

**Georgia Board of Private Detective and Security Agencies
Teleconference Board Meeting Minutes – November 20, 2025**

Professional Licensing Boards – Secretary of State
237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, GA 31217

Members Present:

- Pam Griggs, Chair
- Tim Williams
- David Sawyer
- Joel Peacock
- Antonio Long
- James “Tripp” Mitchell

Others Present:

- Brad Coman, Executive Director
- Melanie Foster, Licensing Supervisor
- Kristin Mitchell, Board Support Specialist
- Leisa Beach, Licensing Analyst
- Felicia Peak, Licensing Analyst
- Kareem McCulley, Assistant Attorney General

Members Absent:

- Chris Hosey

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

At 9:05 a.m. Pam Griggs, Chair, noted that a quorum was present, called the meeting to order, and declared the session to be “open” pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act, O.C.G.A. §§50-14-1 et seq.

Agenda

After review of the agenda, Tripp Mitchell moved, David Sawyer seconded, and the Board voted to approve the November 20, 2025 agenda as amended.

Minutes

After review of the minutes, Tripp Mitchell moved, David Sawyer seconded, and the Board voted to approve the October 23, 2025, Open Meeting minutes and Executive Session minutes.

Ratification List:

Licenses issued 10/21/2025 through 11/17/2025 (Total – 198):

License #	Licensee	License #	Licensee
PDSG044978	Eric Tyrone Dorsey	SGE372392	Kefu Shaunto Aiken
PDE052864	Lydia Jane Kress	SGE372391	Fatyma Monique Burrus
SGE372378	Luis Cortes	SGE372394	Tyron Teshawn Allen
SGE372379	Lateranae Barrett	SGE372393	Keith Bernard Allen
PDE052865	Keith Antuan Rucker	SGE372396	Joshua Hosea Murray
SGE372380	Zebedee Whitehorn Williams II	SGE372395	Liam Ivan Planin
SGE372381	Debbie Jarrett	PDE052869	Marcus Dutton
PDC003018	Oconee private investigations LLC	SGE372397	Christopher Paul Green Sr
PDE052866	John Anthony Sellers Jr	INSE044528	James Mark Cavender
PDE052867	Daniel Rodriguez	SGE372398	Timothy F Coleman Jr
SGE372382	Kevin Anthony Rhodes	SGE372399	Martize Smith
SGE372384	Octavia Michaela Cheri Grandy	SGE372400	Frantz Calixte
SGE372383	Deben Cunningham	SGE372401	Eric Norman
SGE372385	Jarrod David Goley Sr	INSE044529	Kyle Gregory Heuchert
INSE044526	Morris Eugene Pridgen	PSC002791	Global Guardian LLC
INSE044525	Terry Dwayne Burton	SGE372402	Joel Alton Peacock
INSE044527	Virgil Brewer	SGE372403	Nicholas C Webb
PDSG044979	Brendan Emery Leach	SGE372404	David Lynch Jr
SGE372386	Joseph Perrymon	SGE372405	Christopher Williamson
SGE372387	Kenneth Torone Irvin	INSE044530	Brandon DeSean Brinkley
SGE372388	Christopher Chinenye Nweze	SGE372406	Ryan Gordon
PDE052868	Lisa Sullins	SGE372407	Omar Mckoy Haughton
SGE372389	Clinton Guzman	INSE044531	Mark Anthony Medina
SGE372390	Zelva Brown	SGE372408	Shekinah Anaiyah Stokes

