

Massachusetts Board of State Examiners of Electricians Announces Enforcement Actions

BOSTON - The Board of State Examiners of Electricians ("the Board") today announced disciplinary action against the following individuals:

Cheney Brand, Somerville: The Board entered into a consent agreement with Brand, resolving allegations that he engaged in the unlicensed practice of electrical work. A review by the Board found that Brand's company, SunBug Solar, LLC, performed a solar panel installation in Cambridge prior to obtaining a license from the Board. Under the terms of the agreement, Brand agreed to pay a \$500 fine.

Paul Curran, Clinton: The Board entered into a consent agreement with Curran, resolving allegations that he failed to adhere to the uniform state electrical permit application and notification process on three separate jobsites in 2012. Under the terms of the agreement, Curran agreed to pay a \$600 fine.

Ronald Desellier, Ludlow: The Board entered into a consent agreement with Desellier, resolving allegations that he failed to properly supervise an unlicensed worker on a jobsite in Chicopee. Under the terms of the agreement, Desellier agreed to pay a \$200 fine.

Matthew Markham, Marlborough: The Board entered into a consent agreement with Markham, resolving allegations that he failed to include his license number on advertisements or business communications for his business, SolarCity Corporation, in violation of Board statutes. Under the terms of the agreement, Markham agreed to pay a \$100 fine.

Hugh McParland, Shrewsbury: The Board entered into a consent agreement with McParland, resolving allegations that he failed to maintain the proper ratio of journeyman electricians to apprentice electricians on a job site in Hubbardston. Board regulations allow a journeyman electrician to supervise or employ only one apprentice or helper at a time, but an inspector observed two unlicensed workers and one licensed electrician working at the job site. Under the terms of the agreement, McParland agreed to pay a \$300 fine.

David Tremblay, Westfield: The Board entered into a consent agreement with Tremblay, resolving allegations that he failed to maintain the proper ratio of journeyman electricians to apprentice electricians on a job site in Lanesboro. Board regulations allow a journeyman electrician to supervise or employ only one apprentice or helper at a time, but an inspector observed four unlicensed workers and one licensed electrician working at the job site. Under the terms of the agreement, Tremblay agreed to pay a \$100 fine.

Oleg Yeliseyev, Framingham: The Board entered into a consent agreement with Yeliseyev, resolving allegations that he failed to pay a \$1,100 fine assessed in a prior disciplinary action for advertising and conducting business under a name not on his license, and that he failed to disclose his criminal history to the Board on his application for licensure and license renewal. Under the terms of the agreement,

Yeliseyev agreed to a six month stayed suspension of his license and to pay a \$1,200 fine.

The mission of the Board of State Examiners of Electricians is to protect the citizens of Massachusetts by establishing minimum standards for persons performing electrical installations. Currently, the Board licenses more than 33,000 individuals in the electrical profession including master electricians, journeyman electricians, systems contractors, and systems technicians. The Board also assists local wiring inspectors in mediating code disputes with licensees.

The Division of Professional Licensure (DPL) is an agency within the Office of Consumer Affairs and Business Regulation responsible for ensuring the regulatory compliance and integrity of the licensing process for more than 370,000 licensees in trades and professions under the jurisdiction of 31 boards of registration. DPL also licenses and regulates private occupational schools.

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