

FEBRUARY 26, 2025 HEARINGS

SETTLEMENT AGREEMENTS

56555 LEE LE \$12,000 reduced to \$500 if there are no further violations for 5 years and pay any judgment
31010 BOSTON CONCRETE, INC. \$12,400 reduced to \$400 if no further violations for 3 years, pay any judgment, pay this penalty as agreed
56454 E & S SERVICES LLC \$4,800.00 reduced to \$300.00 if no further vilations for 3 years, pay this penalty as agreed
56171 A RAMIREZ REMODELING LLC \$16,000.00 reduced to \$400.00 if no further violations for 3 years, pay any judgment, pay this penalty as agreed
43671 COUSINS CUSTOM WOODWORKS \$6,000 reduced to \$150 if pay any judgment obtained by the homeowner

**BEFORE THE CONTRACTORS LICENSING BOARD
STATE OF ARKANSAS**

IN RE:

**MICHAEL WALLACE, D/B/A ABSOLUTE PAINT
BRYANT, AR**

APPELLANT

ORDER

A hearing on the above captioned matter was held before the Arkansas Contractors Licensing Board on February 28, 2025, at the Board's offices at 4100 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

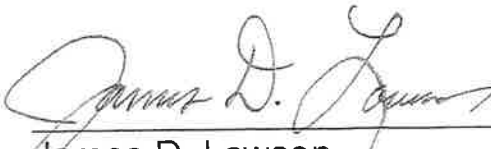
Appellant, MICHAEL WALLACE, D/B/A ABSOLUTE PAINT, did appear and was represented by attorney Harrison Kemp. The Board was represented by Jonathan Hutto, Attorney. Dewey Watson served as Hearing Officer. From a review of the transcript and considering the arguments of the parties, Board finds as follows:

1. MICHAEL WALLACE, D/B/A ABSOLUTE PAINT was charged with acting as a residential contractor without a contractor's license, Ark. Code Ann. §17-25-05.
2. The Arkansas Residential Contractors Committee held a hearing on August 21, 2024, concerning the alleged violation of MICHAEL WALLACE, D/B/A ABSOLUTE PAINT.
3. The Committee found MICHAEL WALLACE, D/B/A ABSOLUTE PAINT in violation of §17-25-505, as amended and assessed a civil penalty of \$6,000 and issued a cease and desist.
4. MICHAEL WALLACE, D/B/A ABSOLUTE PAINT timely appealed the decision of the Residential Committee to the Arkansas Contractors Licensing Board.
5. Upon review of the record, the Board finds that there was substantial evidence to support the finding of a violation but modified the penalty to \$6,000 but suspended that penalty if the contractor obtained a license within 60 days.

WHEREFORE, by a unanimous vote the Board does affirm the finding of a violation and modifies the decision of the Residential Committee to \$6,000 suspended if the contractor obtains a license within 60 days. MICHAEL WALLACE, D/B/A ABSOLUTE PAINT is ordered to pay to the Residential Contractors Committee the cost of the transcript, \$154.65. You have the right to appeal this decision pursuant to the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. 17-25-409.

DONE AND SO ORDERED this 28th day of February, 2025.

CONTRACTORS LICENSING BOARD



James D. Lawson
Administrator

**BEFORE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE
STATE OF ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

PETITIONER

vs.

ID # 54192

**CLAY LEWALLEN, D/B/A CJ'S REMODELING
RUSSELLVILLE, AR**

RESPONDENT

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

A hearing on the above captioned matter was held before the Arkansas Residential Contractors Committee on February 26, 2025, at the Committee's offices at 4100 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Respondent, CLAY LEWALLEN, d/b/a CJ'S REMODELING was properly notified and did not appear. The Committee was represented by Jonathan Hutto, Attorney. Dewey Watson served as Hearing Officer. From testimony and other evidence presented the Committee makes the following findings of fact and conclusion of law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. CLAY LEWALLEN, d/b/a CJ'S REMODELING has undertaken the position of residential contractor as defined in Section 17-25-505, **Various projects in Morrilton, AR.**
2. CLAY LEWALLEN, d/b/a CJ'S REMODELING is not licensed by the Residential Contractors Committee.
3. Our office received a complaint from Toby and Monique against CLAY LEWALLEN, d/b/a CJ'S REMODELING stating that they had hired him to perform a home improvement project for \$7,670. There were issues with the work performed and the contractor would not correct them. There were 10 days of activity on this project.
4. Our office received a complaint from Karen Brown against CLAY LEWALLEN, d/b/a CJ'S REMODELING stating that she had hired him to perform a home improvement project for \$19,500. The work was very poor and the contractor did not correct the issues. There were 4 days of activity on this project.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

CLAY LEWALLEN, d/b/a CJ'S REMODELING is guilty of violating Section 17-25-505, as amended.

