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STATE CONTRACTORS BOARD MINUTES OF THE REGULATION HEARING BEFORE THE NEVADA STATE CONTRACTORS BOARD NOVEMBER 16, 2021

1. CALL TO ORDER:

The hearing was called to order at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 16, 2021 at the offices of the State Contractors Board, 2310 Corporate Circle, Henderson, Nevada and video-conferenced to the Reno office. Exhibit 1 is the notice of Intent to Act Upon a Regulation and copies of the proposed regulations.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Mr. Jan Leggett

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:

Ms. Margi Grein, Executive Officer
Ms. Nancy Mathias, Licensing Administrator

LEGAL COUNSEL PRESENT:

Mr. Tim Geswein, Esq.

Ms. Grein stated the notice of the hearing was posted in compliance with the open meeting law on the Board's Internet Website, the Public Notice Website, both offices of the Nevada State Contractors Board, and e-mailed electronically to persons who have expressed interest in being kept informed of the Board's meetings.

Ms. Grein explained the purpose of the hearing is to receive comments from interested parties concerning proposed regulation identified as LCB file R030-21.

The purpose of R030-21 is to amend Chapter 624 of the Nevada Administrative Code to comply with the provisions of SB 303 which require the agency to adopt by regulation standards for advertisements concerning residential photovoltaic systems used to produce electricity.

Ms. Grein further noted that written comments were received from Michelle Newman of the Office of the Attorney General Bureau of Consumer Protection, Krystal Hosmer of Robco Electric Inc, Sara Birmingham of the Solar Energy Industries Association, Brian Reeder on behalf of Sunrun Inc., and Stephen Lassiter of Sunrun Inc.

Ms. Newman provided testimony detailing the proposed amendments submitted as written comments on behalf of the Office of the Attorney General Bureau of Consumer Protection, identified as LCB File No. R030-21 – AG Proposed Revisions 11.16.21, relative to deceptive advertising of residential photovoltaic systems used to generate electricity.

Mr. Geswein stated the proposal was carefully prepared and narrowly written to support the intent of Senate Bill 303.

Ms. Jessica Ferrato with Crowley & Ferrato Public Affairs, representing the Solar Energy Industries Association, the national trade association on solar was present but did not offer testimony.

Ms. Grein stated this matter will be considered by the Board on November 18, 2021. The hearing was adjourned at 1:23 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Crystal Caywood Recording Secretary

Approved:

Executive Officer