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# CONTRACTORS LICENSE BOARD DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Contractors' Licenses of	)	CLB 2006-278-L	7	2009	AMO
BOSKOFF CONSTRUCTION, INC., and	)	SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT P			67. 17.00 17.00
KENNETH G. BOSKOFF, RME,		FILING OF PETITION FOR DISC ACTION AND BOARD'S FINAL			当場
Respondents.	)		<i>(</i> \dagger		
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## SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT PRIOR TO FILING OF PETITION FOR DISCIPLINARY ACTION AND BOARD'S FINAL ORDER

Petitioner, DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS'

REGULATED INDUSTRIES COMPLAINTS OFFICE (hereinafter "RICO" or "Petitioner"),
through its undersigned attorney, and Respondents BOSKOFF CONSTRUCTION, INC., and
KENNETH G. BOSKOFF, RME (collectively, "Respondents"), enter into this Settlement
Agreement on the terms and conditions set forth below.

### A. <u>UNCONTESTED FACTS</u>:

1. At all relevant times herein, Respondent Boskoff Construction, Inc. ("BCI") was licensed by the Contractors License Board (hereinafter the "Board") as a B general building

contractor under License Number BC 24565. The license was issued on or about August 19, 2003. The license was forfeited on or about June 2, 2006.

- 2. At all relevant times herein, Respondent Kenneth G. Boskoff ("Boskoff") was licensed by the Board as a B general building contractor under License Number BC 9771. The license was issued on or about August 19, 2003. The license was forfeited on or about September 30, 2006.
  - 3. Respondents' mailing address for purposes of this action is
- 4. On or about May 18, 2006, RICO received a complaint alleging that Respondent BCI defaulted on its installment plan agreement with the State of Hawaii Department of Taxation.
- 5. The foregoing allegations, if proven at an administrative hearing before the Board, would constitute violations of the following statute(s) and/or rule(s): Hawaii Revised Statutes ("HRS") § 444-17(21) (failure to comply with terms of a conditional payment plan with the department of taxation) and Hawaii Administrative Rules ("HAR") §§ 16-77-71 and 16-77-75 (RME responsible for acts and omissions of contracting entity).
- 6. The Board has jurisdiction over the subject matter herein and over the parties hereto.

#### B. REPRESENTATIONS BY RESPONDENT:

1. Respondents are fully aware that Respondents have the right to be represented by an attorney and voluntarily waive that right.

- Respondents enter into this Settlement Agreement freely, knowingly, voluntarily,
   and under no coercion or duress.
- 3. Respondents are aware of the right to have a hearing to adjudicate the issues in the case. Pursuant to HRS § 91-9(d), Respondents freely, knowingly, and voluntarily waive the right to a hearing and agree to dispose of this case in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Settlement Agreement.
- 4. Respondents being at all times relevant herein licensed as contractors by the Board acknowledges that Respondents are subject to penalties including but not limited to, revocation, suspension or limitation of the license and administrative fines, if the foregoing allegations are proven at hearing.
- Respondents do not admit to violating any law or rule, but acknowledges that
   RICO has sufficient cause to file a Petition for Disciplinary Action against Respondents'
   licenses.
- 6. Respondents enter into this Settlement Agreement as a compromise of the claims and to conserve on the expenses of proceeding with an administrative hearing on this matter.
- Respondents agree that this Settlement Agreement is intended to resolve the issues raised in RICO's investigation in RICO Case No. CLB 2006-278-L.

#### C. TERMS OF SETTLEMENT:

 Voluntary Surrender of License. Respondents agree to the voluntary surrender of Respondents' licenses.

The surrender shall become effective immediately upon the approval of this Settlement Agreement by the Board. Respondents shall turn in all indicia of the license to the Executive

Officer of the Board within ten (10) days after receipt of notice that this Settlement Agreement has been approved.

Respondents understand that Respondents cannot apply for a new license until the expiration of at least five (5) years from the effective date of the surrender of the license.

Respondents understand that if Respondents desire to become licensed again, Respondents must apply to the Board for a new license, pursuant to and subject to all applicable laws and rules in effect at the time.

