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FIVE CONTRACTORS DISCIPLINED BY BOARD

HENDERSON and RENO, Nev. – At its December hearings in Henderson and Reno, the Nevada State Contractors Board revoked three licenses and took action against two other licensed contractors for violations of Nevada Revised Statutes Chapter 624.

Robert Lynn Wrege, dba Abraham Mechanical Services, license numbers 41908 (plumbing and heating) and 43580 (refrigeration and air conditioning), based out of Las Vegas, Nev., was found in violation for aiding or abetting an unlicensed person, failure to include the monetary license limit or license number on a contract or proposal, and omitting a material fact. The licensee was fined \$1,350 and ordered to pay investigative costs or the licenses will be suspended.

Carmel Flooring, Inc., license numbers 72621 (masonry) and 55151 (install terrazzo and marble), based out of Las Vegas, Nev., was found in violation for substandard workmanship, failure to take appropriate corrective action, failure to include the monetary license limit or license number on a contract or proposal, failure to include the Residential Recovery Fund information on a contract or proposal, and acting in the capacity of a contractor beyond the scope of the license. The licensee was fined \$650 and assessed investigative costs. The monetary license limit was reduced to \$235,000.

Robert Logan, dba Robert Logan, license numbers 13477 (painting) and 13477A (sealing and striping asphaltic surfaces), based out of Burbank, Calif., was found in violation 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, acting in the capacity of a contractor beyond the scope of the license, failure to include the Residential Recovery Fund information on a contract or proposal, failure to include the monetary license limit or license number on a contract or proposal and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licenses were revoked. The licensee was fined \$2,900, assessed investigative costs, ordered to pay full restitution to damaged parties and reimburse the board for any payments from the Residential Recovery Fund.

Utek Framing, Inc., dba Utek Gypsum Concretes, license number 64817 (concrete contracting), based out of Mesquite, Nev., was found in violation for willful disregard of the laws of the state regarding industrial insurance, failure to establish financial responsibility, failure to keep in force a bond or case deposit and failure to notify the Board of a change of address or personnel. The license was revoked. The licensee was fined \$1,300, assessed investigative costs, ordered to pay full restitution to damaged parties and reimburse the board for any payments from the Residential Recovery Fund.

Philip Joseph Rivas, dba Philip Joseph Rivas Sheetmetal, license number 50409 (sheet metal), based out of Las Vegas, Nev., was found in violation for failure to establish financial responsibility and failure to respond to a written request from the Board. The license was revoked. The

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licensee was fined \$750, assessed investigative costs, ordered to pay full restitution to damaged parties and reimburse the board for any payments from the Residential Recovery Fund.

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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