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OCTOBER 2, 2015 BOARD MINUTES

MEMBERS	APPOINTMENT	PRESENT	ABSENT
Mr. Paul Niman	Chairman	✓	
Mr. William Salomaa	Secretary		✓
Mr. Michael Celona	Member	✓	
Ms. Christine Millhouse	Member	✓	
Mr. Blake Lukis	Member	✓	
Mr. Dave Coppes	Member	✓	
STAFF	POSITION		
Mr. James O'Connor	Board Counsel	✓	
Ms. Ann Deruosi	Board Administrator		✓
Mr. Wayne Thomas	Executive Director	✓	

MEETING CALL TO ORDER at 9:40am

APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES:

- The September 4, 2015 Board Meeting Minutes

A motion was made to accept the minutes of the September 4, 2015 meeting by Mr. Celona and seconded by Ms. Millhouse

TCH APPLICATION

New England Water Works Association

Course Name

2015 Water Resources and Sustainability Symposium – Session 1

2015 Water Resources and Sustainability Symposium – Session 2

Course ID No.

DWT-2015-48

DWT-2015-49

of TCHs

3.0 TCH

2.0 TCH

TEC APPLICATIONS/PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATES

Dighton Water District – 192 Williams Street – North Dighton

T1 - TEC denial



DISCUSSION

Regulation review with Jim O'Connor regarding 236 CMR

Mr. O'Connor passed out copies of the regulation and written comments from MWWA. Mr. Niman stated that there are no federal regulations dealing with drinking water licensing and therefore there may be no need to make any changes to the regulation at this time. Mr. O'Connor mentioned that he has made a suggested change to the TEC requirements in the regulation and will forward it to Board members for their review.

Elisabeta Poci from Albania was introduced to the Board members. Her group has started a project in Albania to certify water operators and was gathering information regarding the Massachusetts Drinking Water Board and their procedures for licensing.

Dave Coppes made a motion to enter into investigative conference and seconded by Blake Lukis

INVESTIGATIVE CONFERENCE:

DW-15-000005

DW-15-000006 DW-15-000007

D2OIT – lapsed T2OIT – lapsed T3OIT – lapsed

Return to investigator to develop more information.

There was a motion made to enter into executive session by Mr. Coppes and seconded by Mr. Celona followed by a roll call. (Unanimous)

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Closed Executive Session pursuant to G.L. c 30A §21(7), G.L. c. 66, §10, G.L. c 4, §7, G.L.c 6, §172

CR1: M.C.S

There was a motion made to exit executive session by Mr. Lukis and seconded by Mr. Coppes followed by a roll call. (Unanimous)

At 10:52am the Board returned to open session

ITEMS NOT REASONABLY ANTICIPATED BY THE CHAIR

APPLICATION RE-REVIEW

- Michael Kwiecien – Denied T1 Full September 4, 2015 – Provided additional documentation (Northeastern University Official Transcript) for consideration by the Board
- Kevin Johnson – Denied T2 Full September 4, 2015 – Reclassification of the Treatment system by DEP. (see email in folder from the Chairman)
- Robert Moriarty – Denied T2 Full September 4, 2015 – Resubmitted page 4 of his application showing the days of the week and hours per day in a treatment system
- Richard Costello – Board requested more detailed information about his distribution duties.
- Jason Malone – Denied D2 Full September 4, 2015 – Resubmitted work experience for reconsideration by the Board

New Licenses	Exam Taken
Michelle L Arnold	TC
Peter J. Balkus	DA
Keith A. Bassett	DB
Keith A. Bassett	DC
Keith A. Bassett	DD
Adam M. Bouley	TA
Thomas Chiarelli	DA
Ryan C. Crawford	TC
Mark D. Holley	TC
Joel A. Krysa	TA
Joel A. Krysa	DA
Thomas J Reynolds IV	DC
Matthew D. Silva	TA
Matthew D. Silva	DA
Keith A Snape	TC
Keith A Snape	TD
Adam W Tenney	DA
Amy M. Wickland	VSS
Samuel A. Yacino	DC

Licenses	Applied For
Eric P. Cerreta	T1
Timothy J Cox	D1
Matthew M. Evans	D1
Matthew D. Jacobs	D1
Jospeh L. Jones	D1
Joseph W. Isabelle	D1
Robert M. Poske	D1
Michael K. Staruski	D1
Upgrades	
David L. Fuller	T3

Corey R. Godfrey	T2
Adam F. Testagrossa	T2
Thomas R. Weir	T1
Thomas R. Weir	D2

Action:

A motion was made by Mr. Celona and seconded by Mr. Lukis and unanimously approved by the Board to grant upgrade status certificates to individuals whose applications were reviewed at today's meeting that satisfy Board criteria.

Meeting Adjournment

Chairman Niman noted that all the items on the meeting agenda had been addressed and suggested that the meeting be adjourned. Hearing no objections, a motion was made by Mr. Coppes and seconded by Mr. Lukis, and the Board unanimously voted to adjourn the October 2, 2015 meeting of the Massachusetts Board of Certification of Operators of Drinking Water Supply Facilities at 11:50am.

List of Documents referred to in the open meeting:

Minutes of the September 4, 2015 meeting
Applications
Correspondence

Respectfully Submitted By;

Wayne E. Thomas

Wayne E. Thomas, Executive Director
Board of Drinking Water & Supply Facility Operators

Respectfully Authorized by;

Paul S. Niman

Paul S. Niman, Chairman