

STRUCTURAL PEST CONTROL COMMISSION

January 28, 2010

Veterans' Memorial Auditorium

5825 Florida Blvd.

Baton Rouge, LA 9:00 am

Minutes

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Bass at 9:09 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Members present: Fred Bass, Todd Parker, Dr. David Boethel and Bob Kunst. Member absent: Dan Foster

Other present: Larry LeJeune, David Fields, Tyrone Dudley, Marvin Montgomery, LDAF General Counsel, Mary Anderson, and Lindsey Hunter, Assistant Attorney General and Lisa Hall.

AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA

Mr. Fields would like to move the Contract Review Committee report to the last item of New Business, after the LPMA report.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion: Mr. Parker made a motion to approve the proceedings of the October 8, 2009 meeting. This motion was seconded by Dr. Boethel and passed unanimously.

TRAVEL EXPENSES

Mr. Bass asked that all travel expenses be turned into Ms. Anderson.

CITIZEN COMMENTS

None

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Dow AgroSciences – Jim Baxter, Dr. Joe Demark, Nicky Hebert
Mr. Baxter gave a presentation of the Recruit HD label.

Bait Committee Report – David Fields gave the Bait Committee report in Mr. Foster's absence. The Bait Committee recommends to the commission to approve the Recruit HD label as currently presented with provision to abide by current Rules & Regulations as written for the 65 day interval and to refer to the Rules Committee in anticipation of the change in service intervals.

Motion: Mr. Kunst made a motion to approve the Recruit HD label with provision to abide by the current Rules & Regulations. This motion was seconded by Dr. Boethel and passed unanimously.

Motion: Mr. Kunst made a motion to refer to the Rules Committee to make necessary changes in Rules & Regulations to recommend to the Commission for approval of adoption of label in time intervals whether it be 3 months or 1 year from now be made in a manner which the commission approval allow endorsement use label as labeled and not restricted to the current 65 day intervals. This motion was seconded by Dr. Boethel and passed unanimously.

LPMA – Jeff Porter

Mr. Porter reported that the Winter Convention Keynote speaker is Dr. Loren Scott. Mr. Porter also reported that the incoming LPMA President, Gary Wehlan, will be sworn in next week. Mr. Wehlan will be appointing a “Green Committee”. This committee basically will work to adopt a Green Philosophy for Pest Control in Louisiana. Mr. Porter also introduced the outgoing President, Daniel Bourgeois.

CONTRACT REVIEW COMMITTEE – Bob Kunst

Motion: Mr. Kunst made a motion that the Commission approves the Pre/New Construction Standard Contract for the Treatment of Subterranean Termites pending approval by the committee after checking changes. This motion was seconded by Mr. Parker and passed unanimously.

RULES COMMITTEE – David Fields

Mr. Fields reported that the Rules Committee meeting had been cancelled and will be rescheduled.

Mr. Bass called for a break

Mr. Bass called the meeting to order again at 10:09. All Commission members that were in attendance returned from the break.

Mr. Bass turned the meeting over to Ms. Hunter, Assistant Attorney General.

ADJUDICATORY HEARING

Robert Shannon Conn, Case No. 1397 – Mr. Conn stipulated to 1 violation and a fine of \$5000 with \$2500 suspended for a payable fine of \$2500. Mr. Fields read the stipulation.

Motion: Dr. Boethel made a motion to accept the stipulation as read. This motion was seconded by Mr. Parker and passed unanimously.

Earl L. Boulanger, Case No. 1402 – Mr. Boulanger stipulated to 2 violations and a fine of \$1000 with \$1000 of the fine suspended with the following conditions: (1) that he not violated the Louisiana Pesticide Law for a period of 1 year and (2) attend an approved Termite Training school. Mr. Fields read the stipulation.

Motion: Mr. Kunst made a motion to accept the stipulation as read. This motion was seconded by Mr. Parker and passed unanimously.

