## IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL FIRST DISTRICT, STATE OF FLORIDA

NOT FINAL UNTIL TIME EXPIRES TO

FILE MOTION FOR REHEARING AND

DISPOSITION THEREOF, IF FILED.

## RALPH M. HANSEN, JR., P.E.,

Appellant,

v.

CASE NO. 1D02-2614

## FLORIDA ENGINEERS MANAGEMENT CORPORATION,

Appellee.

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Opinion filed July 11, 2003.

An appeal from an order of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Board of Professional Engineers.

Robert D. Newell, Jr., of Newell & Terry, P.A., Tallahassee, Attorneys for Appellant.

Douglas D. Sunshine, Tallahassee, Attorney for Appellee.

PER CURIAM.

Appellant appeals the revocation of his professional engineering license in Florida and a \$5,000 fine imposed by the Florida Board of Professional Engineers and on file with the Florida Engineers Management Corporation. Appellee concedes that the \$5,000 penalty imposed exceeded the monetary penalty allowed under the statute under which Appellant was charged. Accordingly, we agree with Appellee that the penalty should be reduced to \$3,000, the maximum penalty permissible.

Appellant's other issues on appeal are without merit. We therefore reverse and remand to the Board for entry of a Final Order correcting the administrative fine to \$3,000. The revocation of Appellant's license is affirmed.

AFFIRMED in part, REVERSED in part, and REMANDED. BOOTH, BARFIELD, and ALLEN, JJ., CONCUR.