

Department of **BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION**

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Minutes of THE FLORIDA REAL ESTATE COMMISSION January 23, 2024 Hybrid Meeting

January 23, 2024

Chair Richard Barbara called the meeting of the Florida Real Estate Commission to order at approximately 8:30 a.m., via Hybrid, on this Tuesday, the 23rd day of January 2024.

Commissioners

Chair Richard Barbara
Vice Chair Millie Kanyar
Randy Schwartz
Patricia Ketcham – excused absence
Renee Butler
Patricia Fitzgerald
Kelly Price

Board Counsel

Lawrence Harris, Senior Assistant Attorney General

Declared quorum present

Division of Real Estate

Giuvanna Corona, Executive Director Camille Royal Opal Smith Sydney Bexley Gabriel Mercardo Jose Jimenez Lorianys Ronda-Edwards Bradley DeRamos

Office of General Counsel

Al Cheneler, Chief Attorney Liamna Matos

Court Reporting Services

Magnolia Reporting Inc. (407)896-1824

Education Agenda A

Real Estate Education Courses. After discussion, the Commission:

Approved with Conditions

Lead Paint Awareness for Real Estate Pros, 2-hrs Specialty, LiveStream
The Real Estate Safety Course Technical and Tactical Advantage, 2-hrs Specialty, Classroom
The Real Estate Safety Course Technical and Tactical Advantage, 2-hrs Specialty, LiveStream
Home Inspection, 2-hrs Specialty, Classroom

Denied

Social Media with a K.I.S.S, WEBCE Inc., 3-hrs Specialty, Distance

Applicant Continued

Does It Pencil – Course I, 5-hrs Specialty, LiveStream Does It Pencil – Course I, 5-hrs Specialty, Distance Does It Pencil – Course 2, 5-hrs Specialty, LiveStream Does It Pencil – Course 2, 5-hrs Specialty, Distance

Special Agenda - Licensing

Multiple Broker Applications. After discussion, the Commission:

Approved

Jennifer Marlene Johnson Red Grouper Real Estate LLC

Summary of Applicants Agenda A

After discussion, the Commission:

Approved

Drapeau, Christopher J Gomez, Jose Miguel Mustelier, Jessica

<u>Issued a Notice of Intent to Deny</u>

Bailey, Albert Carmona, Pedro Andre

Summary of Applicants Agenda B

After discussion, the Commission:

Approved

Addington, Alan H Black, Bradley Patrick Broxson, Dusti Nicole Brunson, Corey N Catalano, Anthony M Cobas, Rodolfo Dettweiler, Benjamin Hayes, Jeremiah Jerome

Jacob, John

Kelley, Colleen Rae

Licari, Christina Lee

Martinez, Daniel Jr

Mata, Jose

Milewski, Veronica Alexandra

Miller, Simone Victoria

Motesinos, Kleber Fernando

Ojeda, Casandra

Padilla Urroz, Giovanni

Pearson, William Andrew

Reed, Richard A

Rinaldi, Thomas John

Rose, Tamasha

Sakers, Vicki Auxiliadora

Saldana, Tatiana

Shabir, Abdul Rahim

Shipley, Derek

Stewart, Robert S Jr

Thornton, Dominique

Weisheimer, Clifford Karl

Issued a Notice of Intent to Deny

Rice, Glen

Simons, Jasmine

Continued and Waived the 90-Days

Hamalak, Michael Ellis

Denicoli Dicrosta, Monica

Jerde, Thorsten

Naidoo, Natallie

York, Joseph Louis

Summary of Applicants Agenda C

After discussion, the Commission:

Denied

Khan, Bappi

Summary of Applicants Agenda D

After discussion, the Commission:

Approved

Martinez, Pedro L

Consent Agenda A

After discussion, the Commission:

Approved

Clark, Eric Christian

Cook, Regina

Harmon, Drenisha

Hurtado, Johathan Augusto

Jean Jacques, Elizabeth

Kirby, Karen

Knight, Tammy Lynn

Nayton, Darian

Onofre, Andrea

Rasch, Helmunth Axel

Ricaud, Camille Marie

Rodriguez, Jorge Abraham

Starling-Johnson, Shanita

Did not approve and will be placed on the next Summary of Applicants Agenda

Alanis, Alexsandra

Arrendondo Pedreira, Gleimy

Barnette, George Bartram

Carlson, Jonathan

Evans, Dawn Marie

Glore, Leon

Leffel, Beth Rachel

Morris, Joseph

Padgett, Christopher Bryan

Rivera, Kathryn M

Sawaya, Alan Charles

Consent Agenda B

After discussion, the Commission:

Approved

Powell, Colibranna

Did not approve and will be placed on the next Summary of Applicants Agenda

Breedlove, Tricia Wemmis

Sciascia, John

Soto, Hector

Stewart, Annick K

Executive Director's Comments

Executive Director Corona thanked the Commission and Division staff for a great meeting.

