

AUTO COLLISION REPAIR LICENSING ADVISORY BOARD

MEETING MINUTES FOR DECEMBER 18, 2007

Members present:

David Reynolds, New Century Auto Inc
Jeanne McCarthy, DBR
Richard Berstein, DBR
Gerald Galleshaw, public member
Charles Nystedt, Metlife Auto & Home
Dennis Gamba, Cranston Collision

Others Present:

Randy Bottella, Reliable Collision Center
Jina Petrarca Karampetsos, Petrarca & Petrarca
Rep. Bruce Long
Stephen Zubiago, Nixon Peabody/PCI
Bruce Nash, Colorall
Larry Alan, Nationwide

JMC: Presented June revised minutes

DR: motion to pass amended June minutes seconded by CN unanimous

DR: motion to pass November seconded by GG unanimous

RB: Questioned the chairman on sending letter to Director with formal recommendation for on site inspection standards

CN: Requested that DR supply the Board with a copy of the letter to be sent to the Director on site standards

DR: Yes

DR: Requested status of storage regulations

RB: Stated they would be noticed sometime in January

Lengthy discussion on why the Storage Regulation public meeting that occurred in June 2007 needed to be rescheduled. That the problem was of a technical nature and that the new meeting would rectify the problem and that anyone who testified would be allowed to testify again.

DR: Will submit letter to Board on certification of technicians – also question the proposal for glass certification the Board will review glass proposals next meeting

Rbot: Made note that all of the Insurance concerns were addressed and there were some auto body issues that were not resolved.

LA: Stated he met with Beth Dwyer on the changes to 43 and they mirror the changes with some minor changes of “ands” and “ors”

SZ: Submitted a letter that included an overview of the Colorall’s position.

JMC: Questioned were the letters were from the 6 communities listed on the letter that were agreeing to allow Colorall to work within their borders. SZ stated there is no written confirmation that the lack of response was being interpreted as acceptance.

DG: Questioned if SZ was stating that he is not required to produce proof.

SZ: Claimed he didn’t need proof and that he produced all that he felt was required

DR: Itemized all the changes that were made from the initial presentation to this advisory board meeting. The tent and other items were presented and then changed at a later time, the only written explanation of what Colorall intended to do was dismissed as not representative of their actual business by Mr. Nash.

Adjourn: 12pm