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**CONTRACTORS BOARD TAKES DISCIPLINARY ACTION
AGAINST SEVEN CONTRACTORS**

(Henderson, NV) - At its meeting on August 24, 2004, the Nevada State Contractors Board adjudicated cases against seven (7) licensed contractors.

Environmental Landscapes, license number 45034 (Landscape Contracting) based out of Las Vegas, Nevada was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to establish financial responsibility; failure to cooperate in the investigation of a complaint; failure to comply with a written request from the Board; and contracting beyond the scope of the license. The licensee was fined \$1,000, assessed the cost of investigation and ordered to participate in the Business Review Program.

James B. Bird dba Jim Bird Tile & Marble, license number 45541 (Tiling) and ***Jim Bird Tile & Marble Inc.***, licensed number 57323 (Install Terrazzo & Marble) based out of Henderson, Nevada were found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for substandard workmanship; failure to establish financial responsibility; failure to comply with a written request from the Board; failure to provide required Residential Recovery Fund disclosures for a residential contract; bidding or contracting in excess of established license limit; and failure to include license number and monetary limit on a contract or proposal. The licensee was fined \$1,200, assessed the cost of investigation and ordered to pay restitution to the homeowner.

TEC Electric Inc., license number 47680 (Electrical Contracting) based out of Las Vegas, Nevada was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to establish financial responsibility; failure to comply with a written request from the Board; and failure to keep in force a bond or cash deposit. The Board accepted the voluntary surrender of the license.

Turf Master Inc., license number 48514 (Landscape Contracting) based out of Las Vegas, Nevada was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for a fraudulent or deceitful act committed in the capacity of a contractor; abandonment of a construction project; failure to prosecute a construction project causing material injury to another; failure to comply with a notice to correct; failure to establish financial responsibility; failure to comply with a written request from the Board; failure to cooperate in the investigation of a complaint; and failure to provide required Residential Recovery Fund disclosures for a residential contract. The Board revoked the license of Turf Master Inc.

Mike Tocco Roofing Inc., license number 46627 (Roofing) based out of Henderson, Nevada was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for substandard workmanship; failure to establish financial responsibility; failure to comply with a written request from the Board; failure to provide required Residential Recovery Fund disclosures for a residential contract; failure to cooperate in the investigation

of a complaint; and failure to include license number and monetary limit on a contract or proposal. The licensee was fined \$700, assessed the cost of investigation and ordered to submit a financial statement.

All City Glass Inc., license number 46098 (Glass & Glazing) based out of Las Vegas, Nevada was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to include license number and monetary limit on a contract or proposal; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$250 and ordered to participate in the Business Review Program.

Note: The Business Review Program is one in which contractor's business practices and regulatory compliance is examined by NSCB investigative staff. The program is a part of NSCB's proactive investigative efforts.

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.

The Board will convene next in Reno, NV on September 8, 2004.