## KENTUCKY BOARD OF RADON SAFETY BOARD MEETING MINUTES January 27, 2025

The regular Board meeting of the Kentucky Board of Radon Safety was held at the Department of Professional Licensing located at 500 Mero Street, Frankfort, KY 40601 and via Microsoft Teams, on January 27<sup>st</sup>, 2025.

MEMBERS PRESENT

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Chair Kyle Hoylman

Gary Denton (Non-voting Member)

Vice Chair Vance Walker

Dr. Stacey Stanifer

Steven Rice

Bruce Fergusson

Donald Karem(Non-voting Member)

**GUESTS** 

DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL LICENSING

Kyle Kendall Olivia Mckown

Anetha Sanford

Chris Nolan

Lyndsay Sipple, DPL Supervisor Robert Brossart, Board Administrator

## **CALL TO ORDER**

Kyle Hoylman called the meeting to order at 3:04 p.m.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

- Review of regulations from September 4th, 2024 draft.
  - o Review of certification fee and renewal time frames.
    - Based on budgetary requirements and to keep cost down.
  - Discussion regarding regulation on insurance liability requirements for radon measurement specialist. Concern presented that the regulation requirement would put small businesses out of business due to the cost of insurance.
  - o Statute is in place for Board to interpret for regulations.
  - Kentucky Revised Statute 309.442 covers insurance requirement Evidence of financial responsibility.
  - No exceptions regarding insurance requirement in following Kentucky Revised Statute 309.444.
  - o Inquiry was made if statute can be opened vs going through regulation regarding insurance. Opening a statute is a different process then proclamation of regulations.
    - Opening statute would have to take place during Legislative General Assembly.
      - Question for legal counsel.
      - Chris Nolan shared the Board can vote for the chair, members, or voted member to go to the Legislative General Assembly to ask/seek change of the statute. Legislative General Assembly is currently in session and not to late as Legislative General Assembly comes back together on February 4th, 2025.
      - Discussion to remove measurement from KRS 309.442.

- Kyle Hoylman entertained motion for Chair (Kyle Hoylman) to attend and advocate to Legislative General Assembly the revise statute by removing measurement from 309.442. Bruce Furgesson made motion. Vance Walker seconded. Roll call vote:
  - Bruce Furgesson Yes
  - Steve Rice Yes
  - Stacey Stanifer Yes
  - Vance Walker Yes
  - Kyle Hoylman Yes

Motion carries with voting 5-0.

• Regulations were adopted at regular board meeting on 1/21/2025. Regulation draft to be cleaned up and circulated to board members and 10 to 15 minutes special meeting to be called.

## **ADJOURN**

Steve Rice made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 4:10 p.m. Motion seconded by Vance Walker, and all being in favor, the motion carried.

Kyle Hoylman, Chair