

**Georgia State Board of Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors**  
**Board Meeting**  
**May 12, 2020 (Open Session Minutes)**

The State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors met on **Tuesday, May 12, 2020**, via teleconference

**Present Board Members:**

William 'Bill' Womack, PE  
Dan Davis, PE,  
Darien Sykes, PE, Vice Chairman  
Russell Pennington, PE, Chairman  
Taylor Wright, PE  
Mark E. Chastain, LS  
Julie Busbee, Consumer Member  
Neil Wyche, PE  
Elmo A. Richardson, Jr., PE/LS

**Staff present:**

Ashley Foust, Licensure Supervisor  
Logan Malcom, Board Support Specialist  
Darren Mickler, Executive Director  
Jasmine Dorn, Licensure Analyst

**Attorney General Representative present:**

Max Changus, Assistant Attorney General

**Guests:**

Mark Lincoln, SAMSOG  
Ashley Jenkins

**Call to Order**

At 9:36 a.m., Chairman Russ Pennington established that a quorum was present and called the meeting to order.

**Approval of Open Session Minutes**

Chairman Russ Pennington presented a draft of the March 10, 2020 Open Session minutes and asked for any edits. Taylor Wright moved to approve the minutes with no edits, Bill Womack seconded. The motion carried unanimously.

**New Business**

Bill Womack briefly discussed revisions to the CE Audit Report Form required by Board Rule 180-11-.10 with the Board. Bill Womack will make a few edits then send out the final draft.

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No Continuing Education requirement action was taken by the Board at this time.

Mark Chastain made a motion for the Board to have a public hearing regarding the topography rule at the first in person PELS Board meeting. Dan Davis seconded, and the motion carried unanimously.

Elmo Richardson joined the call at 9:54 a.m.

The Board briefly discussed the 65 year rule revision exemption, PE stamp on plans and the standardization rule.

Ashley Jenkins updated the Board on the legislation to resume in June.

Darren Mickler informed the Board on NCEES canceling all meeting for April 2020. October 2020 exams will still be given.

**Executive Session**

At 10:16 a.m., Elmo Richardson moved to enter into Executive Session, in accordance with O.C.G.A. 43-1-2(k) and 43-1-19(h) to deliberate on applications and investigative matters and to receive an investigative report. Julie Busbee seconded. Voting in favor of the motion were those members present: Chairman Russ Pennington, Vice Chairman Darien Sykes, Dan Davis, Neil Wyche, Taylor Wright, Mark Chastain and Bill Womack.

The Executive Session of the Georgia State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors meeting was closed at 10:41 a.m. and Chairman Russ Pennington declared the Open Session of the Georgia State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors to be “open” pursuant to the Open Meetings Act, O.C.G.A. §§ 50-14-1 et seq. The following Board Members were present: Chairman Russ Pennington, Dan Davis, Bill Womack, Taylor Wright, Neil Wyche, Mark Chastain, Elmo Richardson, Darien Sykes and Julie Busbee. No votes were taken in Executive Session.

**AG Status Report**

Assistant Attorney General Max Changus presented his AG report including the following cases:

PELS160029 – J.D.

PELS160034 – S.M.B.

PELS170020 – R.L.C.

PELS170072 – M.A. -- The Board will hold a teleconference Hearing on June 2, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.

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**Executive Directors Report**

Executive Director Darren Mickler gave the Executive Directors Report in Executive Session.

**Open Session:**

**Approval of Executive Session Minutes**

Chairman Russ Pennington presented a draft of the March 10, 2020 Executive Session meeting minutes and asked for any additions or deletions. Elmo Richardson moved to approve the minutes as presented. Julie Busbee seconded. The motion carried unanimously.

**Licenses Issued Since Last Meeting:**

The Board reviewed a list of applicants that have been reviewed and approved. Mark Chastain made a motion to ratify licenses issued from March 10, 2020 – May 11, 2020. Bill Womack seconded, and the motion carried unanimously.

