



KENTUCKY BOARD OF AUCTIONEERS
Meeting Minutes
August 12, 2020
Video Conference Meeting
Motions denoted by *

Chairman Cliff-Ed Irvin called the meeting of the Kentucky Board of Auctioneers to order at 9:02 A.M. E.T.

PRESENT

Chair Cliff-Ed Irvin, Board members Paul Playforth, Danny Ford, Greg Johnson, Clarence Yancey, Executive Director Robert Astorino, General Counsel John Hardesty, Investigator Scott Moseley, Administrative Coordinator Lavonne Bowling.

- Newly appointed board members Gregory K Johnson and Clarence A Yancey were sworn in by Chair Cliff-Ed Irvin.
- Gregory Johnson and Scott Moseley provided background and previous work experience.
- *Danny Ford was nominated to Vice-Chair on a motion by Paul Playforth seconded by Greg Johnson with a unanimous vote.
- Chair, Cliff-Ed Irvin appointed Gregory Johnson to the CRC to serve along with Paul Playforth.
- Director Astorino welcomed the new members, shared the probability of meetings continuing remotely through the remainder of the year.

MINUTES

- *The minutes of June 10, 2020 were reviewed and unanimously approved on a motion from Danny Ford seconded by Greg Johnson, all in favor.

NEW BUSINESS/OLD BUSINESS/MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS

- The June exam report was presented, all six applicants passed. The August testing dates are scheduled for 20th and 27th
- As of July 9th, the licensee base totaled 1875, only 696 licenses have been renewed.
- The issue of obtaining in-person continuing education and the current issues requiring distancing for live classes was discussed.
- General Counsel Hardesty offered options provided in SB150 which allows for extending or waiving education required for license renewal this year. The board weighed options for education.

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- *On a motion from Gregory Johnson seconded by Danny Ford, the 2020 renewal period is extended to October 30, 2020. The continuing education requirements for 2020 will be waived. Licensees who were required to, and did not complete the auction core course for 2020, must complete that along with the current year education requirement for the 2021 renewal period.
- The request to offer online education from Missouri Auction school is approved.
- *On a motion from Danny Ford seconded by Paul Playforth, Greg Franklin's license is escrowed. He must follow statute to reactivate his license.
- *On a motion from Danny Ford seconded by Paul Playforth, the request from Lee Leslie to waive the apprenticeship is tabled pending additional information required from the applicant.
- General Counsel Hardesty and Investigator Moseley reported on the progress of the KREA Facebook page as it pertains to monitoring the unlicensed online auction activity.
- Investigator Moseley reported on the progress of current investigations and the Cease and Desist letters.
- The complaint docket will be updated and included in the September meeting materials.

LEGAL COMPLAINTS

- No closed session.

ADJOURNMENT

- *The meeting adjourned at 10:38 A.M. E.T.

Approved by:

KBA Chairman, Cliff-Ed Irvin

Date