

## TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL GEOSCIENTISTS

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

(Fleming-Committee Chair, Derie, Hallmark, Knight-Villarreal)

January 31, 2019 – 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 November 29, 2018 committee meeting.
- C. Public comment (limited to five minutes per person; more or less time may be allotted as needed at the discretion of the committee chair).
- D. Staff Licensing Report: licensing data, ASBOG® exam statistics, TGE exam statistics, and updates regarding reciprocity agreements.
- E. Review of the following applicants:
  - a. Dusten Russell: Applicant for PG licensure requesting waiver of the Soil Science examinations or the ASBOG examinations.
  - b. Sanjay Sharma: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of the ASBOG® Fundamentals and Practice of Geology examinations
  - c. Jon Gilbert: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of the education requirement or substitution of the experience for the education.
  - d. Michael Nibert: Applicant for PG licensure requesting licensure by reciprocity, a waiver of education requirement, and waiver of the ASBOG® Fundamentals of Geology examination.
- F. Update regarding Texas Geophysics exam: potential actions to strengthen the TGE; item bank; Angoff scoring methods
- G. Addition of an Environmental Science license
- H. Date for upcoming meetings and agenda items for next meeting.
- I. Adjournment.

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