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#### CONTRACTOR'S BOARD TAKES ACTION ON 20 CASES DURING JULY AND AUGUST, 2022 DISCIPLINARY HEARINGS

LAS VEGAS and RENO, Nev. – The Nevada State Contractors Board took disciplinary action against licensed contractors for violations of Nevada Revised Statutes Chapter 624 including revoking six licenses during its July hearings and revoking four licenses during its August hearings. All Board hearings were conducted in compliance with Nevada Open Meeting Law requirements.

Licensee	License No.	Decision and Order
Del Carlo Graham & Rose	87969	<ul> <li>Alleged violation: <ul> <li>NRS 624.3017(1) Workmanship</li> <li>NRS 624.3015(2) Bidding or contracting in excess of monetary limit</li> <li>NRS 624.520(1) Notice to owner regarding Residential Recovery Fund</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(5) pursuant to NAC 624.640(5) Bids and contracts to include license number and limit</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(3) Failure to establish financial responsibility</li> </ul> </li> <li>The Hearing Officer ordered the immediate revocation of license number 87969 and the Respondent was found in violation on causes of actions 1-8 with a fine in the amount of \$2,700 and the Board's investigative costs pursuant to NRS 624.341(2)(c). In addition, the fees and costs of the hearing are recoverable pursuant to NRS 622.400.</li> </ul>
Tricor Construction, dba Tricor USA	80979	Alleged violation:• NRS 624.301(1) Abandonment• NRS 624.3012 Diversion of Money or Property• NRS 624.3013(3) Failure to establish financial responsibilityThe Hearing Officer accepted a stipulated agreement and revoked license number 80979. The Respondent was found in violation of 7 counts of NRS 624.301(1), 7 counts of NRS 624.3012 and 1 count of NRS 624.3013, and was assessed fines in the amount of \$7,500 and investigative costs in the amount of \$3,516.63. In addition, the fees and costs of the hearing are

#### July 6, 2022: Matt Addison, Esq., Administrative Law Judge



recoverable pursuant to NRS 622.400.

#### July 20, 2022: Noah Allison, Esq., Administrative Law Judge

Licensee	License No.	Decision and Order
Reveles	75586	Alleged violation:
Landscaping and		NRS 624.3017(1) Workmanship
Maintenance Ltd.		NRS 624.3013(5) Failure to comply with notice to correct
		NRS 624.302(5) Failure or refusal to respond to request to
		cooperate in investigation of complaint
		NRS 624.302(6) Failure to keep records for 3 years
		NRS 624.3013(5) Nevada Secretary of State Business
		License
		NRS 624.3011(1)(b)(4) Violation of industrial insurance
		<ul> <li>NRS 624.3013(5) as set forth in NAC 624.640(5) License number and monetary limit disclosure</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>NRS 624.3013(3) Failure to establish financial responsibility</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>NRS 624.3013(4) Failure to maintain surety bond</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>NRS 624.3013(1) Failure to keep records showing all</li> </ul>
		contracts, receipts, and disbursements
Best Floors, LTD	80377,	fines in the amount of \$3,650.00, ordered restitution to complainant in the amount of \$5,970.00, and ordered the Respondent to pay the Board's investigative costs pursuant to NRS 624.341(2)(c). In addition, the fees and costs of the hearing are recoverable pursuant to NRS 622.400. • NRS 624.302(7) Failure to comply with an Order of the
dba Best Buy	80378,	<ul> <li>NRS 624.302(7) Failure to comply with an Order of the Board</li> </ul>
Flooring	80379,	NRS 624.302(2) Failure to Comply with Written Citation
0	80380	NRS 624.302(6) Failure to Produce Information or Records
		NRS 624.3013(1) Failure to Keep Records for 3 Years
		NRS 624.3012(1) Diversion of Money
		NRS 624.3014(1)(a) Acting in the Capacity of a Contractor
		NRS 624.3013(5) No Recovery Fund Notice
		NRS 624.3013(5) No Nevada Secretary of State Business
		<ul> <li>License</li> <li>NRS 624.3015(2) Bidding in Excess of Monetary Limit</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>NRS 624.3015(2) Bidding in Excess of Monetary Limit</li> <li>NRS 624.3011(1)(b)(1) Building Laws</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>NRS 624.3013(3) Failure of Financial Responsibility</li> </ul>
		NRS 624.3018(2) Joint Responsibility
		The Hearing Officer revoked license numbers 80377, 80378, 80379, and 80380 and assessed fines in the amount of \$10,700.00. The Respondent was also ordered to pay restitution



