

State of West Virginia

Real Estate Commission

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The Honorable Joe Manchin, III Governor of West Virginia State Capitol 1900 Kanawha Blvd., East Charleston, WV 25305

Dear Governor Manchin:

Enclosed please find the annual report of the Real Estate Commission for the period ending June 30, 2010, which includes a Directory of Licensed Real Estate Brokers and Salespersons 2009-2010. This report is being filed in compliance with the provisions of W. Va. Code § 30-1-12(b).

Respectfully,

Chairman

Secretary

Enc.

President of the Senate w/enc. CC: w/enc. Speaker of the House Clerk of the Senate w/enc. Clerk of the House w/enc. Secretary of State w/enc. Legislative Librarian w/enc. **Culture & History** w/enc.

WEST VIRGINIA REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

2009-2010 ANNUAL REPORT

JOE MANCHIN, III GOVERNOR

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FUNCTIONS OF THE WEST VIRGINIA REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

The functional objectives of the Real Estate Commission are to administer the provisions of the West Virginia Real Estate License Act in such a manner as to protect the public's best interest and welfare in their real estate dealings through agents. (Chapter 30, Article 40, Code of West Virginia).

The programs of this agency can be generally classified into Administration and Enforcement. These functions include:

- A) Process and qualify applications for licenses
- B) Investigate and test applicants
- C) Issue licenses to qualified applicants
- D) Inspect licensed agents for conformance with the Act
- E) Investigate complaints
- F) Investigate unlicensed activity
- G) Conduct hearings for possible suspension or revocation of a license
- H) Renew licenses
- Regulate and accredit schools and instructors offering real estate courses to applicants for real estate license

Serving the public's best interest and welfare is paramount in the effective administration of the Real Estate License Act.

WEST VIRGINIA REAL ESTATE COMMISSION STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE PERIOD JULY 1 THROUGH JUNE 30

REVENUE	2008-2009	2009-2010
License Fees: Broker Salesperson Branch Office Replacement Late Fees Examination Fees Certifications Course Registration Fees Other Revenue	174,600 361,800 16,200 9,090 12,220 13,200 2,430 4,200 8,388	169,800 337,600 14,700 7,140 17,290 12,300 1,230 7,050 4,469
TOTAL REVENUE	602,128	571,579
DISBURSEMENTS		
Personal Services Employee Benefits Office Expense Printing Office Rent Telephone Professional Services Travel Information Systems (IS&C) Equipment Maint. & Rental Association Dues Insurance Hospitality Postage & Freight Misc. Equipment	324,170 89,833 3,810 5,8626 47,156 1,461 30,409 39,963 11,422 6,528 1,160 2,920 4,998 10,759 28,782	318,882 96,195 3,618 6,060 46,330 1,549 31,025 34,671 10,019 6,528 1,160 2,924 1,835 6,503 492
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	609,233	<u>567,791</u>
EXCESS REVENUE OVER DISBURSEMENTS	<u><7,105></u>	3,788

WEST VIRGINIA REAL ESTATE COMMISSION LICENSE STATISTICS JULY 1 THROUGH JUNE 30

	2008-2009	2009-2010
Brokers, Associate Brokers & Branch Offices Licensed	1,908	1,845
Salespersons Licensed	<u>7,236</u>	6,752
Total Licensed	<u>9,144</u>	<u>8,597</u>

EXAMINATION STATISTICS

	2008-2009	2009-2010
Broker Examinations	78	82
Passed	35	40
Percentage	45%	49%
Failed	43	42
Percentage	55%	51%
Salesperson Examinations	450	410
Passed	305	300
Percentage	68%	73%
Failed	145	110
Percentage	32%	27%

WEST VIRGINIA REAL ESTATE COMMISSION COMPLAINTS RECEIVED JULY 1, 2009 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2010

COMPLAINT#	RECEIVED	DISPOSITION
P-10-001	07/14/09	Dismissed
C-10-002	07/15/09	Pending End of Year
P-10-003	07/24/09	Dismissed
L-10-004	07/28/09	Dismissed
L-10-005	08/05/09	Hearing
P-10-006	08/11/09	Dismissed
P-10-007	08/13/09	Dismissed
P-10-008	08/24/09	Dismissed
L-10-009	08/21/09	Dismissed
P-10-010	09/08/09	Dismissed
P-10-011	09/14/09	Dismissed
C-10-012	09/17/09	Pending End of Year
C-10-013	09/17/09	Dismissed
P-10-014	09/18/09	Dismissed
P-10-015	09/25/09	Dismissed
P-10-016	10/05/09	Dismissed
P-10-017	10/13/09	Dismissed
P-10-018	10/19/09	Dismissed
P-10-019	10/19/09	Pending End of Year
P-10-020	10/22/09	Dismissed
P-10-021	10/30/09	Pending End of Year
L-10-022	11/17/09	Dismissed
P-10-023	11/20/09	Dismissed
P-10-024	12/02/09	Pending End of Year
L-10-025	12/04/09	Dismissed
P-10-026	12/07/09	Dismissed
C-10-027	12/10/09	Pending End of Year
P-10-028	01/11/10	Pending End of Year
P-10-029	01/15/10	Dismissed
L-10-030	01/15/10	Consent
P-10-031	01/22/10	Dismissed
P-10-032	01/28/10	Dismissed
P-10-033	02/10/10	Dismissed
P-10-034	02/12/10	Dismissed
L-10-035	02/18/10	Consent
P-10-036	03/18/10	Pending End of Year
P-10-037	03/25/10	Pending End of Year
P-10-038	04/08/10	Dismissed
P-10-039	04/15/10	Dismissed
C-10-040	04/29/10	Pending End of Year
P-10-041	05/07/10	Dismissed
P-10-042	05/24/10	Pending End of Year
C-10-043	06/17/10	Pending End of Year
P-10-044	06/28/10	Pending End of Year
C-10-045	06/30/10	Pending End of Year

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