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1001 Preston Street, 9th Floor

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1:30 p.m.

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A P P E A R A N C E S

1  
2 Mike Fields, Chairman

3 Glenn Strickland, Vice Chairman

4 Morgan Dahse, designee for District Attorney Kim Ogg

5 Bill Henderson designee for Ed Emmett

6 Asst. Chief D. Schmidt designee for Sheriff Ed Gonzalez

7 David Chang, designee for Orlando Sanchez

8 Honorable Armando Rodriguez

9 Honorable Pena Garcia, des., for Judge E. Marshall

10 Paul Coselli, designee for Chris Daniel

11 Tommy Ramsey, County Attorney's Office

12 Sergeant D. Meade, Harris County Sheriff's Office

13 Gregory Cox, Harris County Sheriff's Office

14 Artra Lewis, Recorder, Harris County Sheriff's Office

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1 P R O C E E D I N G S

2 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Quorum. I'll let  
3 everyone introduce themselves starting with the  
4 Sheriff's Office. Chief ...

5 ASST. CHIEF SCHMIDT: Debra Schmidt,  
6 Assistant Chief, Harris County Sheriff's Office.

7 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Mr. Henderson.

8 MR. HENDERSON: Bill Henderson,  
9 Judge Ed Emmett's office.

10 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Mr. --

11 MR. CHANG: David Chang, Treasurer's  
12 Office.

13 HONORABLE GARCIA: Judge Garcia, Municipal  
14 Courts.

15 MS. DAHSE: Morgan Dahse for Kim Ogg,  
16 District Attorney.

17 MR. STRICKLAND: Glenn Strickland for the  
18 bonding community.

19 HONORABLE RODRIGUEZ: Armando Rodriguez for  
20 the justice of the peace.

21 MR. COSELLI: Paul Coselli for Harris  
22 County, District Clerk Chris Daniel.

23 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: And I'm Judge Mike Fields  
24 representing the Harris County Criminal Courts.

25 The first item of business today is an

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1 approval of the minutes from the April meeting. Is  
2 there a motion?

3 MR. STRICKLAND: Motion.

4 MR. HENDERSON: Second.

5 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Any discussion? All  
6 those in favor, please signify by saying aye.

7 THE BOARD: Aye.

8 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Opposed by the same sign.  
9 Motion carries. There are two requests -- and I'm going  
10 to take these out of order -- to table both an item of  
11 old business from Accredited Surety & Casualty, Inc.,  
12 and new business, Financial Casualty & Surety, Inc.,  
13 involving Sheba Muharib.

14 Does anyone have any objection to tabling  
15 those matters until our next regularly scheduled  
16 meeting?

17 ASST. CHIEF SCHMIDT: No, sir, none from  
18 the Sheriff's Office.

19 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Those items are tabled.

20 Next up is an item of old business from  
21 Sunya Rachell Claiborne doing business as All About Bail  
22 Bonds, #2 at 313 Rankin Road, Suite B, Houston, Texas  
23 77003.

24 Ma'am, would you please raise your right  
25 hand to be sworn?

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1 (Witness sworn.)

2 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Thank you, ma'am. This  
3 is an unknown license number. It's a request for a new  
4 license. Phone number: (281) 784-2474. This is a  
5 request for a two-year license.

6 Are there any issues from the State?

7 MS. DAHSE: No. Everything looks good from  
8 the DA's office.

9 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: From the Sheriff's  
10 Office?

11 ASST. CHIEF SCHMIDT: As long as it looks  
12 good from the DA's office. Ms. Claiborne has been  
13 working with the District Attorney's Office in reference  
14 to the property collateral. So if that's been cleared,  
15 there's no objection.

16 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Fantastic. Is there a  
17 motion?

18 MR. STRICKLAND: Just to clarify, this  
19 phone number here, when you were here before --

20 MS. CLAIBORNE: Uh-huh.

21 MR. STRICKLAND: -- we said that had been  
22 approved.

23 MS. CLAIBORNE: Yes.

24 MR. STRICKLAND: -- in another meeting  
25 under another number, is a back number.

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1 MS. CLAIBORNE: It's a back number.

2 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Is there a motion?

3 MR. STRICKLAND: Motion.

4 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Second?

5 ASST. CHIEF SCHMIDT: Second.

6 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: All those in favor,  
7 please signify by saying aye.

