Georgia Board of Private Detective and Security Agencies
Teleconference Board Meeting Minutes – September 30, 2026

Professional Licensing Boards – Secretary of State
3920 Arkwright Rd. Suite 195., Macon, GA 31210

Members Present:
- Pam Griggs, Chair
- Tim Williams
- David Sawyer
- Joel Peacock
- James "Tripp" Mitchell
- Antonio Long

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 9:01 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, David Sawyer moved, Tripp Mitchell seconded, and the Board voted to approve the September 30, 2026, agenda as presented.

Minutes
After review of the minutes, Tripp Mitchell moved, David Sawyer seconded, and the Board voted to approve the August 27, 2026, Open Meeting minutes and Executive Session minutes.

Ratification List:
Licenses issued 8/25/2026 through 9/23/2026 (Total – 197):

License #	Licensee	License #	Licensee
PDE053133	Robert Hunkiar	INSE044730	Nickolaus A Garner
PDE053134	Heather Muir	PDE053136	Caleb Turner Holmes
INSE044724	Prudence Amalita Baptiste	PDE053137	Landon Steenbergen
SGE374027	Keith William Rankin	SGE374040	Vincent Robert Sims
SGE374028	Damarius Lamar Edwards	INSE044731	Richard Trousselle
PDE053135	James Andrew Dugan	SGE374041	E'Niya Robinson
SGE374029	Donald Enoch Stewart	SGE374042	Sainabou Mbowe
PSC002840	Interr Ohio, Inc.	SGE374043	Dylan Alston
SGE374030	John Thomas Franklin	PDE053138	Patricia Louise Logan
INSE044725	Nikolas Alston Blanks	PDC003044	IronClad Investigative Services, LLC
INDE042805	Christopher James Lindquist	PDE053139	Jeelan R Jones
SGE374031	Brennon Lee Smith	CFTR001511	Kareemah W Champion
SGE374032	Levi Brown	PDSC001842	Steadfast Security Solutions of Georgia, LLC
SGE374033	Constance Payne	SGE374044	DONALD WAYNE RAWLS J
PDSG045032	Miguel Angel Arana Guzman	PDE053140	Greg Muir
SGE374034	Raymond E. Hudson	CLTR001259	Fnu Najibullah
SGE374035	Roderick Williams	CFTR001512	Kevin Lee Dial
INSE044726	Thomas Carson	CFTR001513	Jeremy Gable
SGE374036	Khloe Karter	FAI-000174	James Mark Cavender
INSE044727	Sean Joseph Burke	SGE374045	Paula Kathleen Thompson
SGE374037	Audra Denis Wooten	INSE044732	Antonio Lamon Phelps
INSE044728	Rashad Berry	INSE044733	Sheryce McCollough
SGE374038	Marshanti Lamya Thornton	PDE053141	Latoya Sharese Wharton
SGE374039	Alexander Jermaine Bryant	INSE044734	Fred Peterson III

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SGE374046	Jacob David Geiger
SGE374047	John Edward Green
SGE374048	Precious Ambrea McLean
SGE374049	Rachel Annamarie Israel
SGE374050	Joel Alton Peacock
SGE374051	John M Bloodworth
PSC002841	Cascadia Global Services X, Inc.
PSC002842	Akima Infrastructure Protection, LLC
SGE374052	Joel Alton Peacock
PDE053142	William Ross Tripp
INSE044735	Dade Albin
PDSG045033	Brent Register
PDE053143	Kristopher Michael Hall
PDE053144	Daniel Ramirez
SGE374053	Kimberly Elaine Milam
SGE374054	Shakira Perkins
INSE044736	Dexter Weems
SGE374055	Lamarion Lang
SGE374056	Jeremiah D Walton
SGE374057	Christon Cain
SGE374058	Alexander Deonte' Pippins
SGE374059	Shelby Arnsdorff
PSC002843	Illuno
PDE053145	Carre Woods
INSE044737	Charles Donte Barnes
SGE374060	Mbu Eric Yidin
SGE374061	Dakota Tyner Mathis
INSE044738	Jacob Kristian Brown
PDE053146	Shilo McKenna Lorenz
SGE374062	Quicha A Anderson
SGE374063	FRED MOORE III
PDE053147	Jonathan William Locke
SGE374064	John Jeremiah Williams III
PDE053148	Kevin Bruce Edwards
PDE053149	Melina Channa Lim Perez
SGE374065	Rakita Marcia Douglas
SGE374066	Jason Nathaniel Sidberry
SGE374067	Tarae Terrell
SGE374068	Imani Diamond Cox
SGE374069	Santiago Tomas Fernandez
SGE374070	Tony Hughley
SGE374071	Ruthie T McGhee
SGE374072	Krystal Renee Harvey
SGE374073	Larry Allan Allsop
SGE374074	James Michael McKinney
SGE374075	Geneva Owens
SGE374076	Michael Anthony Watson II
SGE374077	Latoya Schanel Linen
SGE374078	Tijan Aboubacar Jawo Jr
SGE374079	Ashton Caleb Taylor
SGE374080	Blake Walker
SGE374081	Lativia Arnetta Monay Cody-R
INSE044739	Chrisel Wiltshire
SGE374082	Louis Douglas Allen Jr
PDE053150	Jennifer Michelle McCoy
SGE374083	Grady Taylor III
SGE374084	Beau Patrick Hundley
PDSG045034	Holland Sanderson Conrad

