Texas State Board of Plumbing Examiners Meeting Agenda

Location:

929 E. 41st St. Austin, Texas 78751 January 31, 2024 10:00 a.m.

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The Board will meet at the above-stated time to consider and take appropriate action on the items listed below. THE FOLLOWING AGENDA ITEMS MAY NOT NECESSARILY BE CONSIDERED IN THE ORDER THEY APPEAR.

- 1. Call to Order.
- 2. Roll Call.
- 3. Certification of Quorum.
- 4. Excuse absent Board members.

- 5. Chairman's remarks and discussion, including but not limited to, town hall meetings and outreach efforts.
- 6. Report and discussion on High School Accelerated Training Program "HATS" initiative.
- 7. Report and discussion on Texas Department of Information Resources Artificial Intelligence Conference 2023.
- 8. Report and discussion on recent change in Louisiana regulation allowing Department of Labor program participants to qualify for journeyman licensure with 7000 hours of work experience and possible impact on Texas and Louisiana reciprocity agreement.
- 9. Discussion on education and training required to obtain a Medical Gas Systems Personnel Series 6000, Standard 6010, latest edition, recognized by the American Society of Sanitation Engineers (ASSE) in comparison to the education and training required for a Texas Medical Gas Installation Endorsement.
- 10. Executive Director's report, discussion, and possible action on agency activities, including but not limited to:
 - a. Personnel changes and Staffing Report
 - i. New employees and employee retirements/departures.
 - ii. Current job postings.
 - b. Fingerprinting report and Versa update.
 - c. Current statistics on plumber licenses and registrations.
- 11. Examination Department report and discussion regarding department activities including but not limited to:
 - a. Pending Plumber Exams.
 - b. Examination Pass/Fail Report.
 - c. Anticipated date of availability of master plumber examination via computer-based testing.
- 12. Enforcement Department report, discussion, and possible action regarding enforcement activities including but not limited to:
 - a. Summary of complaint cases reviewed, and administrative penalties imposed, including but not limited to, unlicensed activity statistics.
 - b. Summary of applications approved or denied for registration and/or examination.

- c. Report on recent field activities.
- d. Summary of Cease and Desist Orders issued under §1301.5045 of the Plumbing License Law.
 - i. Gavriel Uriel Ben Avi; Complaint No. 2023-00698
 - ii. Gavriel Uriel Ben Avi; Complaint No. 2023-00701
 - iii. Donny Butler; Complaint No. 2023-01216
 - iv. Jair Caique; Complaint No. 2023-01242
 - v. John Gerald Curry; Complaint No. 2023-01412
 - vi. Aaron Gartman; Complaint No. 2023-01205
 - vii. John Anthony Gomez; Complaint No. 2023-00926
 - viii. Juan Manuel Torres Guerra; Complaint No. 2023-01687
 - ix. Pedro P. Hernandez; Complaint No. 2023-00938
 - x. Steven Hernandez; Complaint No. 2023-00938
 - xi. Shaun M. Huddleston; Complaint No. 2023-01047
 - xii. Justin Humphrey; Complaint No. 2023-01242
 - xiii. Tyler K. Johnson; Complaint No. 2023-01844
 - xiv. Victor Ray Kelly; Complaint No. 2023-01856
 - xv. Mike Light; Complaint No. 2023-01070
 - xvi. Roland Lopez; Complaint No. 2023-01811
 - xvii. Troy McNiel; Complaint No. 2023-01246
 - xviii. Henry Moore; Complaint No. 2023-01733
 - xix. Leroy Nixon; Complaint No. 2023-01528
 - xx. Inna Rozenstein; Complaint No. 2023-00698
 - xxi. Inna Rozenstein; Complaint No. 2023-00701
 - xxii. Victor L. Serna; Complaint No. 2023-01625
 - xxiii. Mohammed R. Shoaib; Complaint No. 2023-01213
 - xxiv. Johnny Camera Thompson II; Complaint No. 2023-01353
 - xxv. Kerry Don Weaver; Complaint No. 2023-01419
- e. Board Order of Administrative Penalties paid by agreement.
- 13. Public Comment Comments will be limited to three minutes per person.
- 14. Discussion regarding the date for the next board meeting.
- 15. Recommendations for future board meeting agenda items.
- 16. Adjourn.

The Texas State Board of Plumbing Examiners may convene in Executive Session at any point in this meeting, concerning any item listed in the agenda as authorized by the Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code, including, but not limited to, Section 551.074, regarding personnel matters.

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