ORDER

The Committee voted unanimously that CLAY LEWALLEN, d/b/a CJ'S REMODELING shall pay a civil penalty of \$400 per day for 14 days of activity of both projects for a total of \$5,600 for violation of Section 17-25-505 payable to the Committee within twenty (20) days. The Committee further ordered that a cease and desist order be issued against CLAY LEWALLEN, d/b/a CJ'S REMODELING to prevent them from performing work in violation. CLAY LEWALLEN, d/b/a CJ'S REMODELING shall refrain from bidding on or performing work as a residential contractor prior to being licensed with the Residential Contractors Committee. You have the right to appeal this decision pursuant to the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. 17-25-511.

DONE AND SO ORDERED this 26th day of February, 2025.

RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

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James D. Lawson
Administrator

**BEFORE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE
STATE OF ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

PETITIONER

vs.

ID # 56286

**STEVE DUNCAN
NASH, TX**

RESPONDENT

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

A hearing on the above captioned matter was held before the Arkansas Residential Contractors Committee on February 26, 2025, at the Committee's offices at 4100 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Respondent, STEVE DUNCAN was properly notified and did appear. The Committee was represented by Jonathan Hutto, Attorney. Dewey Watson served as Hearing Officer. From testimony and other evidence presented the Committee makes the following findings of fact and conclusion of law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. STEVE DUNCAN has undertaken the position of residential contractor as defined in Section 17-25-505, **Home Improvement in Eureka Springs, AR.**
2. STEVE DUNCAN is not licensed by the Residential Contractors Committee.
3. Our office received a complaint from Juanita Morgan against STEVE DUNCAN stating that she had hired him to oversee a home improvement project on her property. The complaint stated that there were issues with money spent on the project and that STEVE DUNCAN abandoned the project prior to completion. There were 70 days of activity on the project.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

STEVE DUNCAN is guilty of violating Section 17-25-505, as amended.

ORDER

The Committee voted unanimously that STEVE DUNCAN shall pay a civil penalty of \$400 per day for 70 days of activity for a total of \$28,000 for violation of Section 17-25-505 payable to the Committee within twenty (20) days. The Committee further ordered that a cease and desist order be issued against STEVE DUNCAN to prevent them from performing work in violation. STEVE DUNCAN shall refrain from bidding on or performing work as a residential contractor prior to being licensed with the Residential Contractors Committee. You have the right to appeal this decision pursuant to the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. 17-25-511.

DONE AND SO ORDERED this 26th day of February, 2025.

RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

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James D. Lawson
Administrator

**BEFORE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE
STATE OF ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

PETITIONER

vs.

ID # 56199

**WESLEY STORRS, D/B/A BTB HOME IMPROVEMENT
CONWAY, AR**

RESPONDENT

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

A hearing on the above captioned matter was held before the Arkansas Residential Contractors Committee on February 26, 2025, at the Committee's offices at 4100 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Respondent, WESLEY STORRS, d/b/a BTB HOME IMPROVEMENT was properly notified and did not appear. The Committee was represented by Jonathan Hutto, Attorney. Dewey Watson served as Hearing Officer. From testimony and other evidence presented the Committee makes the following findings of fact and conclusion of law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. WESLEY STORRS, d/b/a BTB HOME IMPROVEMENT has undertaken the position of residential contractor as defined in Section 17-25-505, **Home Improvement in Little Rock, AR.**
2. WESLEY STORRS, d/b/a BTB HOME IMPROVEMENT is not licensed by the Residential Contractors Committee.
3. Our office received a complaint from Bryant McClellan against WESLEY STORRS, d/b/a BTB HOME IMPROVEMENT stating that she had entered into a contract with him to perform a home improvement project for \$12,000. She paid WESLEY STORRS, d/b/a BTB HOME IMPROVEMENT \$4,000 for the project but the contractor abandoned the project prior to completion after doing very little work. There were 34 days of activity on the project.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

WESLEY STORRS, d/b/a BTB HOME IMPROVEMENT is guilty of violating Section 17-25-505, as amended.

