

Georgia Board of Private Detectives and Security Agencies
Board Meeting Minutes – May 30, 2019
Professional Licensing Boards – Secretary of State
237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, GA 31217

Members Present:

James “Tripp” Mitchell
Pam Griggs, Vice-Chair
Timothy “Tim” Williams
*John Villines

Others Present:

Brad Coman, Executive Director
Carla Murray, Licensing Supervisor
Sandra Mason, Licensing Analyst
Alexis Hardy, Board Support Specialist
Melissa Tracy, Assistant Attorney General

Members Absent:

Vic Reynolds
Anthony “Tony” Biello, Chair
Antonio Long

*via teleconference

NOTE: Visitors are excused during Executive Session unless scheduled for a personal appearance.

Tripp Mitchell, acting Chair, noted that a quorum was present, called the meeting to order at 9:04 a.m., and declared the session to be “open” pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act, O.C.G.A. §§50-14-1 et seq.

OPEN SESSION:

Agenda

Pam Griggs moved, Tim Williams seconded, and the Board voted to approve the May 30, 2019 agenda.

Minutes

After review of the minutes, Pam Griggs moved, Tim Williams seconded, and the Board voted to approve the following meeting minutes by unanimous consent:

- April 18, 2019 Open Meeting minutes and Executive Session minutes.

Ratification List:

Licenses issued 4/17/2019 through 5/27/2019 (Total – 204):

License #	Licensee
CFTR001345	Artisto Christopher Wilson
CFTR001346	Lisa L Riggs
CLTR001148	Stacy Kevin Strickland
INSE044053	David Lee Cline
INSE044055	Milton Ronnie Spratlin
PDC002840	Summit Investigations Inc.
PDC002841	Lionhart Investigations
PDC002842	Cronier Consulting Services
PDC002843	Museum of Southern Isolation
PDC002844	Blue Streak Private Investigations
PDC002845	Tobiassen Consultants
PDC002846	Crisp & Associates, Inc.
PDE051319	Antravious Savone Woods

License #	Licensee
SGE066940	Mufeesasira Kiggwe
SGE066941	Tony Deon Sims
SGE066942	Eddie James Baisden
SGE066943	Benni Regina Smith
SGE066944	Larry Jeremiah Daniels
SGE066945	Frankie Xavier Johnson
SGE066946	Annie Jean Ward
SGE066947	Christopher-Michael Devante Brown
SGE066948	Derek Samuel Clupper
SGE066949	Bobby Willis
SGE066950	Malik Xavier Jordan Smith
SGE066951	Jean-Baptiste NGuessan
SGE066952	Andre L Penick
PDE051320	Steven Michael Coffman