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SGE372409	Diamond Lacherryone Anderson	SGE372455	Jeremiah Jason Torres
SGE372410	Eric T Wright	SGE372456	Eric Aundre Milton
PSC002792	Rose Security Protection and Consulting Services, LLC	SGE372454	Shaunderia Cofer
SGE372411	Robert M Hunter	INSE044535	Andrew Edward Estlund
SGE372412	Kendall Bryce Holmes	SGE372457	Metreal Brown
PDE052870	Emily Sanchez	SGE372458	William Colston
SGE372413	Antonio LaFayette Rice	SGE372459	Kiyani Anderson
PDE052871	Richard Chase	SGE372460	Michael Lewis Branch
SGE372414	Jeko Muhammad Bashir	SGE372461	Joshua Tran
PDSG044980	Samuel F Miller	SGE372462	Rion D Koon Jr
SGE372415	Anthony W Myles	SGE372463	Demetri Ray Fenn
INSE044532	Brandon Kyle Morgan	SGE372464	Godwin Oriakhi
PDSC001830	At-Risk International, LLC	PDE052874	Edwin Joseph Anschutz
SGE372416	Cody G Lewis	SGE372465	Dontray Edwards
SGE372417	Tristan Conner	INSE044536	Sir I Lencrerot
SGE372418	Nadine Butler	SGE372466	VeElla Nicole Ilion
SGE372419	Kieachi Uganda Roman	SGE372467	Harold Fritz
SGE372421	William Lee Neal	SGE372468	Jessie Antonette Montgomery
SGE372420	Devontae D Williams	SGE372469	Adam Butson
SGE372422	Timothy James Murray	SGE372470	Roy Senoy Battle
PDSG044981	Joshua Gene Craig	SGE372471	Milton Rowe
SGE372423	Lavoski Wright	SGE372472	Shuntae Marie Merrett
SGE372424	Leon Dwight Coleman	SGE372473	Steven Anthony Grisby II
INSE044533	Landon Deantonio Allen	SGE372474	Timothy Alexander Lewis
SGE372425	Dwight Mitchell Davis Sr.	SGE372475	Christopher Samuel Williams
SGE372426	Charles Michael Cowart	SGE372477	Terrance Johnson
PDSG044982	Ajani Turner	SGE372478	Shannon James Sherman Jr
SGE372428	Toni Monique Ellis	SGE372479	Jason Hugo Goetz
SGE372427	Daveon Malik Mobley	SGE372482	Luis Martinez
PDE052872	Robbie Lyn Eaton	SGE372481	Davonna Grissom
SGE372429	Michael Wayne O'Shields	PDE052875	Clarke Theus Charles
SGE372430	Ryan Micheal McNare	SGE372480	Jeffery Arnold
PDE052873	Don H McGee	SGE372483	Shamar Anthony Ramsey
SGE372431	Wade Allen Lewis	PDSG044983	Jose Rojas
SGE372432	Chaz Brown	PDSG044984	Jose Rojas
SGE372433	James F Jackson	SGE372484	Andre Lawrence Davenport
SGE372434	Emmanuel J Patterson	SGE372485	Kanyetta Nichete Glover
INSE044534	Shamir Bradshaw	SGE372486	Kevin L Coffey
SGE372435	Ferrari Shores	PDE052876	William Jerry Hiers Jr.
SGE372436	Timothy Marshall Newell	SGE372487	Phu Thien Nong
SGE372437	Anthony Maurice Hury	SGE372488	Ronald Deon Green
SGE372438	Reico Walker	SGE372489	Dexter Scott Washington
SGE372439	Gregory Omar Biascoechea	SGE372490	Queenebony Earth Gibson
SGE372440	Katherine Denson Windom	SGE372491	Danielle Downer
SGE372441	Desmond Jamar Parks	SGE372492	Cornell DeCou
SGE372442	Laquarius Demonte Nelson	SGE372493	Rickey Andrew Gaither Jr
SGE372443	Marquis Banhan	SGE372494	Michael Neville Patrick Shields Jr
SGE372444	Mitchell Clay stallings III	PDE052877	Daniel Rodriguez
SGE372445	Londyn James Hall	PSC002793	Regulator Executive Protection and Management
SGE372446	Pryia Thompson	SGE372495	Michael Leon Joyner Jr.
SGE372447	Garland Harris Jr.	PDE052878	Jasmin Nicole Hurley
SGE372448	Shane Shamare Clarke	INSE044537	Ashley Edwards
SGE372449	Alex Jacob Brill	SGE372496	Markus Allen Page
SGE372450	Jarrod Hampton	PDE052879	Geanie Lynn Johansen
SGE372451	Samuel Rivera Jr	SGE372497	David Blackwell
SGE372452	Jamie Edwin Johnson	SGE372498	David Ray DeFreese
SGE372453	Martize Smith	SGE372499	Jasmine Marian Carter

