



Alabama Electronic Security Board of Licensure
Board Meeting
Tuesday, November 18, 2025, 9:30 a.m.
Halcyon Pointe—Building I
7515 Halcyon Summit Drive
Montgomery, Alabama 36117

After a public hearing on the proposed Rules changes, Morgan Garner, Chairman, called the meeting to order at approximately 9:39 a.m. at Halcyon Pointe—Building I in Montgomery, Alabama, as posted on the Secretary of State’s website and the AESBL website. Mr. Garner asked Janet Robinson, Executive Director, to call the roll. Members present: Morgan Garner, Geoff Wilson, Scott Motes, and James Turner. Sheriff Derrick Cunningham and Seanne’ Warrior were not in attendance.

I. Quorum:

A quorum was present. Vania Hosea from the Alabama Attorney General’s Office certified the quorum.

II. Minutes of September 8, 2025, Board Meeting:

Mr. Garner asked members to review the minutes for the September 8, 2025, Board Meeting. Motion to approve the minutes was made by Mr. Motes. Second by Mr. Turner. All were in favor. None opposed. Motion carried.

III. Discussion of Relevant Concerns:

Robert Gibbs from NRG/Vivint, Inc., addressed the Board to express appreciation for the AESBL staff and board members in establishing licensing reciprocity.

IV. Permitting of Licensing of Companies for 2024/2025 and 2025/2026 and 2026/2027:

Mr. Garner called for a motion on the sixty-two (62) companies that were licensed from July 1, 2025, to September 30, 2025.

For 2024/2025—Of the 62 companies, eleven (11) were licensed for 2024/2025. A motion to approve the licenses of the 11 companies was made by Mr. Wilson. Second by Mr. Motes. All were in favor. None opposed. Motion carried.

For 2025/2026—Of the 62 companies, twelve (12) were licensed for 2025/2026. A motion to approve the licenses of the 12 companies was made by Mr. Wilson. Second by Mr. Motes. All were in favor. None opposed. Motion carried.

For 2026/2027—Of the 62 companies, thirty-nine (39) were licensed for 2026/2027. A motion to approve the licenses of the 39 companies, effective January 1, 2026, was made by Mr. Motes. Second by Mr. Turner. All were in favor. None opposed. Motion carried.

NOTE: During the fourth quarter of FY2025, twenty (20) new companies were licensed.

Permitting of Licensing of Individuals for 2024/2025 and 2025/2026 and 2026/2027:

Mr. Garner called for a motion on the one hundred ninety-two (192) individuals who were licensed with background checks from July 1, 2025, to September 30, 2025.

For 2024/2025—Of the 192 individuals, seventy (70) were licensed for 2024/2025. A motion to approve the licenses of the 70 individuals was made by Mr. Motes. Second by Mr. Wilson. All were in favor. None opposed. Motion carried.

For 2025/2026—Of the 192 individuals, sixty-five (65) were licensed for 2025/2026. A motion to approve the licenses of the 65 individuals was made by Mr. Garner. Second by Mr. Motes. All were in favor. None opposed. Motion carried.

For 2026/2027—Of the 192 individuals, fifty-seven (57) were licensed for 2026/2027. A motion to approve the licenses of the 57 individuals, effective January 1, 2026, was made by Mr. Motes. Second by Mr. Turner. All were in favor. None opposed. Motion carried.

NOTE: During the fourth quarter of FY2025, one hundred two (102) new individuals were licensed.

V. Items to Discuss:

Vote on Rule Changes following the Public Hearing:

Tom Dart with the Automobile Dealers Association of Alabama petitioned the Board to add an amendment to the classification of a Vehicle Security Professional to ensure that new dealerships remain exempt from the licensing category. A motion to adopt the Rules changes to 304-X-1-.01, 304-X-1-.03, including Mr. Dart's amendment, 304-X-1-.05, 304-X-1-.07, and the new section 304-X-1-.12, was made by Mr. Motes. Second by Mr. Wilson. All were in favor. None opposed. Motion carried.

