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

IN THE MATTER OF ED BUZBEE:

DISCIPLINARY HEARING

On November 13, 2007, the Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors (hereinafter "the Board") held a formal hearing to consider the above-referenced matter. Finding proper notice had been given the Respondent, the Board, from all evidence presented, makes the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Order:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The Respondent is not now nor has he ever been a registered Professional Surveyor in the State of Arkansas.

2. On or about June 4, 2007, Ethel Neely engaged the Respondent to survey her aunt's land, provided a copy of an earlier survey plat, and thereafter paid the Respondent $250 dollars in advance of the work.

3. The Respondent traveled to the site, located the corners and made certain field measurements. He subsequently drafted a scaled drawing of his findings and presented it to Ethel Neely.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

These actions by the Respondent constitute one violation of Arkansas Code Annotated §17-48-201. (Practicing or offering to practice surveying without being a registrant of the Board)
ORDER

Based on these findings, it is ordered that Respondent pay a $400 civil penalty for the violation to the Board.

SO ORDERED this 14th day of December, 2007

[Signature]

William F. Fletcher, President

This Order may be appealed within thirty (30) days of service upon the Respondent, as specified in the Arkansas Administrative Procedures Act, Arkansas Code Annotated §25-15-201, et seq.

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 a copy of the foregoing order by mailing copies of the same, by both first class mail and certified mail, with return receipt requested and postage prepaid, on this 16th day of December, 2007, to:

Mr. Ed Buzbee
6484 Heber Springs Road North
Drasco, AR 72530-6400

[Signature]

Mr. Steve W. Haralson
Executive Director