

## **TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL GEOSCIENTISTS**

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

(Hallmark, Ulmer, Roeling Krenz-Doe)

### August 24, 2012

Time: 7:30 a.m.

#### 333 Guadalupe St, Room - 1250A

Austin, Texas 78701

#### **AGENDA**

- A. Call to order
- B. Roll call and certification of quorum
- C. Public comment Limited to three (3) minutes
- D. Approval of minutes from May 18, 2012 committee meeting
- E. Discussion and possible action on recommendations of the Committee on the following Exam Requests/Applications for licensure:
  - 1. Yuliya Dunaway: waiver request of "official" transcript requirement (for exam and licensure)
  - 2. Dipakkumar Patel: waiver request of "official" transcript requirement (for exam and licensure)
  - 3. Norman Meyer: applicant seeking a review of work experience and/or a temporary "waiver" of the experience requirement in order to sit for the ASBOG® Practice of Geology Examination on October 5, 2012
- F. Discussion and possible action regarding a possible recommendation from the Committee to the full Board on proposed changes to TBPG's rule 851.25(d); the requirement of submitting an official transcript along with a Foreign Transcript Evaluation by a National Association of Credential Evaluation Services (NACES) member
- G. Discussion and possible action regarding a possible recommendation from the Committee to the full Board on the following P.G. applications for licensure:
  - 1. Anol Mukhopadhyay: PG applicant for licensure requesting a waiver of the ASBOG® Practice of Geology Examination
  - 2. Alan Izard: PG applicant for licensure requesting a waiver of the ASBOG® Fundamental and Practice of Geology Examinations
- H. Discussion and possible action on the Texas Geophysics Exam; review of examinee's comments/ suggestions
- I. Discussion and possible action regarding a possible recommendation from the Committee to the full Board on proposed changes to TBPG's rule §851.30(i); regarding the permanent expiration of a Geoscience Firm after one year of expiration
- J. Discussion and possible action regarding a possible recommendation from the Committee to the full Board on proposed changes to TBPG's rule §851.45; Relationship of Geoscientists-in-Training Certification to Licensure of Professional Geoscientists

- K. Discussion and possible action on Licensing Data
- L. Discussion and possible action on Other TBPG Committee items of interest
- M. Future Agenda items:
  - 1. California Geophysics Exam
- N. Adjournment

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