



TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL GEOSCIENTISTS

Application Review and Continuing Education Committee Meeting

August 13, 2020, 9:00 a.m.

MINUTES

- A. The meeting was called to order at 9:05 a.m. Members present were Committee Chair Steven Fleming, P.G., Edward F. Janak, Jr., PG, Bereket Derie, PhD, P.G., and Morgon Dillard.
- B. Roll call of public attendees.
- C. Approval of minutes from the April 24, 2020 committee meeting was approved as written.
- D. There were no public comments.
- E. Licensing Report: licensing data, ASBOG exam statistics, TGE exam statistics were presented.
- F. Review of the following applicants:
 - A. Kimberly Tapia: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of the ASBOG Fundamentals of Geology examination. The Committee recommended to the Full Appointed Board Ms. Tapia's request.
 - B. Hernando Martinez-Sacristan: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of the ASBOG Fundamentals and Practice of Geology examinations. The Committee recommended to the Full Appointed Board Mr. Martinez-Sacristan's request.
 - C. Dr. Richard A MacKenzie: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of the ASBOG Fundamentals and Practice of Geology examinations. The Committee recommended to the Full Appointed Board Dr. MacKenzie's request.
 - D. Chris Armistead: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of the ASBOG Practice of Geology examination. The Committee recommended to the Full Appointed Board Mr. Armistead's request.
 - E. Lauren A Cassel: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of the ASBOG Fundamentals of Geology examination. The Committee recommended to the Full Appointed Board Ms. Cassel's request.
 - F. Marcus Guidry: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of the ASBOG Fundamentals and Practice of Geology examinations. The Committee recommended to the Full Appointed Board Mr. Guidry's request.
 - G. Brian David: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of the ASBOG Fundamentals of Geology examination. The Committee recommended to the Full Appointed Board Mr. David's request.
 - H. Walter Blossom: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of the ASBOG Fundamentals and Practice of Geology examinations. The Committee recommended to the Full Appointed Board Mr. Blossoms' request.
- G. The Board Waiver Policy was discussed. No action taken.
- H. An overview of the upcoming TBPG four year rule review of 22 TAC 850 and 851 was presented.

- I. An overview of the Advisory Committee process was presented.
- J. Potential outreach initiatives were presented.
- K. The next Committee meeting is scheduled for November 19, 2020.
- L. The meeting adjourned at 10:58 a.m.