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## <u>Unlicensed Contractor Does The Right Thing</u> <u>By Obtaining His Contractor's License</u>

Roberto Rivera-Castillo of Reno used to be an unlicensed contractor, but on Dec. 22, 2010, he fulfilled his promise to a NSCB criminal investigator and obtained his C-3B Finish Carpentry license.

The Board and the courts frequently work with unlicensed contractors to get them licensed.

Rivera-Castillo was previously cited by the investigator in May for *contracting* without a licensed. When he went to court the judge told him if he obtained his contractor's license, the citation would be dismissed, and he wouldn't have to pay any fines. Rivera-Castillo filled out a NSCB license application, took the necessary trade and business law tests, established his financial responsibility and was licensed.