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16 NEVADA CONTRACTORS DISCIPLINED **BY CONTRACTORS BOARD**

(Henderson, NV) – At its meetings on Aug. 26 and 27, 2009, the Nevada State Contractors Board adjudicated cases involving 16 contractors.

Amazon Landscape Maintenance, Inc., dba Green Tree Landscape & Maintenance, license numbers 57160 and 59687A (Landscaping and Concrete Contracting); *Barefoot Pool & Spa, LLC.*, license number 60704 (Commercial & Residential Pools, Unclassified and Water Features Only); *Krahenbuhl Construction, LLC.*, license number 61371 (Residential & Small Commercial) and *Quality Tub Install, LLC.*, license number 62292 (Glass & Glazing), based out of North Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$500 and ordered to pay investigative costs. The licensee's license limit was lowered to \$3,300,000.

N.C.S. Construction, LLC., license number 59078 (Residential & Small Commercial) based out of Henderson, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$500 and ordered to pay investigative costs and ordered to 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 The license was revoked.

Bobby Stephens Masonry, Inc., license number 36055 (Masonry) based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$500, ordered to pay investigative costs and ordered to 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 The license was revoked.

Tony Alston, dba Fabtech Welding Service, license number 29627 (Steel Reinforcing & Erection), based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for willful disregard of the state laws regarding industrial insurance and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$1,500, ordered to pay investigative costs and ordered to 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 The license was revoked.

Marlon Terrell Travis, dba Air Technologies, license number 55405 (Refrigeration & Air Conditioning), based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to respond to a written request from the Board, failure to establish financial responsibility and failure to notify the Board of a change in personnel or address within 30 days of the change. The licensee was fined \$1,000, 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.

Valley Grading & Paving, LLC., license number 69579 (Excavating and Grading and Excavating Grading Trenching & Surfacing), based out of Henderson, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$500; 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.

Southern Nevada Construction, Inc., license numbers 46862A and 58519 (Sealing & Striping of Asphaltic Surfaces and Paving Streets, Driveways & Parking Lots and Residential & Small Commercial) based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to establish financial responsibility; for the partnership, corporation, firm or association participating in a prohibited act and failure to keep in force a bond or cash deposit. The licensee was fined \$1,000, 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.

National Air Conditioning & Refrigeration, license number 70958 (Air Conditioning) based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to establish financial responsibility and failure to keep in force a bond or cash deposit. The licensee was fined \$1,000, 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.

Morton Excavating, Inc., license number 51104 (Excavating and Grading), based out of Boulder City, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to establish financial responsibility and failure to comply with a written citation. The licensee was fined \$1,000, 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.

Pro Construction Corp., license number 66973 (General Building); **Pro Contractors, Inc., dba Pro Services**, license numbers 47525A, 59562A and 60905A (Refrigeration & Air Conditioning, Electrical Contracting and Plumbing & Heating); based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for abandonment; failure to include the monetary license limit and license number on a contract or proposal; failure to establish financial responsibility; and for the partnership, corporation, firm or association participating in a prohibited act. The licensee was fined \$2,250, 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.

AAA Awesome Tile Setters, LLC., license number 64016 (Swimming Pool Tile & Coping), based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for substandard workmanship; failure to take appropriate corrective action; failure to respond to a written request from the Board; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$2,250; 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.

Hutch Construction, LLC., dba HCS, license number 70529 (Carpentry), based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for substandard workmanship; failure to take appropriate corrective action; failure to include the Residential Recovery Fund information on a contract or proposal; acting in the capacity of a contractor beyond the scope of the license; failure to keep in force a bond or cash deposit; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$3,250; 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.

Cambridge Development, Inc., license number 47488 (Residential & Small Commercial), based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to establish financial responsibility; failure to keep in force a bond or cash deposit; and failure to comply with a written citation. The licensee was fined \$1,500; 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.

Commonwealth Construction, LLC., dba Southern Builders, license number 71283 (Residential & Small Commercial), based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for the partnership, corporation, firm or association participating in a prohibited act. The licensee was held responsible for the Decision and Order issued June 24, 2009. The license was revoked.

Neil Ira Telford, dba TLC Painting, license number 28523 (Painting), based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to comply with a written citation and failure to keep in force a bond or cash deposit. The licensee was fined \$1,000; 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.

Surface Specialists of Nevada, Inc., license numbers 71340, 67789 and 68801 (Finish Carpentry Limited to Wood Floors, Unclassified, Applications of Coatings to Bathtubs Only and Urethane Coatings), based out of Henderson, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for misrepresentation and for the partnership, corporation, firm or association participating in a prohibited act. The licensee was fined \$1,000; ordered to pay investigative costs and replace the Qualified Individual on license number 71340.

****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.

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