		to the complainants in the amount of \$10,500.00 and pay the Board's investigative costs pursuant to NRS 624.341(2)(c). In addition, the fees and costs of the hearing are recoverable pursuant to NRS 622.400.
Las Vegas Raid Air	86677	<ul> <li>Alleged violation:</li> <li>NRS 624.3011(1)(b)(1) Disregard or violation of building laws</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(5) Failure to comply with Board's Notice to Correct</li> <li>NRS 624.302(6) Failure to provide records</li> <li>NRS 624.302(5) Failure to cooperate with an investigation</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(5) Nevada Secretary of State Business License</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(5) Multi-Jurisdictional Business License</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(5) Failure to provide Recovery Fund Notice</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(5) License number and monetary limit disclosure</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(3) Failure to establish financial responsibility</li> </ul>
Construction Group	46689	<ul> <li>Alleged violation:</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(3) Failure to establish financial responsibility</li> </ul>
		The Hearing Officer accepted the stipulated agreement and found the Respondent in violation of NRS 624.3013(3). The Respondent was assessed a fine of \$250.00 and investigative costs in the amount of \$630.00 and ordered to submit a compliant financial statement by October 17, 2022. In addition, the fees and costs of the hearing are recoverable pursuant to NRS 622.400.

#### August 3, 2022: Matt Addison, Esq., Administrative Law Judge

Licensee	License No.	Decision and Order
Best Decks	57750	Alleged violation:
		<ul> <li>NRS 624.301(1) Abandonment without legal excuse</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>NRS 624.301(2) Abandonment when percentage</li> </ul>
		completed is less than percentage paid
		<ul> <li>NRS 624.301(3) Failure to complete</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>NRS 624.301(4) Failure to prosecute construction diligently</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>NRS 624.302(6) Failure or refusal to comply with contract</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>NRS 624.3013(5) Failure to comply with notice to correct</li> </ul>
		NRS 624.3013(1) Workmanship
		NRS 624.3013(3) Failure to establish financial responsibility
		The Hearing Officer suspended license number 57750 and
		continued this matter to September 7, 2022.



Christopher Rios LLC	86959	<ul> <li>Alleged violation:</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(5) Failure to maintain industrial insurance</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(5) Failure to provide list of projects</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(3) Failure to establish financial responsibility</li> </ul>
		The Hearing officer ordered the Respondent to provide a financial statement to the Board and suspended license number 86959. This matter has been continued to September 7, 2022.

#### August 17, 2022: Noah Allison, Esq., Administrative Law Judge

Licensee	License No.	Decision and Order
Lowes Home	79079	Alleged violation:
Centers, LLC		<ul> <li>NRS 624.3014(2)(a) Aiding or abetting an unlicensed person to evade the provisions of this chapter</li> <li>The Hearing Officer accepted the Respondent's plan for verifying licensed contractors in Nevada. The Hearing Officer reduced the investigative fines and ordered the Respondent to pay the Board's investigative costs pursuant to NRS 624.341(2)(c). In addition, the fees and costs of the hearing are</li> </ul>
Las Vegas Raid	86677	recoverable pursuant to NRS 622.400. Alleged violation:
Air	00077	<ul> <li>NRS 624.3011(1)(b)(1) Disregard or violation of building laws</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(5) Failure to comply with Board's Notice to Correct</li> <li>NRS 624.302(6) Failure to provide records</li> <li>NRS 624.302(5) Failure to cooperate with an investigation</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(5) Nevada Secretary of State Business License</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(5) Multi-Jurisdictional Business License</li> <li>NRS 624.520(1) Failure to provide Recovery Fund Notice</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(5) as set forth in NAC 624.640(5) License number and monetary limit disclosure</li> </ul>
		The Hearing Officer suspended license number 86677, and found the Respondent in violation of NRS 624.3011(1)(B)(1), 624.3013(5), 624.302(6), 624.302(5), 624.3013(5), 624.3013(5), 624.520(1), 624.3013(5) as set forth in NAC 624.640(5). The Respondent was ordered to complete the remaining items on the Notice to Correct and submit a compliant financial statement to the Board within thirty (30) days. The Respondent was assessed fines in the amount of \$1,950 and investigative costs pursuant to NRS 624.341(2)(c). In addition, the fees and costs of the hearing are recoverable pursuant to NRS 622.400.



