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**DENNIS K. SHIGEOKA,**

**FINAL DECISION AND ORDER**

**RESPONDENT**

**LS0110261ENG**

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The parties to this action for the purpose of Wis. Stats. sec. 227.53 are:

Dennis K. Shigeoka

1630 W. Northern Ave.

Phoenix, AZ 85021-5464

State of Wisconsin Examining Board of Architects, Landscape Architects,

Professional Engineers, Designers and Land Surveyors

Professional Engineer section

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The parties in this matter agree to the terms and conditions of the attached Stipulation as the final disposition of this matter, subject to the approval of the Board. The Board has reviewed this Stipulation and considers it acceptable.

Accordingly, the Board in this matter adopts the attached Stipulation and makes the following:

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

1. **Dennis K. Shigeoka.** ("Shigeoka"), date of birth 12/07/45, is licensed in the State of Wisconsin as a professional engineer having license # 6-33397. This license was first granted to him on 04/08/99.
2. Shigeoka's most recent address on file with the Department of Regulation and Licensing is 1630 W. Northern Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85021.
3. On or about December 18, 2000, the Arizona Board of Technical Registration imposed discipline against the license of Shigeoka to practice engineering in Arizona. The Board action was based on findings that Shigeoka "signed and sealed a professional document not prepared by him or his *bona fide* employee". A copy of the Arizona Consent Agreement and Order is attached as **Exhibit 1** and is incorporated herein by reference.

**CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

1. The State of Wisconsin Examining Board of Architects, Landscape Architects, Professional Engineers, Designers and Land Surveyors has jurisdiction to act in this matter and is authorized to enter into the attached Stipulation pursuant to sec. 443.11(1), Wis. Stats.
2. Respondent **Dennis K. Shigeoka** has violated:

a. Wisconsin Administrative Code sections A-E 8.03(3)(c) and A-E 8.10(1) and sections 443.17 and 443.11(1)(b) of the Wisconsin Statutes for the reason that he signed, sealed or stamped plans, drawings, documents, specifications or reports for architectural, landscape architectural, professional engineering or design practice which were not prepared by him or under his or her personal direction and control.

### ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the attached Stipulation is

hereby accepted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the **Voluntary Surrender** of Professional Engineer license of Respondent **Dennis K. Shigeoka**, license #6-33397, is hereby accepted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that all rights and privileges hereto granted to Respondent **Dennis K. Shigeoka** pursuant to professional engineer license #6-33397 are forever terminated effective at 11:59 P.M. on the date of this Order as set forth below.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that respondent **Dennis K. Shigeoka**, and any entity owned or controlled in part by him, shall not be granted a credential under chapter 443 of the Wisconsin Statutes at any time in the future. The denial, in whole or in part, of any petition or license application by **Dennis K. Shigeoka**, or any entity owned or controlled in part by him, for a credential authorized under chapter 443 of the Wisconsin Statutes shall not constitute denial of a license and shall not give rise to a contested case within the meaning of sections 227.01(3) and 227.42 of the Wisconsin Statutes.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that file 01 ENG 004 is, closed.

Dated this 26<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2001.

PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS SECTION

Harvey Shebesta

A Member of the Section