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FOUR NEVADA CONTRACTORS DISCIPLINED BY CONTRACTORS BOARD

(*Reno, NV*) – At its meeting on Sept. 10, 2008, the Nevada State Contractors Board adjudicated cases involving four contractors.

J E Morros Construction & Development Co, license number 29571A (Residential & Small Commercial), based out of Sparks, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for substandard workmanship; failure to comply with the Board's notice to correct; failure to discharge a lien; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The license was revoked.

Jess Arndell Construction Co., Inc., license numbers 9369B and 9369C (General Building and Excavating Grading Trenching & Surfacing)), based out of Sparks, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to pay money due for any materials or services; for the partnership, corporation, firm or association participating in a prohibited act; and for failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$1,000 and ordered to pay investigative costs and make full restitution to all damaged parties and reimburse the Board for any monies paid out of the Residential Recovery Fund, plus fines and investigative costs. The licenses were revoked.

R L Mechanical, license number 56846 (Heating Cooling Circulating Air), based out of Dayton, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for abandonment of a construction project; bidding in excess of the license limit; misrepresentation; failure to respond to a written request from the Board; failure to include the Residential Recovery Fund information on a contract or proposal; failure to include the monetary license limit and license number on a contract or proposal and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$2,100 and ordered to pay investigative costs and make full restitution to all damaged parties and reimburse the Board for any monies paid out of the Residential Recovery Fund, plus fines and investigative costs. The license was revoked.

Dee & Holiday Business Enterprises, LLC, license number 62091 (Residential & Small Commercial), based out of Pahrump, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to respond to a written request from the Board; failure to keep in force a bond or cash deposit; failure to notify the Board of a change in personnel or address within 30 days of the change; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$4,000 and ordered to pay investigative costs and reimburse the Board for any monies paid out of the Residential Recovery Fund, plus fines and investigative costs. The license was revoked.

**The Business Review Program is one in which a contractor's business practices and regulatory compliance is examined by NSCB investigative staff. The program is a part of NSCB's proactive investigative efforts.

The Nevada State Contractors Board is committed to protecting the public's health, safety, and welfare through licensing and regulation of the construction industry. Under Nevada Revised Statutes, a licensee is subject to disciplinary action by the Board for failure to comply with the requirements of the laws or regulations governing contractors. Violations may result in Board action against the contractor's license. The State Contractors Board has the power to regulate contractors and discipline licensees who violate NRS 624. Disciplinary action may consist of a fine of up to \$10,000 per offense, order corrective action, suspension, revocation or other action.