

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING
ARKANSAS BOARD OF PRIVATE INVESTIGATORS
AND PRIVATE SECURITY AGENCIES**

A meeting of the Arkansas Board of Private Investigators and Private Security Agencies was held on January 10, 2007, in the Arkansas State Police Commission Room #7W11, Arkansas State Police Headquarters.

ATTENDING:

Senior Corporal Ricky Briggs, Administrator for the Arkansas Board of Private Investigators and Private Security Agencies, Regulatory Service Section, Arkansas State Police.

Amy Hancock, Investigator for the Arkansas Board of Private Investigators and Private Security Agencies, Regulatory Services Section, Arkansas State Police.

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD PRESENT:

**Todd Armstrong
Mike Vowell
Jack Acre
Joey Smith
Pat Walsh
Roger Pearson**

MEMBERS NOT PRESENT:

GUESTS OF THE MEETING:

Caren Giles	ERMC
Amanda Poe, CCR	Bushman Court Reporting
Gary Hawkins	ERMC
Mike Kelley	ERMC
Cyril Hollingsworth	Dover Dixon Horne, PLLC (ERMC)
Emerson Russell	ERMC
Leslie Osborne	Securitas
Wayne Gibson	Securitas
Dale Zimmerman	Securitas
Jordon Brown	ASAA
Randy Perry	ABFAA
Rick Howell	ABFAA
Vivian Robinson	ERMC
Jim Andrews	ERMC

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CALL TO ORDER:

Chairman, Jack Acre, called the meeting to order at 10:01 a.m.

RECOGNITION OF THE NEWS MEDIA:

Senior Corporal Ricky Briggs, Board Administrator, confirmed notification of the news media in regard to this meeting.

MINUTES:

Chairman Jack Acre asked for a motion to accept the minutes from the last meeting held on December 13, 2006. Mike Vowell so moved. Joey Smith seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

HEARINGS:

THE ALARM COMPANY, LLC (CI 06-067) Pat Walsh recused himself from this case due to a professional relationship with the company's Registered Manager. Tom Brady, Alarm Systems Agent, testified. Debra Milam testified. Don Barnes, the Board's attorney, introduced the evidence in this case. Corporal Ricky Briggs, Board Administrator, testified.

Roger Pearson made a motion to find the company in violation and to revoke the company's license. This motion was seconded by Mike Vowell and carried with one opposed.

ERMC, LP (CI 06-074) Mr. Emerson Russell, Registered Manager, testified. Mr. Russell was represented by his attorney Cyril Hollingsworth. Vivian Robinson, Assistant Training Manager, testified. Karen Giles, Administrative Assistant, testified.

Mike Vowell made a motion to find the company guilty, assess a \$200 fine, and allow the manager's registration to remain valid. This motion was seconded by Todd Armstrong and carried unanimously.

MICHAEL KELLEY (CI 06-075) Mr. Kelley testified and admitted he was in violation of the Board's act. Todd Armstrong testified.

Todd Armstrong made a motion to revoke Mr. Kelley's training certification. This motion was seconded by Mike Vowell and carried unanimously.

Joey Smith made a motion to require all of the security officers registered under ERMC in Arkansas be re-trained within 60 days. This motion was seconded by Mike Vowell and carried unanimously.

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NEW BUSINESS:

The new exam for security officers goes into effect today.

Election of Officers:

Mike Vowell made a motion to have the Board members that currently hold officer positions to remain in their current positions. This motion was seconded by Pat Walsh and carried unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT:

Chairman, Jack Acre, asked for a motion to adjourn. Joey Smith so moved. Pat Walsh seconded the motion. The meeting adjourned at 12:37 p.m.

Chairman Jack Acre