

**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 #2010-05

Respondent:)

Thomas Dean Thompson, PE)
24 Hunters Wood Court)
Little Rock, AR 72210-6982)

DISMISSAL ORDER

The Arkansas Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Professional Surveyors (hereinafter "the Board") registered a complaint on March 8, 2010, charging Thomas Dean Thompson (AR-PE #5443, hereinafter "Thompson") with violation of Arkansas Code Annotated §17-30-305(a)(1)(B) (negligent and/or incompetent practice of engineering).

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Thompson was retained under a written work agreement to oversee the construction of certain improvements to a strip center in Siloam Springs, AR.
2. The work agreement provided for the client to act as general contractor for the project. Thompson was paid on a time-and-materials basis.
3. Thompson did no design work on the project, and he sealed no instruments of practice.
4. Thompson provided materials for the project from his firm's stores, and purchased materials for the project through his firm's accounts with local suppliers.
5. Design of the improvements was performed by an architect, and the architect's design was used to procure the building permit.

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CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The conduct by Thompson, as outlined in the Findings of Fact above, does not constitute the practice of engineering in Arkansas, within the meaning of Arkansas Code Annotated §17-30-101(4)(A), and would therefore be outside the jurisdiction of the Board.

ORDER

Based on these Findings and Conclusions, the complaint against Thompson is dismissed.

SO ORDERED this 3rd day of June, 2010



Frank Vozel, Board President



CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, James Atchley, Investigator of the Arkansas State Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Professional Surveyors, do hereby certify that I have served a copy of the attached order by mailing a copy of same, by first class mail on this 3rd day of June, 2010, to:

Mr. Thomas Dean Thompson, PE
Thompson Consulting, PA
24 Hunters Wood Court
Little Rock, AR 72210-6982


James Atchley, Board Investigator