License #	Licensee
PDE053151	Leonardo Jose Quintero
PDSG045035	Myles Christopher Tamayo
SGE374087	Jean-Claude Charles
SGE374085	ARTHUR KING
SGE374086	Elliott Reid
PDE053152	Carre Woods
PDE053153	Justice Darrell Smith
PDSC001843	AOE Professional Services
PDSG045036	Francisco Antonio Estevez Jr
PDE053154	Danielle Gause
SGE374088	Javon Howard Fudge
PDE053155	Amanda Leigh Yanes
SGE374089	April Golden
PDC003045	Coastal Private Eye
PDE053156	Paul Vincent Preston
PDE053157	Shanea Brodhacker
PDE053158	Jasmin Nicole Hurley
PDC003046	Shadownet
PDE053159	Macky Outlaw
PDSG045037	Matthew Wainwright
PSC002844	Security Protective Services
PDSC001844	Wainwright Security and Investigations
SGE374090	Abdul Mateen III
SGE374091	Maceo Emmanuel James
SGE374092	Timothy Alan Adcox
INSE044740	Anthony Thomas Jr.
SGE374093	Oumar Sylla
SGE374094	Steel Hameed
SGE374095	Devaun Ray Jackson
SGE374096	Joseph Lamar Maynor
SGE374097	Joseph Mann Williams
SGE374098	Raymonique P Marigny
SGE374099	Dcolbeyer Galloway
SGE374101	Shanalee Hopelyn Sanders
PDSG045038	Edwardo Javier Guitron
SGE374100	Rashad Fuller
SGE374102	TEACHA MARIE MITCHELL
SGE374103	Israel S Mays
SGE374104	Kevin Miller
PDE053160	Martha Cecilia Gooding
SGE374105	Jarett Roosevelt Jenkins
SGE374106	Lakiesha Carter-Robinson
SGE374107	Latasha Tawana Jones
SGE374108	Michelle Leah Bodie
INSE044741	David Parrish
SGE374109	Cadarius Harley
SGE374110	Khadidiatou Touray
PDSG045039	Jason Wayne Sheridan
SGE374111	Jordn Nathaniel Downer
PDE053161	Karen Denise Sanders
SGE374112	Terence Vrabec
PDE053162	Lawrence Gregory Lampkin
INDE042806	Kevin Hernandez
SGE374113	Tezhia Janai Dawkins
SGE374114	Markeisha Jenneyce Watson
SGE374115	Camren Jarrell Palmer
SGE374116	Danthony Carter
SGE374117	Tabitha Clifton

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SGE374118	Dawn Henry
SGE374119	Ridge Fuenticilla Williams
SGE374120	Dawson Blake Wood
SGE374121	Quentin Pierre Smith
SGE374122	Dorothy K Foley
INSE044742	Antonio Jarailli Campbell
SGE374123	Regina Lashay Ward
SGE374124	Robert Boney
PDSG045040	Thomas Grant Berry
PDC003047	Aries Investigative Services LLC
PDE053163	William Herlth
SGE374125	Jada Plummer
PDE053164	Laura M Hall
SGE374126	Michelle Katherine Ramsammy
SGE374127	Smuel S Carr
SGE374128	Katessa Leadineh Singleton
SGE374129	Terrico Daquan Lupoe

