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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
BUREAU OF PROFESSIONAL AND OCCUPATIONAL AFFAIRS

F I N A L M I N U T E S

MEETING OF:

**STATE BOARD OF AUCTIONEER EXAMINERS  
VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE**

TIME: 10:31 a.m.

Monday, March 8, 2021

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State Board of Auctioneer Examiners  
March 8, 2021

BOARD MEMBERS:

Nevin B. Rentzel, Chairman, Professional Member  
Sherman E. Hostetter Jr., Professional Member  
Theodore Stauffer, Executive Secretary, Bureau of  
Professional and Occupational Affairs, on behalf of  
K. Kalonji Johnson, Commissioner, Bureau of  
Professional and Occupational Affairs  
Gerald A. Rader, Professional Member  
Daniel A. Trace, Secretary, Professional Member  
Heather M. Troutman, Consumer Protection Agent

BUREAU PERSONNEL:

Jason E. McMurry, Esquire, Board Counsel  
J. Karl Geschwindt, Esquire, Board Prosecution  
Liaison  
Terrie Kocher, Board Administrator  
Theodore Stauffer, Executive Secretary, Bureau of  
Professional and Occupational Affairs

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5 [Theodore Stauffer, Executive Secretary, Bureau of  
6 Professional and Occupational Affairs, noted the  
7 meeting was being recorded, and those who remained on  
8 the line were giving their consent to be recorded.]

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10 [Pursuant to Section 708(a)(5) of the Sunshine Act, at  
11 9:00 a.m. the Board entered into executive Session  
12 with Jason McMurry, Esquire, Board Counsel, for the  
13 purpose of conducting quasi-judicial deliberations and  
14 to receive legal advice on matters that are currently  
15 pending before the Board. The Board returned to open  
16 session at 10:30 a.m.]

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18 The regularly scheduled meeting of the State  
19 Board of Auctioneer Examiners was held on Monday,  
20 March 8, 2021. Nevin B. Rentzel, Chairman,  
21 Professional Member, called the meeting to order at  
22 10:31 a.m.

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24 Moment of Silence

25 [Chairman Rentzel requested a moment of silence.]

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2 Roll Call

3 [Chairman Rentzel requested roll call be taken.]

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5 Approval of minutes of the January 11, 2021 meeting

6 CHAIRMAN RENTZEL:

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You have all been given the minutes from

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our previous meeting on January 11.

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Do I hear a motion to accept those

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minutes?

11 MR. HOSTETTER:

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So moved.

13 MR. RADER:

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Second.

15 CHAIRMAN RENTZEL:

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Any discussion? All those in favor of

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accepting our minutes, give their

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consent by saying aye. Opposed?

19 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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21 Report of Board Counsel - Applications for Review

22 MR. MCMURRY:

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Item No. 2 on the agenda is the

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Application for Auctioneer License by

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Reciprocity/Endorsement by Jesse

1                   Camelleri.

2                   Pursuant to discussions in  
3                   executive session, I look for a motion  
4                   to approve the Reciprocal Licensure  
5                   Application of Jesse Camelleri.

6 MR. TRACE:

7                   I make the motion.

8 CHAIRMAN RENTZEL:

9                   Motion made by Dan. Do I hear a second?

10 MR. HOSTETTER:

11                   Second.

12 CHAIRMAN RENTZEL:

13                   Seconded by Sherman. Any discussion?

14                   If not, I ask that you give your consent  
15                   by saying aye. Opposed?

16 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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18 MR. MCMURRY:

19                   Item No. 3 on the Board's agenda is the  
20                   Application for Auctioneer License by  
21                   Reciprocity/Endorsement by Youness Bakr.

22                   I am looking for a motion based on  
23                   discussions the Board had in executive  
24                   session to conditionally approve the  
25                   Reciprocal Licensure Application for Mr.

1 Bakr subject to successful verification  
2 of the information contained in his  
3 application.

4 MR. RADER:

5 So moved.

6 CHAIRMAN RENTZEL:

7 Is there a second?

8 MR. HOSTETTER:

9 Second.

10 CHAIRMAN RENTZEL:

11 Any discussion? If not, I ask that you  
12 give your consent by saying aye.

13 Opposed?

14 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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16 Report of Board Chairman - No Report

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18 Report of Commissioner - No Report

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20 Report of Board Administrator

21 [Terrie Kocher, Board Administrator, provided an  
22 update regarding the renewal period ending on February  
23 28, 2021. She reported 66% licensee renewal for  
24 apprentice auctioneers, 85% for licensed auctioneers,  
25 80% for licensed auction companies, 65% for trading

1 assistants, and 75% for trading companies.

2 Ms. Kocher informed everyone that those wanting  
3 to renew as of March 1 will have to contact the Board  
4 office by email or phone or the ticketing system  
5 through the Pennsylvania Licensing System (PALS)  
6 website to request a reactivation form.

7 Mr. Trace questioned whether the Pennsylvania  
8 Auctioneers Association Conference May 10-13 will be  
9 virtual.

10 Ms. Kocher stated all will continue to work  
11 remotely through June.

12 Mr. Stauffer commented that everyone should  
13 continue with virtual meetings until they receive a  
14 notice to resume in-person working.

15 Mr. Hostetter requested information regarding the  
16 status of expenses for the registration and hotel.

17 Ms. Kocher will provide the paperwork for  
18 completion and proceed with submitting that for  
19 approval.]

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21 Miscellaneous

22 [Nevin B. Rentzel, Chairman, Professional Member,  
23 noted the remaining meeting dates are scheduled for  
24 May 10, July 12, September 13, and November 8.]

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1 [Nevin B. Rentzel, Chairman, Professional Member,  
2 mentioned professional members will be attending a  
3 Zoom meeting with Pearson VUE to discuss updating the  
4 Auctioneer Examination following the Board meeting.]

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6 Adjournment

7 CHAIRMAN RENTZEL:

8 I ask for a motion to adjourn?

9 MR. TRACE:

10 So moved.

11 MR. HOSTETTER:

12 Second.

13 CHAIRMAN RENTZEL:

14 Seconded by Sherman. All those in favor  
15 of adjournment, give their consent by  
16 saying aye.

17 [The motion carried unanimously.]

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19 [There being no further business, the State Board of  
20 Auctioneer Examiners Meeting adjourned at 10:42 a.m.]

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CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the foregoing summary minutes of the State Board of Auctioneer Examiners meeting, was reduced to writing by me or under my supervision, and that the minutes accurately summarize the substance of the State Board of Auctioneers meeting.



Derek Richmond,  
Minute Clerk  
Sargent's Court Reporting  
Service, Inc.

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REFERENCE INDEX

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## TIME

## AGENDA

9:00	Executive Session
10:30	Return to Open Session
10:31	Official Call to Order
10:31	Roll Call
10:33	Approval of Minutes
10:33	Report of Board Counsel
10:36	Report of Board Administrator
10:40	Miscellaneous
10:42	Adjournment

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