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**OHIO'S STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR
PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND SURVEYORS**

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Board Revokes P.E. Registration of Atul A. Gupte

At its meeting on March 8, 2007 the Ohio State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Surveyors revoked the professional engineer registration of **Atul A. Gupte of Richfield, Ohio.**

In October 2006 the Board opened an investigation after learning that Atul A. Gupte was practicing engineering at a time when his professional engineer registration was expired. Mr. Gupte's registration as a professional engineer had expired on December 31, 2000; however, he continued to provide engineering design services for a number of projects in the Cleveland and Akron areas. After the investigation was completed the Board charged Mr. Gupte with violating Ohio Revised Code Sections 4733.02, 4733.20 (A)(2) and 4733.22 for engaging in the illegal practice of engineering and offered him an opportunity for hearing. Mr. Gupte did not request a hearing. After reviewing the evidence the Board issued a Final Order revoking Mr. Gupte's professional engineer registration.

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