	<b>license No</b>	<b>Licensee</b>
1	EIT028378	Lam Ba Vu
2	EIT028379	Jordan C Hunt
3	EIT028380	Gregory Hayes Eiford
4	EIT028381	Walid Ziad Omer
5	EIT028382	Andrew Lamar Pitts
6	EIT028383	Yamira Rentas-Vazquez
7	EIT028384	Bowen Xu
8	EIT028385	Shannon Sarah McCarthy
9	EIT028386	Charles Franklin Seibert
10	EIT028387	Adam Smith Jackson
11	EIT028388	Morgan Pickett Bernard
12	EIT028389	Nicholas Hunter Henderson
13	EIT028390	James William Forsyth
14	EIT028391	Justin Robert Brothers
15	EIT028392	Daniel Hayes Marinelli
16	EIT028393	Efren C Figueroa
17	EIT028394	Jack Robert Ludwick
18	EIT028395	Brandon Paul Sanford
19	EIT028396	Suleman Rana
20	EIT028397	Katherine Smith Cannon
21	EIT028398	Gabriel Xavier Ramirez
22	EIT028399	Amanda Marion Remus

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23	EIT028400	Marcus Joseph Alexander Rutte
24	EIT028401	Alexander Elliott Vautin
25	EIT028402	Kenneth Frank Manssen
26	EIT028403	Chad Mitchell Russo
27	EIT028404	John Scott Hartwell
28	EIT028405	Israel Mendoza
29	EIT028406	Ngoc Vy Thi Le
30	EIT028407	Travis Scott Johnson
31	EIT028408	Tsebaot Solomon Kebede
32	EIT028409	Leonardo Garcia Bottia
33	EIT028410	Chin Yung Wong
34	EIT028411	Jacob Elisha Cochran
35	EIT028412	James Thomas Wilson
36	EIT028413	Kyle David Wise
37	EIT028414	Byron Albert Saxon
38	EIT028415	Nhan Tu Pham
39	EIT028416	Elizabeth Ruby Turner
40	EIT028417	Tyler Gene Bishop
41	EIT028418	Brian Lawrence Boland
1	LS003447	Jeremiah David O'Dean
2	LS003448	John Randall Davis
3	LS003449	Lauren Kimberly Hughes
4	LS003450	Donald Edward James
5	LS003451	David W Maxwell
6	LS003452	Matthew David Rowles
7	LS003453	John Derek Bradner
8	LS003454	Brian Tanner Ellington
1	LSF001336	Red Plains Surveying Company
2	LSF001337	JGL Survey Services, LLC
3	LSF001338	Evans, Mechwart, Hambleton & Tilton, Inc.
4	LSF001339	Coastal Surveying, Inc
1	LSIT001166	Alexander John Carey
1	PE045633	Richard Dennis Beck, Jr.
2	PE045634	John Cerabino Gawron
3	PE045635	Maher Almassri
4	PE045636	Harrison Linehan Steele
5	PE045637	Sherin Paliyath Peter
6	PE045638	Lance Patrick VanDemark
7	PE045639	Megan Marie Miller
8	PE045640	Imtiyaz I Dalal
9	PE045641	Kenneth David Price
10	PE045642	Joseph William Smith
11	PE045643	Michael John Ruelle

