

**MINUTES
PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR AND
SECURITY GUARD LICENSING BOARD
THURSDAY, MAY 13, 2026**

CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM 9:00 a.m.

Cole Smith called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. and declared a quorum in accordance with Ind. Code § 25-4.

Board Members Present:

Cole Smith

Laura Brown

Brad Hoffeditz

Jeff Nesbitt - Virtual

Board Members Absent:

Brenda McGinley

Staff present:

Amy Hall, Board Director

Chris Shea-Russell, Assistant Board Director

Connie Adams, OLM

Leif Johnson, Board Counsel

Lindy Meyer, Court Reporter

ALL VOTES ROLL CALL VOTE

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

Motion was made to adopt the agenda

Motion made and seconded by Brad Hoffeditz

Motion passes 4/0/0

Jeff Nesbitt	yay
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Cole Smith	yay
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Laura Brown	yay
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Brad Hoffeditz	yay
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ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES FROM FEBRUARY 12, 2026, MEETING

Motion made to adopt the minutes of the February 12, 2026, meeting.

Motion made and seconded by Brad Hoffeditz/Laura Brown

Motion passes 4/0/0

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

REPORT FROM THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

A report was provided by Katie Kramer from the OAG. There are 8 investigative files open and no open litigation files.

ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

WE SECURE U LLC – 202510-PISG-0001 – Petition of Denied License

Did not appear on his petition.

Motion made and seconded by Jeff Nesbitt/Cole Smith to issue a Notice of Proposed Default/Dismissal

Motion passes 4/0/0

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

PERSONAL APPEARANCES

NONE

APPLICATION REVIEW

NONE

DISCUSSION

Rule Discussion – Jeff Nesbitt

Jeff Nesbitt opened the rule discussion with the Board and a few loopholes in the process. He wanted to bring to the attention 874 IAC rules. Recommendations to review the application as it is written should be taken into consideration.

Jeff Nesbitt also discussed 1099 versus W2 employees. The Board does not have jurisdiction on how businesses hire their employees whether it is subcontracting or W2 staff. This is not within the Board's purview.

ADJOURNMENT – 9:43

