



Minutes – Board of Architecture and Interior Design  
May 22, 2015

## **District of Columbia Board of Architecture and Interior Design**

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### **Minutes**

The District of Columbia Board of Architecture and Interior Design held its scheduled regular meeting on May 22, 2015, at 9:30 a.m. at 1100 4<sup>th</sup> Street S.W., Room 300B, Washington, D.C.

#### **Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order at 9:35 am by Chairman Ronnie W. McGhee.

**Board Members Present:** Ronnie W. McGhee, Chairman (Architect); Lisa Adams; (Interior Designer); Wanda Sherrod (Consumer Member); Patrick Williams (Architect); Cametrick Nesmith (Architect)

**Members Absent:** Kerry Touchette (Interior Designer)

**Staff Present:** Clifford Cooks, Program Manager; Leon Lewis, Program Liaison; Jason Sockwell, Program Support Specialist; George Batista, Investigator; Andrew Jackson, Program Support Specialist; Kia Winston, Esq., Legal Advisor to the Board

**Legal Counsel:** Kia Winston, Assistant Attorney General

**Public Consumers Present:** (None)

**1. Agenda Item: Comments from the Public:** – None

**2. Agenda Item: Draft Minutes**

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Nesmith and properly seconded by Ms. Sherrod, the Board unanimously voted to approve the draft minutes of April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

**3. Agenda Item: Application for Licensure Recommendations**

Upon motion duly made by Ms. Adams and properly seconded by Mr. Nesmith, the Board unanimously voted to approve the Application List, attached hereto and made a part of the May 22, 2015, minutes.



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**4. Review of Complaints/Legal Matters**

- A. In the matter of Elizabeth Shipley, Board member Nesmith motioned and Board member Adams seconded the vote to reactivate Ms. Shipley’s architecture license.
- B. In the matter of Joel Kelty vs. Mohamed Kamara, BKG Design Build, Board member Nesmith motioned and Board member Adams seconded the vote to forward to Regulatory Investigations for alleged unlicensed activity.
- C. In the matter of Anthony Udoka: Upon motion duly made by Mr. Williams and properly seconded by Mr. Nesmith, the Board unanimously voted to impose a \$2,500.00 fine per violation totally \$5,000.00, a one-year suspension with a friendly amendment motioned by Ms. Sherrod and properly seconded by Ms. Adams (unanimously voted on) to require Mr. Udoka to complete an ethics class to be determined by the Board, and to request that a Consent Order be prepared by legal counsel.

**5. Review of Interior Design Continuing Education Provider Submissions** (None)

**6. Old Business** (None)

**10. New Business**

- A. NCARB – The Board discussed the *Statement Regarding Future Use of Intern and Architect Titles*, and plans to seek further clarification from NCARB leadership at the upcoming Business Meeting, on 06/19/15, in New Orleans, LA.
- a) CIDQ – The Board approved notice to invite CIDQ Government Affairs Director, Ms. Lori Barker, to attend the September 11, 2015, Board meeting.

**11. Adjournment**

Upon Motion duly made by Ms. Sherrod and properly seconded by Mr. Nesmith, the Board unanimously voted to adjourn the meeting at 11:01 AM.

**12. Next Scheduled Meeting**

The next scheduled meeting will be July 24, 2015 at 1100 4<sup>th</sup> Street SW, Room 300B.



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**Respectfully Submitted,**

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**Ronnie McGhee, Chairman**

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**Date**

**Recorder: Jason Sockwell**  
**Program Support Specialist**  
**Attachments**