Joseph Hebert, Case No.1403 – Mr. Hebert stipulated to 2 violations and a fine of \$1000, with \$1000 suspended for a period of 1 year and with the following conditions: (1) that

he not violated the Louisiana Pesticide Law for a period of 1 year and (2) attend an approved Termite Training school. Mr. Fields read the stipulation.

Motion: Mr. Kunst made a motion to accept the stipulation as read. This motion was seconded by Mr. Parker and passed unanimously.

Charles Duhon, Case No. 1401 - Mr. Duhon stipulated to 2 violations and a fine of \$2500 with \$1500 of the fine suspended for a payable fine of \$1000 for a period of 1 year and with the following conditions: (1) that he not violate the Louisiana Pesticide Law for a period of 1 year and (2) attend an approved Termite Training school (3) Pay the fine of \$1000 in 30 days. Mr. Fields read the stipulation.

Motion: Mr. Parker made a motion to accept the stipulation as read. There was not a second on this motion. Motion failed.

Motion: Mr. Kunst made a motion not to accept the stipulation and to set the case for hearing. This motion was seconded by Dr. Boethel and passed unanimously.

Ms. Hunter turned the meeting back to Chairman Bass.

LICENSEE APPLICANTS

Tyrone Dudley presented the applications for Licensee:

Name	Phases	Approved/Disapproved
Laprairie, Adam	TC	Disapproved
Roy, Blake M.	GPC	Approved
	CVC	Approved
	TC	Approved****
Gros, Bridgette	TC	Approved
Pentney Jr., Carl H.	GPC	Approved
	CVC	Approved
	TC	Approved****
Hebert, Charlotte	GPC	Disapproved
	CVC	Disapproved
Guimbellot, Damon	GPC	Approved
	CVC	Approved
	TC	Approved
Clemons, Donald E	GPC	Approved
	CVC	Approved
	TC	Disapproved
Kaufman II, Edgar A	GPC	Approved
	CVC	Approved
Adams, Eric	GPC	Disapproved
	CVC	Disapproved
	TC	Disapproved
Dewitt, Jason	GPC	Approved

	TC	Approved
Taylor, Jimmy	GPC	Disapproved
	TC	Approved
Dunagin, Joel	TC	Approved****
Bartus, John	GPC	Disapproved
	CVC	Disapproved
	TC	Disapproved
Winn Jr., Joseph	GPC	Approved
	CVC	Approved
	TC	Approved****
Dupont, Phillip	GPC	Approved
	CVC	Approved
	TC	Approved****
Culpepper, Phillip R	GPC	Approved
	CVC	Approved
	TC	Approved****
Kent Jr., Ray R.	GPC	Approved
	CVC	Approved
	TC	Disapproved
Edwards Jr. Raymond	GPC	Disapproved
	CVC	Disapproved
Harris, Richard	GPC	Approved
	CVC	Approved
Hill, Sherman	GPC	Disapproved
	CVC	Disapproved
Powell, Cori	GPC	Disapproved

****Approved pending completion of approved comprehensive termite school.

Mr. Kunst asked that the packet of Licensee applications be mailed instead of faxed or Emailed and that a check off sheet be included in the packet.

LDAF REPORTS

Mr. Tyrone Dudley reported on the status of the electronic reporting system for the Structural monthly reports. Mr. Dudley also reported that there will be EPA Inspector training, February 1st in Stillwater, OK and that there will be 8 LDAF employees attending.

Mr. Fields reported on the NPDS – LDAF is still participating in the ongoing discussions and have a great working relationship with LDEQ. The draft should be out by April 1, 2010.

FINANCIAL REPORT AND STATUS REPORT

Mr. Fields handed out the current financial and status reports.

OTHER BUSINESS

Mr. Kunst asked for LDAF legal to give a ruling on whether the LDAF could collect a fee for the Licensees who fill out forms for non-employee Licensee Applicants to cover notary expenses.

FUTURE MEETINGS

LDAF staff recommends April 15, 2010 at 9:00 a.m.

ADJOURN

Motion: Mr. Parker made a motion to adjourn. This motion was seconded by Dr. Boethel and passed unanimously.