



STATE OF MICHIGAN
DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
LANSING

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GOVERNOR

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DIRECTOR

**COLLECTION PRACTICES
FEBRUARY 3, 2016 MEETING**

APPROVED MINUTES

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Board of Collection Practices met on February 3, 2016, at the Ottawa Building, Conference Room 4, 611 West Ottawa Street, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

CALL TO ORDER

Thomas Oldani, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 10:01 AM.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:	Thomas Oldani, Chair	Professional Member
	Jennifer Wills Dietrich, Vice Chair	Professional Member
	Scott Idle	Professional Member
	Thomas A. Matonican	Professional Member
	Scott Prince	Professional Member
	Rebecca Roberts	Professional Member
	Rackeline Hoff	Public Member
	Stephen MacGuidwin	Public Member
	Jeanne M. Roth	Public Member

Staff:	Andrew Brisbo	Licensing Director
	Virginia Abdo	Manager
	Erin Londo	Board Support
	Michael Siracuse	Analyst
	Kiran Parag	Analyst

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION by Idle, seconded by Prince, to approve the agenda as written.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION by Hoff, seconded by Idle, to approve the minutes from August 6, 2015 with a correction to the address of the meeting place to Ottawa Building, Conference Room 4, 611 W. Ottawa Street, Lansing, MI 48933.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS

Collection Service Bureau of Pontiac

MOTION by Idle, seconded by Dietrich, to receive the hearing report on the agenda.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

MOTION by Idle, seconded by Prince, to accept the sanction and revoke Respondent's license.

Discussion was held. The Board expressed a desire for the Bureau to pursue an allegation against Laurie Lowe.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Department Update

Siracuse introduced the new Bureau staff and expressed that the Board is welcome to address any questions to him. Member Hoff asked for clarification of the staff members working with the Board and would like an updated staff list.

Brisbo informed the Board that there is currently legislation pending, Senate Bill 656 and Senate Bill 657. There was a hearing held on February 2, 2016 regarding the legislation.

PUBLIC COMMENT

George Badeen, representing Midwest Recovery, addressed the Board.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held August 18, 2016, at 10:00 a.m. at the Ottawa Building, 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Center, Conference Room 4, Lansing, Michigan.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Idle, seconded by Dietrich, to adjourn at 10:33 a.m.

MOTION PREVAILED

Minutes approved on August 18, 2016

Prepared by: Erin Londo, Board Support

February 3, 2016