# BEFORE THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF LICENSURE FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND PROFESSIONAL SURVEYORS

Complainant:	)	
Arkansas State Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Professional Surveyors	) ) ) Case #2013-10	REC'D OCT 1 6 2013
Respondent:	)	
Calvin T. Brannon, PE C.T. Brannon Corporation P.O. Box 7487 Tyler, TX 75711-7487	) ) ) ) )	

# **CONSENT AGREEMENT AND ORDER**

The Arkansas Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Professional Surveyors (hereinafter "the Board") and the C.T. Brannon Corporation (hereinafter "Respondent") agree as follows in full settlement of the following charges in this matter.

#### **FINDINGS OF FACT**

- The Respondent did not, at any time relevant to this complaint, hold a valid
   Certificate of Authorization to provide or offer to provide engineering services in Arkansas.
- 2. On January 17, 2013, Calvin Terrell Brannon, of the C.T. Brannon Corporation, self-reported that his firm was out of compliance with the Certificate of Authorization requirements of the Rules of the Board.

- 3. In his letter, Brannon admitted that his firm had provided engineering services for at least one project in Arkansas, and also indicated that he would obtain a Certificate of Authorization when he was able to become licensed himself, and that he had immediately applied for Professional Engineer licensure by comity. RECD OCT 1 6 2013
  - 4. Brannon's comity application was received on January 14, 2013.
- 5. The Board reviewed Brannon's application on March 12, 2013, and issued him a Professional Engineer license. The C.T. Brannon Corporation was subsequently issued AR-COA #2550.

#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

The conduct of the Respondent, as set forth above in the Findings of Fact, constitutes one count of providing or offering to provide engineering services in Arkansas without a valid Certificate of Authorization, in violation of Arkansas Code Annotated §17-30-303.

## CONSENT AGREEMENT

In the interest of a prompt and speedy settlement, consistent with the public interest and the responsibilities of the Board, the undersigned parties enter into this Consent Agreement as a final disposition of these matters presently before the Board.

1. The Respondent has been advised by legal counsel and has chosen to proceed, with the understanding that the facts and conduct described above in the Findings of Fact are admitted.

- 2. In lieu of a formal hearing, the Respondent agrees to the following Order and waives all rights to a hearing, appeal or judicial review relating to the Order.
- 3. The Respondent understands that all investigative materials prepared or received by the Board concerning these allegations and all notices and pleadings relating thereto may be retained in the Board's file concerning this matter.

**REC'D OCT 1 6 2013** 

### **ORDER**

For the violations described in the Conclusions of Law above, the Respondent shall pay to the Board a civil penalty in the amount of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000). This civil penalty shall be paid to the Board within fifty (50) days of service of this Order upon the Respondent.

**AGREED TO BY:** 

Calvin T. Brannon, representing the C.T. Brannon Corporation

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

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My commission expires:

7-12-2017

AGREED TO AND ORDERED BY:

Steve Haralson, Executive Director

Arkansas Board of Licensure for Professional

**Engineers and Professional Surveyors** 

## **Certificate of Service**

I, James Atchley, investigator of the Arkansas Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Professional Surveyors, do hereby swear and affirm that a true and correct copy of the attached was sent by U.S. Mail to the following address with proper postage affixed on this 13<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2013, to:.

Mr. Calvin T. Brannon, PE C. T. Brannon Corporation P.O. Box 7487 Tyler, TX 75711-7487

James Atchley, Board Investigator
Arkansas Board of Licensure for Professional
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