

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

Case # 2008-28, in the matter of Jimmy D. Ramey, Jr:

DISCIPLINARY HEARING

On March 19, 2009, 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, after considering all evidence presented, issues the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Order:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The Respondent has held Professional Engineering registration in Arkansas, but that registration lapsed on December 31, 2006, and has not been renewed.
2. The Respondent performed a structural evaluation of a residence on September 2, 2008. During the investigation, the Respondent supplied a business card to the owner of the residence, identifying the Respondent as "JIM D. RAMEY, JR., P.E."
3. On September 3, 2008, the Respondent's firm, Gore Engineering Associates, Inc, issued a report of the structural evaluation referenced in Item 2. On page 3 of the text of the report, the Respondent's investigation is referenced, and the investigator is identified as "Jim D. Ramey, P.E."

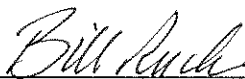
CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

These actions by the Respondent constitute two violations of Arkansas Code Annotated §17-30-102(b) [practicing or offering to practice engineering without registration by the Board].

ORDER

Based on these Findings and Conclusions, it is ordered that Respondent pay to the Board a civil penalty of \$25 for each violation, for a total penalty of \$50, payable within 50 days of the service of this Order.

SO ORDERED this 19th day of March, 2009.



Bill Ruck, President

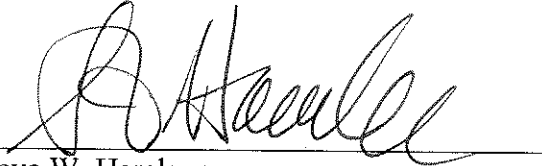
APPEALS

This Order may be appealed within thirty (30) days of service upon the Respondent, as specified in the Arkansas Administrative Procedures Act, according to the provisions of Arkansas Code Annotated §25-15-212.

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 same, by first class mail and certified mail, with return receipt requested and postage prepaid, on this 24th day of April, 2009, to:

Mr. Jimmie D. Ramey, Jr
PO Box 8548
Fayetteville, AR 72703-0010

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "S. Haralson", written over a horizontal line.

Steve W. Haralson
Executive Director