

STATE OF FLORIDA  
DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION  
BOARD OF LAND SURVEYORS

In Re Petition for Declaratory	*	
Statement	*	
	*	CASE NO. <u>DS 82-01</u>
Florida Society of Professional	*	
Land Surveyors	*	

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FINAL ORDER OF THE BOARD OF LAND SURVEYORS

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. A Petition for Declaratory Statement was filed by the Florida Society of Professional Land Surveyors and noticed on April 2, 1982, in Volume 8, Number 13 of the Florida Administrative Weekly. A hearing was held on April 30, 1982 in Tallahassee, Florida on the petition. Although the petition is technically defective in that there is no statement within the petition showing how petitioners are affected by the rule in question, petitioners, as registered land surveyors in Florida are affected by the rule setting forth Minimum Technical Standards for Land Surveying in Florida.

2. The petition consists of five questions regarding the Minimum Technical Standards for Land Surveying in the State of Florida established by the Board. These standards are found in Rule 21HH-6, Florida Administrative Code.

3. The five questions upon which Petitioner requests interpretation are:

- 1) Rule 21HH-6.03(7) specifies that when intersecting lines are non-radial, the "chord-bearing or angle shall be shown upon the drawing." Inasmuch as the purpose of the requirement is to provide sufficient data to depict angular closure of the survey, would it be acceptable to indicate the angular relation between the radial line and non-radial line in lieu of the chord-bearing or angle?

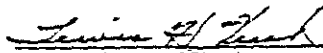
tions, those constructed facilities located  
by the field survey. (Emphasis added)

(b) The horizontal accuracy shall be such  
that it may be determined whether the constructed  
facility encroaches upon adjoining properties or  
whether it is properly placed on the property,  
in rights of way, or in easements provided for  
the facility. The vertical and horizontal  
accuracy shall be such that it may be determined  
by the designer whether the facility was constructed  
with substantial accuracy. (Emphasis added)

This provision is not satisfied until the measurements of hori-  
zontal and vertical dimensions are sufficient for the designer to  
determine the substantial accuracy of the construction.

DONE AND ORDERED this 21 day of June, 1982.

BOARD OF LAND SURVEYORS

  
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Lewis Kent, Chairman