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12	PE045644	Willard Scott Allred
13	PE045645	Clifton Wayne Swafford
14	PE045646	Joseph Morrow
15	PE045647	Marcus James Kelley
16	PE045648	Aaron Kent Hanks
17	PE045649	Maria Constanza Suarez
18	PE045650	Maziar Moaveni
19	PE045651	Jeremy Scott Urban
20	PE045652	Tina Sanchez
21	PE045653	Travis R Williams
22	PE045654	Wayne Jeffrey Bell
23	PE045655	Kathryn Lucy Paretto
24	PE045656	Michelle K Gilhousen
25	PE045657	Sara Rose Silverman
26	PE045658	Phil Clayton Hendricks
27	PE045659	Michael Craig Richardson
28	PE045660	Logan Scott Christensen
29	PE045661	Kolby Kevin Burke
30	PE045662	Joshua Mack Jenkins
31	PE045663	James Lamar Hust, III
32	PE045664	Greg Munden
33	PE045665	Jamie Patrick Kronbeck
34	PE045666	Timothy Mark Pipkorn
35	PE045667	Eric William McCall
36	PE045668	Roberto Leon
37	PE045669	Joginder M Gupta
38	PE045670	Matthew Robert Lord
39	PE045671	Barry Anthony Hughes
40	PE045672	Jared Cole Stanbridge
41	PE045673	Amy Idela O'Laughlin
42	PE045674	John Peter Brestin
43	PE045675	Gregg Bruce Hamm
44	PE045676	Drew B Hains
45	PE045677	Dennis Yap
46	PE045678	Robert Wesley Cardwell
47	PE045679	Christopher Anthony Williams
48	PE045680	Torben Abbott
49	PE045681	Samuel Lee Csonka
50	PE045682	Gustavo Gusmao Chaves
51	PE045683	Ferdinand B Williams, II
52	PE045684	Michael Lee Johnson
53	PE045685	Ryan Paul Mitchell
54	PE045686	Rodney Lynn Fritz

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55	PE045687	Elizabeth Slyziuk
56	PE045688	Brian Churchwell
57	PE045689	Matt K Short
58	PE045690	John William Gnan
59	PE045691	Zachary Ravi Kannan
60	PE045692	Terence J Waldron
61	PE045693	Roger Michael Marsicek
62	PE045694	John Gray Cameron, Jr
63	PE045695	Nicholas Burns
64	PE045696	Keely Tamara Lane
65	PE045697	Johnnie Michael Brandenburg
66	PE045698	Michael Bumgardner
67	PE045699	Nicholas Berner
68	PE045700	Kelley P Cramm
69	PE045701	Cesar Rojas
70	PE045702	Scott Gregory Menniti
71	PE045703	Nilesh R. Lal
72	PE045704	Joshua Turney Pendergrass
73	PE045705	Troy Alexander Galloway
74	PE045706	Robert A Harris
75	PE045707	Marvin Lyle Miller, Marvin
76	PE045708	Bryan Scott Lambeth
77	PE045709	Benjamin Loren Brooks
78	PE045710	Paul Joseph Montalbano
79	PE045711	Gabriel Phillip Menendez
80	PE045712	Jesse Bzura
81	PE045713	James H Kramer
82	PE045714	Robert Eric Martin
83	PE045715	Britt Lindsey Stephens
84	PE045716	Robert Michael Gray
85	PE045717	Dean Holm Gustafson
86	PE045718	Salvador Angel Vilches Diaz
87	PE045719	Scott William Walkowicz
88	PE045720	BABA MUSAH YAHAYA
89	PE045721	William A Dinda
90	PE045722	Roy Donald Glenn
91	PE045723	David Bradley Story
92	PE045725	Oscar Emilio Duarte
93	PE045726	Brian Harold Peterson
94	PE045727	Michael Allen Stubbs
95	PE045728	Timothy Paul Jester
96	PE045729	Phillip J Collins
97	PE045730	Cameron Garrett Traylor

