## District of Columbia Real Estate Commission October 14, 2014 Minutes

The District of Columbia Real Estate Commission held its regularly scheduled meeting on Tuesday, October 14, 2014, at 1100 4th Street, S.W., Room 300B, Washington, D.C. 20024. At 10:17 am the Commission held its executive session (closed to the public) to discuss the Legal Committee Report, applications for licensure and that of the legal counsel.

The public session of the meeting was called to order by Chairman Alton E. Duncanson at 10:55 am and attendance was taken.

#### Attendance

Present:

Alton E. Duncanson, Josephine Ricks, Ulani Gulstone,

Kenneth D. Smith, Monique Owens, Richard Gersten, Helen Dodson

Absent:

None

Staff:

Clifford P. Cooks, Program Manager, Leon Lewis, Program Liaison, Kevin Cyrus, Education Liaison, Jason Sockwell, Program Support Specialist, George Batista, Investigator, Steve Parker, Occupational and Professional Licensing

Division, Business and Professional Licensing Administration

Legal Counsel: Kia Winston

Public:

No members of the public were present during the public session.

Agenda Item: Comments from the Public

There were no public consumers present.

Agenda Item: Minutes

Upon motion duly made by Commissioner Smith, and properly seconded by Commissioner Owens, the Commission voted unanimously to accept draft minutes dated September 9, 2014, with a correction.

Agenda Item: Application for Licensure Recommendations

Upon motion duly made by Commissioner Ricks and properly seconded by Commissioner Dodson, the Commission unanimously voted to approve license application List #10, with the exception of Charles Shryock, who is deferred, attached hereto and made a part of the October 14, 2014, minutes.

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### Agenda Item: Complaints and Legal Committee Recommendations

Yaniv vs. Judy – Close; no violation

Colaco vs. Barbara Barbour - Close; no violation

Anonymous vs. Shoeleh Rahnama/Jeffrey Shumaker - Close; no violation

Keith & Vanya Wright vs. Jeremy Boardman, et al. – Close; no violation

Noha Sidhom vs. Urban Igloo, LLC - Issue Informal Admonition to principal broker

Staci West vs. Kenneth Brown, Quasar Property Management, et al. – Defer; await response

In the matter of Angela Facciolo (Consent Order) – request the preparation of a Notice of Intent to take Disciplinary Action

In the matter of Dwight Mortensen and David Bediz (Consent Orders) – Reissue Consent Orders imposing a \$250.00 fine each on Mortensen and Bediz

In the matter of Denise McGowan and Mary Ellen Green re: Consent Orders issued – Remand to investigation staff

In the matter of Roger Neely re: Consent Order executed; licensee has not paid fine of \$1,000.00 – Request a Notice of Intent to take Disciplinary Action

Upon motion duly made by Commissioner Gulstone and properly seconded by Commissioner Owens, the Commission unanimously voted to approve the recommendations of the Legal Committee. Commissioner Gersten recused himself in the matter of Noha Sidhom vs. Urban Igloo, LLC. Commissioner Dodson recused herself from the vote in the matter of Denise McGowan and Mary Ellen Green.

# **Agenda Item: Education Items**

Upon motion duly made by Commissioner Ricks and properly seconded by Commissioner Dodson, the Commission unanimously voted to approve the Education Committee Report, attached hereto and made a part of the October 14, 2014, minutes.

#### Agenda Item: Budget

Mr. Cooks provided a financial update to the Commission.

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#### Agenda Item: Legal Counsel Report

The legal counsel provided guidance to the Commission on all legal matters.

# Agenda Item: Review of Calendar

The Real Estate Investigator Workshop will be held in Columbus, Ohio during October 28-30, 2014. Investigators George Batista and Steven Parker are authorized to attend. Expenditures to be paid from the Real Estate Guaranty and Education Fund.

The National Association of Realtors Convention and Expo will be held in New Orleans, La. from November 7-10, 2014.

#### Agenda Item: Old Business

No old business

# Agenda Item: New Business

- A. Chairman Duncanson, along with Commissioners Ricks, Gulstone and Dodson, and staff member Leon Lewis, attended the ARELLO Annual Conference in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. They reported that the conference overall was excellent with much information being exchanged at the conference. Accomplishments included:
  - Completion of the Fair Housing Digital Manual for use by all member jurisdictions. Chairman Duncanson presented an outstanding presentation of the document to the membership and thanked the Fair Housing Committee and former members, along with past president Leon Lewis for their contributions;
  - Completion of a revised Distance Education Standards document for use by all member jurisdictions; President Jackson-Heim and the Board expressed appreciation to the Distance Education Task Force for the work that was done on the revised version; available for use by member jurisdictions.
  - Past President Leon Lewis delivered a New Member Orientation to all new members; there were over 30 new members in attendance.
  - All attendees attended the general sessions, respective committee assignments, and participated and made contributions in the Legal Case Update (please see on ARELLO.org's Web site. Commissioner Gulstone cited a condominium foreclosure case (opinion) in the District of Columbia at the District 1 Conference.
  - Commissioner Jo Ricks was nominated at the District 1 meeting, and voted in as an alternate director at the ARELLO General Assembly.

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# Agenda Item: New Business cont'd

- Sites/meetings locations were chosen for Mid-year 2016 (Atlanta, Georgia), annual meeting for 2016 (Vancouver, BC), and annual 2017 (Hawaii).
- The annual will be in Washington, DC for 2015; videos have been sent to Steve Long, Chair, Program Committee from Commissioner Ricks and Leon Lewis for review.
- B. Kevin Cyrus, Education Liaison, reported that the Commission-sponsored continuing education courses were smoothly delivered on September 25, 2014. There were over 300 participants.
- C. Chairman Duncanson stated that he attended the Mayor's Chair meeting, where it was indicated that the procurement process has been streamlined.
- D. Commissioner Dodson to research Maryland's approach to advertising violations.

