## **TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS November 14, 2024, Board Meeting Disciplinary & Administrative Actions**

## Michael Anthony Gardina, P.E. #89981, Charlotte, NC; Case Number D-42934

**Violation:** Mr. Gardina was disciplined by another jurisdiction after he affixed his engineer seal on inadequate design plans that failed to protect the public; failed to properly certify plans by using a facsimile signature; failed to conduct practice in order to protect the public health, safety, and welfare; failed to have adequate technical knowledge of the software used behind post-tension concrete design; and affixed his professional engineer seal to work not done under his direct supervisory control or responsible charge. The disciplinary action was on a matter that would constitute a violation of the Texas Engineering Practice Act or board rules. Specifically, Mr. Gardina failed to practice engineering in a careful and diligent manner.

**Act/Rule Violated:** 22 Tex. Admin Code §§137.63(b)(6) and 137.65(b).

**Resolution:** Formal Reprimand.

## Bradley Jay Olsen, P.E. #115419, Spring, TX; Case Number D-42938

**Violation:** Mr. Olsen was disciplined by another jurisdiction after he prepared structural engineering plans that cited incorrect building codes, were under-designed and/or resulted in the over-stressing of floor framing, had inadequate shear walls for wind loads, and his prepared civil engineering plans did not meet generally accepted standards of the practice of engineering for a project in that jurisdiction. In addition, Mr. Olsen provided architectural services on this project without being licensed in the other jurisdiction as an architect. The disciplinary action was on matters that would constitute a violation of the Texas Engineering Practice Act or board rules. Specifically, Mr. Olsen performed any engineering function which, when measured by generally accepted engineering standards or procedures, is reasonably likely to result in the endangerment of lives, health, safety, property, or welfare of the public; failed to meet all of the applicable professional practice requirements of federal, state and local statutes, codes, regulations, rules, ordinances or standards in the performance of engineering services; and failed to practice engineering in a careful and diligent manner. Mr. Olsen did not properly and promptly notify the Board he had been disciplined by another jurisdiction's regulatory agency.

**Act/Rule Violated:** 22 Tex. Admin Code §§137.5(c), 137.55(b), 137.63(b)(1), 137.63(b)(6), and 137.65(b).

**Resolution:** One Year Probated Suspension.

## Solomon Onolunonse Esekheigbe, Katy, TX; Case Number D-43102

**Violation:** Mr. Esekheighe was convicted of a felony and sentenced to incarceration. Revocation of Mr. Esekheighe's Texas professional engineer license occurred by operation of law on the date Mr. Esekheighe was sentenced to incarceration.

**Act/Rule Violated:** 22 Tex. Admin. Code §139.43(a)(1), Texas Occupations Code, ch. 53. **Resolution:** Revocation of Texas professional engineer license by operation of law.