

**BOARD OF ELECTRICIANS AND PLUMBERS**  
Professional and Vocational Licensing Division  
Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs  
State of Hawaii

MINUTES OF MEETING

Date: Tuesday, July 26, 2022

Time: 10:30 a.m.

In-Person Meeting Location: King Kalakaua Conference Room  
King Kalakaua Building  
335 Merchant Street, First Floor  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Present: Sheung Wong, Industry Member, Vice Chairperson  
Nathan Olanda, Industry Member  
David Kamakea III, Industry Member  
Robert Barrett, Public Member  
Christopher Leong, Deputy Attorney General (“DAG Leong”)  
Lei Ana Green, Executive Officer  
Anne Shimokawa, Executive Officer  
Kellie Teraoka, Secretary

Excused: Charles Tanabe, Industry Member

Guests: Kellie Wong, Department of the Attorney General’s Office Intern  
Matthew Brady, Plumbers & Fitters UA Local 675

Agenda: The agenda for this meeting was posted on the State electronic calendar as required by HRS section 92-7(b).

Call to Order: There being a quorum present, Chair Pro Tem Wong called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m.

Chair Pro Tem Wong, Mr. Olanda, Mr. Kamakea, Mr. Barrett confirmed that they were present. Mr. Tanabe was excused from the meeting.

Approval of Minutes: Chair Pro Tem Wong asked if any members of the public would like to provide oral testimony on this agenda item. There were none.

It was moved by Mr. Kamakea, seconded by Mr. Barrett, and unanimously carried to approve the open session and executive session minutes of the May 31, 2022, Board meeting as distributed.

Executive  
Officer's Report:

Chair Pro Tem Wong asked if any members of the public would like to provide oral testimony on this agenda item. There were none.

a) Exam Results for Electricians and Plumbers

Ms. Green stated that the Plumbers' May 2022 examination scores were not available and will be shared at the next meeting.

Ms. Green reviewed the following results of the Electricians' examinations:

Electricians' Exam (administered May 2022)

	EJ	ES	EM	EJI	EJS	ESS	ESI
Exams Administered	38	1	1	0	0	0	0
Successful	28	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unsuccessful	10	1	1	0	0	0	0

Applications:

Chair Pro Tem Wong asked if any members of the public would like to provide oral testimony on this agenda item. There were none.

It was moved by Mr. Barrett, seconded by Mr. Kamakea, and unanimously carried, to approve/defer/deny/ratify the following applications, as noted.

a) Electricians

Journey Worker Electrician (EJ)

AGBIGAY, RANDOLPH - APPROVED

AIWOHI, SHANNON - DEFFERRED

ALDEN, REESE - APPROVED

CABRERA, EVIAN - DEFERRED

CHEN, WANG - DEFERRED

COSBY, KYLE - APPROVED

DELA CRUZ, LOUIE - APPROVED

DIAZ, ERNESTO - DEFERRED

DIGA, KEVIN - APPROVED

DELIZ, ALAN - APPROVED

EDRALIN, BRADLEY - APPROVED

HIAPO, EDWARD - APPROVED

HIGA, CHRISTOPHER - APPROVED

JERVES JR., RAYMOND - APPROVED

JIM, SHAIPO - APPROVED

JONES, REED - APPROVED

KALAI, SHANE - APPROVED  
KEA, JORDAN - DEFERRED  
KEKAHIO, BRANDON - APPROVED  
LAGOC, MELVIN - DEFERRED  
MARCOS, DAVEN - APPROVED  
MELENDY, DYLAN - APPROVED  
MENDOZA, JANNY DANE - APPROVED  
MUNOZ, GENUS - APPROVED  
NAVARES, JOSEPH - DEFERRED  
PORGES, EVAN - APPROVED  
PYO, PATRICK - APPROVED  
RAMOS, BRYANT - APPROVED  
RAPOSAS, ADRIAN - APPROVED  
RECOLAN-URBAN, SHAQUAN - APPROVED  
SAYON, ROWEL - DEFERRED  
SEVELO, ESENCHIO - APPROVED  
SHISHIDO, THAD - APPROVED  
STEPHENS, AARON - APPROVED  
THOMAS, BRANDON - DEFERRED  
URSUA, CAMERON - DEFERRED  
XUE, XIAO QIANG - DEFERRED  
WEITAI, ZHOU - DEFERRED