8 THE BOARD: Aye.

9 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Opposed by the same sign.  
10 Motion carries. The next item of business --

11 MS. CLAIBORNE: Thank you.

12 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Thank you, ma'am -- is an  
13 item of new business. It's a request for a new license  
14 by Financial Casualty & Surety, Incorporated,  
15 Agent Todderick Holmes doing business as Clutch City  
16 Bail Bonds, 4141 North Freeway, Suite 124, Houston,  
17 Texas 77022. This is a request for a new license so  
18 there is no number. The phone number is (713) 568-6060.  
19 This is a request for a two-year license.

20 Sir, would you raise your right hand to  
21 be sworn?

22 (Witness sworn.)

23 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Thank you, sir. Any  
24 issues from the State?

25 MS. DAHSE: We previously had 16



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1 outstanding judgments against Financial and I've just  
2 been handed receipts. I think those are paid, but if we  
3 could just have a quick second so I can --

4 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Okay.

5 MS. DAHSE -- clarify that.

6 MR. COSELLI: While you're checking those,  
7 were those receipts by cashier's check or by company  
8 check?

9 FEMALE: We (Inaudible.) company check --

10 MS. DAHSE: Company.

11 FEMALE: -- from Financial Casualty &  
12 Surety.

13 MR. STRICKLAND: So you really want to get  
14 in the bail bond in Houston?

15 FEMALE: (Inaudible.)

16 MR. STRICKLAND: What business there is ...

17 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Where are you doing  
18 business, ma'am?

19 MR. HOLMES: In Brazoria County.

20 MR. STRICKLAND: You do understand all the  
21 issues going on, federal issues ...

22 MR. HOLMES: Absolutely.

23 MR. STRICKLAND: All that sort of stuff ...

24 MR. HOLMES: Sure do.

25 ASST. CHIEF SCHMIDT: Does the company have

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1 have a policy that in the event of forfeitures, that the  
2 agent must notify the insurance company?

3 FEMALE: I'm sorry. If you mean in lieu of  
4 us receiving notice from the State or ...

5 ASST. CHIEF SCHMIDT: Yes -- not in lieu of  
6 but in addition to.

7 MR. COSELLI: In addition to.

8 FEMALE: I would presume so. I don't know  
9 the answer to that off the top of my head, but I would  
10 imagine. I can get you an answer to that if I ...

11 ASST. CHIEF SCHMIDT: Sure. Thank you.

12 MS. DAHSE: Sorry for the delay. I looked  
13 over -- everything's good.

14 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: No issues from the State.

15 MS. DAHSE: No issues from the State.

16 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Any from the Sheriff's  
17 Office?

18 ASST. CHIEF SCHMIDT: No issues.

19 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Is there a motion?

20 MR. STRICKLAND: Motion.

21 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Second?

22 ASST. CHIEF SCHMIDT: Second.

23 CHAIRMAN FIELDS: All those in favor,  
24 please signify by saying aye.

25 THE BOARD: Aye.

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CHAIRMAN FIELDS: Opposed by the same sign.

Motion carries.

Mr. Pruett not being here, I trust we don't have to worry about the modifications.

MR. STRICKLAND: Right. And Butera --

MS. DAHSE: And Mr. Butera is out, too.

MR. STRICKLAND: -- not here.

MS. DAHSE: I know he wants to be present.

CHAIRMAN FIELDS: So is there a motion to adjourn?

MR. STRICKLAND: Motion.

CHAIRMAN FIELDS: We are adjourned.

(Meeting adjourned at 1:35 p.m.)



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1 STATE OF TEXAS )

2 COUNTY OF HARRIS )

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4 I, Trevor Causey, do hereby certify that the  
5 facts as stated by me in the caption hereto are true;  
6 that the above and foregoing transcript of the  
7 proceedings was taken in stenograph, reduced to  
8 typewriting under my direction, and is a full, true and  
9 correct transcript of the proceedings.

10 I further certify that I am not, in any  
11 capacity, a regular employee of the party in whose  
12 behalf this transcript was taken, nor in the regular  
13 employee of any attorney; and I certify that I am not  
14 interested in the cause, nor of kin or counsel to any of  
15 the parties.

16 GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, on this, the 19th day of  
17 July, 2018.

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