ORDER

The Committee voted unanimously that WESLEY STORRS, d/b/a BTB HOME IMPROVEMENT shall pay a civil penalty of \$400 per day for 34 days of activity for a total of \$13,600 for violation of Section 17-25-505 payable to the Committee within twenty (20) days. The Committee further ordered that a cease and desist order be issued against WESLEY STORRS, d/b/a BTB HOME IMPROVEMENT to prevent them from performing work in violation. WESLEY STORRS, d/b/a BTB HOME IMPROVEMENT shall refrain from bidding on or performing work as a residential contractor prior to being licensed with the Residential Contractors Committee. You have the right to appeal this decision pursuant to the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. 17-25-511.

DONE AND SO ORDERED this 26th day of February, 2025.

RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

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James D. Lawson
Administrator

**BEFORE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE
STATE OF ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

PETITIONER

vs.

ID # 49740

**KENNY EVERETT, D/B/A KJE CONSTRUCTION
CABOT, AR**

RESPONDENT

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

A hearing on the above captioned matter was held before the Arkansas Residential Contractors Committee on February 26, 2025, at the Committee's offices at 4100 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Respondent, KENNY EVERETT, d/b/a KJE CONSTRUCTION was properly notified and did appear. The Committee was represented by Jonathan Hutto, Attorney. Dewey Watson served as Hearing Officer. From testimony and other evidence presented the Committee makes the following findings of fact and conclusion of law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. KENNY EVERETT, d/b/a KJE CONSTRUCTION has undertaken the position of residential contractor as defined in Section 17-25-505, **Home Improvement in Little Rock, AR.**

2. KENNY EVERETT, d/b/a KJE CONSTRUCTION is not licensed by the Residential Contractors Committee.

3. Our office received a complaint from Tracey Migeot against KENNY EVERETT, d/b/a KJE CONSTRUCTION stating that she had hired him to oversee the remodel of home for \$60,000. There were many issues with the work and after paying KENNY EVERETT, d/b/a KJE CONSTRUCTION \$65,400, he was asked to leave the project. There were 118 days of activity on the project.

4. KENNY EVERETT, d/b/a KJE CONSTRUCTION admitted in testimony to receiving money for the project and to receiving money for work performed by subcontractors, who he then paid. The Committee determined that this made him a contractor on this project.

5. KENNY EVERETT, d/b/a KJE CONSTRUCTION had had one previous violation for working on a residential project without a license. He entered into a settlement agreement on November 10, 2021, in the amount of \$5,200 reduced to \$300 if there were no further violations for 3 years, he pay any judgment obtained by the homeowner in that case, and he pay that penalty as agreed. KENNY EVERETT, d/b/a KJE CONSTRUCTION did pay that penalty.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

KENNY EVERETT, d/b/a KJE CONSTRUCTION is guilty of violating Section 17-25-505, as amended.

ORDER

The Committee voted unanimously that KENNY EVERETT, d/b/a KJE CONSTRUCTION shall pay a civil penalty of \$400 per day for 118 days for a total of \$47,200 for violation of Section 17-25-505 payable to the Committee within twenty (20) days. The Committee further ordered that a cease and desist order be issued against KENNY EVERETT, d/b/a KJE CONSTRUCTION to prevent them from performing work in violation. KENNY EVERETT, d/b/a KJE CONSTRUCTION shall refrain from

bidding on or performing work as a residential contractor prior to being licensed with the Residential Contractors Committee. You have the right to appeal this decision pursuant to the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. 17-25-511.

DONE AND SO ORDERED this 26th day of February, 2025.

RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

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James D. Lawson
Administrator

**BEFORE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE
STATE OF ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

PETITIONER

vs.

ID # 56556

**GEOFFERY MAPLES, D/B/A NWA METAL BUILDINGS
SILOAM SPRINGS, AR**

RESPONDENT

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

A hearing on the above captioned matter was held before the Arkansas Residential Contractors Committee on February 26, 2025, at the Committee's offices at 4100 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Respondent, GEOFFERY MAPLES, d/b/a NWA METAL BUILDINGS was properly notified and did not appear. The Committee was represented by Jonathan Hutto, Attorney. Dewey Watson served as Hearing Officer. From testimony and other evidence presented the Committee makes the following findings of fact and conclusion of law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. GEOFFERY MAPLES, d/b/a NWA METAL BUILDINGS has undertaken the position of residential contractor as defined in Section 17-25-505, **New Residence(s) in Hindsville, AR.**
2. GEOFFERY MAPLES, d/b/a NWA METAL BUILDINGS is not licensed by the Residential Contractors Committee.
3. Our office received a complaint from Scott Brasher against GEOFFERY MAPLES, d/b/a NWA METAL BUILDINGS stating that he had hired GEOFFERY MAPLES, d/b/a NWA METAL BUILDINGS to build a new residence, the contractor had collected \$196,983 on a \$237,096 project and abandoned the project prior to completion. There were 300 days of activity on the project.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

GEOFFERY MAPLES, d/b/a NWA METAL BUILDINGS is guilty of violating Section 17-25-505, as amended.