# Agenda Item: Next Meeting

Next Scheduled Regular Meeting, November 18, 2014 1100 4<sup>th</sup> Street, SW, Room 300B, Washington, DC 20024

#### Agenda Item: Adjournment

Upon motion duly made by Commissioner Dodson and properly seconded by Commissioner Ricks, the Commission unanimously voted to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 11:51 am.

Respectfully submitted,

Alton E. Duncanson, Chair

Date

Recorder: Jason Sockwell

Attachments

Minutes prepared by Leon W. Lewis





#### DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA **Real Estate Commission**

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE COMMISSION

#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO

Tony Duncanson, Chairman

Members of the DC Real Estate Commission

**FROM** 

**EDUCATION COMMITTEE** 

Tony Duncanson, Chair

Monique Owens

Jo Ricks

Kevin Cyrus, Education Liaison

DATE

October 14, 2014

**SUBJECT** 

Education Committee Meeting Report before the Commission

The following Endorsement Applications were Approved by the Education Committee since the September 9, 2014 meeting:

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**BROKER** 

**NEW YORK** 

David

Sweeney

**BROKER** 

New Jersey (primary), NY, PA, DE

Jessica

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**SALESPERSON** 

**FLORIDA** 

CE/PL APPLICATIONS: The following provider course/instructor applications were approved by the Education Committee since the September 9, 2014 meeting:

Course

Instructor Name

Course #

**Academy of Real Estate** 

Instructor Approval

Stephen Bradford

Real Estate Tax Update - # 12569

DC Building Industry Association - DCBIA

Virtual Design & Construction: BIM

**David Borchardt** 

12979

Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage

Instructor Approval

Mary Chieppa

DC Fair Housing and Predatory Lending - #12070

Susan "Jill" Malloy

**Long & Foster Institute** of Real Estate, Inc.

DC Legislative Update &

Tenant Opportunity to Purchase Act

Carol Lynn Calomiris

12974





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**CE/PL APPLICATIONS:** The following provider course/instructor applications were **approved** by the Education Committee since the September 9, 2014 meeting:

# **Maryland State Bar Association**

A New Era in Closings: How Dodd-Frank is	Steven Gottheim	12980
Changing the Real Estate Settlement Business		

## McKissock, LP

DC Financing Issues Update	Robert Fleck	12976
DC Legislative Update	Robert Fleck	12979
How to Work With Real Estate Investors - Part 2	Tom Lundstedt	12977
Fair Housing	Jaqueline Talpa	12978

NO provider course/instructor applications were **Deferred** by the Education Committee since the September 9, 2014 meeting:

**CE BANKING.** To date, 32 schools have applied and are approved to offer 325 approved courses through the new PULSE CE Banking system for the 2013 - 2015 renewal cycle.

cc: C. Cooks, Program Manager

L. Lewis, Program Liaison

Applications for the following individuals listed below have been compiled by Pearson Vue, checked by staff and are recommended for technical review by members of the Real Estate Commission.

NEW

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PARELLO, CHAD, Salesperson Urban Land Company LLC	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED	
BOITEL, DANIEL, Salesperson Exec Housing Consulting Inc.	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED	
DOUGLASS, JAMES, Salesperson Douglass Management Inc.	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED	
GALEANO, GLORIANA, Salesperson Ghanahaitian Properties LLC	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED	
HARRIS, VERONICA, Salesperson Fairfax Realty of Greenbelt LLC	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED	
JAGERS, TODD, Salesperson Evelyn Jones Real Estate Inc.	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED	
JONES, NAIM, Salesperson Savvy Realty & Appraisal Inc.	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED	
KOSEIAN, ARET, Salesperson W.C. & A.N. Miller A Long & Foster Co.	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED	
LITTLE, LAFREDA, Salesperson Weichert Company of Maryland Inc.	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED	
MCBRIDE, GEORGE, Salesperson City Properties LLC	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED	
MINDEL, COREY, Salesperson Lipscomb Realty Corp.	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED	
MORFAW, NGNAWONG, Salesperson Tristar Realty Inc.	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED	
MURRAY, STEPHANIE, Salesperson City Properties LLC	APPROVED_DEFERRED_DENIED	
O'DEA, CHRISTINA, Salesperson Long & Foster Real Estate	APPROVED_DEFERREDDENIED	
QUARTEY, PAULINE, Principal Broker Richardson Realty	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED	
SHARMA, NEERAJ, Salesperson Taylor Properties	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED	
***SHRYOCK, CHARLES, Independent Broker**	APPROVED DEFERRED ✓DENIED	

APPLICATION EXAMINE

10-14-14 DATE

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AMAYA, WILLIAM, Principal Broker GA Realty & Management Services	APPROVED_DEFERRED_DENIED
ZAHAREVICH, DANIEL, Salesperson Terra Group McLean LLC	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED
SMITH, JOSHUA, Property Manager	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED
DOUGLASS, KIP, Salesperson Harbor Trust Realty Inc.	APPROVED, DEFERRED DENIED
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Long & Foster Real Estate inc.	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED		
BYRD, JOHN, Salesperson			
Fairfax Realty Inc.	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED		
DINKINS, ASILIA, Salesperson			
W.F. Chesley Real Estate LLC	APPROVED DEFERRED DENIED		
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