A. Proposal: BadgePass Digital ID Badge:

Due to more information needed, this item was carried over from the August board meeting. Todd Pierce from BadgePass appeared before the Board to answer questions. After a discussion, board members agreed to a digital ID card with a \$5.00 per year increase on individual and Qualifying Agent fees to offset the yearly subscription and service contract costs. A motion to approve the purchase of a BadgeHub Connect Printer was made by Mr. Garner. Second by Mr. Motes. All were in favor. None opposed.

A motion to approve a proposed Rule change for a \$5.00 per year increase in fees for individuals and Qualifying Agents was made by Mr. Motes. Second by Mr. Garner. All were in favor. None opposed. Motion carried. NOTE: The proposed Rule change will be open for discussion during a Public Hearing on February 17, 2026.

B. Licensing Inquiry: Prime-Net:

Darren Boyer addressed the Board via telephone to describe the scope of work conducted by Prime-Net regarding trailers with CCTV security capability being leased/sold to contractors in the State of Alabama. Because of Prime-Net's hands on installation, facilitation, and troubleshooting of such trailers, the Board determined that the company and anyone entering the state would need to be licensed.

C. Automotive Certification: Automotive 101 and Automotive 102:

A motion to amend the agenda to include the topic of automotive certification was made by Mr. Motes. Second by Mr. Wilson. All were in favor. None opposed. Motion carried.

AJ Doody addressed the Board regarding certification courses Automotive 101 and Automotive 102 specifically for the new licensing classification for a Vehicle Security Professional. Mr. Doody reminded the Board that the courses had already been approved for continuing education credit. A proctored exam will be required for certification. A motion to accept Automotive 101 and Automotive 102 for certification was made by Mr. Wilson. Second by Mr. Motes. All were in favor. None opposed. Motion carried.

VI. Executive Session:

The Board did not enter Executive Session.

VII. AESBL FY2025 Budget—4th Quarter:

Ms. Robinson presented reports reflecting deposits and payments made in the fourth quarter of FY2025. The comprehensive budgetary reports for the fourth quarter and end-of-year for FY2025 included the following: Cash Reconciliation Report as of September 30, 2025, a year-over-year Budget Analysis, a FY2025 Net/Loss Income Report as of September 30, 2025, and a Deposit/Expenditure Quarterly Change Report from previous fiscal year and previous licensing period. Ms. Robinson also provided the Board with a copy of the ledger for the fourth quarter FY2025.

FY2027 Budget Request:

Ms. Robinson presented the documentation showing that the Budget Request for FY2027 had been submitted to the Executive Budget Office (EBO) on October 07, 2025. A motion to approve the FY2027 budget was made by Mr. Wilson. Second by Mr. Motes. All were in favor. None opposed. Motion carried.

VIII. Other Business:

A. Dates for 2026 Board Meetings:

Ms. Robinson presented the meeting dates for 2026. Dates and locations are listed on the Secretary of State's website as well as the AESBL website.

B. Legal Compliance Audit Report:

Ms. Robinson presented the Legal Compliance Audit Report received from the Alabama Department of Examiners of Public Accounts. The time frame of the audit was from October 1, 2021 (FY2022) to September 30, 2024 (FY2024). There were no findings in the report.

C. Update: Board Member Nominations:

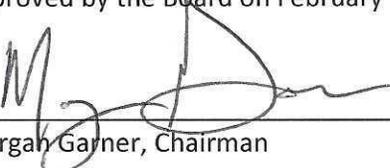
Ms. Robinson updated the Board as to the status of member nominations. A letter to re-nominate Mr. Garner has been received by the Governor's office. A letter to nominate a new Consumer Representative has been received by the Governor's office. Sheriff Cunningham and the Sheriff's Association are still searching for a person to nominate.

D. Next Scheduled Board Meeting: Tuesday, February 17, 2026

Adjourn:

Motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Turner. Second by Mr. Motes. All were in favor. None opposed. Motion carried. The Board adjourned at 10:44 a.m.

Approved by the Board on February 17, 2026.



Morgan Garner, Chairman



Janet Robinson, Executive Director