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12 NEVADA CONTRACTORS DISCIPLINED BY CONTRACTORS BOARD

(*Henderson, NV*) – At its meeting on Nov. 19, 2008, the Nevada State Contractors Board adjudicated cases involving 12 contractors.

Copertino, Inc., license number 63408 (Refrigeration & Air Conditioning), based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for misuse of a license; failure to comply with the terms of a construction contract, thereby causing material injury to another; misrepresentation; and willful disregard of the building laws of the state. The licensee was fined \$3,500; ordered to pay investigative costs and pay the homeowner restitution.

American Premiere, Inc., license number 51594 (General Building), based out of North Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to pay money due for materials and services. The licensee was fined \$300 and ordered to pay investigative costs.

Sahara Landscape, Inc., license number 50024 (Landscaping), 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; failure to respond to a written request from the Board; failure to keep in force a bond or cash deposit; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was ordered to pay an administrative fine of \$1,000; 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 The license was revoked.

Bebout Concrete Construction, LLC, license number 45537 (Concrete Contracting), based out of El Mirage, AZ, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was 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 The license was revoked.

LE H Contracting, LLC., license number 59901 (Residential & Small Commercial), based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to keep in force a bond or cash deposit. The licensee was ordered to pay an administrative fine of \$250; 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.

Amland Development, Inc., license number 33499 (General Building), 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 and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was 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.

Barry Lee Eilers, dba On The Level Contracting, license number 44934 (Residential & Small Commercial), based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to comply with the terms of a construction contract, thereby causing material injury to another; failure to take appropriate corrective action; abandonment of a construction project; failure to prosecute a construction project, thereby causing material injury to another; failure to include the Residential Recovery Fund information in a contract or proposal; acting in the capacity of a contractor beyond the scope of the license; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was ordered to pay an administrative fine of \$1,500; 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.

T. J. K. Incorporated, dba Olympic Pools, license number 26513 (Commercial & Residential Pools), based out of Henderson, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for substandard workmanship; failure to take appropriate corrective action and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was ordered to pay an administrative fine of \$1,500; 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.

Pacific Coast Development, license number 53208 (Residential & Small Commercial) 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 and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was ordered to pay an administrative fine of \$750; 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.

Excel Services, LLC., dba Pro Tech Painting, license number 54308 (Painting) and Integrity Insulation, Inc., license number 60541 based out of Logandale, 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 for the partnership, corporation, firm or association participating in a prohibited act. The licensee was ordered to pay an administrative fine of \$750; 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.

Nevada Investment and Development, Inc., license number 56980 (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 ordered to pay an administrative fine of \$500; 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.

Metropolitan Glass & Mirror, Inc., license number 55187A (Glass & Glazing), based out of Henderson, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to pay money due for materials and services; failure to respond to a written request from the Board; commiting a fraudulent act; failure to comply with the terms of a construction contract, thereby causing material injury to another; failure to keep in force a bond or cash deposit; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was ordered to pay an administrative fine of \$6,000; 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.

**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.