ORDER

The Committee voted unanimously that GEOFFERY MAPLES, d/b/a NWA METAL BUILDINGS shall pay a civil penalty of \$400 per day for 300 days of activity for a total of \$120,000 for violation of Section 17-25-505 payable to the Committee within twenty (20) days. The Committee further ordered that a cease and desist order be issued against GEOFFERY MAPLES, d/b/a NWA METAL BUILDINGS to prevent them from performing work in violation. GEOFFERY MAPLES, d/b/a NWA METAL BUILDINGS shall refrain from bidding on or performing work as a residential contractor prior to being licensed with the Residential Contractors Committee. You have the right to appeal this decision pursuant to the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. 17-25-511.

DONE AND SO ORDERED this 26th day of February, 2025.

RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

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James D. Lawson
Administrator

**BEFORE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE
STATE OF ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

PETITIONER

vs.

ID # 55327

**STRAUSS ENTERPRISES LLC
NORTH LITTLE ROCK, AR**

RESPONDENT

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

A hearing on the above captioned matter was held before the Arkansas Residential Contractors Committee on February 26, 2025, at the Committee's offices at 4100 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Respondent, STRAUSS ENTERPRISES LLC was properly notified and did not appear. The Committee was represented by Jonathan Hutto, Attorney. Dewey Watson served as Hearing Officer. From testimony and other evidence presented the Committee makes the following findings of fact and conclusion of law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. STRAUSS ENTERPRISES LLC is licensed by the Residential Contractors Committee with a home improvement specialty license.
2. Our office received a complaint from Dalton Strong against STRAUSS ENTERPRISES LLC. Despite repeated requests by mail and email, STRAUSS ENTERPRISES LLC failed and refused to respond to the complaint.
3. 17 CAR 285-112 requires a licensed contractor to cooperate with an investigation and states that failure to do so may be considered misconduct and result in the revocation of a contractor's license.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

STRAUSS ENTERPRISES LLC is guilty of violating Section 17-25-510(c), misconduct in the contractor's business.

ORDER

The Committee voted unanimously that the license of STRAUSS ENTERPRISES LLC is revoked for misconduct. The Committee further ordered that a cease and desist order be issued against STRAUSS ENTERPRISES LLC to prevent them from performing work in violation. STRAUSS ENTERPRISES LLC shall refrain from bidding on or performing work as a residential contractor prior to being licensed with the Residential Contractors Committee. You have the right to appeal this decision pursuant to the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. 17-25-511.

DONE AND SO ORDERED this 26th day of February, 2025.

RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

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James D. Lawson
Administrator

**BEFORE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE
STATE OF ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

PETITIONER

vs.

ID # 54922

**IXMATA CONSTRUCTION LLC
LITTLE ROCK, AR**

RESPONDENT

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

A hearing on the above captioned matter was held before the Arkansas Residential Contractors Committee on February 26, 2025, at the Committee's offices at 4100 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Respondent, IXMATA CONSTRUCTION LLC was properly notified and did not appear. The Committee was represented by Jonathan Hutto, Attorney. Dewey Watson served as Hearing Officer. From testimony and other evidence presented the Committee makes the following findings of fact and conclusion of law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. IXMATA CONSTRUCTION LLC is licensed by the Residential Contractors Committee with a home improvement specialty license.
2. Our office received a complaint from Dalton Strong against IXMATA CONSTRUCTION LLC. Despite repeated requests by mail and email, IXMATA CONSTRUCTION LLC failed and refused to respond to the complaint.
3. 17 CAR 285-112 requires a licensed contractor to cooperate with an investigation and states that failure to do so may be considered misconduct and result in the revocation of a contractor's license.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

IXMATA CONSTRUCTION LLC is guilty of violating Section 17-25-510(c), misconduct in the contractor's business.