Journey Worker Industrial Electrician (EJI)  
NONE

Journey Worker Specialty Electrician (EJS)  
HANGAI, KEAN - DEFERRED

Supervising Electrician (ES)  
HADLEY, BRIAN - APPROVED

Supervising Industrial Electrician (ESI)  
SLACK, GARRICK - APPROVED

Supervising Specialty Electrician (ESS)  
NONE

Maintenance Electrician (EM)  
BATH, NOAH - APPROVED

b) Plumbers

Journey Worker Plumber (PJ)  
BISTA-REBORON, BRANDON - APPROVED

BORILEZ, KALAN - APPROVED  
COLBURN JR., BRUCE - APPROVED  
CRUZ, KAWIKA - APPROVED  
HANSON, NORICOLE - DEFERRED  
HAVEA, SOSIUA - DEFERED  
KUHNS, RYDER - DEFERRED  
OPIANA, ASHTON - APPROVED  
PIVOTTO, DARCE - DEFERRED  
REIS, MICAH - APPROVED  
SULA, HERCULES - APPROVED

Master Plumber (PM)

NONE

c) Ratifications

APANA, ROYDEN (EJ)  
BIHAG, KEITH (EJ)  
GALLEGO, NATHANIEL (EJ)  
NAJERA, RAYNARD (EJ)

Act 35, SLH 2010 a)  
Update Regarding  
Electrical Academic  
Coursework:

Chair Pro Tem Wong asked if any members of the public would like to provide oral testimony on this agenda item. There were none.

University of Hawaii Honolulu Community College  
Approved Curricula

- New Castle School of Trades

2022 Legislation:

Chair Pro Tem Wong asked if any members of the public would like to provide oral testimony on this agenda item.

- a) S.B. 2644, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 (Act 068, SLH 2022),  
Relating to Electrical Contractors

Extends until 6/30/2027 Act 65, Session Laws of Hawaii 2013, as amended by Act 60, Session Laws of Hawaii 2018, which provides a limited exemption to the licensing requirements for certain individuals in situations when an electric utility must retain qualified individuals to work with high voltage (six hundred volts or higher) who are not licensed in the State but are otherwise deemed qualified by the electric utility, provided that the public utility certifies to the Board of Electricians and Plumbers that, after solicitation of a request for proposal, no electrician responded to the

request who was sufficiently qualified and licensed in the State and was available and able to perform or timely complete the high voltage electrical work or task before the public utility recruited outside the State.

Ms. Green informed members that S.B. 2644, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 has been signed into law by the Governor.

Election of Officers:

Chair Pro Tem Wong asked for nominations for the Board's Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson positions.

It was moved by Mr. Barrett, seconded by Mr. Kamakea, and unanimously carried to elect Mr. Wong as the Board's Chairperson.

It was moved by Chair Wong, seconded by Mr. Kamakea, and unanimously carried to elect Mr. Barrett as the Board's Vice-Chairperson.

Announcements: a) Next Board Meeting

Tuesday, September 27, 2022  
10:30 a.m.  
King Kalakaua Conference Room  
King Kalakaua Building  
335 Merchant Street, First Floor  
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Adjournment: There being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 10:40 a.m.

Reviewed and approved by:

Taken by:

/s/ Lei Ana Green

/s/ Kellie Teraoka

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Lei Ana Green  
Executive Officer

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Kellie Teraoka  
Secretary

LG:kt  
7/26/22

[X ] Minutes approved as is.  
[ ] Minutes approved with changes; see minutes of \_\_\_\_\_