License #	Licensee
SGE374130	Cantina Opal Conway
SGE374131	Jeffrey Amihere
INSE044743	Andres Xavier Sanchez
SGE374132	Thomas Luther Fairell
SGE374133	Gerrick Duhane Jones
SGE374134	James Gregory Douglas
SGE374135	Daniel Hall
INSE044744	Christopher Jarell Chilton
PDE053165	Derek Jackson
INSE044745	Jamaal Raschad Oden
SGE374136	Trevon Chester
SGE374137	Terry T Adams Jr
SGE374138	Lionell Maurice Brown
INSE044746	Hasan Jamal Dutton
SGE374139	Korey Thomas
SGE374140	Trenton Parker

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 9:03 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 1:40 p.m. No votes were taken during Executive Session.

OPEN SESSION:

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

Appointments:

4711626 – No show. Uphold denial.

4859569 – Approve.

4726193 / 4778529 – Approve.

4800167 / 4802477 – Rescind denial and approve with a name change.

4865453 / 4865481 – Approve.

4724908 – Rescind denial and approve.

4839245 – Uphold denial.

Applications:

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Companies

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Company App #	Employee App #	Applicant Name	Decision
4800794	4870075	Arkeion LLC	Approve.
4804348	4848655	Black Line Protective Services LLC	Approve.
4810119	4849805	Platinum Shield Security LLC	Approve.
4810400	4810705	Unparalleled Services LLC	Approve.
4839359	4865421	J. Chambers PI Group	Approve.
4840736		Tri County Security	Approve.
4852503	4864644	Atlas Protection Group, LLC	Approve.
4854280	4855789	Southern Charm Investigations LLC	Approve.
4859845	4860048	Tyler Protective Services, LLC	Approve.
4868191	4884340	Those meddling kids	Approve.
4868444	4874064	Black Maverica Group, LLC	Approve.
4869758	4889120	Magnolia Defense Group, LLC	Approve.
4881470	4886470	Fowler Investigative Services	Approve.
4886992	4907838	The Shepherd Investigation Group LLC	Approve.
4893118	4893177	W.C.	Tale for an applicant interview.
4907980	4909516	Spartan Secure Transport Services LLC	Approve.
4846055	4856292	Controlled Solutions and Security, Inc	Approve.
4853589	4894381	T.L.P.	Approve with a public Consent Agreement to include a $500 fine for unlicensed practice.

Employees

Applicant #	Applicant Name	Decision
4819486	J.M.H.	Deny due to arrest history, P.O.S.T. sanctions, and failure to disclose P.O.S.T. sanctions.
4821343	S.D.G.	Deny due to arrest history. Joel Peacock recused.
4858646	Faith Powers	Approve.
4859977	Christopher Cody Donaby	Approve.
4865911	T.A.B	Table - Schedule an applicant interview.
4869374	Wayne Calvin Green	Approve.
4872543	Jefonne Patrice Williams	Approve.
4878907	G.S.M.	Approve with a Letter of Concern for failure to disclose arrest history.
4890022	Teater David Mason Jr	Approve.
4909882	A.T.	Deny due to arrest history and P.O.S.T. sanctions.

Trainers/Instructors

Applicant #	Applicant Name	Decision
4783407	Roman Jimenez	Approve.
4794547	JaPrince Briggs	Approve.
4803867	David Michael Lundquist	Approve.
4826479	Y.D.	Table for updated lesson plan with updates related to O.C.G.A. 17-4-80 for citizen's arrest, removing ALL references to O.C.G.A. 17-4-60, as the law has been repealed.
4829050	Jacob King	Approve.
4829315	Joaquin Jamal Lemon	Approve.
4841304	Christy Diane Anderson	Approve.
4848741	Michael Lee Frazier	Approve.

