



# State of Nevada

## Private Investigators Licensing Board

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### AGENDA PRIVATE INVESTIGATORS LICENSING BOARD

The Private Investigators Licensing Board of the State of Nevada is scheduled to hold its regularly scheduled meeting;

DATE: Wednesday, March 9, 2011

LOCATION: Office of The Attorney General  
100 North Carson Street  
Mock Court Room  
Carson City, Nevada 89701

#### VIDEO CONFERENCE LOCATION:

Grant Sawyer State Office Building  
555 E. Washington Ave  
Attorney General Conference Room, Suite 4500  
Las Vegas, Nevada

TIME: 9:00 a.m.

Note: If an applicant, a licensee or a person from the public requests a Board member's abstention for possible conflicts of interest the objection must be stated on the record before discussion of the particular item.

Note: The Chairperson will request that anyone wishing to comment on an applicant's licensure do so before a motion is made to approve or deny that particular applicant.

Note: The Board will make every reasonable effort to accommodate applicants, Board members and staff should they need to be taken out of order on the agenda.

Note: We will make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to attend the meeting. Should special arrangements for the meeting be necessary, please notify the Private Investigators Licensing Board in writing at 704 W. Nye Lane, Suite 203, Carson City, Nevada or call Mechele Ray (775) 687-3223, as soon as possible.

1. Roll call of Board members.
2. \*\*Review and approve December 8, 2010/December 9, 2010 meeting minutes/Transcript.
3. Review the financial report.
4. \*\*All applicants and witnesses to be sworn in.
5. REPORT from staff on pending complaints, completed complaints, pending backgrounds, notice of violations, cease and desist letters sent, number of complaints received on licensees, number of general complaints, number of applications received, number of background investigations completed, authority granted to work in Nevada pursuant to NAC 648.280, notice of violations and citations issued by staff.
6. Public Comment

#### CONSENT ITEMS

7. \*\* USA-FACT, Inc., License #1589, licensed in the category of Private Investigator, is requesting qualifying agent status for Frank Petrasich. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.
8. \*\* Natronastaff, Inc. is requesting a corporate Private Investigator and Polygraph Examiner license.  
Jim Colbert, License #1311 is requesting to change his qualifying agent status in the category of Polygraph Examiner from MCSS Ltd. to a new corporate Polygraph Examiner License for Natronastaff, Inc.  
Jim Weston, License #1311a is requesting to change his qualifying agent status in the category of Private Investigator from MCSS Ltd. to a new corporate Private Investigator license Natronastaff, Inc. Corporate Officer to be approved is Ted Geary.  
This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.
9. \*\* Edwards Group International LLC is applying for a corporate Private Investigator License. Kyle Edwards is requesting to transfer his qualifying agent status from Global Risk Management & Investigative Solutions, License #1521 to Edwards Group International LLC. Member to be approved is Kyle Edwards. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.
10. \*\* Spencer Investigations LLC is applying for a corporate Private Investigator, Private Patrolman and Process Server License. David Spencer is requesting to transfer his individual status to the Qualifying agent for Spencer Investigations LLC. Members to be approved are David Spencer, Jeff Partyka and Dustin Grate. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.
11. \*\* Brinks, Inc., License #450 is requesting corporate officer approval for Lawrence Rodo. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

