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**Construction Contractors Board Revokes License of
Rob's Custom Interiors, Inc**

On July 25, 2006, the Oregon Construction Contractors Board (CCB) ordered the revocation of the CCB license for Portland area contractor, Rob's Custom Interiors, Inc. (RCI), license number 166823.

"Taking away a contractor's license is a drastic measure," says Craig P. Smith, Administrator. "But it's a measure which must be taken when a contractor has provided false information to the State."

The CCB issued an emergency suspension of RCI's contractor license on July 2, 2006 based on sufficient findings that corporate officers, Robert D. Moore, age 42, of Gresham and Bradley L. Thomas, age 51, address unknown, knowingly provided false information to the board and engaged in conduct that is dishonest or fraudulent and injurious to the welfare of the public.

The Notice of Emergency Suspension included a Notice of Intent to Revoke, which gave RCI 21 days to request a hearing. The CCB did not receive a hearing request from the contractor.

RCI is also known to conduct construction business in the Manzanita and Rockaway Beach areas.

Moore and Thomas each have previous CCB licenses with outstanding construction debt with the CCB. Moore's debt for disputes processed, total over \$5000 and Thomas owes more than \$13,000 in civil penalties.

In June 2005, Thomas, on behalf of RCI entered into a payment agreement with Oregon Bureau of Labor and Industries (BOLI) for failure to pay prevailing wage to employees. A total of \$13,276.22

was assessed in unpaid wages and penalties. RCI made a partial payment but did not pay the more than \$8,800 balance.

Thomas is named as a defendant in Clackamas County for one count Theft of Identity and two counts of Theft I.

The CCB is the state agency licensing more than 43,000 contractors. Anyone who is paid to repair, improve or build a home must be licensed by the CCB. Consumers can verify a contractor's license and find information for successful projects at www.oregon.gov/CCB or by calling 503-378-4621.

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