ORDER

The Committee voted unanimously that the license of IXMATA CONSTRUCTION LLC is revoked for misconduct. The Committee further ordered that a cease and desist order be issued against IXMATA CONSTRUCTION LLC to prevent them from performing work in violation. IXMATA CONSTRUCTION LLC shall refrain from bidding on or performing work as a residential contractor prior to being licensed with the Residential Contractors Committee. You have the right to appeal this decision pursuant to the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. 17-25-511.

DONE AND SO ORDERED this 26th day of February, 2025.

RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

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James D. Lawson
Administrator

**BEFORE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE
STATE OF ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

PETITIONER

vs.

ID # 56776

**ROBBY TAYLOR, D/B/A TAYLOR'S CONSTRUCTION
PIGGOTT, AR**

RESPONDENT

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

A hearing on the above captioned matter was held before the Arkansas Residential Contractors Committee on February 26, 2025, at the Committee's offices at 4100 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Respondent, ROBBY TAYLOR, d/b/a TAYLOR'S CONSTRUCTION was properly notified and did not appear. The Committee was represented by Jonathan Hutto, Attorney. Dewey Watson served as Hearing Officer. From testimony and other evidence presented the Committee makes the following findings of fact and conclusion of law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. ROBBY TAYLOR, d/b/a TAYLOR'S CONSTRUCTION has undertaken the position of residential contractor as defined in Section 17-25-505, **Home Improvement in Jonesboro, AR.**
2. ROBBY TAYLOR, d/b/a TAYLOR'S CONSTRUCTION is not licensed by the Residential Contractors Committee.
3. Our office received a complaint from Abbie Lee against ROBBY TAYLOR, d/b/a TAYLOR'S CONSTRUCTION stating that she had hired him to perform a home improvement project for \$10,744 but the workmanship was very poor. There were 6 days of activity on the project.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

ROBBY TAYLOR, d/b/a TAYLOR'S CONSTRUCTION is guilty of violating Section 17-25-505, as amended.

ORDER

The Committee voted unanimously that ROBBY TAYLOR, d/b/a TAYLOR'S CONSTRUCTION shall pay a civil penalty of \$400 per day for 6 days of activity for a total of \$2,400 for violation of Section 17-25-505 payable to the Committee within twenty (20) days. The Committee further ordered that a cease and desist order be issued against ROBBY TAYLOR, d/b/a TAYLOR'S CONSTRUCTION to prevent them from performing work in violation. ROBBY TAYLOR, d/b/a TAYLOR'S CONSTRUCTION shall refrain from bidding on or performing work as a residential contractor prior to being licensed with the Residential Contractors Committee. You have the right to appeal this decision pursuant to the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. 17-25-511.

DONE AND SO ORDERED this 26th day of February, 2025.

RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

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James D. Lawson
Administrator

**BEFORE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE
STATE OF ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

PETITIONER

vs.

ID # 52699

**JUSTIN BREWER, D/B/A BREW CREW SEAMLESS GUTTERS &
GARAGE DOORS
GREENWOOD, AR**

RESPONDENT

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

A hearing on the above captioned matter was held before the Arkansas Residential Contractors Committee on February 26, 2025, at the Committee's offices at 4100 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Respondent, JUSTIN BREWER, d/b/a BREW CREW SEAMLESS GUTTERS & GARAGE DOORS was properly notified and did not appear. The Committee was represented by Jonathan Hutto, Attorney. Dewey Watson served as Hearing Officer. From testimony and other evidence presented the Committee makes the following findings of fact and conclusion of law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. JUSTIN BREWER, d/b/a BREW CREW SEAMLESS GUTTERS & GARAGE DOORS has undertaken the position of residential contractor as defined in Section 17-25-505, **Home Improvement in Prairie Grove, AR.**
2. JUSTIN BREWER, d/b/a BREW CREW SEAMLESS GUTTERS & GARAGE DOORS is not licensed by the Residential Contractors Committee.
3. Our office received a complaint from Malorie Smith against JUSTIN BREWER, d/b/a BREW CREW SEAMLESS GUTTERS & GARAGE DOORS stating that she had hired him to perform a home improvement project for \$13,729 and paid him in full for the project. JUSTIN BREWER, d/b/a BREW CREW SEAMLESS GUTTERS & GARAGE DOORS abandoned the project prior to completion and the garage doors paid for were never supplied to the homeowner. There were 23 days of activity on the project.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

JUSTIN BREWER, d/b/a BREW CREW SEAMLESS GUTTERS & GARAGE DOORS is guilty of violating Section 17-25-505, as amended.

