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PROFESSIONAL LICENSING AND REGULATION DIVISION
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Mr. Merle W. Rambo
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CERTIFIED MAIL

Dear Mr. Rambo:

The Architectural Examining Board recently reviewed your case and the various documents associates with the investigation of this matter.

The agreement signed by Ms. Linda L. Grim, President Davis County Community School District and yourself and dated July 13, 1987, refers to you as the architect, specifically paragraph 15.9.

While there may have been some misunderstanding as to the length of the process in obtaining the Iowa registration, as professionals we must ensure that the public or any user of services is not mislead or deceived. We must make every effort to maintain the users trust and confidence in our profession.

It appears as though you conveyed your registration situation to the superintendent; however, a third party may interpret the agreement to have been signed by a registered architect, when in fact you were not registered.

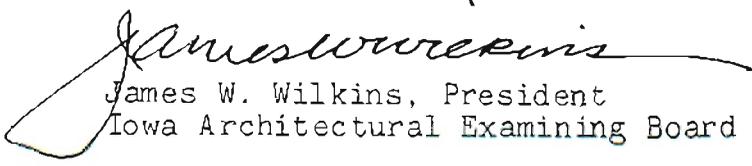
In order to put this issue to rest the Board is issuing this reprimand as well as referring our knowledge of this matter to the State Auditor's Office for inclusion in their audit of the Davis Community School District.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact the Board office.

The Board considers this matter closed, but reserves the right to reopen this case if an instance of this type should occur again.

On behalf of the Board, I would like to thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,



James W. Wilkins, President
Iowa Architectural Examining Board

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