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SGE372500	Donnie Lamar Chumley	PDSG044986	Colin Alexander Serene
SGE372501	Javed Wafa	SGE372516	Nina Emma Reed
SGE372504	Kaniya Darriana williams	PDE052881	Kim Yi
SGE372505	Jerry Lee Gwinn	SGE372517	Phillip Everton Hunte Jr
SGE372503	Homer E Sims	SGE372518	Robert Gaskins
SGE372502	Delroy Ricardo Thomas	SGE372519	Jarian Devon Harris
PDE052880	Jason W Edmonds	SGE372520	Cody Clark Carter
SGE372506	Printice Lamar Williams	SGE372525	Yiwen Shen Covacevich
SGE372507	Jeffrey Scott Richardson	SGE372521	Gregory Ryan O'Keefe
SGE372508	Lynette Johnson	SGE372522	Glenn B Peters
SGE372509	Ibrahime Bagayoko	SGE372523	Terrance Terrell Smith
PDSG044985	Nyrobi Turner	SGE372524	Nina Emma Reed
SGE372510	Charles John Oswald	SGE372526	TRONG NGHIA LE NGUYEN
SGE372511	Latoia Edison	SGE372527	Carson Robert Cato
SGE372512	Marque Rawle Fraser	SGE372528	Octavius Deonte Neal
SGE372513	Davonna Grissom	INSE044538	Jacqueline Marnette Alexander
SGE372514	Jermaine Daniel Thomas	SGE372529	Marcus Heard
SGE372515	Elijah Pyle		

Tripp Mitchell moved, David Sawyer seconded, and the Board voted to ratify the licenses issued between meetings in accordance with Board Rules and Policies.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Tripp Mitchell moved, David Sawyer seconded, and the Board voted to enter into Executive Session at 9:07 a.m. in accordance with O.C.G.A. §§ 43-1-19(h) and 43-38, for the purpose of conducting applicant interviews, reviewing applications and complaint cases, and to hear the Attorney General's report.

At the conclusion of Executive Session, Pam Griggs, Chair, declared the meeting to be "open" pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act, O.C.G.A. §§ 50-14-1 et seq., at 11:45 a.m. No votes were taken during Executive Session.

OPEN SESSION:

Antonio Long moved, David Sawyer seconded, and the Board voted to accept recommendations made during Executive Session as follows:

Appointments:

4332876 – Approved. Tim Williams Recused.

4335182 – Approved. Tim Williams Recused.

4215715 – Approve with a public Consent Agreement to include a fine of \$500 for failure to disclose P.O.S.T. sanctions pending receipt of an updated lesson plan. Joel Peacock opposed.

Applications:

Companies

NOTE: Companies are approved pending receipt of requisite surety bond or insurance, license fee, and passing exam results.

Company App #	Employee App #	Applicant Name	Decision
4295104	4387834	Gryffin Security Solutions, LLC	Approve.
4300559	4352057	H.I.	Table for applicant interview.

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-	4331148	GardaWorld	Approve.
4340889	4360403	William H and Assoc. LLC	Approve.
4346095	4357010	Fire Research & Technology, LLC	Approve.
4351990	4380656	Marathon Protection Services	Approve.
4356582	4356552	Smoking Gun Investigations LLC	Approve.
4359783	4359797	RP Investigative Solutions, LLC	Approve.
4360597	4360618	Front Row Management Services	Approve.
4370546	4371005	James Private Investigations, LLC	Approve.
4373643	4421028	Akima Global Logistics, LLC	Approve. Joel Peacock recused.
4373789	4375985	DOIT Protective Services LLC	Approve.
4361205	4384235	Guardian Protection Group	Approve.
4365407	4378598	Strategic Investigations Service, LLC	Approve.

Employees

Applicant #	Applicant Name	Decision
4325151	J.A.F.	Deny - Criminal convictions for crimes of moral turpitude that relate to the practice of the profession.
4337694	R.H.	Deny - Falsification of application by failure to disclose arrest history.
4346128	Lawrence Torrell Lafleur	Approved.
4353159	M.L.C.	Table for applicant interview.
4357361	Karl Theodore Tymes	Approved.
4361047	C.T.M.	Deny - Falsification of application by failure to disclose prior denial. Joel Peacock recused.
4374238	A.D.L.	Table for applicant to provide additional information.
4376466	J.D.E.	Approve with a public Consent Agreement to include a \$500 fine for failure to disclose P.O.S.T. sanctions.
4378025	A.H.	Approve with a public Consent Agreement to include a \$500 fine for failure to disclose P.O.S.T. sanctions.
4389250	R.L.S.	Deny - Felony conviction. Any request to appeal should include proof that civil rights have been restored including the right to carry firearms.

