

BOARD MEETING
July 26, 2023

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Alfonso Avila
Case No. 2023-002643

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order approving a settlement stipulation imposing 16 hours of continuing education against Alfonso Avila’s to practice architecture. Mr. Avila affirmed at renewal that he had completed the required hours and only provided 8 hours of continuing education during the audit period.

Mark Blair
Case No. 2023-002201

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order approving a settlement stipulation imposing a fine of \$500.00 plus costs and 44 hours of continuing education against Mark Blair’s license to practice architecture. Mr. Blair affirmed at renewal that he had completed the required hours and only provided 4 hours of continuing education during the audit period.

Darguin Fortuna
Flow Design, Inc.
Case No. 2022-027967
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The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order approving a settlement stipulation imposing reprimand and a fine of \$1,000.00 plus costs against Darguin Fortuna’s license to practice architecture. Mr. Fortuna signed and sealed drawings on a residential project that an unlicensed draftsman had the contract with the client and was paid by the client.

James Gilgenbach
Case No. 2022-055857

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order approving a settlement stipulation imposing reprimand and a fine of \$1,000.00 plus costs against James Gilgenbach’s license to practice architecture. Mr. Gilgenbach signed and sealed a residential project without contracting or ever meeting with the owner.

Christopher Haywood
West Coast Drafting
Case No. 2022-028001
2022-028010

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order imposing a fine of \$3,000.00 plus costs against Christopher Haywood and West Coast Drafting. Mr. Haywood and the company are not licensed to practice architecture and contracted to provide architectural drawings for a commercial project. Further, Mr. Haywood is offering these services through a business entity without a certificate of authorization.

Jason Jensen
Case No. 2023-002188

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order approving a settlement stipulation imposing a fine of \$750.00 and 30 hours of continuing education against Jason Jensen's license to practice architecture. Mr. Jensen affirmed at renewal that he had completed the required hours and only provided 12 hours of continuing education during the audit period.

Jonathan Rae
Case No. 2023-002194

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order approving a settlement stipulation imposing a fine of \$750.00 plus costs and 32.25 hours of continuing education against Jonathan Rae's license to practice architecture. Mr. Rae affirmed at renewal that he had completed the required hours and only provided 8.75 hour of continuing education during the audit period.

Gustavo Spokoiny
Case No. 2022-039353

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order approving a settlement stipulation imposing a fine of \$8,000.00 plus costs against Gustavo Spokoiny. Mr. Spokoiny is not licensed to practice architecture and is using the licensing credentials of a Florida licensed architect without his permission Further, Mr. Spokoiny is offering architectural services on his new site.

James Yap
Case No. 2022-043823

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order approving a settlement stipulation imposing a fine of \$1,000.00 plus costs and 48 hours of continuing education against James Yap's license to practice architecture. Mr. Yap affirmed at renewal that he had completed the required hours and did not provide any hours of continuing education during the audit period.