

## **TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL GEOSCIENTISTS**

## Application Review and Continuing Education (AR/CE) Committee Meeting

(Hallmark, Ulmer, Roeling Krenz-Doe)

May 18, 2012

Time: 8:00 a.m.

333 Guadalupe St, Room - 1264

Austin, Texas 78701

## **AGENDA**

- A. Call to order
- B. Roll call and certification of quorum
- C. Public comment Limited to three (3) minutes (longer at the discretion of the Committee)
- D. Approval of minutes from February 18, 2012 committee meeting
- E. Discussion and possible action on recommendations of the Committee on the following P.G. application(s): Louis Mazzullo requesting a waiver of the ASBOG® FG Examination
- F. Discussion and possible action on TBPG rule 851.25(d): the requirement of submitting an official transcript long with a Foreign Transcript Evaluation by a National Association of Credential Evaluation Services (NACES) member.
- G. Discussion and possible action regarding public comments on proposed amendment to \$851.29 regarding "cooperative licensure" or "portability of licensure", per TOC \$1002.257
- H. Discussion and possible action on TBPG's Exam Waiver Request Policy
- I. Discussion and possible action on the Continuing Education Program (CEP) Audit Policy
- J. Discussion and possible action on TBPG rule §851.23: consider a modification to the Board rules to specify that 5 years of "post graduate" work experience is required for PG licensure.
- K. Discussion and possible action on TBPG rule §851.30(7): Firms: full-time responsible charge required at each branch office
- L. Discussion and possible action on TBPG rule §851.45: Relationship of Geoscientist-in-Training Certification to Licensure of Professional Geoscientists
- M. Discussion and possible action on Licensing Data
- N. Discussion and possible action on Other TBPG Committee items of interest
- O. Future Agenda items:
  - California Geophysics Exam: No action
  - Reciprocity Agreements: Status update information from Indiana and Pennsylvania
- P. Adjournment

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