

Rhode Island Department of Business Regulation

Contractors' Registration and Licensing Board

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December 21, 2022

Ocean State Group Edward DelGreco

Registration/License Number:

Complain Associated with Violation: C-11112

RE: FINAL ORDER -Disciplinary Action- Violation # V-6751

On or about , 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

5-65-3(a) - Bid to do work or arrange work without a valid registration

Violation Penalty

1,000

Description

Upon review of the complaint C-11112 (19 Overhill Road, Scituate) submitted on 10/21/2022, it was discovered that there was a bid for work on the property with included replacing flooring, window trim, siding, insulation, interior garage door. This work requires registration with the CRLB. A check of the CRLB Registration database showed that the respondent did not have current registration with the CRLB.

Violation

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

Violation Penalty

2,500

Description

On roughly 4/5/2022, replacing flooring, window trim, siding, insulation, interior garage door was underway at 19 Overhill Road, Scituate. This work is of the type which requires that a permit be issued prior to commencing work. The contractor does not have a current registration so no permits can be issued by the local municipality to this contractor.

Violation

5-65-3(o) - Failure to have written contract when work performed is in excess of \$1,000.00

Violation Penalty

1,000

Description

Respondent entered in an agreement to perform work at 19 Overhill Road, Scituate on or about 04/05/2022. The agreed upon value of the work was (\$25,000). No written contract was available in this agreement.

Violation

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

Violation Penalty

1,000

Description

Upon review of the complaint C-11112 (19 Overhill Road, Scituate) submitted on 10/21/2022 and during the associated inspection on 11/30/2022, it was discovered that work on the property with included replacing flooring, window trim, siding, insulation, interior garage door. This work is of the type which requires registration with the CRLB. A check of the CRLB Registration database showed that the respondent's registration was not current with the CRLB.

Violation

5-65-18 - Failure to provide mechanic's lien notice

Violation Penalty

500

Description

Contracts for work require notice that the contractor provide the consumer with a notice that the contractor may file a lien in accordance with the Mechanic' Lien Law, as found in R.I. Gen. Law 34-28. Upon review of the written contract, the required notice was absent from the contract.

Fine amount: \$6,000

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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