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PDE051321	Cameron Ray Locke	SGE066954	Thomas Robert Boersma
PDE051322	Stephen Joseph Major	SGE066955	Antoine Demetrius Jones
PDE051323	Robert Burton Reynolds	SGE066956	Spencer Rakestraw
PDE051324	Alec Sven James	SGE066957	Meisha Niccole Bailey
PDE051325	Michael Lee Strong	SGE066958	Norman Emanuel Davis, III
PDE051326	Joan Cronier	SGE066959	Elyssa Danielle Reeder
PDE051327	Charles Terry Thomas, Jr	SGE066960	Vanquez Wilmore
PDE051328	Kevin James Harmer	SGE066961	Danny Lamarr Capers, Jr
PDE051329	John Hunter Cronier	SGE066962	Anthony Lamar Jones
PDE051330	Michael Warren Poynter	SGE066963	Alisa Karen Gantt
PDE051331	Jorge M Vargas	SGE066964	Raymond I Williams, Jr
PDE051332	Christopher S Harris	SGE066965	Christopher Lawrence Branan
PDE051333	Grant Jameson Lilly	SGE066966	Kyanthony Demarea Jefferson
PDE051334	Amir Calvin Carter	SGE066967	Martine Fortune
PDE051335	Darren Brian Kelley	SGE066968	Sha'Neique Monique Brooks
PDE051336	Charles St. John Dyer	SGE066969	Ashley Danielle Burden
PDE051337	George Eddie Matthew Simmons	SGE066970	Kimberly Nicole Hill
PDE051338	Mark E Tobiassen	SGE066971	Arthur Grady Mangum, Jr
PDE051339	Peter Aman Dondero	SGE066972	Johnny Lynn Webb
PDE051340	George Bennett Crisp, II	SGE066973	Jacquelean Cozette Weathers
PDE051341	Christopher Randall Davis	SGE066975	Corey Matthew Murach
PDE051342	Melissa Montes de Oca	SGE066976	Ricky Antonio Farmer, Jr.
PDE051343	Kara Ashleigh Hipps	SGE066977	Gerrit Pretorius
PDE051344	Kristina Sitara Love	SGE066978	Corey Lamar Boyd
PDE051345	Johnny Lee Martin, Jr.	SGE066979	Danyelle Bryant
PDE051346	Matthew Brian Dupree	SGE066980	Jerome Terry Turner, Jr.
PDE051347	Alvin Bakari Stewart	SGE066981	Daintez Jackson
PDE051348	Jacqueline Kay Hilliard	SGE066982	Myrick Lee Copeland
PDE051349	Dejuan Keith Burrell	SGE066983	LaTaria Shavon Colbert
PDE051350	Hildiah N Martin-Suggs	SGE066984	David Maurice Cedar
PDE051351	Charles St. John Dyer	SGE066985	Roderick Holliday, II
PDSC001738	C. Anderson & Associates, LLC	SGE066986	Diane Judith Hines
PDSC001739	Top Brass Security Solution LLC	SGE066987	Alexis Justine Hall
PDSC001740	Atlanta Professional Services	SGE066988	Christopher Lee Hambrick
PDSG044634	Tracy Lynn Clinton	SGE066989	Amber Tallsha Hudson
PDSG044635	John David Anderson	SGE066990	Samuel Austin McMillian
PDSG044636	Joseph Vanlee Hibner	SGE066991	Danetta Lashawn Bush
SGE066953	Troy Austin Tucker	PDSG044638	Justin Hayse Gatch

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PDSG044639	Annette Williams	SGE067007	Kecia Nicole Hardwick
PDSG044640	Jack Leland R Williams	SGE067008	Billy Ray Mallory
PSC002469	The Security Guys	SGE067009	Larry Junior Melvin
PSC002470	Palmetto Protective Services of Ga	SGE067010	Marquis C Mcthay
PSC002471	Blue Lion Security, Inc	SGE067011	Fernanda Martez Maston
PSC002472	Universal Security Guard Assoc. Inc	SGE067012	Eric Charles Watson
PSC002473	Security Development Solutions, LLC	SGE067013	Levon Darrell Huff
PSC002474	Metropolitan Security Assoc. Inc	SGE067014	Michelle Thomas
PSC002475	Special Operations Group	SGE067015	Devon Lamar Hope, Sr
PSC002476	Alexandria Executive Protection & Security Services, LLC	SGE067016	Anthony Brooks
PSC002477	Blu Protection Services	SGE067017	Jovan Brandon Taylor
PSC002478	Falu Security	SGE067018	Alexander Daniel Fawaz
SGE066930	Constance Maria Hereford	SGE067019	Leroy Scott, Jr
SGE066931	Sylear Patricia Jackson	SGE067020	Ishmaa'iyl Teariq Muhammad
SGE066932	Brandon D Meadows	SGE067021	Desmond Anthony Lyon, Jr
SGE066933	Jeremy Parker McClure	SGE067022	Abretha Lanise Mitchell
SGE066934	Angelina Denise Tarver	SGE067023	Andrea Delores Chapman
SGE066935	Emmanuel L Aaron	SGE067024	Moise P Preston
SGE066936	Jessie Lee Kent	SGE067025	Judith Carol Cheney
SGE066937	Milexus Ikia Towns	SGE067026	Jermaine Nelson Harvell
SGE066938	George Austin Hooks	SGE067027	Kenyada Kareem Gilmore, Sr
SGE066939	Wilbur Harris, Jr	SGE067028	Carlton Dexter
SGE066992	Eleazar Isaac Chavez Aguilera	SGE067029	Jasmehea Traylor
SGE066993	Javorious Emmanuel Gilbert	SGE067030	Michael Wayne Hoover
SGE066994	Daniel Marion Wickersham	SGE067031	Antrius M Ellington
SGE066994	Daniel Marion Wickersham	SGE067032	Jason V Reed
SGE066996	Salahaldin Abdallah-Aljaber	SGE067033	Billy Edward Johnson
SGE066997	JaQuawn Tyree Woods	SGE067034	Edward Alexander Brown
SGE066998	Stephen Christopher Edward	SGE067035	Leroy Scott, Jr
SGE066999	Eleslie Carr Benefield	SGE067035	Leroy Scott, Jr
SGE067000	Eric Eugene Reynolds, Jr	SGE067037	Andre Lamar Gordon
SGE067001	Jordan Neil Steward	SGE067038	Kelley Anne Hoffner
SGE067002	Gary Wendell Clark	SGE067039	Justin Patrick Brown
SGE067003	Timothy Dean Sheldon	SGE067040	Ignatius Ikechukw Chibuzo
SGE067004	Almamy Ishals Kamara	SGE067041	Quentin Kenyata Gammage
SGE067005	Zacchaeus Gitano Glass	SGE067042	James Edwin Bailey
SGE067006	Sharrese Nicole Tyler	SGE067043	Kizzy Denise Hearn
		SGE067044	Keyonia Unique Donaldson