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98	PE045731	SEUNG-YEOL LEE
99	PE045732	Gerald Allen Lee
100	PE045733	Darrell Thornock
101	PE045734	Monica Porter
102	PE045735	Stephen Phillip Schneider
103	PE045736	Matthew Charles Selkirk
104	PE045737	Michael J Smith
105	PE045738	Cory Adam Glass
106	PE045739	Jeremy L Brashears
107	PE045740	Michael Jason Sheridan
108	PE045741	Kiumars Bahri
109	PE045742	John Alexander Matteo
110	PE045743	Mufutau Abayomi Osoba
111	PE045744	Jonathan Edward Nieman
112	PE045745	Nathan Daniel Stewart
113	PE045746	Gang Zuo
114	PE045747	John R Schnick
115	PE045748	Matthew James Johnson
116	PE045749	William Michael Hall
117	PE045750	William Jerome Howell, Jr
118	PE045751	Jarrod M Easterwood
119	PE045752	Michael Sokoll
120	PE045753	Kevin Edward Marshall
121	PE045754	John Edward Woelfel
122	PE045755	Jeffrey A Abbate
123	PE045756	Eleni Marie Riggs
124	PE045757	Tracy Caperton Edmonds
125	PE045758	Thomas Marshall Gray
126	PE045759	Bradley Robert Johannsen
127	PE045760	Edward Chinnis, Jr.
128	PE045761	James Joseph Cramer
129	PE045762	Reed Mark Paitich
130	PE045763	Marc Albert Henning
131	PE045764	Nicholas Branden Mojica
132	PE045765	Brett Joseph Heim
133	PE045766	Joseph Michael Krewson
134	PE045767	Michael Hudson
135	PE045768	Paul Andrew Crabtree
136	PE045769	Stephen Enoch Blumenbaum
137	PE045770	Samuel P Campbell
138	PE045771	James Reyam Baker
139	PE045772	Mark Joseph Rybinski
140	PE045773	James Lloyd Sander

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141	PE045774	Richard J Eller, Jr
142	PE045775	Mintao Lu
143	PE045776	Joseph Robert Johnston
144	PE045777	Galileo A Allwood
145	PE045778	Margaret Mary Sweitzer
146	PE045779	Julian Ignacio Prada
147	PE045780	Anthony Pevec
148	PE045781	Richard Craig Brasher
149	PE045782	Asim M Hasen
150	PE045783	Deborah Gail Salter
151	PE045784	Kyle Frederic Burchard
152	PE045785	Jason B Randle
153	PE045786	Thomas Alan Bilgri
154	PE045787	Curt Garrett Campbell
155	PE045788	Mark Roger Boucher
156	PE045789	Kendale Breon Thomas
157	PE045790	Sean Nicholas Burch
158	PE045791	James Neal Houlette
159	PE045792	Peter J Hazel
160	PE045793	Tae Jin Ju
161	PE045794	Brian Austin Sauer
162	PE045795	Brian Clements
163	PE045796	John M Kuhar
164	PE045797	Melinda Suzanne Fischl
165	PE045798	Eric Kent Olson
166	PE045799	James Patrick Duxbury
167	PE045800	timothy michael harkins
168	PE045801	Christopher Robison
169	PE045802	Marcos Julio Rocha Souza
170	PE045803	Elijah Thomas Laramie
171	PE045804	Zina Schwartz
172	PE045805	JORGE CANELO
173	PE045806	Chi-Hao Yuan
174	PE045807	Jorge Miguel Suarez
175	PE045808	Jennifer E Kuether
176	PE045809	David Michael Nesheiwat
177	PE045810	Jeremy W Fletcher
178	PE045811	Scott Alexander Betz
179	PE045812	James Kevin Phipps
180	PE045813	Bryan Clapper
181	PE045814	James Avery Johannemann
182	PE045815	Corey Knight
183	PE045816	Charles Shannon Sweitzer



