

STATE OF ALABAMA BOARD OF ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS 100 North Union St., Montgomery AL 36104

MINUTES OF SPECIAL CALLED BOARD MEETING
November 4, 2025

Public notice of this meeting was published on the Secretary of State's web site in accordance with the Alabama Open Meetings Act and advertised on the Board's web site at https://aecb.alabama.gov/.

The meeting was officially called to order at 11:01 a.m. Roll was called, and the following Board members were present: Michael Wilson, Theodore Blunt, Jr., David Smith, David Carpenter, Greg Koger, Anthony Nixon, John Britton, Frankie Tubbs, and Matthew Dudley. A quorum was present. Ellen Leonard serving as Board Attorney. Heating and Air Board staff present Jeffrey M. Becraft, Executive Director; Jennifer Hargrove, Paralegal (Meeting Secretary); HACR Board members present: Eddie Harper (via Zoom). Trace Zarr, with the Association of General Contractors (via Zoom) and Jason Reid with the Home Builders Association of Alabama were also present.

The Chairman called for a review of the minutes from the September 25, 2025, meeting. Mr. Dudley made a motion to approve the minutes and Mr. Koger seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

The Chairman then called for appearances. Mr. Jason Reid spoke to the Board about the drafted legislation to be introduced and the changes that may effect the bills passing.

The Board then began a review of the legislation. The following was removed from the draft:

Removing "safeguarding against electrical shock" to be addressed in the rules

Removing "Pool Bonding"

Removing the HBAA amendment to change the composition of the Board. The composition of the Board will not be amended from its current state.

Removing the HBAA amendment regarding exams and minimum scoring.

In addition, the following was added to the draft:

Modifications to Electrical Contractor definition.

Addition of Residential Electrician license lines.

Amending language regarding provisional licensees to grandfather to a residential electrician license beginning January 1, 2027.

Combination of Pool Bonding, Docks and Board Lifts.

Adding authority to specifically test on residential contracting.

The Chairman then called for the approval to pay expenses for meeting. Mr. Tubbs made a motion to approve payment for meetings, and Mr. Wilson seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by Mr. Britton to adjourn the meeting at 2:10 p.m. and Mr. Tubbs seconded the motion. The motion catried unanimously.

David Carpenter, Chairman

Jennifer Hangrove, Panalegal