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<u>Minutes</u>

Bureau of Pipefitters, Refrigeration Technicians, and Sprinkler Fitters Division of Occupational Licensure Video Conference Call Meeting

April 16, 2025, 10:00 AM

Meeting called to order by the Chair at 10:00 AM, followed by roll call, the Chair asked that members identify themselves and whom they represent:

1. Roll Call

		Present	Absent
•	Yolanda Cole, Chair	\boxtimes	
•	Dan Dumont, NE Mechanical Contractors	\boxtimes	
•	Dennis Allen, Pipefitter Member	\boxtimes	
•	Justin Fishlin, Sprinkler Contractor Member	\boxtimes	
•	Pauline Lally, User Member	\boxtimes	
•	Nina Hollien, Public Member		\boxtimes
•	Sharon Orr, Mechanical Engineer	\boxtimes	
•	Brian Nicholson, Refrigeration Technician Member	\boxtimes	
•	Brian Kelly, Mass. Building/Construction Trades	\boxtimes	
•	Mark Fortune, Sprinkler Fitter Member	\boxtimes	
•	VACANT, Air/Refrigeration Contractor Boston		

Pursuant to St. 2021, c. 20, § 20, An Act Relative to Extending Certain COVID-19 Measures, all Bureau members and staff appeared by videoconference. Public access was provided via videoconference or telephone connection. The Chair informed all attendees that the Bureau meeting was being recorded via Microsoft Teams and that by remaining in the meeting they are consenting to being recorded. The Chair informed all attendees of the following meeting protocols to comply with the Open Meeting Laws:

- Meetings will be conducted by the Chair and speakers must be recognized to address the Bureau.
- Meeting is a public meeting, not a public hearing.
- Anyone not speaking is to be kept mute.
- All votes require a roll call by the Bureau members.
- All speakers must identify themselves by name.

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- 2. MOTION by Brian Kelly to table apprentice applicants who are not present for the first time, SECOND by Sharon Orr. Motion passed by a majority roll call vote (Pauline Lally, Sharon Orr, Dan Dumont, Brian Nicholson, Dennis Allen, Brian Kelly, Mark Fortune, Justin Fishlin, Yolanda Cole).
- **3.** Meeting minutes for March 19,2025, MOTION by Brian Nicholson and SECOND by Brian Kelly to approve the Minutes of the Open Meeting March 19, 2025. Motion passed by a majority roll call vote (Sharon Orr, Dan Dumont, Brian Kelly, Brian Nicholson, Mark Fortune, Dennis Allen, Pauline Lally, Justin Fishlin, Yolanda Cole.
- **4. Executive Director Report,** OPSI moved to 1 Federal St., Boston, all mail and walk-in questions should be directed to this address.

5. Discussion

•Bureau Applications for Examination to review.

April Applicants

Jonathan Perez RT- Approved to sit for Refrigeration Technician exam

Mr. **Perez** was present for today's meeting. After discussion, MOTION was made by **Brian Nicholson** to approve **Mr**. **Perez** to sit for the RT exam, SECOND by **Sharon Orr**. **Motion** passed by a majority roll call vote (Sharon Orr, Pauline Lally, Dennis Allen, Brian Nicholson, Dan Dumont, Brian Kelly, Mark Fortune, Justin Fishlin Yolanda Cole)

Gregory Muller RT – Approved to sit for Refrigeration Technicians exam.

Mr. Muller was present for today's meeting. After discussion, MOTION was made by **Brian Kelly** to approve **Mr. Muller** to sit for the RT exam, SECOND by **Sharon Orr. Motion** passed by a majority roll call vote (Sharon Orr, Pauline Lally, Brian Nicholson, Dennis Allen, Dan Dumont, Brian Kelly, Mark Fortune, Dennis Allen, Justin Fishlin, Yolanda Cole)

Brendon Lannotti –RT Approved to sit for Refrigeration Technician exam.

Mr. Lannotti was present for today's meeting. After discussion, MOTION was made by **Brian Kelly** to approve **Mr. Lannotti** to sit for the RT exam, SECOND by **Justin Fishlin**. **Motion** passed by a majority roll call vote (Sharon Orr, Pauline Lally, Brian Nicholson, Dennis Allen, Dan Dumont, Brian Kelly, Mark Fortune, Justin Fishlin, Yolanda Cole).

