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SEVEN CONTRACTORS DISCIPLINED **BY CONTRACTORS BOARD**

HENDERSON & RENO, Nev. – At its June 2012 meetings, the Nevada State Contractors Board adjudicated cases involving seven contractors.

American Design & Construction Company, Inc., license number 60531A (Residential & Small Commercial), based out of Reno, Nev., was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for diversion of funds; failure to pay any money due for any materials or services rendered; failure to obtain the discharge of a lien; committing a fraudulent or deceitful act; failure to provide the name, license number, business address and telephone number of all subcontractors and persons who furnish material of \$500 or more for the project, failure to provide a pre-lien notice to the owner and failure to provide customers with required "Notice to Owner" disclosures concerning laws governing contractors and lien laws; commencing work on a project without obtaining necessary building permits; failure to respond to a written request from the Board; failure to comply with a written request by the Board; failure to keep company records open to the Board; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$11,500 and ordered to pay investigative costs. The license was revoked.

Willis Electric, Inc., license number 10779A (Electrical Contracting), based out of Carson City, Nev., was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to pay any money due for any materials or services rendered; failure to respond to a written request from the Board; willful disregard of the laws of the state regarding industrial insurance; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$2,250 and ordered to pay investigative costs. The license was revoked.

Cabinet Savers, Inc., license number 70751 (Finish Carpentry); ***Chenes Construction, LLC.***, license numbers 39261A, 70622, 70623, 70624 and 70625 (Residential & Small Commercial, Landscape Contracting, Carpentry, Masonry, Drywall and Coatings of Stucco & Cement), based out of Las Vegas, Nev., were 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 include the monetary license limit or license number on a contract or proposal; failure to comply with the terms of a construction contract thereby causing material injury to another; failure to prosecute a construction project or operation thereby causing material injury to another; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$16,000 and ordered to pay investigative costs.

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Nevia, Inc., dba Commercial Cabinet Company, license number 44783 (Carpentry), based out of Las Vegas, Nev., 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.

Unlimited Home Improvement Specialists, Inc., license number 34579 (Residential & Small Commercial), based out of Las Vegas, Nev., 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; willful disregard of the building laws of the state; failure to provide the name, license number, business address and telephone number of all subcontractors and persons who furnish material of \$500 or more for the project; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$3,500 and ordered to pay investigative costs. The license was revoked.

Blackstone Builders, Inc., license number 57968 (Residential & Small Commercial), based out of Las Vegas, Nev., was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to establish financial responsibility; and failure to respond to a written request from the Board. The licensee was fined \$750 and ordered to pay investigative costs. The license was revoked.

Peek Construction Company, license number 62283 (General Engineering); ***Williams Brother, Inc.***, license numbers 59537 and 60631 (Electrical Contracting and General Engineering), based out of North Las Vegas, Nev., were found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to pay any money due for any materials or services rendered; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$1,500 and ordered to pay investigative costs. The licenses were 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.

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