

DATE: May 1, 2002
TO: Board of Registration for Architects, Engineers, and Land Surveyors
THROUGH: Gary Veres, Chief Investigator
FROM: George Weaver & John Clark, Investigators
SUBJECT: Investigative Report for the May 16 - 17, 2002, meeting.

OPEN CASES

- 0101-99-6 Allegation that an unlicensed person worked as an architect. (Opened 11/04/99)
- 0101-02-1 Allegation that an unlicensed person worked as an architect. (Opened 02/14/02)
- 0102-99-7 Allegation that an engineer sealed and signed a report that was not accurate. (Opened 10/05/99)
- 0102-01-2 Allegation that an engineer violated professional ethics. (Opened 03/09/01)
- 0102-02-1 Allegation that an engineer was untruthful in a report. (Opened 4/15/02)
- 0103-99-6 Allegation that an architect performed work as a mechanical engineer. (Opened 11/26/99)
- 0103-02-2 Allegation that an unlicensed engineer sealed plans submitted to the State Fire Marshal's Office. (Opened 12/14/02)
- 0103-02-3 Allegation that an unlicensed person worked as an engineer. (Opened 02/14/02)
- 0104-96-2 Allegation that a registered land surveyor did not accurately depict the lot sizes in a 1986 plat map. (Opened 04/29/96)

- 0104-96-4 Allegation that a registered land surveyor was incompetent. (Opened 10/30/96)
- 0104-97-2 Allegation that a registered land surveyor did not set monuments as described on the plat filed with the recorders office. (Opened 05/19/97)
- 0104-99-3 Allegation that a land surveyor did very poor work on a project. (Opened 11/05/99)
- 0104-01-2 Allegation that a land surveyor is performing work below minimum industry standard. (Opened 09/26/01)
- 0104-02-1 Allegation that a licensed land surveyor is sealing and signing work without supervising the person doing the work and preparing the plats (Opened 03/26/02)
- 0150-00-1 An architect reported action taken in other jurisdictions on a renewal. (Opened 01/06/00)
- 0152-01-1 Applicant was denied and requested a hearing. (Opened 03/29/01)

DRAFT ACCUSATIONS PENDING ATTORNEY GENERAL REVIEW

- 0104-96-1 Allegation that a registered land surveyor's work was below the minimum professional standards for a land surveyor. (Referred 08/21/98)
- 0104-98-2 Allegation that a registered land surveyor did not provide services in a timely manner. (Referred 08/21/98)

LEVY OF CIVIL PENALTY

- 0103-01-1 William L. Johnson offered to provide engineering services to relocate a 500-ton dredge on Chicken Creek, Chicken, Alaska, in exchange for \$25,000. Mr. Johnson used the signature block "William L. Johnson, Professional Engineer" and signed the offer. Johnson subsequently provided the engineering services and the dredge was moved. Mr. Johnson was paid \$25,000 for the engineering work. Mr. Johnson subsequently submitted a bill for an additional \$30,000 and he signed this bill using the signature block "Will Johnson, Professional Engineer."

ACCUSATION FILED

- 0103-95-10 Patrick W. Moore, Professional Civil Engineer License 5327, did not renew his license to practice engineering on December 31, 1993, therefore his license lapsed on January 1, 1994. Moore continued to practice

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engineering but he did not renew his license to practice engineering until January 28, 1996. Moore also continued to advertise in telephone yellow pages under the heading "Engineers-Consulting" as "AM Engineering, Lucas Road, Wasilla.....376-1090" during the period his license lapsed. (Accusation filed 06/21/01)

103-98-3 Moore again allowed his license to practice engineering to lapse on December 31, 1997. On October 21, 1998, and while his license to practice engineering was lapsed, Moore submitted signed and sealed structural engineering plans and calculations to the Department of Public Work, Municipality of Anchorage that concerned an addition to the Fish & Wildlife Building, 1011 East Tudor road, Anchorage, Alaska. (Accusation filed 06/21/01)

CASES CLOSED:

0101-01-1 Allegation that an unlicensed person worked as an architect. Investigation revealed the complainant was not willing to provide the information necessary to pursue investigation of his complaint. (Closed 04/02/02)

0102-00-2 Allegation that a corporation failed to insure proper supervision of an engineer in training. Investigation revealed there was insufficient evidence to substantiate the allegation. This closure was coordinated with AELS Board Member Lance Mearig. (Closed 04/17/02)

0103-01-5 Allegation that an unlicensed engineer worked on a project in Alaska. Investigation revealed the engineer, who was licensed in another state, worked as a civil engineer on a project in Alaska. The engineer subsequently worked in a manner compliant with the Alaska Statutes and regulations governing civil engineering. The engineer was advised through a letter from this Division that he was responsible for insuring that his work in Alaska was in compliance with AS 08.48. This closure was coordinated with AELS Board Member Robert Miller. (Closed 03/07/02)

0103-02-1 Allegation of an unlicensed engineer advertising for work. The investigation resulted in the person removing the indication that engineering services were being offered. An advisory letter was sent to the individual advising the individual not to advertise as an engineer unless licensed. This closure was coordinated with AELS Board Member Robert Miller. (Closed 04/02/02)

0107-01-2 Allegation that an unlicensed corporation practiced engineering in Alaska. Investigation revealed that the corporation, which is licensed to provide engineering services in another jurisdiction, worked on a project in Alaska. The corporation subsequently worked in a manner that is in compliance with AS 08.48. An advisory letter was sent to the corporation advising

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0107-01-4 Allegation that an unlicensed corporation practiced engineering in Alaska. Investigation revealed that the corporation did not provide engineering services in Alaska. This closure was coordination with AELS Board Member Robert Miller. (Opened 11/09/01)

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