Brian Marks RT- Approved to sit for Refrigeration technician exam

Mr. Marks was present for today's meeting. After discussion, MOTION was made by **Brian Kelly** to approve **Mr. Marks** to sit for the RT exam, SECOND by **Sharon Orr, Motion**

passed by a majority roll call vote (Sharon Orr, Pauline Lally, Dennis Allen, Brian Nicholson, Dan Dumont, Brian Kelly, Mark Fortune, Justin Fishlin, Yolanda Cole)

Michael Jenness RT- Approved to sit for Refrigeration technician exam

Mr. Jenness was present for today's meeting. After discussion, MOTION was made by **Sharon Orr** to approve **Mr. Jenness** to sit for the RT exam, SECOND by **Pauline Lally**, **Motion** passed by a majority roll call vote (Sharon Orr, Pauline Lally, Dennis Allen, Brian Nicholson, Dan Dumont, Brian Kelly, Mark Fortune, Yolanda Cole)

Dashgin Badalov – 1118231 PJ Denied

Mr. Badalov was absent for the 2nd time. Applicants absent 2 times will be denied.

Bureau Apprentice License Renewals

Yolanda Cole announced that anyone not present for the second time will be denied.

Paul Camara – SA-150704 Sprinkler Apprentice - Approved

Mr. Camara was present for today's meeting. The MOTION was made by **Justin Fishlin** to approve **Mr. Camara**to renew his SA 1 more time, SECOND by Sharon Orr, **Motion** passed by a majority roll call vote (Sharon Orr, Pauline Lally, Dennis Allen, Brian Nicholson, Dan Dumont, Brian Kelly, Mark Fortune, Justin Fishlin, Yolanda Cole

Matthew Bisceglia – PA-032071 Pipefitters Apprentice - Denied

Mr. Bisceglia was not present for today's meeting, applicants absent 2 times will be denied.

Fernando Raposa SA-150125 Sprinkler Apprentice- Denied

Mr.Raposa was not present for today's meeting. Applicants absent for the 2nd time will be denied.

Heraldo Davidson RA-020602 Refrigeration Apprentice – Denied

Mr. Davidson was not present for today's meeting. Applicants absent for the ^{2nd t} time will be denied

Dominic Larocci PA-297096 Pipefitters Apprentice – Tabled for May

Mr. Larocci was not present for today's meeting. Applicants absent for the 1st time will be tabled

Timothy Duross SA-006387 Sprinkler Apprentice – Denied

Mr. **Duross** was not present for today's meeting. Applicants absent for the 2nd time will be denied

Daniel Dimonte SA-150707 Sprinkler Apprentice - Denied

Mr. **Dimonte** was not present for today's meeting. Applicants absent for the 2^{nd t} time will be denied

Alexander Norton RA-172602 Refrigeration Apprentice – Denied

Mr. Norton was not present for today's meeting. Applicants absent for the 1st time will be denied

John Moran II SA-151294 Sprinkler Apprentice – Denied

Mr. **Moran** was not present for today's meeting. Applicants absent for the 2nd time will be denied

Trevor Dorochea SA-151366 Sprinkler Apprentice - Denied

Mr. **Dorochea** was not present for today's meeting. Applicants absent for the ^{2nd} time will be denied

Fernando Raposa SA-150125 Sprinkler Apprentice -Denied

Mr. **Raposa** was not present for today's meeting. Applicants absent for the 2nd time will be denied

Kolby Turner PA-297322 Pipefitter Apprentice - Denied

Mr. **Turner** was not present for today's meeting. Applicants absent for the 2nd time will be denied

5. Jurisdictional Report by the Office of Public Safety and inspection Dan Kilburn reported on inspections and fines for expired licenses, unauthorized supervision by journey-level licensees rather than masters, and unlicensed practice.

6. Board Counsel Report

No report.

7. Open Session for Topics Not Reasonably Anticipated by Chair 48 Hours in Advance of Meeting

No topics.

8. Adjourn

A **MOTION** was made by **Brian Kelly** to adjourn the meeting, **SECOND Dan Dumont**, motion **passed** by majority roll call vote roll call vote (Pauline Lally, Sharon Orr, Brian Nicholson, Dennis Allen, Dan Dumont, Brian Kelly, Mark Fortune, Justin Fishlin, Yolanda Cole). **The meeting was adjourned at around 10:37 a.m.**

The next meeting of the Bureau of Pipefitters, Refrigeration Technicians, and Sprinkler Fitters will be on Wednesday, May 21, 2025, at 10:00AM.