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Applicant #	Applicant Name	Decision
4850245	Elijah Lewis McCall	Approve.
4868810	T.K.R.	Table for updated lesson plan with updates related to O.C.G.A. 17-4-80 for citizen's arrest, removing ALL references to O.C.G.A. 17-4-60, as the law has been repealed.
4882148	Mark Hadaway	Approve.
4890890	Joseph Michael Coppola	Approve.

Complaints:

PDSA260176 – Refer to the Attorney General's Office for a hearing for a Cease and Desist Order, to be referred with PDSA270036.

PDSA270030 – Close – Civil matter.

PDSA270006 – Table to next meeting.

PDSA260144 – Table to next meeting.

PDSA260171 – Refer to Attorney General's Office for a public Consent Order for aiding and abetting unlicensed practice to include a $2,500 fine, 48 months' probation, and quarterly reports of employee rosters, training rosters, qualification scores, locations and copies of contracts.

PDSA260170 – Refer to Investigations to obtain additional documentation.

PDSA270051 – Table for a cognizant interview.

PDSA260167 – Close – Resolved through application.

PDSA260188 – Close – Matter resolved.

PDSA260198 – Refer to Attorney General's Office for a public Consent Order to include a $2,500 fine for aiding and abetting unlicensed practice.

PDSA260175 – Close – No violation.

PDSA270055 – Table – Hold application and schedule a cognizant interview.

PDSA270018 – Close – No jurisdiction.

PDSA270026 – Refer to Investigations to obtain additional information.

PDSA270033 – Close – No jurisdiction.

PDSA260138 – Refer to Attorney General's Office for a public Consent Order for aiding and abetting unlicensed practice to include a $2673.10 fine and 24 months' probation.

PDSA260179 – Refer to Attorney General's Office for a hearing for a Cease and Desist Order.

PDSA270037 – Refer to Investigations to obtain additional information.

PDSA270034 – Table for 60 days for update.

PDSA270061 – Table to next meeting.

PDSA270036 – Refer to the Attorney General's Office for a hearing for a Cease and Desist Order, to be referred with PDSA260176.

PDSA270054 – Close – No jurisdiction.

PDSA270063 – Close – No violation.

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.

4895934 – Approve with a Letter of Concern for failure to disclose arrest history.

Other Business:

Docketed Orders:
Tripp Mitchell moved, Antonio Long seconded, and the Board voted to accept the following docketed orders as presented:

Type	Licensee/Applicant	License/Application #	Docket #	City
Consent Agreement	Timolin Ricketts	4656037	2026-0974	Kingsland
Consent Agreement	Dexter Weems	4677949	2026-0992	Fairburn
Consent Agreement	Oumar Sylla	4877345	2026-1039	Atlanta
Consent Agreement	Larry Anthony Gibson	4765162	2026-1040	Abbeville
Consent Agreement	Thomas Gowdy	4764391	2026-1079	Ellenwood
Consent Agreement	Louis Brown dba Armed Security Inc	4764949/4660316	2026-1080	Halethorpe, MD
Cease and Desist	Valerie Suessmith	N/A	2026-0976	Porterdale
Cease and Desist	Shawn Rolison dba Titan Resources	N/A	2026-0975	Atlanta
Cease and Desist	Mike Guerra & Threat Assessment Team, LLC	4761059/4761329	2026-1041	Cumming

Weapons Discharge Report:
Tripp Mitchell moved, Antonio Long seconded, and the Board voted to accept the weapons discharge report as presented.

Open Records Request:
The Board reviewed an Open Records Request for complaint documents. Tripp Mitchell moved, David Sawyer seconded, and the Board unanimously voted to deny the request.

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

The next meeting of the Georgia Board of Private Detective and Security Agencies will be held Thursday, October 29, 2026, at 9:00 a.m.

There being no further business, Pam Griggs, Chair, declared the meeting adjourned at 1:48 p.m.

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Minutes recorded by: Kristin Mitchell, Board Support Specialist
Minutes reviewed and edited by: Brad Coman, Executive Director
Minutes approved on: October 29, 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 September 30, 2026. 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.

Pamela H. Griggs
(PRESIDING OFFICER)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th
Day of September, 20 26

Renea L Gray
(Notary Public)

RENEA L. GRAY
Notary Public, Georgia
Houston County
My Commission Expires
June 01, 2027