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**BEFORE THE DIVISION OF OCCUPATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSING
OF THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OF THE STATE OF UTAH**

IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE OF	:	FINDINGS OF FACT
BIG DOG FRAMING AND HOME	:	CONCLUSIONS OF LAW
CONSTRUCTION, INC	:	AND ORDER
TO PRACTICE AS A CONTRACTOR	:	
IN THE STATE OF UTAH	:	
	:	Case No. DOPL-OSC-2012-107

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing ("the Division") filed a Notice of Agency Action in this matter on April 29, 2013.
2. This action is based upon Division records which show Big Dog Framing and Home Construction, Inc, (the "Respondent") failed to demonstrate and maintain financial responsibility as required under Utah Code Annotated Section 58-55-306 and Subsection 58-55-502(1), and Utah Administrative Code Section R156-55a-306
3. The Respondent has filed a response to the notice of agency action. However, the response fails to demonstrate the obligations specified in the notice of agency action have been resolved. Respondent alleged he has dismissed the pending bankruptcy and cannot afford a \$50,000 contractors license bond. However, this response fails to demonstrate the Respondent has paid or is able to pay Respondent's obligations as they become due.

Therefore, according to Division records and after a review of Respondent's response in this matter, Respondent has failed to demonstrate and maintain financial responsibility as outlined above

, which constitutes a basis to sanction Respondent's license pursuant to Utah Code Annotated Subsections 58-1-401(1) and (2).

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

4. Based upon Respondent's failure to demonstrate and maintain financial responsibility as required by Utah Code Annotated Section 58-55-306, Subsection 58-55-502(1), and Section R156-55a-306, the Respondent has engaged in unprofessional conduct as provided by Utah Code Annotated Subsection 58-1-501(2)(a) and Respondent no longer meets the qualification for licensure as provided by Utah Code Annotated Section 58-55-306.

5. The Division is authorized to revoke the Respondent's contractor license as provided by Utah Code Annotated Subsection 58-1-401(1) because the Respondent no longer meets the qualifications for license as required by Utah Code Annotated Subsection 58-55-102(19).

6. The Division is authorized to revoke the Respondent's contractor license as provided by Utah Code Annotated Subsection 58-1-401(2)(a) for engaging in unprofessional conduct as provided by Utah Code Annotated Subsection 58-1-501(2)(a) for failure to maintain financial responsibility as required by Utah Code Annotated Section 58-55-306.

ORDER

WHEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED Respondent's license to practice as a contractor in this state shall be revoked, effective on August 30, 2013 unless prior to that date an original license bond in the amount of \$25,000, *is provided.*

On behalf of the Construction Services Commission and the Division of Occupational and professional licensing, I hereby certify the foregoing Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order was submitted to the Construction Services Commission and the Division on the 31st day of July 2013 for their review and action.



Dan S. Jones, Bureau Manager

ORDER

THE ABOVE FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW AND ORDER in the matter of **Big Dog Framing and Home Construction, Inc.**, is hereby adopted by the Construction Services Commission of the State of Utah.

DATED this 31st day of July, 2013.


CONSTRUCTION SERVICES COMMISSION
Representative

I concur with the above Order, which the Construction Services Commission has approved.

DATED this 31st day of July, 2013.

DIVISION OF OCCUPATIONAL AND
PROFESSIONAL LICENSING


MARK B. STEINAGEL
Director

Agency review of this order may be obtained by filing a request for agency review within thirty (30) days after the date of this order. If you choose to file a request for agency review, you must adhere to the attached procedures.