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SGE067045	Yolanda Foster	SGE067056	Marques Antonio Anderson
SGE067046	Alimamy Mansaray	SGE067057	Nicole Renee Manuel
SGE067047	Philemon Nnamdi Amadi	SGE067058	Edgar Thomas
SGE067048	Ralph Edward Battle, Jr	SGE067059	Steven Domanique Daniels
SGE067049	Ricky Lenard Thompson	SGE067060	Jakorey Daunte Parham
SGE067050	Paul Andrew Augustin	SGE067061	Erik Dasan Brown
SGE067051	Demario Enrique Swain	SGE067062	Ericka Patrice McRae
SGE067052	Patrick L Wright, Sr	SGE067063	LaVonda Storey Stevenson
SGE067053	Jason Douglas Crittenden	SGE067064	Hector Alexander Falu
SGE067054	Taquel C Grier	SGE067065	Mark A Bogan, Jr
SGE067055	Douglas M. Ayala Aparicio	SGE067066	Roderick Davis

Pam Griggs moved, Tim Williams seconded, and the Board voted to ratify the licenses issued between meetings in accordance with Board Rules and Policies.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Pam Griggs moved, Tim Williams seconded and the Board voted to enter into Executive Session at 9:08 a.m. in accordance with O.C.G.A. §§ 43-1-19(h) and 43-38, for the purpose of conducting interviews, reviewing applications and complaint cases, and to hear the Attorney General’s report.

Executive Session concluded at 12:47 p.m., Tripp Mitchell, acting Chair, declared the meeting to be “open” pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act, O.C.G.A. §§ 50-14-1 et seq. No votes were taken during Executive Session.

OPEN SESSION:

Pam Griggs moved, Tim Williams seconded, and the Board voted to accept recommendations as made during Executive Session as follows:

Appointments:

2767657 / 2767663 – May be made eligible to take exam. Once applicant receives passing results, refer to Attorney Generals’ office for a Public Consent Order to include 24 months’ probation and no sustained complaints. Cannot be licensed to carry a weapon, but may reapply for weapons permit once probation is lifted.

2773234 – Denial upheld; failure to meet threshold based on previous convictions that relate to the practice of the security profession.

PDSA180038 – Cognizant interview conducted with Melissa Tracy, Assistant Attorney General, and Cognizant Board member, Tripp Mitchell. Close case with Letter of Concern. Refer case to Federal Trade Commission.