Chair's Comments

Chair Barbara thanked the Commission and Division staff for a great and efficient meeting.

Public Comments

The Commission did not receive public comment.

Recess

There being no other business, the Chair recessed the meeting at approximately 12:20 p.m.

ATTEST:

Richard Barbara, Chair

Forida Real Estate Commission

Giuvanna Corona, Executive Director

Florida Real Estate Commission

Minutes of THE FLORIDA REAL ESTATE COMMISSION January 24, 2024 Hybrid Meeting

January 24, 2024

Chair Richard Barbara called the meeting of the Florida Real Estate Commission to order at approximately 8:30 a.m., via Hybrid, on this Wednesday, 24th day of January, 2024.

Commissioners

Chair Richard Barbara
Vice Chair Millie Kanyar
Randy Schwartz
Patricia Ketcham – excused absence
Renee Butler
Patricia Fitzgerald
Kelly Price

Board Counsel

Lawrence Harris, Senior Assistant Attorney General

• Declared quorum present

Division of Real Estate

Giuvanna Corona, Executive Director Camille Royal Opal Smith Sydney Bexley Gabriel Mercado Jose Jimenez

Office of General Counsel

Al Cheneler, Chief Attorney
James Fortunas, Deputy Chief Attorney
Mackenzie Medich, Deputy Chief Attorney
Gene Aldridge
Melissa Buza
William Childers
Dan David
Heather Page
Lia Matos
Megan Ambrose
Elizabeth Paniello

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Escrow Disbursement Orders

After discussion, the Commission:

Case No. 2023059642, Seller

Case No. 2023063549, Buyer

Case No. 2023065034, Interpleader

Recovery Fund Claims

After discussion, the Commission:

Case No. 2021029107, Granted

Case No. 2020027240, Denied

Legal Appearance Docket

LeBlanc, Alphonso William, SL3381829, Case No. 2023032668

- The Respondent was present and was represented by counsel, Ricky Strong Esq., present.
- Chair Barbara served on probable cause and was recused.
- After discussion, the Commission imposed the following sanctions: probation for 90 days; public reprimand; investigative costs of \$330.00; administrative fine of \$250.00.
- Violation(s): 475.25(1)(e) v 455.227(1)(t).

Van Doornik, Luciene Marcia, SL3518239, Case No. 2023052422

- The Respondent was present and was not represented by counsel.
- Commissioner Schwartz served on probable cause and was recused.
- After discussion, the Commission imposed the following sanctions: Revocation stayed for 90 days upon receiving the 63 hour certificate suspension for 90 days investigative costs of \$132.00; administrative fine of \$250.00.
- **Violation(s):** 475.25(1)(m).

Velez Corales, Belky, SL3485717, Case No. 2023029232

- The Respondent was not present and was not represented by counsel, Curtis Fallgatter Esq., not present.
- Chair Barbara served on probable cause and was recused.
- After discussion, the Commission imposed the following sanctions: revocation; investigative costs of \$330.00; administrative fine of \$3,000.00.
- **Violation(s):** 475.25(1)(e) v 455.227(1)(t), 475.25(1)(f), 475.25(1)(p).

White Pelican Realty Inc, CQ1051750, Case No. 2023035300

- The Respondent was not present and was not represented by counsel.
- Chair Barbara served on probable cause and was recused.
- After discussion, the Commission ACCEPTED the Voluntary Relinquishment of License for Permanet Revocation.

White Pelican Realty Inc, CQ1051750, Case No. 2023054250

- The Respondent was not present and was not represented by counsel.
- Probable Cause and was waived.
- After discussion, the Commission ACCEPTED the Voluntary Relinquishment of License for Permanet Revocation.

White Pelican Realty Inc, CQ1051750, Case No. 2023034094

- The Respondent was not present and was not represented by counsel.
- Chair Barbara served on probable cause and was recused.
- After discussion, the Commission ACCEPTED the Voluntary Relinquishment of License for Permanet Revocation.