12. \*\* GlobalOptions Services, Inc., dba Global Options, Inc., License #1187 is requesting corporate officer approval for Kevin McGinn. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.
13. \*\* US Investigations LLC, License #825 is requesting Member status for Jeffrey Campbell and Ronald Collins. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.
14. \*\* US Security Associates, Inc., License #152 is requesting Corporate Officer status for Leland Lutz. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.
15. \*\* Sedgwick Factual Photo Inc., is applying for a corporate Private Investigator license. George Oliver, License #1450 is requesting to change his qualifying agent status from Factual Photo Inc., to Sedgwick Factual Photo., Inc. Corporate Officer to be approved is George Oliver.
- 15a. \*\* Sedgwick Claims Management Services Inc., the parent company of Sedgwick Factual Photo Inc., is requesting corporate officer approval for Jason Hood and Edwin Brewer. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.
16. \*\* Triple Canopy is applying for a corporate Private Patrolman license. Michael McPeake, License #1366 is requesting to change his qualifying agent status from BWEST LLC to Triple Canopy. Corporate Officers and Directors to be approved are Thomas Magnani, Juliet Protas, Matthew Mann, Thomas Katis and Ignacio Balderas. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.
17. \*\* Northern Nevada Investigations Inc., License #628 from Reno, Nevada is requesting Corporate Officer status for Arthur Hakes. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.
18. \*\* Dr. Dana Picore from Las Vegas, Nevada is requesting to change her qualifying agent status from Picore and Associates, Inc., to a new corporation, Picore Beristain Initiative, Inc. Corporate Officer to be approved is Dr. Dana Picore. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.
19. \*\* John Benson from Alexandria, Virginia is requesting to change his qualifying agent status from Government Management Services, Inc., to a new corporation, Verisys Investigations, Inc. Officers to be approved are John Benson and Thomas O'Shaughnessy. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.
20. \*\* Sid Sperry from Las Vegas, Nevada is requesting to change his qualifying agent status from Summerland Security Services, Inc., to a new corporation, Southern Nevada Security Patrol, Inc. dba Southern Nevada Security Patrol. Corporate officer to be approved is Sid Sperry. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

PRESENTLY LICENSED CORPORATIONS REQUESTING NEW QUALIFYING AGENT OR OTHER  
CHANGES IN LICENSE STATUS NOT ON CONSENT

21. \*\* Richard Albert Jr. is requesting to change his qualifying agent status from Preventive Measures LLC to a new corporation, All2gether Enterprises LLC, dba CornerStone Protective Services. Member to be approved is Richard Albert Jr. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

22. \*\* Preventive Measures Security Firm, LLC, License #1633, from Las Vegas, Nevada requests approval of Bill Johnson to become the acting qualifying agent for Preventive Measures Security Firm LLC. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR

23. \*\* Douglas Florence from Las Vegas, Nevada is applying for an individual Private Investigator License. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

24 \*\* Samuel Covelli from Las Vegas, Nevada is applying for an individual Private Investigator license. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR AND PROCESS SERVER

25. \*\* Richard Astle from Provo, Utah is applying for an individual Private Investigator License. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

PRIVATE PATROLMAN

26. \*\* 30 MinuteSecurity.com LLC from Las Vegas, Nevada is applying for a corporate Private Patrolman license. Kurt Strakaluse is requesting to place his individual Private Patrolman license into abeyance so that he may become the qualifying agent for 30 MinuteSecurity.com LLC. Member to be approved is Kurt Strakaluse. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

27. \*\* Entourage VIP Protective Services LLC, DBA Entourage VIP Protective Services from Las Vegas, Nevada is applying for a corporate Private Patrolman license. David Payne is requesting to place his individual Private Patrolman license into abeyance so that he may become the qualifying agent for Entourage VIP Protective Services LLC, DBA Entourage VIP Protective Services. Member to be approved is David Payne. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

28. \*\* Syed Hussain from Los Angeles, Ca is applying for an individual Private Patrolman license. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

29. \*\* Pio Kasiano from Seal Beach, California is applying for an individual Private Patrolman license. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

### PROCESS SERVER

30. \*\* Nationwide Legal Nevada LLC, from Los Angeles, California is applying for corporate Process Server license. Edward Ektefaie is requesting his individual Process Server license be placed into abeyance so that he may become the qualifying agent for Nationwide Legal Nevada LLC. Member to be approved is Edward Ektefaie. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

### PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR, PRIVATE PATROLMAN AND PROCESS SERVER AND REPOSSESSOR

31. \*\* Robert Gronauer dba Bobby G & Associates, from Las Vegas Nevada is requesting an individual Private Investigator, Private Patrolman, Process Server and Repossessor license. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

### OLD BUSINESS

32. \*\* Eastern Private Detectives, Inc., from Hackettstown, New Jersey is applying for a corporate Private Investigator license. Scott Churchill is requesting that the board grant her an individual Private Investigator and Private Patrolman license to be placed into abeyance so that he may become the qualifying agent for Eastern Private Detectives, Inc. Corporate Officer to be approved is Scott Churchill. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