Applications:

Company

Company App #	Employee App #	Applicant Name	Decision
2766207	2766212	Armed Security Inc.	Approved
2787583	2787587	Block by Block	Approved
2798578	2798582	United Security Agency, LLC	Approved
2802630	2802637	SecTek Inc.	Approved

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2802712	2802713	The Spartan Security Group	Approved
2803149	2802422	Bond Investigations Inc.	Approved
2803839	2803841	Sunbelt Security Services of Middle Georgia, Inc.	Approved
2804200	2804201	Georgia Eagle One Security LLC	Approved
2804894	2804891	Kamau Protective Services LLC	Approved
2806055	2806096	Specialty Investigations Unlimited	Approved – Pending passing exam
2791482	2791489	Metropolitan Atlanta Security	Approved
2801996	2802001	Defensive Aspects Group LLC	Approved
2802351	2801948	Aegis Specialist	Approved
2802630		SecTek Inc.	Renewal Approved
1004186		Paragon Systems	Approved
	2791873	Peters, Ra'Mar Dontel	Approved
	2793690	Price, Oshea ShaRonn	Approved
	2794460	P.A.	Denied – failure to meet threshold based on previous conviction
	2796368	Cordell, Jonathan Paul	Approved
	2797173	Cooper, Hilton James, II	Approved
	2797801	Smith, Carlos Zeldoia	Approved
	2797941	Jaynes, Irving Washington, III	Approved
	2798431	Hatfield, Danny Gene, Sr.	Approved
	2800243	Hough, Lamontae Derrel	Approved
	2800811	Cannady, Tekorien.	Approved
	2800854	Lee, Marcus	Approved
	2801839	Lavant, Trudy Dinell	Approved
	2802512	A.B.V.	Denied – failure to meet threshold based on previous conviction and moral character
	2803593	Carstarphen, Dorothy Charissa	Approved
	2805135	Herndon, James Joseph, III	Approved

Trainers / Instructors

Applicant #	Applicant Name	Decision
2798068	C.B.N.	Denied – lack of experience
2800022	Crowder, Julian Procto	Approved
2800658	Wells, William L, Jr	Approved
2802005	Carrasquillo, Ricardo Antonio	Approved
2806098	McClure, Jeremy Parker	Approved
2629980	Berrios, Amerido Junior	Approved

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Complaints:

PDSA160014 – Close – Administratively close due to age.

PDSA160031 – Close – Administratively close due to age.

PDSA170048 – Table – Board to discuss at June 27, 2019 meeting; pending response from OSAH.

PDSA180007 – Table – Send letter to complainant requesting invoices to support the case. Case will be closed in 30 days if no response has been received.

PDSA180038 – Close – Cognizant interview conducted with Melissa Tracy, Assistant Attorney General, and Cognizant Board member, Tripp Mitchell. Close case with Letter of Concern. Refer case to Federal Trade Commission.

PDSA180047 – Close – Refer to Law Enforcement for violation of O.C.G.A. § 43-38-16.

PDSA180080 – Close – No violation.

PDSA180102 – Close – No jurisdiction.

PDSA190076 – Table – Staff to obtain certified court documents stating final disposition. Once received, case will be referred to the Attorney General's office for revocation of license.

PDSA190090 – Table – Board to discuss at July 27, 2019 meeting; civil case pending.

Attorney General's Report:

The Board accepted the Attorney General's report as presented.

PDSA180108 – OSAH hearing on May 3, 2019; awaiting initial decision.

PDSA190065 – OSAH hearing on May 3, 2019; awaiting initial decision.

PDSA190059 – OSAH hearing pending; Scheduled for June 25, 2019.

PDSA180100 – Close – Received signed Consent Order and payment of fine.

PDSA170049 – Close – Received signed Voluntary Surrender.

PDSA190044 – Close – Received signed Voluntary Surrender.

OPEN SESSION:

Background Checks for Active Law Enforcement

Tabled to June 27, 2019 meeting.

Request to Lift Probation

The Board reviewed a request to lift probation of Wayne Manning (PSC001946). With requirements of Consent Order met, Pam Griggs motioned, Tim Williams seconded, and the Board unanimously voted to approve the request.