ORDER

The Committee voted unanimously that JUSTIN BREWER, d/b/a BREW CREW SEAMLESS GUTTERS & GARAGE DOORS shall pay a civil penalty of \$400 per day for 23 days of activity for a total of \$9,200 for violation of Section 17-25-505 payable to the Committee within twenty (20) days. The Committee further ordered that a cease and desist order be issued against JUSTIN BREWER, d/b/a BREW CREW SEAMLESS GUTTERS & GARAGE DOORS to prevent them from performing work in violation. JUSTIN BREWER, d/b/a BREW CREW SEAMLESS GUTTERS & GARAGE DOORS shall refrain from bidding on or performing work as a residential contractor prior to being licensed with the Residential Contractors Committee. You have the right to appeal this decision pursuant to the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. 17-25-511.

DONE AND SO ORDERED this 26th day of February, 2025.

RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

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**James D. Lawson
Administrator**

**BEFORE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE
STATE OF ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

PETITIONER

vs.

ID # 56321

**CHRIS HAWKINS, D/B/A HAWKINS REMODEL
CHARLESTON, AR**

RESPONDENT

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

A hearing on the above captioned matter was held before the Arkansas Residential Contractors Committee on February 26, 2025, at the Committee's offices at 4100 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Respondent, CHRIS HAWKINS, d/b/a HAWKINS REMODEL was properly notified and did not appear. The Committee was represented by Jonathan Hutto, Attorney. Dewey Watson served as Hearing Officer. From testimony and other evidence presented the Committee makes the following findings of fact and conclusion of law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. CHRIS HAWKINS, d/b/a HAWKINS REMODEL has undertaken the position of residential contractor as defined in Section 17-25-505, **Home Improvement in Rudy, AR.**

2. CHRIS HAWKINS, d/b/a HAWKINS REMODEL is not licensed by the Residential Contractors Committee.

3. Our office received a complaint from Carrie Canady against CHRIS HAWKINS, d/b/a HAWKINS REMODEL stating that she had hired the contractor to perform a home improvement project and paid \$10,000 but the contractor abandoned the project prior to completion. There were 5 days of activity on the project.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

CHRIS HAWKINS, d/b/a HAWKINS REMODEL is guilty of violating Section 17-25-505, as amended.

ORDER

The Committee voted unanimously that CHRIS HAWKINS, d/b/a HAWKINS REMODEL shall pay a civil penalty of \$400 per day for 5 days of activity for a total of \$2,000 for violation of Section 17-25-505 payable to the Committee within twenty (20) days. The Committee further ordered that a cease and desist order be issued against CHRIS HAWKINS, d/b/a HAWKINS REMODEL to prevent them from performing work in violation. CHRIS HAWKINS, d/b/a HAWKINS REMODEL shall refrain from bidding on or performing work as a residential contractor prior to being licensed with the Residential Contractors Committee. You have the right to appeal this decision pursuant to the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. 17-25-511.

DONE AND SO ORDERED this 26th day of February, 2025.

RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

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James D. Lawson
Administrator

**BEFORE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE
STATE OF ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

PETITIONER

vs.

ID # 56773

**DYLAN DUOS, D/B/A LUX RESTORE
DOVER, AR**

RESPONDENT

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

A hearing on the above captioned matter was held before the Arkansas Residential Contractors Committee on February 26, 2025, at the Committee's offices at 4100 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Respondent, DYLAN DUOS, d/b/a LUX RESTORE was properly notified and did appear. The Committee was represented by Jonathan Hutto, Attorney. Dewey Watson served as Hearing Officer. From testimony and other evidence presented the Committee makes the following findings of fact and conclusion of law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. DYLAN DUOS, d/b/a LUX RESTORE has undertaken the position of residential contractor as defined in Section 17-25-505, **New Residence(s) in Dover, AR.**
2. DYLAN DUOS, d/b/a LUX RESTORE is not licensed by the Residential Contractors Committee.
3. Our office received a complaint from John Arana against DYLAN DUOS, d/b/a LUX RESTORE stating that he had contracted with DYLAN DUOS, d/b/a LUX RESTORE to build a home for \$197,000. Mr. Arana hired an inspector to come and look at the building erected by DYLAN DUOS, d/b/a LUX RESTORE and there were many issues. Mr. Arana also provided a statement from a licensed builder who stated that the structural issues could not be fixed and the building should be removed and rebuilt.
4. DYLAN DUOS, d/b/a LUX RESTORE testified that he did not have a license and that there were 90 days of activity on the project.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

DYLAN DUOS, d/b/a LUX RESTORE is guilty of violating Section 17-25-505, as amended.

