

**OHIO STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR  
PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND SURVEYORS**

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**State Board Issues Final Order**

In September 2011 **Planning and Design Services Inc.**, a firm located in Zanesville, Ohio, was charged with violations of Ohio Revised Code Sections 4733.16 and 4733.20(A) (1) and (5) for providing surveying services in the State of Ohio at a time when the firm's Certificate of Authorization was expired. Planning and Design Services Inc. attempted to reinstate their Certificate of Authorization but the Board's investigation revealed that the professional surveyor listed as responsible for and in responsible charge of the professional surveying activities and decisions of the firm was not a full-time employee of the firm. At its meeting on January 19, 2012 the Board issued a final order to deny Planning and Design Services Inc.'s Certificate of Authorization.

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