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184	PE045817	David R Reynolds
185	PE045818	Kelvin Larry Rosa
186	PE045819	William Michael Gerding
187	PE045820	Justin Carney
188	PE045821	Joseph Anthony Kraus
189	PE045822	Richard Davis Allen
190	PE045823	Cory Patrick McNamara
191	PE045824	Benjamin Joseph Cottrell
192	PE045825	Jonathan Michael Whittington, Jonathan
193	PE045826	Arlen P Grant
194	PE045827	Alison Wyatt
195	PE045828	Hardik Patel
196	PE045829	Stephen Richard O'Flynn O'Brien
197	PE045830	Gerardo E Becerra
198	PE045831	Milad Saghebfar
199	PE045832	Jonathan Allen Brent
200	PE045833	Robert W Gustafson
201	PE045834	Sarah Anne Smedley
202	PE045835	Brandon David Shugart
203	PE045836	Bradford Slaton Carpenter
204	PE045837	Javier Gauthier
205	PE045838	Amanda Lynn Noel
1	PEF007692	Orchard, Hiltz & McCliment, Inc.
2	PEF007693	Smith, Stegall & Associates, P.C.
3	PEF007694	Okten Engineering, LLC
4	PEF007695	Y4 Building Solutions, LLC
5	PEF007696	OLM Engineers, LLC
6	PEF007697	ELK Engineering Associates, Inc.
7	PEF007698	Southeast Engineers, LLC
8	PEF007699	Corrpro Companies, Inc.
9	PEF007700	Infrastructure Consulting Group LLC
10	PEF007701	Allnorth Americas LLC
11	PEF007702	Abernathy Engineering Group, LLC
12	PEF007703	Heckman Eineering LLC
13	PEF007704	Telsa Energy Operations, Inc.
14	PEF007705	Peak Fall Protection, LLC
15	PEF007706	Goodman Giannavola Hines Engineers LLC
16	PEF007707	Binomial Consulting Engineers, LLC
17	PEF007708	RDH Building Science Inc
18	PEF007709	Ware Malcomb (INC.)
19	PEF007710	Essentia, Inc
20	PEF007711	DPIS Engineering, LLC
21	PEF007712	Blanchard AE Group, LLC

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22	PEF007713	Siemens Energy, Inc
23	PEF007714	Power Centric Solutions
24	PEF007715	GoodHead Consulting Engineers
25	PEF007716	IMMEC, Inc
26	PEF007717	Tam Consultants, Inc
27	PEF007718	Gulf Coast Electrical Design
28	PEF007719	Brasfield & Gorrie, L.L.C.
29	PEF007720	Bahri Consulting - A Sole Proprietor
30	PEF007721	ARCO Design Build, Inc
31	PEF007722	1200 Architectural Engineers, PLLC
32	PEF007723	Genesis Engineering Collaborative, LLC
33	PEF007724	Moore Engineering, Inc
34	PEF007725	Noker Engineering, Inc
35	PEF007726	Scotchie Civil Engineering, LLC
36	PEF007727	Don Baker Engineering LLC
37	PEF007728	WBM Group, PLLC
38	PEF007729	SAFEbuilt Georgia, LLC
39	PEF007730	Pittman Engineering PC
40	PEF007731	Half Associates, Inc.
41	PEF007732	Gulf Coast Engineering & Design, LLC
42	PEF007733	Geo Structural LLC

**Applications/Correspondence:**

2864979 – Elmo Richardson made a motion for the Board to accept reinstatement application with \$1,000.00 fee. Julie Busbee seconded, and the motion carried unanimously.

2843094 – Elmo Richardson made a motion for the Board to accept reinstatement application. Julie Busbee seconded, and the motion carried unanimously.

2865364 – Elmo Richardson made a motion for the Board to accept reinstatement application with \$1,000.00 fee. Julie Busbee seconded, and the motion carried unanimously.

**Complaints:**

Licensure Supervisor Ashley Foust had no new or pending complaints to update the Board at this time.

**Other Business**

Dan Davis made a motion for the Board to give the Executive Director Darren Mickler authority to forward all AG memos regarding statutory authority on proposed board rule changes. Vice Chairman Darien Sykes seconded, and the motion carried unanimously.

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The Board briefly discussed Canadian Applicants regarding NCEES Exams and accredited programs.

The next meeting of the Board will be held on August 18, 2020 at 9:30 a.m. at the University of North Georgia.

With no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 12:45 p.m.

Minutes recorded by:

Logan K. Malcom, Board Support Specialist

Minutes reviewed and edited by:

Darren Mickler, Executive Director

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Russ Pennington, Board Chairman

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Darren Mickler, Executive Director

Minutes Approved On: August 18, 2020