ORDER

The Committee voted unanimously that DYLAN DUOS, d/b/a LUX RESTORE shall pay a civil penalty of \$400 per day for 90 days of activity for a total of \$36,000 for violation of Section 17-25-505 payable to the Committee within twenty (20) days. The Committee further ordered that a cease and desist order be issued against DYLAN DUOS, d/b/a LUX RESTORE to prevent them from performing work in violation. DYLAN DUOS, d/b/a LUX RESTORE shall refrain from bidding on or performing work as a residential contractor prior to being licensed with the Residential Contractors Committee. You have the right to appeal this decision pursuant to the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. 17-25-511.

DONE AND SO ORDERED this 26th day of February, 2025.

RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

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James D. Lawson
Administrator

**BEFORE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE
STATE OF ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

PETITIONER

vs.

ID # 56475

**BIC CONSTRUCTION LLC
PINE BLUFF, AR**

RESPONDENT

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

A hearing on the above captioned matter was held before the Arkansas Residential Contractors Committee on February 26, 2025, at the Committee's offices at 4100 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Respondent, BIC CONSTRUCTION LLC was properly notified and Leo Smith and Rod Sowers did appear to represent the company. The Committee was represented by Jonathan Hutto, Attorney. Dewey Watson served as Hearing Officer. From testimony and other evidence presented the Committee makes the following findings of fact and conclusion of law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. BIC CONSTRUCTION LLC has undertaken the position of residential contractor as defined in Section 17-25-505, **New Residence(s) in Star City, AR.**
2. BIC CONSTRUCTION LLC is not licensed by the Residential Contractors Committee.
- 3 BIC CONSTRUCTION LLC entered into a contract to build a home for Michelle Hilles for \$250,000. There were 180 days of activity on the project.
4. Leo Smith, a member of BIC CONSTRUCTION LLC has had a license in another entity with two violations and three complaints. One of the violations resulted in his license being revoked for misconduct. Rod Sowers has a separate licensed entity that has one previous complaint.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

BIC CONSTRUCTION LLC is guilty of violating Section 17-25-505, as amended.

ORDER

The Committee voted 4 to 1 that BIC CONSTRUCTION LLC shall pay a civil penalty of \$400 per day for 180 days of activity reduced to \$1,000 if there are no further violations for 3 years and they obtain their residential home builder's license for violation of Section 17-25-505 payable to the Committee within twenty (20) days. BIC CONSTRUCTION LLC shall refrain from bidding on or performing work as a residential contractor prior to being licensed with the Residential Contractors Committee. You have the right to appeal this decision pursuant to the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. 17-25-511.

DONE AND SO ORDERED this 26th day of February, 2025.

RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

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James D. Lawson
Administrator

**BEFORE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE
STATE OF ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

PETITIONER

vs.

ID # 44907

**JOHN W. HARDIN, D/B/A BUILD IT CONSTRUCTION
HARRISON, AR**

RESPONDENT

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

A hearing on the above captioned matter was held before the Arkansas Residential Contractors Committee on February 26, 2025, at the Committee's offices at 4100 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Respondent, JOHN W. HARDIN, d/b/a BUILD IT CONSTRUCTION was properly notified and did appear. The Committee was represented by Jonathan Hutto, Attorney. Dewey Watson served as Hearing Officer. From testimony and other evidence presented the Committee makes the following findings of fact and conclusion of law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. JOHN W. HARDIN, d/b/a BUILD IT CONSTRUCTION is licensed by the Residential Contractors Committee with a residential builder's license.

2. Our office received a complaint from Wendy Moyer against JOHN W. HARDIN, d/b/a BUILD IT CONSTRUCTION stating she had hired him to perform a project and he performed the electrical work himself without a license. In a response, JOHN W. HARDIN, d/b/a BUILD IT CONSTRUCTION admitted to installing electrical without a license. There were several electrical code violations on the project. The cost of the project was \$88,316.

3. In November 2024, Ms. Moyer received a default judgment against JOHN W. HARDIN, d/b/a BUILD IT CONSTRUCTION in the amount of \$57,205 plus attorney fees and costs. When contacted by this office about how he intended to resolve the default judgment, JOHN W. HARDIN, d/b/a BUILD IT CONSTRUCTION had no plan and has made no arrangements with Ms. Moyer to pay the judgment.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

JOHN W. HARDIN, d/b/a BUILD IT CONSTRUCTION is guilty of violating Section 17-25-10(c), misconduct in the contractor's business.

