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CONTRACTORS BOARD DISCIPLINES LICENSEES

HENDERSON and RENO, Nev. – The Nevada State Contractors Board took action against several licensed contractors for violations of Nevada Revised Statutes Chapter 624 during its January hearings in Henderson and Reno.

Sione Seleti Mokofisi, dba Mokofisi Construction, license number 69852 (residential and small commercial), based out of Reno, Nev., was found in violation for misrepresenting the value of services; acting in the capacity of a contractor beyond the scope of the license; failure to include the Residential Recovery Fund information on a contract or proposal; failure to include the monetary license limit or license number on a contract or proposal; failure to respond to a written request of the Board; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The license was suspended. Licensee was fined \$7,500, assessed investigative costs, and ordered to provide a current financial statement that supports the license limit; failure to do so within 60 days will result in the license being revoked.

Whiteford Grading and Paving, Inc., license number 69595 (highways; sealing and striping of impermeable paving; recycling asphalt; excavating grading trenching & surfacing; wrecking buildings; paving streets, driveways, & parking lots), based out of N. Las Vegas, Nev., was found in violation for failure to comply with a written request by the Board; failure to respond to a written request of the Board; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The license was suspended. Licensee was fined \$1,000 and assessed investigative costs. The license will remain suspended until all financial responsibilities are met.

Southwest Builders & Design, dba Mountain Valley Construction, license number 59722 (residential & small commercial), based out of Henderson, Nev., was found in violation for substandard workmanship; failure to take appropriate corrective action; failure to keep in force a bond or cash deposit; failure to respond to a written request from the Board; failure to comply with a written request by the Board; willful disregard of the building laws of the state; and failure to establish financial responsibility. The license was revoked. Licensee was fined \$8,250 and assessed investigative costs.

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.

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