BEFORE THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS

Case #2008-23, in the matter of Steve Beadle:

COMPLAINT

The Arkansas Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors (hereinafter "the Board") received a complaint on June 19, 2008, charging Steven H. Beadle (AR-PS #819, hereinafter "Beadle") with gross negligence in the practice of surveying, and collusion with another registrant to cover his error.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Beadle is a Professional Surveyor in Arkansas, and the Board has jurisdiction over the subject matter of this complaint.
- 2. Beadle was retained to survey a property adjoining the family property of Herb Brill, who brought the complaint.
 - 3. Beadle's survey found an encroachment (fence line) by the Complainant's property.
- 4. The Complainant brought a civil action to enforce his possession line, and the civil court ruled against the Complainant.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Upon review of the evidence in its possession, the Board finds the allegation of gross negligence in the practice of surveying to have been decided by the civil court, and therefore outside the jurisdiction of the Board. The allegation of collusion to cover the error is therefore also moot.

ORDER

Based on these findings, the complaint against Beadle is dismissed without further action by the Board.

SO ORDERED this 12th day of November, 2008

William E. Ruck, President

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Steve W. Haralson, Executive Director of the Arkansas State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors, do hereby certify that I have served the foregoing order by mailing a copy of same, by first class mail, on this 14th day of November, 2008, to:

Mr. Steven H. Beadle, PS Steven Beadle Surveying Co, Inc 312 W Justice Rd Cabot, AR 72023-9055

Steve W. Haralson Executive Director