- 2. Failure to Comply with Settlement Agreement. If Respondents fails to fully and timely comply with the terms of this Settlement Agreement as set forth in paragraph C.1 above, Respondents' licenses shall be automatically revoked upon RICO's filing of an affidavit with the Board attesting to such failure. In case of such revocation, Respondents shall turn in all indicia of the license to the Executive Officer of the Board within ten (10) days after receipt of notice of the revocation. In case of such revocation, Respondents understand Respondents cannot apply for a new license until the expiration of at least five (5) years after the effective date of the revocation. Respondents understand that if Respondents desire to become licensed again, Respondents must apply to the Board for a new license pursuant to and subject to HRS §§ 92-17, 436B-21, and all other applicable laws and rules in effect at the time.
- 3. <u>Possible further sanction</u>. The Board, at its discretion, may pursue additional disciplinary action as provided by law to include further fines and other sanctions as the Board may deem appropriate if Respondents violate any provision of the statutes or rules governing the conduct of contractors in the State of Hawaii, or if Respondents fail to abide by the terms of this Settlement Agreement.

- 4. <u>Approval of the Board</u>. Respondents agree that, except for the representations, agreements and covenants contained in Paragraphs C.5, C.6, C.7 and C.8 below, this Settlement Agreement shall not be binding on any of the parties unless and until it is approved by the Board.
- 5. No Objection if Board Fails to Approve. If the Board does not approve this

  Settlement Agreement, does not issue an order pursuant thereto, or does not approve a lesser remedy, but instead an administrative hearing is conducted against Respondents in the Board's usual and customary fashion pursuant to the Administrative cedure Act, Respondents agree that neither Respondents nor any attorney that Respondents may retain, will raise as an objection in any administrative proceeding or in any judicial action, to the Board's proceeding against Respondents on the basis that the Board has become disqualified to consider the case because of its review and consideration of this Settlement Agreement.
- 6. Any Ambiguities Shall be Construed to petect the Consuming Public. It is agreed that any ambiguity in this Settlement Agreement is to be read in the manner that most completely protects the interests of the consuming public.
- 7. No Reliance on Representations by RICO. Other than the matters specifically stated in this Settlement Agreement, neither RICO nor anyone acting on its behalf has made any representation of fact, opinion or promise to Respondents to induce entry into this Settlement Agreement, and Respondents are not relying upon any statement, representation or opinion or promise made by RICO or any of its agents, employees, representatives or attorneys concerning the nature, extent or duration of exposure to legal liability arising from the subject matter of this Settlement Agreement or concerning any other matter.

8. <u>Complete Agreement</u>. This Settlement Agreement is a complete settlement of the rights, responsibilities and liabilities of the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter hereof; contains the entire agreement of the parties; and may only be modified, changed or amended by written instrument duly executed by all parties hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have signed this Settlement Agreement on the date(s) set forth below.

DATED: PROSECUT AZ 3/26/00

KENNETH G. BOSKOFF Respondent

DATED: PRESETT, AZ , 3/96/09

BOSKOFF CONSTRUCTION, INC.

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Respondent

DATED: Honolulu, Hawaii, APR - 1 2009

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APPROVED AND SO ORDERED:

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CONTRACTORS LICENSE BOARD STATE OF HAWAII APR 1 7 2009 DATE Chairperson GUY M. AKASAKI F. M. SCOTTY ANDERSON Vice Chairperson WILLIAM-R. BROWN **NEAL ARITA** JOSEPH S. KINDRICH, II RSON RONALD K. OSHIRO DENNY R. SADOWSKI DARYL SUEHIRO GERALD YAMADA

STATE OF ARIZONA	)		
COUNTY OF YAVAPAI	) SS. )		
On this 200 day of MARCH	, 200_9, before me personally appeared		
KENNETH G BOSKOFF, to me known	n to be the person described and who executed the		
foregoing instrument and acknowledged the sa	ame as his/her free act and deed. This 9-page		
SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT PRIOR TO F	ILING OF PETITION FOR DISCIPLINARY		
ACTION AND BOARD'S FINAL ORDER, d	lated, 2009 was		
acknowledged before me by KENNETH	6. BOSKOFF, this 26 day of		
MARCU , 2009,	in the City of <u>PRESCOTT</u> ,		
State of ARIZONA.			
	Name: CINDY R. NELSON Notary Public - State of ARIZONA		

My commission expires: Jamany 2,2010