Department of Commerce Professional Licensing Bureau

## BEFORE THE IOWA ENGINEERING AND LAND SURVEYING EXAMIN

IN THE MATTER OF:	)	Signature, Executive Afficar
	)	CASE NO. #10-17(PDH) Executive Afficer
Martin Bretschneider	)	
	)	REVISED
PE #17801	)	CONSENT ORDER ON
	)	STIPULATED CHARGES
	)	
RESPONDENT	)	
	)	

The lowa Engineering and Land Surveying Examining Board (Board) and **Martin Bretschneider** (Respondent) enter into this Consent Order pursuant to lowa Code sections 17A and 272C.3(4)(2009) and 193C – lowa Administrative Code 3.4(10).

- 1. The Board has jurisdiction of this matter pursuant to lowa Code chapters 17A, 272C, and 542B (2009).
- 2. The Respondent is a X Licensed Professional Engineer. On **December 7**, 2009, the Respondent submitted an Application for Licensure Renewal indicating the completion of 16 professional development hours (PDH). On **February 21**, 2010, the Respondent provided documentation of the PDH acquired; the Board noted that all PDH was acquired online, exceeding the limit of 10 per biennium. The Respondent is now 20 PDH short of the requirement for the renewal of this license.
- 3. In lieu of prosecuting a first offense concerning the board's continuing education requirements for renewal set forth in Iowa Code sections 272C and 542B (2009) and 193C IAC chapters 3 and 7, the Board and Respondent have agreed to enter into a consent order, pursuant to 193C IAC 3.4(10).
- 4. This Order shall be part of the permanent record of the Respondent and shall be considered by the board in determining the nature and severity of any disciplinary action imposed in the event of future violations.
- 5. This Consent Order is public record, available for inspection and copying in accordance with the requirements of lowa Code chapter 22 (2009).
- 6. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Order shall be grounds for disciplinary action pursuant to Iowa Code section 272C.3(2)(a) (2009). However, no action may be taken against the Respondent for violation of these provisions without a hearing or waiver of hearing.
- 7 Respondent has read and understands the Board's continuing education requirements for renewal, and agrees to abide by them in the future.

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- 8. This order is subject to approval by the Board.
- If the Board fails to approve this Order, it shall be of no force (a) or effect on either party, and it shall not be admissible for any purpose in further proceedings in this matter.
- (b) If the Board approves this Order, it shall fully dispose of all issues in this case.

## IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- A. Respondent shall pay a civil penalty of \$200.00 within thirty days of receipt of this executed document.
- Respondent shall complete 20 professional development hours. B. Documentation of the completion of the PDH shall be submitted to the board office on or before July 1, 2010. These PDH will not apply to the next renewal reporting period.

Respondent / Craig Johnstone, PE, Chair

Iowa Engineering and Land Surveying Examining Board