

STATE OF OHIO STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF ARCHITECTS



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BEFORE THE OHIO STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF ARCHITECTS

IN RE: DAVID C. PRICE : DATE: September 25, 1996
600 West Spring St. :
Columbus, OH 43215 :
Cert. No. 6553 : Certified Mail: P 348 812 574

ADJUDICATION ORDER

Pursuant to a meeting of the Ohio Board of Examiners of Architects, the above matter came before the Board on September 13, 1996, for consideration by the Board of the Hearing Examiner's Report and Recommendation. Members of the Board present were: John Spencer, Harold Rasmussen, Joseph Vetter, Richard Kaplan, and Merle Myers.

ORDER OF THE BOARD

The Board conducted its review of the Hearing Examiner's Report and Recommendation, and took the following actions:

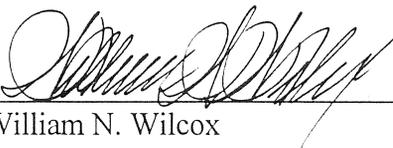
1. The Board approves the findings of fact set out in the Report and Recommendation;
2. The Board approves the conclusions of law set out in the Report and Recommendation;
3. The Board approves the recommendation of the Hearing Examiner to the extent that it reprimands David C. Price for his actions giving rise to the violation. However, the Board wishes to note that there was significant mitigation evidence in this matter, despite the presence of a technical violation. Specifically, Mr. Price acted without seeking any personal financial gain or himself or his firm, and acted in the good faith, but mistaken, belief that he was meeting the requirements of the professional standards required by law. There was no evidence suggesting aggravating circumstances. To the contrary, the evidence demonstrated that Mr. Price maintains a professional practice in which he will not intentionally violate Board rules with respect to improper use of his professional seal.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing Adjudication Order of the Ohio State Board of Examiners of Architects is true and accurate as it appears in the journal of the Board of its proceedings on September 13, 1996.

This order may be appealed in accordance with Section 119.12 of the Ohio Revised Code by filing a Notice of Appeal with the Ohio State Board of Examiners of Architects, 77 South High Street, 16th Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43266, and **also a copy** of that Notice of Appeal with the Court of Common Pleas in the county of the respondent's place of business, or in the county in which the respondent is a resident, or with the Court of Common Pleas in Franklin County, Ohio if not a resident of Ohio. Such Notice of Appeal shall contain the Order appealed from and the grounds of such an appeal. Such Notice of Appeal and copy shall be filed and must be delivered within fifteen (15) days after the mailing of this Adjudication Order.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD,



William N. Wilcox
Executive Director

cc: Mary Barley-McBride