

**LOUISIANA PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING
AND LAND SURVEYING BOARD
8550 UNITED PLAZA BLVD, SUITE 903
BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA 70809-2296
(225) 925-6291**

IN THE MATTER OF:	)	CASE NO. 2026-13
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TECNIMONT USA INC.	)	
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RESPONDENT	)	
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CONSENT ORDER

The Louisiana Professional Engineering and Land Surveying Board [hereinafter the "Board"], by and through its Executive Director, pursuant to authorization by the Board, and Tecnimont USA Inc. [hereinafter "Respondent"], by and through its duly authorized undersigned representative, hereby agree to the following:

You were licensed in Louisiana as a professional engineering firm under the name Tecnimont S.P.A. Db a Tecnimont, number 1213 on May 22, 1985; however that license expired more than five years before March 19, 2026; and you subsequently became licensed in Louisiana as a professional engineering firm under the name Tecnimont USA, Inc., number EF-8256, effective March 19, 2026.

An investigation was opened based upon the Board's receipt of information and/or documents which suggested that Respondent may have committed violations of the Board's laws and/or rules. The investigation disclosed that within the last five (5) years prior to March 19, 2026 you provided and offered to provide engineering services on at least one (1) project in Louisiana while not licensed to do so.

La. R.S. 37:698(A)(9) and (16) prohibit licensees from practicing and/or offering to practice engineering with an expired license. La. R.S. 37:681 makes it unlawful to practice or offer to practice engineering in Louisiana unless licensed to do so. La. R.S. 37:698(H) permits the Board to take disciplinary action against persons who violate La. R.S. 37:681 and La. R.S. 37:698(A)(9) and (16), upon a finding of guilt following the preferral of charges, notice and hearing and a majority vote of its entire membership authorized to participate in the proceeding. La. R.S. 37:698(A)(9) and (16) and La. R.S. 37:698(H) were in effect at all times material hereto.

It is undisputed that (a) on or about May 22, 1985, Respondent was licensed in Louisiana as a professional engineering firm under the name Tecnimont S.P.A. Dba Tecnimont (EF-1213); however, its license expired more than five years ago, (b) you subsequently became licensed in Louisiana as a professional engineering firm under the name Tecnimont USA, Inc., number EF-8256, effective March 19, 2026, (c) until March 19, 2026 Respondent's professional engineering firm license was expired; and Respondent therefore, was not authorized to practice engineering or offer engineering services in Louisiana and (d) that within the last five (5) years prior to March 19, 2026 the Board has sufficient evidence to prove that Respondent offered to provide engineering services in connection with the one (1) project in Louisiana.

By letter dated June 26, 2026, the Board gave notice to Respondent that it was considering the preferral of charges against Respondent on the grounds that Respondent may have violated La. R.S. 37:681 and La. R.S. 37:698(A)(9) and (16), relative to practicing and/or offering to practice engineering with an expired license.

Wishing to dispense with the need for further enforcement action and to conclude the instant proceeding without further delay and expense, for the purpose of this proceeding only, Respondent and the Board do hereby enter into this Consent Order, in which Respondent of its own free will consents to the issuance of a Consent Order by the Board, wherein Respondent agrees to (a) pay a fine of Five Hundred and No/100 (\$500.00) Dollars, (b) pay administrative costs of Three Hundred Five and 80/100 (\$305.80) Dollars and (c) the publication of this Consent Order on the Board's website and a summary of this matter in the Board's official journal, the *Louisiana Engineer and Surveyor Journal*, and the reporting of this matter to the National Council of Examiners for Engineering and Surveying (NCEES), identifying Respondent by name.

Respondent admits that the Board has sufficient evidence to prove that Respondent's conduct as set forth above constitutes violations of the above referenced laws and/or rules stated herein. Respondent acknowledges awareness of the laws and/or rules set forth herein and states that it will comply with all applicable laws and rules henceforth. Respondent has been advised of its right to an informal conference, to be represented by counsel before the Board and/or to appear at any hearing personally or by counsel and present witnesses and evidence in its own

behalf, Respondent hereby waives this right and its right to appeal, and it states affirmatively that it has been afforded all administrative remedies due it under the law. Respondent further acknowledges awareness of the fact that the signed original of this Consent Order will remain in the custody of the Board as a public record and will be made available for public inspection and copying upon request.

Therefore, in consideration of the foregoing and by signing this Consent Order, Respondent does hereby waive its right to an informal conference, to a hearing before the Board, to the presenting of evidence and witnesses on its behalf, to Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law in this case, and to judicial review of this Consent Order.

Respondent hereby represents that (a) it fully understands the meaning and intent of this Consent Order, including but not limited to its final and binding effect, (b) it has voluntarily entered into this Consent Order and that no other promise or agreement of any kind has been made to or with it by any person whatsoever to cause the execution of this instrument and (c) the sanctions set forth in this Consent Order do not prevent the Board from taking further disciplinary or enforcement action against Respondent on matters not specifically addressed in this Consent Order.

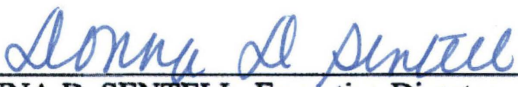
WHEREFORE, the Louisiana Professional Engineering and Land Surveying Board and Respondent agree that:

1. Respondent shall pay a fine of Five Hundred and No/100 (\$500.00) Dollars, which shall be tendered to the Board by certified check payable to the Board, due upon the signing of this Consent Order; and
2. Respondent shall pay administrative costs of Three Hundred Five and 80/100 (\$305.80), which shall be tendered to the Board by certified check payable to the Board, due upon the signing of this Consent Order; and
3. This Consent Order shall be published on the Board's website and a summary of this matter shall be printed in the official journal of the Board, the *Louisiana Engineer and Surveyor Journal*, and reported to the National Council of Examiners for Engineering and Surveying (NCEES), each identifying Respondent by name; and
4. This Consent Order shall not become effective unless and until it is accepted and signed by and on behalf of the Board. Should the Board not accept and sign this Consent Order,

it is agreed that presentation of this matter to the Board shall not prejudice the Board or any of its members, staff, attorneys or representatives from further participation, consideration, or resolution of any further proceedings herein.

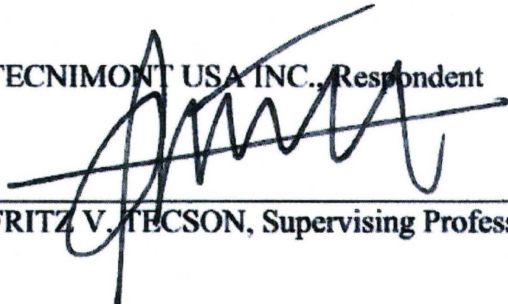
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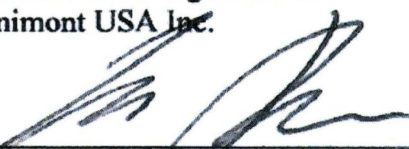
BY: 
DONNA D. SENTELL, Executive Director

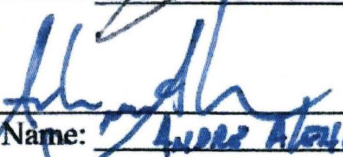
TECNIMONT USA INC., Respondent

DATE: July 15, 2026

BY: 
FRITZ V. TECSON, Supervising Professional

Witnesses to the signature of
Tecnimont USA Inc.


Print Name: CARLO BUSSI


Print Name: LOUIS ALVARADO