Weapons Discharge Report

SGE066186 – W.M. – report accepted. Tripp Mitchell recused.

Docketed Orders

The Board unanimously voted to ratify all docketed orders.

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Type	Name	Docket #	City
Voluntary Surrender	A Discreet Investigations	2019-0751	Lawrenceville
Voluntary Surrender	Risk Management Associations of Ga Inc.	2019-0812	Conyers

Executive Director’s Report

The Board reviewed the Executive Director’s Report which provided statistical data regarding licensing and complaints.

Licensing Exam

The Board voted to proceed with the following individuals to work with PSI on updating the following licensing exams:

Private Detective Company Exam:

James Mitchell (PDSC001616), Christopher Appleby (PDC002811), Coop Joshua Villines (PDC002492), Paul Purcell (PDC001713), William Larry Davis (PDC001263)

Private Security Company Exam:

James Mitchell (PDSC001616), Joel Peacock (PSC001784), Anthony Biello (PDSC001631), Timothy Williams (PSC002470)

The next meeting of the Georgia Board of Private Detectives and Security Agencies will be held Thursday, June 27, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.

There being no further business, Tripp Mitchell, acting Chair, declared the meeting adjourned at 1:09 p.m.

Minutes recorded by: Alexis Hardy, Board Support Specialist
Minutes reviewed and edited by: Brad Coman, Executive Director
Minutes approved on: June 27, 2019



James “Tripp” Mitchell, acting Chair



Brad Coman, Executive Director

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AFFIDAVIT SUPPORTING CLOSING OF PUBLIC MEETING

The Georgia Open Meetings Act, O.C.G.A 50-14-1 et seq., requires that all meetings of an entity covered by the statute must be open to the public unless there is some specific statutory exception which permits the closing of the meeting. If such a meeting is to be closed, the law requires that the presiding person execute a sworn affidavit stating that the subject matter of the meeting or the closed portion thereof was devoted to matters within the statutory exceptions and identifying those specified exemptions relied upon. O.C.G.A. 50-14-4(b). A copy of this affidavit must be filed with the minutes of the meetings in question.

James "Tripp" Mitchell
Comes now ~~Anthony Biello~~, the presiding officer identified below and, before an official duly authorized to administer oaths, makes this affidavit in satisfaction of the statutory requirements outlined above.

1. I am the presiding officer of the Georgia State Board of Private Detective and Security Agencies.
2. I am over the age of 18 and in other aspects competent to make this sworn statement. I acknowledge that I am giving this statement under oath and subject to penalty of perjury and that I have read the contents of this affidavit prior to signing it.
3. On May 30, 2019 this entity, which is subject to the Open Meetings Act, met. A majority of the quorum of members present voted to close the meeting or a portion thereof of the following indicated reason(s). I hereby certify that that during the closed portion of the meeting, only those subjects indicated below were discussed. I also certify that I have reviewed the exceptions provided under the Open Meetings Act that may permit the closing of a meeting and that, to the best of my knowledge, the reasons I have described in detail below meet the requirements for closing this public meeting.
4. The legal authority for closure of this meeting was: O.C.G.A. 43-1-2(k).
5. The subjects discussed and the underlying facts supporting the closing of this meeting are as follows:
Applications and other personal information submitted by the applicants; information, favorable or unfavorable, submitted by a reference source concerning an applicant; and deliberations of the Board with respect to an application, an examination, a complaint, an investigation, or a disciplinary proceeding.

FURTHER THE AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

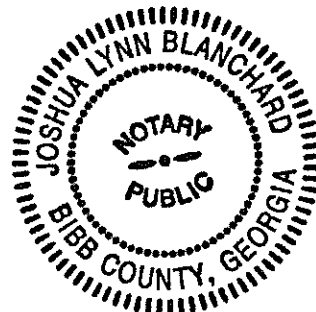
James Mitchell

(PRESIDING OFFICER)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30
Day of May 20 19

Josh Blanchard

(Notary Public) *Josh Blanchard*



Fx - June 16, 2021