

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

**IN THE MATTER OF STEVEN H. BEADLE, PLS # 819**

**FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW AND ORDER**

On October 19, 2004, the Arkansas Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors (hereinafter "the Board") held a hearing on the Order and Notice of Hearing charging Steven H. Beadle, PLS # 819 (hereinafter "Respondent") with failing to comply with the provisions of the laws governing the practice of professional surveying in the state of Arkansas, A.C.A. §17-48-101 et seq., and the Arkansas Minimum Standards for Property Boundary Surveys and Plats Standards of Practice No. 1, Revised March 14, 1996. The Respondent appeared in person after receiving proper service of the Order and Notice of Hearing and acknowledged waiving his right to counsel. After consideration of all evidence and testimony presented at the hearing, the Board makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law:

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These Orders are based upon the following findings of facts:

1. The Board has the power to take disciplinary action against a licensee who fails or refuses to comply with any laws relating to any rules or regulations of the Board. A.C.A. §17-48-101 et seq.
2. Respondent is a licensed surveyor under this Board.
3. In May of 2004, Respondent contracted to complete a survey on the property of Harold and Kimberly Alvis located in Pulaski County, Arkansas. Said

survey was issued and generally contains the following deficiencies and corresponding violations of the Arkansas Minimum Standards for Property Boundary Surveys and Plats Standards of Practice No. 1, Revised March 14, 1996 (“Minimum Standards”):

<u>Alleged Deficiency</u>	<u>Violates Standard #</u>
no ties to control	3.3 (A) (2)
no record title lines	3.3 (A) (3)
no description of monuments found	3.3 (A) (4)
no legend	3.3 (A) (10)
no distribution of plats to state surveyor’s office within 30 days	3.3 (C) (2)

8. Respondent’s failure to perform the work in accordance with the Minimum Standards constituted violations of Ark. Code Ann. §17-48-102(b)(1) through (3) and under this law the Board is authorized to prescribe appropriate discipline or penalties in this matter.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that respondent shall pay a civil penalty of \$100 for each of the first four violations found and a civil penalty of \$25 for the failure to file plats with the office of the State Surveyor within 30 days, for a total of Four Hundred Twenty-five dollars to be paid to the Board within ninety (90) days from the date of issuance of this Order.

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



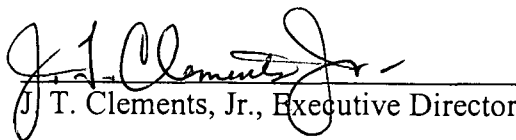
Ken Cotter, President  
Arkansas Board of Registration for Professional  
Engineers and Land Surveyors

Date 10/22/04

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, J. T. Clements, Jr., 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 a copy of same, by certified mail, with return receipt requested and postage prepaid, on this 28th day of October, 2004 to:

Steven H. Beadle, PLS # 819  
312 West Justice Road  
Cabot, AR 72023-9055



J. T. Clements, Jr., Executive Director