020	Close
AUCT140021	Refer to investigation to obtain a copy of the contract to determine if a minimum bid was placed on each item.
AUCT150019	Refer to Attorney General’s Office for revocation.
AUCT150009	Ratify acceptance of Cease & Deist and Close
AUCT150004	Refer to Attorney General’s Office for revocation of AU-C002948.
AUCT150005	Close with no action as a civil matter. Although auction was held as absolute, the auctioneer acted in good faith; however, the seller refused to abide by the contract.

Other Business:

Joey Fortner request: The board agreed to deny the request to remove the disciplinary action against Mr. Fortner license.

The next meeting of the Board will be January 26, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. at 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, GA.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 10:56 a.m.