

PEST CONTROL BOARD
Professional and Vocational Licensing Division
Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs
State of Hawaii

MINUTES OF THE MEETING

Date: May 23, 2022

Time: 2:00 p.m.

Place: King Kalakaua Conference Room
King Kalakaua Building
335 Merchant Street, First Floor
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Present: David Lau, Industry Member, Vice Chair
William Lee, Industry Member
Julian Yates, Ph.D., Public Member
Scott Ai, Public Member
John Speed, Industry Member
Jia-Wei Tay, Ph.D., Department of Plant & Environmental Protection
Sciences, Ex-Officio
Gracelda Simmons, Department of Health, Ex-Officio
Greg Takeshima, Department of Agriculture, Ex-Officio
Lei Ana E. Green, Executive Officer
Christopher Leong, Esq., Deputy Attorney General (“DAG”)
Susan Reyes, Secretary

Member(s)
Excused: None

Guest(s): Steve Russo

Agenda: The agenda for this hearing was filed with the Office of the Lieutenant Governor as required by § 92-7(b), Hawaii Revised Statutes (“HRS”).

Call to Order: There being quorum present, Vice Chair Lau called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

Approval of
Minutes: It was moved by Mr. Ai, seconded by Dr. Yates, and unanimously carried to approve the minutes of the March 21, 2022 meeting.

Executive Officer's Report: a. Examination Report

**PROMETRIC
 HAWAII PEST CONTROL EXAMINATIONS
 EXAMINATIONS ADMINISTERED APRIL 2022**

<u>EXAM</u>	<u>ADMINISTERED</u>				
	<u>NO. EXAMS</u>	<u>NO. FAIL</u>	<u>NO. PASS</u>	<u>% FAIL</u>	<u>%PASS</u>
PART 1	1	1	0	100%	0%
FIELD REP BR 1	3	2	1	66%	34%
FIELD REP BR 2	10	5	5	50%	50%
FIELD REP BR 3	10	4	6	60%	40%
OPERATOR BR 1	0	0	0	0%	0%
OPERATOR BR 2	0	0	0	0%	0%
OPERATOR BR 3	0	0	0	0%	100%
TOTAL NO. EXAMS ADMINISTERED				24	
TOTAL NO. EXAMS PASSED				12	
TOTAL NO. EXAMS FAILED				12	
TOTAL PERCENT PASSED				50%	
TOTAL PERCENT FAILED				50%	

Ms. Green reminded Board members to submit their 2022 financial disclosure reports, which are due by May 31, 2022.

Vice Chair Lau welcomed back Mr. Manago to serving on the Board as an industry member.

Applications:

Vice Chair Lau asked if there are any members of the public who would like to provide oral testimony on this agenda item, to which there were none.

a. Pest Control Operator ("PCO")

	Applicant	Branch(es)	Board Determination
(i)	Akamai Termite & Pest Control, LLC George Ofsanka (PCO-884 / BR-1, 2, 3)	1, 2, 3	Approved
(ii)	Aaron Tabarejo Able Pest Management, LLC (PCO-998 / BR-1, 2, 3)	2	Deferred

b. Pest Control Field Representative (“PCFR”)

	Applicant	Branch(es)	Board Determination
(i)	Lincoln Aldosa The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	2	Approved pending additional documentation
(ii)	Jason Baba The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	2	Approved
(iii)	Ryan Bueno The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	2	Approved pending additional documentation
(iv)	Kaipo Barrows The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	2	Approved
(v)	Dennis Botelho The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	2, 3	Approved
(vi)	Justin Cariaga The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	1, 2, 3	Approved
(vii)	Eric Cornell, Jr. The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	3	Approved pending additional documentation
(viii)	Ty Chamberlain The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	1, 2, 3	1– Approved 2, 3 – Approved pending additional documentation
(ix)	Barry Clark The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	2	Approved
(x)	Fernandito Fiesta The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	2	Approved
(xi)	Stephen Foy The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	2	Approved pending additional documentation

(xii)	Jason Kamei The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	2	Approved pending additional documentation
(xiii)	Dallas Kelley Mokihana Pest Control, Inc. (PCO-614 / BR-2, 3)	3	Approved pending additional documentation
(xiv)	Kyle Kaiahua The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	2	Approved
(xv)	Andre Machado The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	2	Approved
(xvi)	Eric Maddela-Alcoran The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	2	Approved
(xvii)	Casey Nakagawa The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	2	Approved
(xviii)	Dennis Tanaka The Terminix International Company, LP (PCO-618 / BR-1, 2, 3)	2	Approved pending additional documentation

It was motioned by Vice Chair Lau, seconded by Mr. Lee, and unanimously carried to approve or defer applications as reflected above.

Old Business:

Vice Chair Lau asked if there are any members of the public who would like to provide oral testimony on this agenda item, to which there were none.

a. Rule Revisions

i. Process Update

Ms. Green stated that the amended rules were signed by the Governor, then filed with the Lt. Governor's office on February 7, 2022. The amended rules were effective (10) days after the filing date.

b. Updating licensure exam questions

i. Fumigation questions and calculator

Vice Chair Lau stated that the Board is still waiting to hear back from Prometric regarding the exam revisions.

2022 Legislative Session:

Vice Chair Lau asked if there are any members of the public who would like to provide oral testimony on this agenda item, to which there were none.

a. S.B. 233, Relating to Bees

Requires any person that receives state or county funding who wants to remove a beehive or swarm from the person's property to contract with a beekeeper or pest control operator for removal.

Ms. Green stated that S.B. 233 was not scheduled for hearing and this bill is dead.

b. S.B. 3214, Relating to Pest Control

Amends the title and scope of the pesticide subsidy program and pesticide use revolving fund to include all pest control methods approved by the Hawaii Department of Agriculture. Appropriates moneys into and out of the pest control revolving fund for administering the pest control subsidy program.

Ms. Green stated that S.B. 3214 was not scheduled for hearing and this bill is dead.

c. S.B. 2629, S.D. 2, Relating to Pesticides

Requires the Department of Agriculture, in consultation with the Department of Health, to develop and implement a one-time pesticide disposal collection program, for a duration to be determined by the department. Requires the Advisory Committee on Pesticides to serve as a steering committee to guide and monitor the pesticide disposal collection program. Makes an appropriation. Effective 7/1/2050.

Ms. Green stated that on March 14, 2022, this bill was re-referred to the House Committees on Health, Human Services & Homelessness, Consumer Protection & Commerce, and Finance. No further hearings were scheduled, and this bill is dead.

Election of Officers: a. Chair

Vice Chair Lau opened the floor for nominations for the position of Board Chairperson. Upon a motion by Vice Chair Lau, seconded by Mr. Speed, it was voted on and unanimously carried to elect Mr. Lau as Chairperson.

b. Vice Chair

Chair Lau opened the floor for nominations for the position of Vice Chairperson. Upon a motion by Mr. Manago, seconded by Mr. Ai, it was voted on and unanimously carried to elect Mr. Speed as Vice Chairperson.

Announcements: a. Next Meeting:

Monday, July 18, 2022
2:00 p.m.
Location: To Be Determined

Adjournment: There being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 2:30 p.m.

Taken and recorded by:

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/s/ Lei Ana Green
Lei Ana Green
Executive Officer

/s/ Susan A. Reyes
Susan A. Reyes
Secretary

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Minutes approved as is.
 Minutes approved with changes, see minutes of _____.