

**MINUTES
PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR AND
SECURITY GUARD LICENSING BOARD
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2025**

CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM **9:08 a.m.**

Brad Hoffeditz called the meeting to order at 9:08 a.m. and declared a quorum in accordance with Ind. Code § 25-4.

Board Members Present:
Cole Smith - VIRTUAL
Laura Brown - VIRTUAL
Brenda McGinley
Brad Hoffeditz
Jeff Nesbitt – arrived 9:11

Board Members Absent:
None

Staff present:
Amy Hall, Board Director
Chris Shea-Russell, Assistant Board Director
Connie Adams, OLM
Leif Johnson, Board Counsel
Heather Orbaugh

ALL VOTES ROLL CALL VOTE

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

Motion was made to adopt the amended agenda with the addition of the proposed rule change.

Motion made and seconded by Brenda McGinley/Laura Brown

Motion passes 4/0/0

Laura Brown	yay
Cole Smith	yay
Brenda McGinley	yay
Brad Hoffeditz	yay

ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES FROM OCTOBER 1, 2025 MEETING

Motion made to adopt the minutes of the October 1, 2025, meeting.

Motion made and seconded by Jeff Nesbitt/Laura Brown

Motion passes 4/0/0

Laura Brown	yay
Cole Smith	yay
Brenda McGinley	yay

Brad Hoffeditz yay

REPORT FROM THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Ian Mathew provided a report from the OAG. There are 6 investigative files open.

ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

Protection Plus, Inc – Cause No: 202510-PSG-0002 – Administrative Complaint Continued

We Secure U LLC – Cause No: 20251010-PISG-0001 – Application Denial Appeal

A representative for We Secure did not appear before the Board.

Motion made and seconded to by Brenda McGinley/Jeff Nesbitt to issue a Notice of Proposed Dismissal.

Motion passes 5/0/0

Laura Brown yay
Cole Smith yay
Brenda McGinley yay
Brad Hoffeditz yay
Jeff Nesbitt yay

The respondent appeared late, after the matter was called – 9:35 – It was recommended to issue a Notice to Vacate the Proposed Dismissal.

Motion made and seconded to by Brenda McGinley/Cole Smith to vacate the Notice of Proposed Dismissal.

Motion passes 5/0/0

Laura Brown yay
Cole Smith yay
Brenda McGinley yay
Brad Hoffeditz yay
Jeff Nesbitt yay

Taylor's Security LLC – Cause No: 202541-PISG-0003 – Cease & Desist

A representative for Taylor's Security did not appear. Ian Mathew appeared on behalf of the state and recommended a Notice of Proposed Default be issued since the respondent did not appear.

Motion made and seconded to issue a Notice of Proposed Default Brenda McGinley/Jeff Nesbitt.

Motion passes 5/0/0

Laura Brown	yay
Cole Smith	yay
Brenda McGinley	yay
Brad Hoffeditz	yay
Jeff Nesbitt	yay

PERSONAL APPEARANCES

Blue Line Solutions, LLC – Dwayne Buretz – New Agency

Dwayne Buretz appeared before the Board to discuss his application with the Board. He is not either a 1099 or W2 experience, but through K1, which is associated with his LLC. The majority of his experience is based through law enforcement in Illinois.

Motion made and seconded by Brenda McGinley/Cole Smith to approve the application based on experience.

Motion passes 5/0/0

Laura Brown	yay
Cole Smith	yay
Brenda McGinley	yay
Brad Hoffeditz	yay
Jeff Nesbitt	yay

APPLICATION REVIEW

None

DISCUSSION

Proposed Rule Change

The Board reviewed the proposed rule change pertaining to the addition of late fees when renewing a license after the expiration date.

Motion made and seconded to approve the proposed rule change as presented by Brenda McGinley/Laura Brown.

Motion passes 5/0/0

Laura Brown	yay
Cole Smith	yay
Brenda McGinley	yay
Brad Hoffeditz	yay

Jeff Nesbitt yay

2026 Meeting Dates

ADJOURNMENT – 9:45