

**BEFORE THE ARKANSAS HVAC/R LICENSING BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF BENEDICTO MENESES, RESPONDENT
LICENSE NO. 1554590 REVOKED JANUARY 11, 2023
REQUEST FOR REINSTATEMENT**

FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSION OF LAW AND ORDER

A hearing on the above-referenced matter was held before the Arkansas HVAC/R Board ("Board") at 10:00 a.m. on January 14, 2026, located at 900 West Capitol Ave., Suite 400, Little Rock, AR 72201. Benedicto Meneses ("Respondent") did appear personally.

Finding proper notice had been given; Respondent, the Board, from all the evidence presented, makes the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Benedicto Meneses ("Respondent") did and at all times relevant, was revoked by the HVAC/R Board.
2. Respondent is the owner of BYM Heating & Cooling, located in Springdale, Arkansas.
3. On or about January 6, 2026, Respondent requested to appear before the HVAC/R Board to request a reinstatement of his class B license that had been revoked since January 11, 2023.
4. The Board was provided with documents showing that while the Respondent did engage in HVAC/R work four (4) separate times, he had paid all fines assessed to him.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW


1. Respondent's actions, as set forth above in Findings of Fact 4, constitute a violation of Ark. Code Ann. §17-33-301 that Respondent failed to obtain valid licensure prior to engaging in work.

ORDER

1. Respondents request to have his HVAC/R Class B reinstated is hereby denied.
2. The Board has ordered the Respondent to become a registrant under a valid HVAC/R class holder and maintain two (2) years of consist work without violation(s).
3. At which time the Respondent may request to come before the Board to request approval to re-test for a class B license.
4. Any further violations of law or rules of the Board or failure on the part of the Respondent to comply with the terms and conditions of this Order may result in additional sanctions.

Pursuant to the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, Ark. Code Ann. §25-15-212, Respondent may petition for judicial review of this decision by filing a petition in the Circuit Court in the County in which he resides or does business or in the Circuit Court of Pulaski County within thirty (30) days after service of this Order.

HEATING, VENTILLATION, AIR CONDITIONING and
REFRIGERATION LICENSING BOARD, DEPARTMENT
OF LABOR AND LICENSING,
STATE OF ARKANSAS

By: 
Alan Dean, Chairman

Date: 1-22-2026