White Pelican Realty Inc, CQ1051750, Case No. 2023036632

- The Respondent was not present and was not represented by counsel.
- Probable Cause and was waived.
- After discussion, the Commission ACCEPTED the Voluntary Relinquishment of License for Permanet Revocation.

Zaw, Alexander, SL3513193, Case No. 2023033914

- The Respondent was not present and was not represented by counsel.
- Chair Barbara served on probable cause and was recused.
- After discussion, the Commission ACCEPTED the Voluntary Relinquishment of License for Permanet Revocation.

Bustillo, Daniel, SL3441977, Case No. 2023017316

- The Respondent was present and was not represented by counsel.
- Vice-Chair Kanyar served on probable cause and was recused.

- After discussion, the Commission imposed the following sanctions: Suspension for 30 days; investigative costs of \$796.95; administrative fine of \$2,000.00; 3 Hour Core Law.
- **Violation(s):** 475.25(1)(e) v 455.227(1)(o).

Cruz, Henry, SL3299057, Case No. 2023014898

- The Respondent was not present and was not represented by counsel.
- Commissioner Price served on probable cause and was recused.
- After discussion, the Commission imposed the following sanctions: Suspension for 30 days; investigative costs of \$165.00; administrative fine of \$1,000.00.
- Violation(s): 475.25(1)(e).

Lane, Leah Elaine, SL3482506, Case No. 2023014818

- The Respondent was present and was not represented by counsel.
- Commissioner Price served on probable cause and was recused.
- After discussion, the Commission ACCEPTED the Voluntary Relinquishment of License for Permanent Revocation.
- **Violation(s):** 475.25(1)(e).

Mahan, Rebecca Marie, BK680769, Case No. 2023014893

- The Respondent was not present and was not represented by counsel.
- Commissioner Price served on probable cause and was recused.
- After discussion, the Commission imposed the following sanctions: **Suspension for 30** days; investigative costs of \$165.00; administrative fine of \$1,000.00.
- Violation(s): 475.25(1)(e).

Ouedraogo, Moctar, SL3505521, Case No. 2023016488

- The Respondent was not present and was not represented by counsel.
- Commissioner Ketcham served on probable cause and was recused.
- After discussion, the Commission imposed the following sanctions: revocation; investigative costs of \$105.60; administrative fine of \$250.00.
- **Violation(s):** 475.25(1)(m).

Skoczek, Douglas Edward, SL3248267, Case No. 2023022910

- The Respondent was not present and was not represented by counsel.
- Vice-Chair Kanyar served on probable cause and was recused.
- After discussion, the Commission imposed the following sanctions: revocation; investigative costs of \$140.50; administrative fine of \$3,000.00.
- **Violation(s):** 475.25(1)(e) v. 455.227(1)(t), 475.25(1)(f), 475.25(1)(p).

Sookraj, Demetri, SL3475125, Case No. 2023023294

- The Respondent was present and was not represented by counsel.
- Commissioner Butler served on probable cause and was recused.
- After discussion, the Commission imposed the following sanctions: probation for 12 months; public reprimand; investigative costs of \$280.50; administrative fine of \$500.00.
- Violation(s): 475.25(1)(f), 475.25(1)(p).

Meeting Minutes

The October 2023 and December 2023 Meeting Minutes were accepted.

Reports

The December 2023 reports were presented to the Commission:

- Division
- Legal
- Rules

Executive Director Comments

Executive Director Corona announced former Deputy Director of Real Estate Thomas Campbell accepted the position as the Director of Profession with the Department of Business and Professional Regulation. Executive Director Corona expressed her gratitude to the Commission for their continued service to serve and protect the public and educate Real Estate licensees.

Chair's Comments

Chair Barbara proposed traveling to South Florida during his tenure as Chair to broaden the presence of the Florida Real Estate Commission state-wide. He applauded Regulatory Consultant, Camille Royal and Regulatory Specialist III, Opal Smith for an amazing job during this month's meeting and thanked the Division for their continued efforts each meeting.

Public Comments

The Commission received public comment from Denise Johnson and Marsha Taeback.

Adjournment

There being no other business, the Chair adjourned the meeting at approximately 11:21 a.m. The next general meeting is scheduled for February 20, 2024. Please visit Real Estate

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Richard Barbara, Chair

Florida Real Estate Commission

Giuvanna Corona, Executive Director Florida Real Estate Commission