		Fines and costs must be paid within sixty (60) days.
	75233, 79934, 79933	<ul> <li>Alleged violation: <ul> <li>NRS 624.3012(2) Failure to comply</li> <li>NRS 624.302(6) Failure to keep records for 3 years</li> <li>NRS 624.302(5) Failure to cooperate with an investigation</li> <li>NRS 624.3018(1) Joint responsibility</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(1) Failure to keep records showing all contracts, receipts, and disbursements</li> </ul> </li> <li>The Hearing Officer revoked license numbers 75233, 79934, and</li> </ul>
		79933, dismissed violations concerning the complaint filed by Nevada Cooler Pad and found the Respondent in violation of NRS 624.302(6), 624.3012(2), 624.302(5), 624.3013(1), 624.3018(2). The Hearing Officer assessed fines and ordered the Respondent to pay the Board's investigative costs pursuant to NRS 624.341(2)(c). In addition, the fees and costs of the hearing are recoverable pursuant to NRS 622.400.
Silver Sabre Electric LLC	79510	<ul> <li>Alleged violation: <ul> <li>NRS 624.302(6) Failure to provide records</li> <li>NRS 624.3012(2) Failure to pay monies owed for materials or services</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(5) Business license</li> <li>NRS 624.3011(1)(b)(4) Violation of industrial insurance</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(3) Failure to establish financial responsibility</li> </ul> </li> <li>The Hearing Officer revoked license number 79510, found the Respondent in violation of NRS 624.3013(3) and NRS 624.3011(1)(b)(4), NRS 624.3012(2), NRS 624.3013(3) and NRS 624.302(6). The Respondent was assessed fines in the amount of \$5,000.00 and ordered to pay the Board's investigative costs</li> </ul>
Plumbworx LLC	78760	<ul> <li>pursuant to NRS 624.341(2)(c). In addition, the fees and costs of the hearing are recoverable pursuant to NRS 622.400.</li> <li>Alleged violation: <ul> <li>NRS 624.302(5) Failure to cooperate with an investigation</li> <li>NRS 624.3011(1)(b)(4) Violation of industrial insurance</li> <li>NRS 624.3013(3) Failure to establish financial responsibility</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
		The Hearing Officer suspended license number 78760, dismissed the violation of NRS 624.3012(2), found the Respondent in violation of NRS 624.3011(1)(B)(4), 624.3013(3), 624.305(2), assessed fines in the amount of \$1,250, and ordered the Respondent to pay the Board's investigative costs pursuant to NRS 624.341(2)(c). In addition, the fees and costs of the hearing are recoverable pursuant to NRS 622.400. The Respondent was ordered to provide the Board with an active workers' compensation policy and a compliant financial



		statement within 45 days.
Fiesta Pools and Spas LLC	60859A	Alleged violation: • NRS 624.3013(5) Failure to provide Recovery Fund Notice
		The Hearing Officer found the Respondent in violation of NRS 624.3013(5) as set forth in NAC 624.6958(2)(c). The Respondent will remove the lien within thirty (30) days and will submit the required documents to the Board. The Respondent was assessed a fine in the amount of \$50.00 and was ordered to pay the Board's investigative costs pursuant to NRS 624.341(2)(c). In addition, the fees and costs of the hearing are recoverable pursuant to NRS 622.400.
Williams Heating & Cooling, Inc	71263	<ul> <li>Alleged violation:</li> <li>NRS 624.3012(2) Failure to pay monies owed for materials or services</li> </ul>
		The Hearing Officer found the Respondent in violation of NRS 624.3012(2), with a \$1,000 fine. This fine will be reduced to \$500 if the Respondent provides the Board with proof of a payment arrangement with Johnstone Supply within thirty (30) days of the hearing date. The Hearing Officer dismissed the allegations of violations of NRS 624.302(5), 624.302(6), 624.3013(1), and 624.3013(3) if the Respondent provides the Board with a Change of Address Form, a compliant financial statement, and pays all fines and costs to the Board within thirty (30) days of the hearing date, or license number 71263 will be revoked. The Respondent was ordered to pay the Board's investigative costs pursuant to NRS 624.341(2)(c). In addition, the fees and costs of the hearing are recoverable pursuant to NRS 622.400.

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, order corrective action, suspension, revocation or other action.

NRS 624.212(7) allows an unlicensed individual who was issued a cease and desist order to petition the Board in writing to lift or alter the order within 15 days after receiving the cease and desist order. Upon receipt of this request, the Board will schedule an administrative hearing to review the facts and make a determination on the validity of the cease and desist order and assess any fines or costs that may be associated with the investigation.

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