

**RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF LABOR & TRAINING
DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATIONS
RHODE ISLAND STATE APPRENTICESHIP COUNCIL
1511 Pontiac Avenue
Building 70 – 2nd Floor Conference Room
Cranston, RI**

TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 2008

9:00 AM

In attendance: Sandra Powell, Director

William Holmes

Howard Carney

William Riley

Joseph Contarino

David Marland

Ben Coppel, Esquire

Valentino Lombardi, Esquire

Mr. William Holmes, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:34 am.

The first order of business is to accept the minutes of February 26,

2008 meeting.

Mr. Marland made a motion to accept the minutes. Mr. Riley seconded the motion.

All members voted in favor.

Mr. Carney informed the board of the Apprentice Approvals and were presented for March and in need of the board's approval. Mr. Carney stated that all the paperwork is in order and ready for Mr. Holmes's signature. Mr. Riley made a motion to approve all new apprentices, as submitted. Mr. Contarino seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.

1. Apprentice Approvals (March 25, 2008)

All Seasons Htg & Air Inc – Robert Trahan – Pipefitter

DECCO Inc – Kathleen Bolduc - Pipefitter

Donovan & Sons Inc – William Franco – Pipefitter

Enviromental Fire Protection Inc – David Baker – Sprinklerfitter

Frank Lombardo & Son Inc – Jason Allard – Sheetmetal I

Giguere & Marchand Oil Service – Roger R Peloquin – Pipefitter

Grover Electrical Serv Inc – Peter Lombardi – Electrician

IBEW Local 99 JATC – Jason Walker - Electrician

Interstate Electrical Serv Corp – Bartolomeur Barros, Steven Ruggelo

Apprentice Approval Continued:

David Racicot, Scott Bougette, Anthony Capuano, Wayne Pickett – Electrician

Janton Electric – Gareth Fernandes – Electrician

Kirkbrae Electric – Jonathan Bailey – Electrician

Plumbers & Steamfitters LU#51 – Joshua Dragich – Plumber

David Supino, Chrystian Maldonado – Pipefitter/Refrigeration

Rapid Electric Inc – Louis Marchetti – Electrician

REC – Robert Jencks, William Parrillo Jr – Pipefitter

RI Bricklayers JATC – Jesse Fugere – Finisher

Albert Loffredo III – Stone Mason

John Mart IV, David Colagiovanni – Bricklayer

RI Laborers' District Council – Hassan Brown – Const Craft Laborer

Robert Paliotta – Robert Paliotta Jr – Pipefitter II

Sasa Brothers Inc – Hassan Hasaba – Refrigeration I

White Fuel Co – Stephen Schuttert, Henry Roma - Refrigeration

2. New Companies

Mr. Carney stated that all items under new company approvals are in order and ready for the Council's approval. Mr. Riley made a motion to approve all the new companies as submitted. Mr. Marland seconded the motion. All members voted in favor. The following are the new companies that have been approved:

J P Walker Electric – Michael Donalson - Electrician

3. Completion Certificates

Mr. Riley made a motion to approve all the completion certificates as submitted.

Mr. Marland seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.

Lawrence Air System – Gabriel Texeira – Refrigeration II

Plumbers & Steamfitters Lu #51 – Joseph Zuppe – Plumber

Jason Benoit – Pipefitter/Refrigeration

RI Bricklayers JATC – Kouassi Baptista – Tile Layer

Alfred Carvalho – Finisher

Kevin Snow - Bricklayer

**RI Laborers' District Council – Alejandro Barbel, Nicholas Conlan,
Jeff Daigle**

Kyle Walton – Const Craft Laborer

4. Apprentices Cancellation:

Airhart Electric Inc – David Racicot - Electrician

All Seasons Htg & Air Inc – Ryan J Stevenson – Refrigeration

DECCO – Tephane Malone - Pipefitter

Grafton Electric Inc – Peter Lombardi - Electrician

IBEW Local 99 JATC – John Robinson – Electrician

Interstate Electrical Serv – Joseph Chabot II – Electrician

Paquette Electric Co. Inc – Hank Williams III - Electric

RI Laborers’ District Council – Nathan Chattman, Dennis Cherry,

Matthew Libby, Denzel McKinney, Nathan Mignacca, Keith

Montgomery, Peaceth Nhep, Steven Schiappa, Wayne Tetreault,

Richard Verdone, Bobby Mask, James Vardo, Michael Verardo,

Thomas Guadagno – Const Craft Laborer

Tri State Fire Prot Co Inc – Gregory Jarvis – Sprinklerfitter

5. Apprentices, sponsors and Standards needing assistance from the Council:

None

6. Communication Letters:

Letter from the Building Futures to discuss apprenticeship. See page #2 to page #5.

Attached please find another copy of EDC response to the SAC Small Business Reg-Flex Analysis. The response was received after the February, 2008 meeting; therefore, the council did not have an opportunity to discuss its contents at that time. Mr. Valentino Lombardi, Legal Counsel for the Department of Labor & Training, would like SAC members to review the response in order to discuss any additional modification that should be made to the proposed rules and regulation. We also have a letter from Attorney Michel Kraemer who represented Robert F Audet Inc. A motion was entertained to table it until next month. Mr. Riley made a motion. Mr. Contarino seconded the motion. All members voted in favor. See page #5 to page #17.

7. Old Business:

Amended Standards for Ironworkers Local #37 JATC. Mr. Carney- Mr. Chairman, I reviewed them and made amendments to them. Mr. Contarino made a motion to adopt the new standards. Mr. Marland seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.

Letter from Mr. Glen Corcetti Jr. to get approval from SAC on classroom related hours. Mr. Corcetti has not showed. Mr. Marland made a motion to table it for next month. Mr. Riley seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.

8. New Business:

Compliance/analysis completed:

Environmental Fire Protection. Mr. Carney – all paperwork is in order. Mr. Contarino made a motion to adopt. Mr. Riley seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.

9. Further Discussion:

Mrs Christine Grieco and Sandra Powell may speak to the Apprenticeship Council on matters pertaining to Apprenticeship. See page #18 page #19.

ESAC, June 1, 2008. See page #19.

10. Next SAC Meeting:

The next meeting of the State Apprentice Council will be held on April 22, 2008 at 9:30 am. The meeting will be held at RIDLT, 1511 Pontiac Avenue, Building 70 2nd Floor, Cranston, RI.

Mr. Marland made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 10:00 am. Mr. Riley seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.