Trainers/Instructors

Applicant #	Applicant Name	Decision
4247663	B.K.S.	Deny - Lesson plan is insufficient to qualify. Any request to appeal should include an updated lesson plan to include updates related to O.C.G.A. 17-4-80.
4283722	J.C.	Table for applicant interview, proof of experience, and an updated lesson plan to include updates related to O.C.G.A. 17-4-80.
4308757	Myloreal Anderson	Approved.
4345625	A.R.E.	Table for applicant interview and an updated lesson plan to include updates related to O.C.G.A. 17-4-80.
4354344	K.L.D	Table for updated lesson plan to include updates related to O.C.G.A. 17-4-80.
4326034	J.M.	Table for detailed lesson plan.
4348977	D.W.	Table for applicant interview.

Complaints:

PDSA260056 – Refer to Investigations to obtain a statement and offer a voluntary Cease and Desist Order to anyone found operating without a license.

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PDSA250083 – Table to next meeting.

PDSA260057 – Refer to Investigations to obtain a statement and offer a voluntary Cease and Desist Order.

PDSA260006 – Table for legal advice.

PDSA260059 – Refer to Investigations to obtain a statement and offer a voluntary Cease and Desist Order.

PDSA260064 – Close – Letter of Concern regarding multiple complaints for failure to pay for services.

PDSA250088 – Refer to Attorney General’s Office for a hearing for a Cease and Desist Order.

PDSA260020 – Close – Accept Cease and Desist Order.

PDSA260053 – Refer to Investigations to obtain additional information and offer a voluntary Cease and Desist Order.

PDSA260058 – Close – No jurisdiction/civil matter.

PDSA260025 – Refer to Attorney General’s Office for a hearing for a Cease and Desist Order.

PDSA230013 – Close – No jurisdiction.

Attorney General’s Report:

The Board accepted the Attorney General’s report as presented, which included information on any cases referred for action, requests for advice, and requests for authority for proposed rules.

Other Business:

Docketed Orders:

Antonio Long moved, David Sawyer seconded, and the Board voted to accept the following docketed orders as presented:

Type	Licensee/Applicant	License/Application #	Docket #	City
Consent Agreement	Fortify Insulate Security	4251881	2025-1144	Jonesboro
Consent Agreement	Anthony Green	4266752	2025-1145	Elijay
Consent Agreement	Quinetta Reynolds	4377729	2025-1214	Jacksonville
Consent Order	Job1USA	PSC001869	2025-1128	Toledo, OH
Consent Order	Vets Securing America	PSC001574	2025-1143	Hampede, ME

Weapons Discharge Report:

L.F.C.O. – Tripp Mitchell moved, Tim Williams seconded, and the Board voted to accept the weapons discharge report as presented.

Proposed Instructor Lesson Plan Template:

The Board reviewed and discussed a proposed template for instructor lesson plans to assist individuals applying for an Instructor license in understanding the format required for approval and understanding the difference in an outline versus the required lesson plan. Tripp Mitchell moved, David Sawyer seconded, and the Board voted to table and continue discussion at the next meeting.

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Executive Director's Report

The Board reviewed the Executive Director's report which provided statistical data regarding licensing, complaints, renewals, and examinations.


The next meeting of the Georgia Board of Private Detective and Security Agencies will be held Thursday, January 22, 2026, at 9:00 a.m.

There being no further business, Pam Griggs, Chair, declared the meeting adjourned at 11:50 a.m.

Minutes recorded by: Kristin Mitchell, Board Support Specialist

Minutes reviewed and edited by: Brad Coman, Executive Director

Minutes approved on: January 20, 2026.


Pam Griggs, 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.

Comes now Pam Griggs, 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.

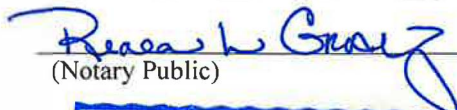
1. I am the presiding officer of the Georgia State Board of Private Detective and Security Agencies.
2. I am over the age of 18 and in other aspects competent to make this sworn statement. I acknowledge that I am giving this statement under oath and subject to penalty of perjury and that I have read the contents of this affidavit prior to signing it.
3. On November 20, 2025, 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.



(PRESIDING OFFICER)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th
Day of November 20 25



(Notary Public)

