

**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 March 8, 2006, 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 Services 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
Jack Acre
Joey Smith
Mike Vowell
Roger Pearson
Pat Walsh**

MEMBERS NOT PRESENT:

GUESTS OF THE MEETING:

Guy Hooper	ASSI Security
Richard Castleberry	ASSI Security
Dawn Frederick	Bushman Court Reporting
Randy Perry	ABFAA
Jordan Brown	ABFAA
Dave Gilbert	Guard Tronic
Tahirih Holcomb	Access Security
Shad McAllen	Titan Security
Parker Hilliard	Guardsmark
Ricky Thomas	Titan Security, Inc.
Allen Bird	
Scott Michael	Titan Security, Inc.
Derrick Anderson	Guardsmark
Curlie Richardson	Guardsmark
Bob Blankenship	Polygraph Examiner
Gerald S.	E Quip-It, LLC

CALL TO ORDER:

Chairman, Jack Acre, called the meeting to order at 10:16 a.m.

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RECOGNITION OF THE NEWS MEDIA:

Senior Corporal Ricky Briggs, 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 February 9, 2006. Pat Walsh so moved. Mike Vowell seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

HEARINGS:

ACCESS SECURITY GROUP, LLC (CI 05-009) Mrs. Tahiri Holcomb, Registered Manager, testified.

Mrs. Holcomb pled guilty. Roger Pearson made a motion to accept the guilty plea. This motion was seconded by Mike Vowell and carried unanimously. Roger Pearson made a motion to require the company to provide the Board with proof within 30 days, that it is no longer contracting monitoring services with an unlicensed company. This motion was seconded by Mike Vowell and carried unanimously.

Sr. Corporal Briggs will contact the Board's Attorney, Don Barnes, concerning American Digital. This company is not licensed in the state. The company received a cease and desist letter from the Board, according to Mrs. Holcomb, and continued to provide service within the state.

TITAN SECURITY, INC. (CI 06-004) Mr. John S. Michael, Registered Manager, testified. Mr. Michael was represented by Attorney Allen Bird. Amy Hancock, Board Investigator, testified.

Roger Pearson made a motion to find the company guilty of all counts against it (32 counts). This motion was seconded by Mike Vowell and carried unanimously.

Mike Vowell made a motion to fine the company \$1,000 per charge totaling \$32,000. Pat Walsh seconded the motion and it carried unanimously. Roger Pearson made a motion to place the company on probation for 1 year. This motion was seconded by Mike Vowell and carried unanimously.

GUY V. HOOPER (BG 01-532) Mr. Guy V. Hooper, Training Administrator, testified. Richard Castleberry, Registered Manager, testified.

Mike Vowell made a motion to approve his Manager's Registration. This motion was seconded by Roger Pearson and carried unanimously.

PARKER L. HILLIARD (BG 05-572) Mr. Hilliard testified. Curlie Richardson, with Guardsmark, LLC, testified.

Todd Armstrong made a motion to approve his application and assessed a \$250 fine against him. This motion was seconded by Roger Pearson and carried unanimously.

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DERRICK ANDERSON (BG 06-019) Mr. Anderson testified. Curlie Richardson, with Guardsmark, LLC testified.

Pat Walsh made a motion to grant his registration and assessed a \$250 fine against him. This motion was seconded by Mike Vowell and carried unanimously.

SHAD A. MCALLEN (BG 06-042) Mr. McAllen testified. Ricky Thomas, with Titan Security testified.

Roger Pearson made a motion to grant his registration and assessed a \$100 fine against him, and a \$500 fine against the company. This motion was seconded by Mike Vowell and carried unanimously.

REQUESTED BOARD APPEARANCE:

Bob Blankenship, a licensed Polygraph Examiner, requested time before the Board to address license renewals. He requested the Board's support in his petition to get a change in the law that would make polygraph licenses good for 4 years.

New Polygraph Examiner licenses would be good for 1 year and upon renewal the license would be good for 4 years. The bond would also be good for 4 years.

Todd Armstrong made a motion to support the legislative change. This motion was seconded by Pat Walsh and carried unanimously.

OLD BUSINESS:

Sr. Corporal Briggs is waiting to hear from Digital Security Monitoring, Inc. as to whether they are monitoring accounts for Access Security Group, LLC.

NEW BUSINESS:

NONE

ADJOURNMENT:

Chairman, Jack Acre, asked for a motion to adjourn. Mike Vowell so moved. Joey Smith seconded the motion. The meeting adjourned at 1:08 p.m.

Chairman Jack Acre