Minutes of Meeting of the Board of Licensure for

Professional Engineers and Professional Surveyors held 9:00 a.m. August 9, 2013 at State Engineers Office, 550 San Antonio Dr., NE, Albuquerque, NM

Members Present Rola Idriss, PE, Board Chair

Julie Samora, PE Gilbert Chavez, PS Ronald Bohannan, PE Paul Brasher, PE Glen Thurow, PS

Augusta Meyers, Public Member Josh Skarsgard, Public Member

John T. Romero, PE Salvador Vigil, PS

Others Present Perry Valdez, Team Leader, BLPEPS

Ericca Lopez, Executive Secretary, BLPEPS

Melissa Shelley, Licensing Specialist

Rick Word, Board Attorney Cholla Khoury, Board Attorney David Martinez, RLD, IT Specialist

1. Convene, Roll Call and Introductions of Audience

Mr. Brasher convened the meeting at 9:00 a.m. Roll call was taken and it was noted that a quorum of the Committee was present.

Ms. Khoury introduced herself as a guest to the committee.

2. Approval of Agenda

Ms. Samora asked to add one item regarding NMSPE under the New Business section which was a discussion item only and required no action.

MOTION by Ms. Samora, **SECONDED** by Mr. Romero, and **PASSED** unanimously **VOTED**: To approve the agenda as amended.

3. <u>Meeting Notification</u>

It was noted that the meeting had been advertised in the Albuquerque Journal and on the board's website.

4. Approval of Minutes

a. Minutes of April 12, 2013

MOTION by Ms. Samora, **SECONDED** by Mr. Vigil, and **PASSED** unanimously **VOTED:** To approve the meeting minutes of April 12, 2013.

b. Minutes of June 14, 2013

MOTION by Ms. Samora, **SECONDED** by Mr. Vigil, and **PASSED** unanimously **VOTED**: To approve the meeting minutes of June 14, 2013.

5. Public Comment

None at this time.

6. New Business

b. Discussion of Disciplinary Process- Cholla Khoury

Ms. Khoury made an informational presentation to the board regarding the process she uses when the committees vote to issue an NCA. She also noted the items that need to be included in order for her to be able to proceed properly with the prosecution. Ms. Khoury allowed the board to have a question and answer session after her presentation.

a. Online Renewal Process- David Martinez, RLD

Mr. Martinez explained to the board that RLD had now taken over handling the electronic records of the licensees. Mr. Martinez presented an overview of the renewal process to the board since the 2013 renewal period will be the first that licensees will be able to renew online. He also gave the board an overview on the features of the licensing program that staff would be able to access if necessary.

c. Title 16, Chapter 39, Part 6- Licensure for Military Service Members, Spouses and Veterans

Discussion began on this item. At this point in the meeting the board lost a quorum and was unable to proceed. Mr. Brasher stated there would be another meeting scheduled for September 20th and adjourned the meeting at 12:20 p.m.

Submitted By:	Approved By:	
s/ Ericca Lopez	s/ Paul Brasher	
Ms. Ericca Lopez, Executive Secretary	Paul Brasher, PE, Board Chair	
	October 11, 2013	Approved Date