



Rhode Island Department of Business Regulation

Contractors' Registration and Licensing Board

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VIA- Certified Mail

August 23, 2022

Stone Hedge
Jeffrey Allen Schmit

Registration/License Number:
Complain Associated with Violation: C-

RE: FINAL ORDER -Disciplinary Action- Violation # V-6630

On or about August 1, 2022 , you were provided with notice that the Rhode Island Contractors' Registration and Licensing Board determined that you were in violation of the following section(s) of Rhode Island General Law and intended to assess civil penalties as proposed

Violation

5-65-10(a)(10) - Performed work, or arranged to perform work, without a valid registration.

Violation Penalty

500

Description

On July 14, 2022, at approximately 12:30 am, at 20 Spring St., Newport, I observed three workers performing masonry work on a residential driveway. This work is of the type which requires registration with the CRLB. When asked for proof of registration, one of the workers identified as Jeffrey Allen Schmit of Stone Hedge, the respondent, indicated he was not registered.

Violation

5-65-7(b) - Failure to have workers compensation insurance as required by R.I Gen. Law 28-29

Violation Penalty

500

Description

Workers observed performing masonry work on a driveway. Upon inquiry, workers were determined to be employees of Respondent. Respondent is an employer subject to the Workers' Compensation Act and no exceptions apply. Respondent admitted that they do not maintain the required Workers Compensation Insurance. He stated he was in the process of obtaining it.

Violation

5-65-3(m) - Failure to secure permits prior to commencing work

Violation Penalty

1,000

Description

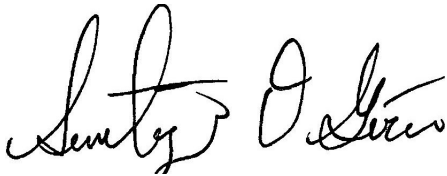
On July 14, 2022, at approximately 12:30 am, at 20 Spring St., Newport, I observed workers performing demolition on the front steps of the house. The front steps are considered a mean of egress and the construction or demolition is work of the type which requires that a building permit be secured prior to commencing work. A check of the permitting database showed that on July 14, 2022, no permit for this work had been issued by the City of Newport.

Fine amount: \$2,000

Because you did not request a hearing within the time allowed, the Proposed Order has converted to a Final Order. The fines, as listed above, are now due and payable. If payment is not received within twenty (20) days, your case may be referred to the Office of the Attorney General for criminal prosecution pursuant to RIGL § 5-65-19.

Alternatively, you may appeal this Final Order in writing, within twenty (20) days of the date of this mailing to the Contractors' Registration and Licensing Board. For additional information, please see our website at www.crb.ri.gov, or contact us by telephone at (401) 921-1590.

Sincerely,



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