ORDER

The Committee voted unanimously that the license of JOHN W. HARDIN, d/b/a BUILD IT CONSTRUCTION is revoked for msiconduct. The Committee further ordered that a cease and desist order be issued against JOHN W. HARDIN, d/b/a BUILD IT CONSTRUCTION to prevent them from performing work in violation. JOHN W. HARDIN, d/b/a BUILD IT CONSTRUCTION shall refrain from bidding on or performing work as a residential contractor prior to being licensed with the Residential Contractors Committee. You have the right to appeal this decision pursuant to the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. 17-25-511.

DONE AND SO ORDERED this 26th day of February, 2025.

RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

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James D. Lawson
Administrator

**BEFORE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE
STATE OF ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

PETITIONER

vs.

ID # 16740

**JERRY CURRY, D/B/A CURRY CONSTRUCTION
WARREN, AR**

RESPONDENT

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

A hearing on the above captioned matter was held before the Arkansas Residential Contractors Committee on February 26, 2025, at the Committee's offices at 4100 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Respondent, JERRY CURRY, d/b/a CURRY CONSTRUCTION was properly notified and did not appear. The Committee was represented by Jonathan Hutto, Attorney. Dewey Watson served as Hearing Officer. From testimony and other evidence presented the Committee makes the following findings of fact and conclusion of law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. JERRY CURRY, d/b/a CURRY CONSTRUCTION has undertaken the position of residential contractor as defined in Section 17-25-505, **New Residence(s) in El Dorado, AR.**
2. JERRY CURRY, d/b/a CURRY CONSTRUCTION is not licensed by the Residential Contractors Committee.
3. Our office received a complaint from Mary Ann Osgood against JERRY CURRY, d/b/a CURRY CONSTRUCTION stating that she had entered into a contract with him to build a new home for \$247,587. There were issues with the work and the contractor would not return to correct them. There were 200 days of activity on the project.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

JERRY CURRY, d/b/a CURRY CONSTRUCTION is guilty of violating Section 17-25-505, as amended.

ORDER

The Committee voted unanimously that JERRY CURRY, d/b/a CURRY CONSTRUCTION shall pay a civil penalty of \$400 per day for 200 days of activity for a total of \$80,000 for violation of Section 17-25-505. The penalty shall be reduced to \$10,000 if it is paid within 60 days. The Committee further ordered that a cease and desist order be issued against JERRY CURRY, d/b/a CURRY CONSTRUCTION to prevent them from performing work in violation. JERRY CURRY, d/b/a CURRY CONSTRUCTION shall refrain from bidding on or performing work as a residential contractor prior to being licensed with the Residential Contractors Committee. You have the right to appeal this decision pursuant to the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. 17-25-511.

DONE AND SO ORDERED this 26th day of February, 2025.

RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

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James D. Lawson
Administrator

**BEFORE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE
STATE OF ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE

PETITIONER

vs.

ID # 56055

**SGC INC
LITTLE ROCK, AR**

RESPONDENT

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

A hearing on the above captioned matter was held before the Arkansas Residential Contractors Committee on February 26, 2025, at the Committee's offices at 4100 Richards Road, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Respondent, SGC INC was properly notified and did not appear. The Committee was represented by Jonathan Hutto, Attorney. Dewey Watson served as Hearing Officer. From testimony and other evidence presented the Committee makes the following findings of fact and conclusion of law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. SGC INC is licensed by the Residential Contractors Committee as with a home improvement specialty license.

2. Our office received a complaint from Rosalind Gilliam against SGC INC stating that she had entered into a contract with them to perform a home improvement project for \$18,000 but the contractor was actually paid \$21,200. There were many issues with the project including the concrete being wavy, improperly sloped and holding water. The contractor refused to return to the project and correct these issues. SGC INC also failed to return any telephone calls to our office to discuss this issue.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

SGC INC is guilty of violating Section 17-25-510(c) misconduct in the contractor's business.

ORDER

The Committee voted unanimously that the license of SGC INC is revoked for misconduct. The Committee further ordered that a cease and desist order be issued against SGC INC to prevent them from performing work in violation. SGC INC shall refrain from bidding on or performing work as a residential contractor prior to being licensed with the Residential Contractors Committee. You have the right to appeal this decision pursuant to the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. 17-25-511.

DONE AND SO ORDERED this 26th day of February, 2025.

RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE



James D. Lawson
Administrator