33. \*\* Excaliber Investigations, Inc., from Tracy, California is applying for a corporate Private Investigator license. John Rodriguez is requesting that the board grant him an individual Private Investigator license to be placed into abeyance so that he may become the qualifying agent for Excaliber Investigations, Inc. Corporate Officers to be approved are John Rodriguez and Santiago Rodriguez. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

34. \*\* Tatone Investigations LLC, from Las Vegas, Nevada is asking the Board to reconsider his application from the previous meeting. Tatone Investigations LLC is applying for a corporate Private Patrolman License. Donald Tatone is asking that if approved he be allowed to place his individual Private Patrolman license into abeyance so that he may become the qualifying agent for Tatone Investigations LLC. Member to be approved is Donald Tatone. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

35. \*\* Jonathan Sullivan from Las Vegas, Nevada is applying for an individual Private Patrolman license. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.

## ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS

36. \*\* John Padula of Brinks, Inc., License #450 is asking the Board to grant an exemption as outlined in NAC 648.338. The exemption request is for several events that are held in the Las Vegas area. Mr. Padula anticipates the need to bring thirty-five (35) off duty law enforcement officers from out of state. The dates of the request are approximately May 25, 2011 through June 3, 2011. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.
37. \*\* Michael Callaghan of Century Security Services, Inc., License #1315 is asking the Board to grant an exemption as outlined in NAC 648.338. The exemption request is for the JCK show held in various locations throughout Las Vegas. Mr. Callaghan is requesting that the Board allow them to hire eight (8) out of state, armed law enforcement officers. The dates of the request are from May 25, 2011 to June 10, 2011. This is subject to all statutory and regulatory requirements.
38. \*\* Presentation and open Discussion by Jay Purves, Qualifying Agent of Contemporary Services Corporation, and a representative of Security Officer Regulation Training (SORT).
39. \*\* Board discussion and possible action to determine if Correction Corporation of America or any private prison facility or company, located in Nevada should be required to obtain a private patrolman license in the State of Nevada.
40. \*\* Discussion and possible direction from the Board regarding unlicensed activity in the private patrolman industry.
- o Unlicensed executive protection details within the gaming establishments and the reporting of information;
  - o Nevada businesses utilizing the services of unlicensed security companies and the reporting of information; and conducting spot checks
41. \*\* Legislative Update:
- \*\* Discussion and possible action on AB156 that amends certain sections of NRS 648 with regard to process servers.
  - \*\* Discussion and possible action on AB21 which makes certain occupational licensing Board and commissions subject to the same requirements as other agencies of the Executive Department of State Government.
  - \*\* Discussion and possible action with regard to AB201 that revises provisions pertaining to informational statements provided for the adoption of administrative regulations.
  - \*\* Discussion and possible action with regard to SB56 which revises provisions governing the entities required to use the services and equipment of the Department of Information Technology.
  - \*\* Discussion and possible action with regard to any legislation that may affect the Private Investigators Licensing Board or provisions of NRS 648.

42. \*\* Discussion and possible direction from the Board related to the licensing of franchises in the State of Nevada.

43. \*\* Discussion and possible action to direct Staff to develop procedure for denied licensing applications.

44. \*\* Board discussion for topics to be included at Board Member and Staff workshop.

45. \*\* Board Comment...

46. \*\* Future Agenda Items...

46. Public comment and discussion only.

\*\* "Indicates that action may be taken on these items."

Any item not considered on this day may be carried over to the following day's meeting.

#### NOTICE PROVISION FOR CLOSING OF MEETING LAW NRS 241.030

At the meeting the Board will consider the above-named applicants for licensure. Under the authority of NRS 241.030, the Board, upon motion, may close the meeting to the public for the purpose of considering an applicant's character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health.

The Agenda was posted at the following places:

Department of Motor Vehicles & Public Safety, 2701 E. Sahara Ave, Las Vegas, NV

Private Investigators Board, 704 W. Nye Lane, Suite 203, Carson City, NV

Grant Sawyer Building, 555 E. Washington Avenue, Las Vegas, NV

Office of the Attorney General, 100 N. Carson Street, Carson City, NV

Nevada State Capitol, Capitol Complex, Carson City, NV

Regional Transportation Commission, 2050 Villanova Ave., Reno, NV

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