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EIGHT NEVADA CONTRACTORS DISCIPLINED **BY CONTRACTORS BOARD**

(Henderson, NV) – At its meeting on Dec. 15, 2010, the Nevada State Contractors Board adjudicated cases involving eight contractors.

Christopher Homes, LLC., license number 51938 (Residential & Small Commercial), based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to obtain the discharge of a lien and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$3,500; ordered to pay investigative costs and provide a current audited/reviewed financial statement with full disclosures and a bank verification form for all cash accounts that supports the license limit.

Kevin Lee Robinson, dba Hunter Electric, license number 38140 (Electrical Wiring and Photovoltaics) and *Kevin Lee Robinson, dba Kevco Construction & Design*, license number 30505 (Residential & Small Commercial), based out of Henderson, NV, were found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to pay money due for materials or services and for the partnership, corporation, firm or association participating in a prohibited act. The licensee was fined \$1,000 and ordered to pay investigative costs. The licenses were placed on probation for two years and a business review was ordered.

R&B Bldg., LLC., license number 70866 (Carpentry), based out of Henderson, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for substandard workmanship; failure to take appropriate corrective action; acting in the capacity of a contractor beyond the scope of the license; willful disregard of the building laws of the state and failure to include the monetary license limit or license number on a contract or proposal. The licensee was fined \$3,600 and ordered to pay investigative costs. The licensee must pay \$500 per month until all fines and costs are paid.

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Optimum Air, Inc., license number 52205 (Refrigeration & Air Conditioning), based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to respond to a written request from the Board; misrepresentation of a material fact; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$1,500; ordered to pay investigative costs and make full restitution to all damaged parties and reimburse the Board for any monies paid out of the Residential Recovery Fund. The license was revoked.

Cole Morgan Heller, dba Providential Development Construction, license number 68778 (Carpentry), based out of Pahrump, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for substandard workmanship; failure to take appropriate corrective action; failure to include the Residential Recovery Fund information on a contract or proposal; failure to keep in force a bond or cash deposit; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$2,100 and ordered to pay investigative costs and make full restitution to all damaged parties and reimburse the Board for any monies paid out of the Residential Recovery Fund. The license was revoked.

Iceberg Refrigeration and Air Conditioning, Inc., dba Iceberg Air Conditioning & Heating, license number 41715 (Refrigeration, Air Conditioning and Maintenance), based out of Mesquite, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$500; ordered to pay investigative costs and provide a current compiled financial statement with a bank verification form for all cash accounts that supports the license limit.

S. B. B. Plastering, LLC., license number 64148 (Lathing, Plastering and Coatings of Stucco & Cement), based out of Las Vegas, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to respond to a written request from the Board; willful disregard of the laws of the state regarding industrial insurance; failure to notify the Board of a change in personnel or address within 30 days of the change; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$1,500; ordered to pay investigative costs and make full restitution to all damaged parties and reimburse the Board for any monies paid out of the Residential Recovery Fund. The license was revoked.

Nevada Installation Services, LLC., dba Nevada Installation Services - Division of Service West, license number 73449 (Finish Carpentry), based out of Henderson, NV, was found in violation of Nevada Revised Statute 624 for failure to respond to a written request from the Board; failure to notify the Board of a change in personnel or address within 30 days of the change; failure to keep in force a bond or cash deposit; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The licensee was fined \$1,500; ordered to pay investigative costs and make full restitution to all damaged parties and reimburse the Board for any monies paid out of the Residential Recovery Fund. The license was revoked.

****The Business Review Program is one in which a 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.
