



# **TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL GEOSCIENTISTS**

## **Application Review and Continuing Education Committee**

November 16, 2017 – 9:00 a.m.  
William P. Hobby Building  
333 Guadalupe Street, Tower III, Room 102  
Austin, Texas 78701

### **AGENDA**

*The Committee may discuss and take action regarding any of the following agenda items.*

- A. Call to order, roll call, and certification of quorum.
- B. Approval of minutes from the August 17, 2017 committee meeting.
- C. Public comment (limited to five minutes per person; more time may be allotted as needed at the discretion of the committee chair).
- D. Staff Licensing Report on licensing data, exam statistics.
- E. Applications for P.G. license or GIT certification and/or exam requests received:
  - a. Madelyn Flannagan: Review of applicant's request for waiver of the ASBOG® Practice of Geology examination.
- F. Consideration of an additional ASBOG® examination administration site in the West Texas area.
- G. Exam Waiver Request Policy: Consideration of an amendment to the current Board Policy on Examination Waivers (10/28/16) and possible recommendation to the Appointed Board.
- H. Recommendation to Appointed Board regarding adoption of amendment to 22 TAC §851.21, Licensing Requirements-Examination.
- I. Recommendation to Appointed Board regarding adoption of amendment to 22 TAC §851.83, Certain Licensees Temporarily Exempt from Continuing Education Requirements.
- J. Consideration of whether the state of Alabama's pre-CSSE soil science competency examination is an equivalent competency examination per TBPG Rule TAC §851.29(b)(2).
- K. Development of consumer information/publications to be available on the website and general distribution in other settings.
- L. Overview of TBPG's four-year rule review process per Texas Government Code §2001.039 Agency Review of Existing Rules, the Committee's assigned rule sections, and expectations for the February 2018 Committee meeting.
- M. Date for upcoming meetings and agenda items for next meeting.
- N. Adjournment.

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